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ODESSA TRUST CLAIMS MONTHLY BONUS TOP PRIZE

(**AUSTIN**) – On Friday, Pedro Sanchez Jr., trustee of the PMS Family Trust of Odessa, claimed the top prize – \$10,000 a month for 20 years – in the Texas Lottery® *Monthly Bonus* scratch-off game. The total amount of the prize before taxes is \$2,400,000.

"On behalf of the Texas Lottery Commission, I'd like to congratulate today's *Monthly Bonus* claimant," said Anthony J. Sadberry, acting executive director of the Texas Lottery Commission.

The winning ticket was purchased at the Stockade Grocery & Deli, located at 807 North FM 1936 in Odessa. The retail owner is eligible to receive a bonus of \$10,000 for selling the winning ticket.

The winner requested minimal publicity.

In addition to the top prizes, the \$5 *Monthly Bonus* game offers cash prizes in amounts ranging from \$5 to \$20,000.

Tuesday's *Mega Millions* jackpot is an estimated \$41 million and Wednesday's *Lotto Texas*[®] jackpot is an estimated \$4 million.

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