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Texas Lottery Commission Awards Contracts For Instant Ticket Manufacturing And Services

(Austin, September 7) - The Texas Lottery Commission announced today that it has executed contracts for instant ticket manufacturing and services with the following entities:

- Scientific Games International, Inc., Primary Vendor
- Pollard Banknote Limited, Secondary Vendor

The primary vendor will be the prime source of Texas Lottery instant tickets and services, while the secondary vendor will print a minimum of one game per contract year for the Texas Lottery and will serve as a backup in the event the primary vendor is unable to perform.

"I really want to express my appreciation to all Texas Lottery staff for their hard work and diligence during the request for proposal process and ensuing negotiations," said Reagan E. Greer, Executive Director of the Texas Lottery Commission. "Instant ticket games account for almost 70 percent of all Texas Lottery sales, so these successful contract executions are extremely important. I'm confident that Scientific Games and Pollard Banknote will meet our expectations, and I look forward to working with both of these vendors. The Texas Lottery thanks all vendors who participated in the procurement process."

For more information about the Texas Lottery, please visit the official Texas Lottery Commission Web site at <http://www.txlottery.org>.