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SAN ANTONIO RESIDENT OPTS FOR *MEGAPLIER*[®] AND WINS \$1 MILLION IN *MEGA MILLIONS*[®] DRAW

(Austin) – James P. Larger of San Antonio didn't need to match the Mega Ball number in Friday's *Mega Millions*[®] drawing to win a significant prize, because he selected the *Megaplier*[®] option when he purchased his ticket. As a result, his second-tier prize automatically became a cool \$1 million.

Larger won his prize in the *Mega Millions* drawing held September 9. His decision to *Megaplier*[®] for \$1 extra bumped his \$250,000 prize up to \$1 million.

The winning ticket was purchased at the Rams Express located at 4415 Ramsgate in San Antonio.

The claimant requested minimal publicity.

Tonight's *Mega Millions* jackpot is an estimated \$54 million. Wednesday's *Powerball*[®] jackpot is an estimated \$25 million, and the *Lotto Texas*[®] jackpot is an estimated \$5 million.

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