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ARLINGTON COUPLE COLLECTS LAST TEXAS MILLION TOP PRIZE

(Austin, May 31) - The Don & Kandy Loggins Revocable Living Trust of Arlington today collected the top prize of \$1 million in the Texas Lottery's *Texas Million* game. The winning numbers were 03-17-22-18.

The top-prize winning ticket was purchased at Chuck's Grocery & Grill, located at 700 Secretary Drive in Arlington. The drawing was held on Friday, May 4, 2001. For selling a winning *Texas Million* ticket, the retailer receives a one-percent bonus of \$10,000.

There were two tickets sold for the \$1 million prize for this drawing. The Partnership of Rojas and Smith of Pharr purchased the other ticket in San Juan at the RC Mini Mart, located at I Road & Chaparral. They claimed their prize on May 25th.

The ticket turned over today was the last top-prize winner to be claimed for *Texas Million*. The last drawing for the game was May 11, 2001. Since its inception in May of 1998, *Texas Million* produced 25 \$1 million winners, and contributed \$65 million to the Foundation School Fund.

Representatives of the trust requested minimal publicity.

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The Texas Lottery, the 4th largest selling lottery in North America, is "Focusing on the Future of Education, One Ticket At A Time." By providing the 'Games of Texas' for more than 10 years, the Texas Lottery Commission (TLC) has generated more than \$10 billion for the state and paid nearly \$17 billion to players in prizes. For more information about the TLC, please visit the official website at http://www.txlottery.org

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