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New Jersey Lottery Sells One \$1,000,000 Prizewinning Ticket as Mega Millions Rolls to \$123 Million

TRENTON (June 19, 2016) – Carole Hedinger, New Jersey Lottery executive director, announced that there was one New Jersey ticket sold that matched the five white balls drawn winning the \$1,000,000 second-tier prize for the Friday, June 16 drawing. If that ticket had been purchased with the Megaplier option, it would have multiplied the prize to \$5,000,000. The ticket was sold at Quick Chek #53, 625 North Midland Ave., Saddle Brook in Bergen County. The winning numbers were: 18, 22, 26, 30 and 44. The Gold Mega Ball was 09 and the Megaplier Multiplier was 05.

In addition, 50 tickets sold matched the four white balls winning \$500 each. Two of those tickets were purchased with the Megaplier option, multiplying the prize to \$2,500 each. Moreover, 92,710 other New Jersey players took home \$190,621 in prizes ranging from \$1 to \$250, according to Hedinger.

"Congratulations to the lottery winners and to the retailers that sold the winning tickets," said Hedinger. "For selling the winning tickets, the retailers have become many more Lottery 'lucky locations' overnight."

The next drawing will be held Tuesday, June 20 at 11:00 pm. All New Jersey Lottery Mega Millions tickets must be purchased before 10:45 pm to participate in the drawing. Mega Millions tickets cost just one dollar; by adding the Megaplier option for an extra dollar per play, players can increase their non-jackpot winnings up to five times.

ABOUT THE LOTTERY

Since its inception in 1970, the New Jersey Lottery (NJLottery.com) has contributed nearly \$25 billion to the State in support of education and institutions.

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