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SAN ANTONIO RESIDENT FIRST WINNER TO CLAIM \$1 MILLION PRIZE FROM LAST NIGHT'S DRAWING

Texas Lottery® awaits winners from Dallas, Houston and Humble

(AUSTIN) – The first of the \$1 million winners from last night's record *Powerball*® drawing has claimed his prize. Ruben Briones of San Antonio was one of four lucky Texans matching five numbers (5–16–22–23–29) but not the *Powerball* (6) to win \$1 million each.

“Only one set of numbers were chosen on this lucky *Powerball* ticket, which proves once again that it only takes \$2 to win big in this game,” said Gary

Grief, executive director of the Texas Lottery®. “We always encourage Texas Lottery players to enjoy these games responsibly, and evidently, Mr. Briones did and it paid off.”

Briones, who requested minimal publicity, purchased his ticket at the Frio City Food Mart, located at 707 Frio City Road in San Antonio.

Texas was one of the top five selling states for last night's drawing, and the city of San Antonio alone accounted for more than \$4 million in sales. During yesterday's peak selling period between 6:00 p.m. and 6:59 p.m., the Texas Lottery's sales *per minute* totaled \$74,880. This surpasses Texas' highest hourly sales per minute rate of \$70,839 for the March 30, 2012, *Mega Millions*® drawing.

POWERBALL / POWER PLAY PRIZE CHART		
Match White Balls + Red Powerball	Powerball Prize	Prize with Power Play
○ ○ ○ ○ ○ + ●	Grand/Jackpot Prize*	---
○ ○ ○ ○ ○	\$1,000,000	\$2,000,000
○ ○ ○ ○ ○ + ●	\$10,000	\$40,000
○ ○ ○ ○ ○	\$100	\$200
○ ○ ○ ○ + ●	\$100	\$200
○ ○ ○ ○	\$7	\$14
○ ○ ○ + ●	\$7	\$14
○ ○ + ●	\$4	\$12
○ + ●	\$4	\$12
●	\$4	\$12

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Three other Texas \$1 million winning tickets were sold at the following locations:

- 7-Eleven #12205- 5123 W Lovers Lane, Dallas, TX 75209
- Stop By Market- 4040 Boone Road, Houston, TX 77072
- Timewise Food Store #208- 7501 FM 1960 Road E, Humble, TX 77346

The final amount of the advertised \$550 million jackpot was \$587.5 million, with a cash value of \$384.7. This was the largest *Powerball* jackpot ever and the second largest jackpot in history for any lottery game.

About the Texas Lottery

Beginning with the first ticket sold in 1992, the Texas Lottery has generated more than \$20 billion in revenue for the state and distributed \$39 billion in prizes to lottery players. Since 1997, the Texas Lottery has contributed more than \$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 *Mega Millions*, *Powerball*, *Lotto Texas*[®], *All or Nothing*[™], *Texas Two Step*[®], *Pick 3*[™], *Daily 4*[™], *Cash Five*[®] and scratch-offs. For more information visit us on [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#), [YouTube](#) or at www.txlottery.org.

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