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Mega Millions Rolls to \$37 Million

TRENTON (Aug. 23, 2017) – Carole Hedinger, New Jersey Lottery executive director, announced that while there were no winners of the Mega Millions jackpot, second or third-tier prizes for the Tuesday, Aug. 22 drawing, 15 players matched four of the five white balls drawn making each ticket worth \$500. If those tickets had been purchased with the Megaplier option, it would have multiplied the prize to \$2,000 each. Moreover, 77,229 other New Jersey players took home \$142,452 in prizes ranging from \$1 to \$200, according to Hedinger. The winning numbers were: 24, 35, 46, 50 and 51. The Gold Mega Ball was 07, and the Megaplier Multiplier was 04.

“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 Friday, Aug. 25 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. Powerball and Mega Millions drawings can be seen on WABC-TV stations. Mega Millions tickets are sold in 46 participating jurisdictions. Drawings are held on Tuesdays and Fridays.

View all New Jersey Lottery game winning numbers and drawings for the Pick-3, Pick-4, Jersey Cash 5, Pick-6, CASH4LIFE and 5 Card Cash games on the Lottery website (www.NJLottery.com) or on the official Lottery Facebook Page. Midday and evening draws, with the exception of CASH4LIFE and 5 Card Cash, can be seen on WPIX-TV (PIX11) in New York and WPHL-TV (PHL17) in Philadelphia. Powerball and Mega Millions drawings can be seen on WABC-TV stations.

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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