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\$13 MILLION LOTTO TEXAS® SOLD IN PHARR CLAIMED BY MARTINEZ-SANCHEZ & ASSOCIATES, LTD

(AUSTIN) – Martinez-Sanchez & Associates, Ltd., through its general partner Martinez-Sanchez, Management, LLC, M. Martinez Sanchez, manager, has claimed the \$13 million *Lotto Texas*® jackpot from the drawing on March 29. The ticket was sold in Pharr.

Purchased with the Cash Value Option, the ticket provided the winner a one-time lump sum payment of \$8,644,766, before taxes. The numbers drawn were 11, 22, 40, 27, 33 and 2.

The ticket was bought at the Stripes #9142, located at 8001 South Jackson in Pharr. The retailer is eligible to receive a bonus of \$130,000, which is one percent of the advertised jackpot for this drawing.

The winner requested minimum publicity.

Tonight's *Mega Millions*[®] jackpot is worth an estimated \$60 million. Wednesday's *Lotto Texas*[®] jackpot is worth an estimated \$6 million. Thursday's *Texas Two Step*[®] is worth an estimated \$1.4 million.

For more information about the Texas Lottery[®], please visit the official Web site at http://www.txlottery.org.

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