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**SAN ANTONIO RESIDENT CLAIMS TOP PRIZE FOR TEXAS
LOTTERY® *TOP PRIZE \$500,000* SCRATCH OFF GAME**

(AUSTIN) – Today Jennifer Gomez claimed the top-cash prize for the Texas Lottery® *Top Prize \$500,000* scratch game. Gomez will receive \$50,000 for the next 10 years, the annuity paid prize totaling \$500,000, before taxes.

The \$1 ticket offers other cash prizes ranging from \$1 up to \$100. Overall odds of winning any prize in the *Top Prize \$500,000* game are 1 in 4.67, including break-even prizes. Today's winner makes the second \$500,000 prize payout claimed for the game, which leaves three tickets still unclaimed for the top prize.

“On behalf of the Texas Lottery Commission, I would like to congratulate our latest winner from San Antonio,” said Acting Executive Director Anthony J. Sadberry. “I’d also like to remind our players that today’s claim is only the second one thus far for the *Top Prize \$500,000* game so there are still many opportunities to win big.”

The prize-winning ticket was purchased at Big Diamond, located at 4450 Dezavala Road in San Antonio.

The winner has requested minimum publicity.

For more information about the Texas Lottery, please visit the official Texas Lottery Commission Web site at <http://www.txlottery.org>

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