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## Two Jersey Cash 5 Tickets Split \$256,458 Jackpot in Hudson and Mercer County

**TRENTON (March 17, 2017)** – Two lucky tickets matched all five numbers drawn splitting the \$256,458 Jersey Cash 5 jackpot from the Thursday, March 16 drawing. Each ticket is worth \$128,229. The winning numbers were: 04, 09, 16, 34 and 35 and the XTRA number was: 03. Those tickets were sold at the following locations:

- Hudson County: \$.99 Cents & Plus, 1113 Summit Ave., Union City; and
- Mercer County: Oasis Deli, 1641 South Olden Ave., Olden Plaza Unit 6, Hamilton.

Executive Director Carole Hedinger said, "We are thrilled that the winning jackpot tickets were sold at \$.99 Cents & Plus and Oasis Deli. The retailers will receive a bonus check for \$2,000 for each winning ticket sold. Overnight, they have become two more 'lucky locations' for the very fortunate lottery winners."

Executive Director Carole Hedinger announced that there were 404,645 tickets purchased for the drawing. By adding XTRA, for an additional \$1.00 per play, winners are able to multiply their non-jackpot prizes by the XTRA number drawn. For correctly matching four of the five numbers drawn, 55 ticketholders won \$676 each and 4 others won \$2,028 each with the addition of XTRA. Moreover, for correctly matching three of the five numbers drawn, 2,322 ticketholders won \$16 each and 363 others won \$48 each with the addition of XTRA. Lastly, 4,473 ticketholders each won \$2 for correctly matching two of the five numbers drawn with the addition of XTRA on their purchase.

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 (<u>www.NJLottery.com</u>) 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.

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