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SAN ANTONIO TRUST CLAIMS \$22 MILLION LOTTO TEXAS® JACKPOT FROM LAST WEEK

(AUSTIN) – Red Dog Trust, Jefferson Bank, trustee, Candace Tottenham, its assistant vice president and trust officer, of San Antonio, claimed the *Lotto Texas*[®] jackpot prize from the drawing held Feb. 15. The trust selected the Cash Value Option, making the \$22 million advertised jackpot worth \$16,430,057.60, before taxes.

The trust's Quick Pick ticket matched all six numbers drawn, 1 - 6 - 31 - 43 - 44 - 53.

For selling the winning ticket, the Texas Food Mart located at 446 Cupples Road in San Antonio is eligible for a \$220,000 retailer bonus.

The claimant requested minimal publicity.

Friday's *Mega Millions*[®] jackpot is an estimated \$83 million. Saturday's *Powerball* [®] jackpot is an estimated \$70 million, and the *Lotto Texas* jackpot is an estimated \$6 million.

Beginning with the first ticket sold in 1992, the Texas Lottery has generated more than \$19 billion in revenue for the state and distributed \$37 billion in prizes to lottery players. Since 1997, the Texas Lottery has contributed nearly \$14 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.

Celebrating its 20th anniversary this year, the Texas Lottery provides several entertaining games for lottery players including *Powerball*, *Mega Millions*, *Lotto Texas*, *Texas Two Step*[®], *Pick* 3^{TM} , *Daily* 4^{TM} , *Cash Five*[®] and scratch-offs. For more information about the Texas Lottery, please visit **www.txlottery.org.**

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