## **TEXAS LOTTERY COMMISSION News Release**

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## ALAMO CITY *ELVIS*™ PLAYER SET TO SAY "ALOHA" AFTER SECOND-CHANCE DRAWING WIN

(Austin) – Longtime scratch-off player Willie Daniels of San Antonio knows that not every ticket is a winner. But thanks to the Texas Lottery<sup>®</sup> Luck Zone, Daniels now also knows that sometimes you can win even when you don't scratch off a prize. Daniels won an autographed Houston Texans jersey last year in a second-chance drawing for the *Houston Texans* game. Monday, Daniels claimed an even bigger prize—a Hawaiian vacation—after entering a non-winning ticket in a second-chance drawing for the \$2 *Elvis*<sup>™</sup> game.



The Hawaii Vacation Trip was the top prize available in the second of five second-chance drawings for *Elvis*. Daniels is planning to take his wife along with him for their 16<sup>th</sup> anniversary.

"I've been hoping to win some Houston Texans tickets, but I think my wife will be a lot more excited about going to Hawaii," said Daniels.

They'll have two Hawaii Vacation Trip prize options to choose from—a seven-day Norwegian Cruise Line cruise for two or a six-night Waikiki vacation for two. Both options include two officially licensed Elvis<sup>®</sup> merchandise prize packs, \$1,000 in spending money, round-trip airfare from a Texas international airport to Honolulu, and more.

"Congratulations to Mr. Daniels; it sounds like he and his wife will have an anniversary to remember," said Texas Lottery Commission Executive Director Gary Grief. "We encourage all of our scratch-off players to visit the Luck Zone on our website to see which games offer second-chance drawings for non-winning tickets."

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The *Elvis* scratch-off game features instant prizes ranging from \$2 to \$20,000. Players who don't win instantly can enter their non-winning tickets in second-chance drawings online at **www.txlottery.org/luckzone**. In addition to the Hawaii Vacation Trips (one per drawing), other prizes include officially licensed Elvis® merchandise prize packs containing framed "Viva Las Vegas" collectibles, duffel bags, neon clocks, framed mirrors and music CDs. The next second-chance drawing for the *Elvis* game is scheduled for February 9, with an entry deadline of February 3.

Currently, in addition to *Elvis*, players may also visit the Texas Lottery Luck Zone to enter their non-winning *Dallas Cowboys* and *Houston Texans* tickets for upcoming second-chance drawings.

Tonight's *Powerball*<sup>®</sup> jackpot is an estimated \$120 million, and the *Lotto Texas*<sup>®</sup> jackpot is an estimated \$16 million. Friday's *Mega Millions*<sup>®</sup> jackpot is an estimated \$12 million.

For more information about the Texas Lottery, please visit www.txlottery.org.

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