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(AUSTIN) – James F. Wise of Jasper claimed a *Weekly Grand* top prize worth \$1,000 per week for 20 years, for a total prize of \$1,040,000, before taxes.

With more than \$39 million in total prizes, the *Weekly Grand* scratch-off features overall odds of winning of one in 3.96, including break-even prizes. Wise took home the second top prize in the game. Two top prizes and millions of prizes from \$2 to \$300 currently remain unclaimed.

For selling the winning ticket, the Jasper Jiffy Market located at 2209 Highway 63 West in Jasper is eligible for a \$10,000 retailer bonus.

The claimant requested minimal publicity.

About the Texas Lottery

Beginning with the first ticket sold in 1992, the Texas Lottery has generated \$21 billion in revenue for the state and distributed \$42 billion in prizes to lottery players. Since 1997, the Texas Lottery has contributed \$16 billion to the Foundation School Fund, which supports public education in Texas. As authorized by the Texas Legislature, certain Texas Lottery revenues benefit state programs including the Fund for Veterans' Assistance.

The Texas Lottery provides several entertaining games for lottery players including *Powerball*[®], *Mega Millions*[®], *Lotto Texas*[®], *All or Nothing*[™], *Texas Two Step*[®], *Pick* 3[™], *Daily* 4[™], *Cash Five*[®] and scratch-offs. For more information visit us on <u>Facebook</u>, <u>Twitter</u>, <u>YouTube</u> or at <u>www.txlottery.org</u>.

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