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TEXAS LOTTERY® PLAYER FROM EL PASO CLAIMS \$1 MILLION POWERBALL® PRIZE

(AUSTIN) – El Paso resident Santos Rivera claimed one of two \$1 million second-tier prizes awarded in the [Powerball](#)® drawing held Sept. 3. Rivera's Quick Pick ticket came from The Station located at 1515 Lee Trevino Drive, Suite T in El Paso. The ticket matched all five white balls drawn (2-16-43-45-51) but not the red *Powerball* (35).

The claimant requested minimal publicity.

A second \$1 million winning Quick Pick ticket was purchased for the same drawing at the Midway Food Mart, 621 N. Hewitt Drive in Hewitt. The prize has not yet been claimed.

Powerball jackpots start at \$40 million and roll until the jackpot is won. Players win the jackpot by matching the five white ball numbers (1-59) and the red *Powerball* number (1-35). There are eight other ways to win non-jackpot prizes ranging from \$4 to \$1 million or up to \$2 million if the ticket includes *Power Play*. The overall odds of winning a prize in the game are approximately one in 31. The overall odds of winning the jackpot prize are one in 175,223,510.

POWERBALL® PRIZE CHART			POWER PLAY® PRIZE CHART If the Power Play Number Drawn is:			
Match White Balls + Red Powerball	Powerball Prize	Powerball Odds	x 2 (Odds 1:2)	x 3 (Odds 1:3.33)	x 4 (Odds 1:10)	x 5 (Odds 1:10)
○ ○ ○ ○ ○ + ●	Grand/Jackpot Prize*	1:175,223,510	-----	-----	-----	-----
○ ○ ○ ○ ○	\$1,000,000	1:5,153,633	\$2,000,000**	\$2,000,000**	\$2,000,000**	\$2,000,000**
○ ○ ○ ○ ○ + ●	\$10,000	1:648,976	\$20,000	\$30,000	\$40,000	\$50,000
○ ○ ○ ○ ○	\$100	1:19,088	\$200	\$300	\$400	\$500
○ ○ ○ ○ + ●	\$100	1:12,245	\$200	\$300	\$400	\$500
○ ○ ○ ○	\$7	1:360	\$14	\$21	\$28	\$35
○ ○ ○ + ●	\$7	1:706	\$14	\$21	\$28	\$35
○ ○ + ●	\$4	1:111	\$8	\$12	\$16	\$20
○ ●	\$4	1:55	\$8	\$12	\$16	\$20

Powerball overall odds are 1:31.8. All non-grand/jackpot prizes are guaranteed prizes. If funds are insufficient to pay guaranteed prizes, non-grand/jackpot prizes may be paid on a pari-mutuel basis and could be lower than the amounts shown. Power Play prizes shall be reduced if non-grand/jackpot prizes are paid on a pari-mutuel basis.
*The grand/jackpot prize is pari-mutuel and will be divided equally by the number of grand/jackpot prize winners.
**A Power Play Match Five (5+0) prize is set at \$2,000,000 regardless of the Power Play number selected. All other non-jackpot prizes will be multiplied by the Power Play number selected.

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