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PASADENA LOTTERY PLAYER WINS \$2.5 MILLION TOP PRIZE IN 100X THE CASH SCRATCH-OFF GAME

(AUSTIN) – Robert Shearfield of Pasadena claimed the first of eight top prizes in the <u>100X The Cash</u> scratch-off game from the Texas Lottery[®]. For selling the winning ticket, the Dell Dale Food Store at 531 Dell Dale St. in Channelview is eligible for a 10,000 retailer bonus.

With more than \$183 million in prizes, the \$20 game features overall odds of winning any prize of one in 2.86, including break-even prizes. Seven \$2.5 million top prizes and 10 second-tier prizes of \$100,000 currently remain unclaimed.

The claimant requested minimum 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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