

Texas Lottery Commission Press Release - June 12, 2001

Contact:

Keith Elkins, 512.344.5210

EVALUATION COMMITTEE REVIEWING LOTTERY OPERATOR CONTRACT FOR THE TEXAS LOTTERY

(Austin, June 12) - Texas Lottery officials announced today that an internal evaluation committee has started reviewing the sole proposal received last Friday in response to a Request for Proposals for the lottery operations and services contract.

"At this point, I have been informed that one proposal was received," said Linda Cloud, Executive Director of the Lottery Commission. "I am told that proposal was submitted by the GTECH Corporation."

Cloud said an evaluation committee is currently assessing the proposal. It is uncertain how long that evaluation will take.

. . . .

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>

-30