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HOUSTON RESIDENT CLAIMS \$1 MILLION WITH THE TEXAS LOTTERY® GAME \$200,000,000 CASH BLOWOUT

(AUSTIN) – Liliana Garcia of Pasadena claimed a \$200,000,000 Cash Blowout top prize winning ticket worth \$1,000,000. Garcia purchased the ticket at the Maxey Shell located at 570 Maxey Road in Houston. For selling the winning ticket, the store is eligible for a \$10,000 retailer bonus.

This is the second of 10 top prizes to be claimed in the \$200,000,000 Cash Blowout. The game features a total of more than \$200 million in prizes and overall odds of winning of one in 2.82, including break-even prizes.

The claimant requested minimal publicity.



About the Texas Lottery

Beginning with the first ticket sold in 1992, the Texas Lottery has generated \$22 billion in revenue for the state and distributed \$44 billion in prizes to lottery players. Since 1997, the Texas Lottery has contributed \$17 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.

The Texas Lottery provides several entertaining games for lottery players including *Powerball*[®], *Mega Millions*[®], *Lotto Texas*[®], *All or Nothing*[™], *Texas Two Step*, *Pick* 3[™], *Daily* 4[™], *Cash Five*[®] and scratch-offs. For more information visit us on <u>Facebook</u>, <u>Twitter</u>, <u>YouTube</u> or at <u>www.txlottery.org</u>.

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