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## **New Jersey Sells One \$1,000,000 and Two \$50,000 Tickets as the Powerball Jackpot Rolls to \$349,000,000**

**TRENTON (Feb. 16, 2017)** – There was one New Jersey Lottery ticket sold that matched the 5 white balls drawn to win the \$1,000,000 second-prize for the Wednesday, Feb. 15 drawing. If that ticket had been purchased with the Power Play Multiplier option, it would have doubled the prize to \$2,000,000. The winning ticket was purchased in Bergen County at Stop & Shop #835, 34 West Railroad Ave., Tenafly.

The winning numbers for the Wednesday, Feb. 15 drawing were: 05, 28, 33, 38 and 42. The Red Power Ball number was 19. The Multiplier number was 02.

In addition, two New Jersey Lottery tickets were sold that matched the 4 white balls and the Powerball drawn, winning the \$50,000 third prize. If those tickets had been purchased with Power Play, it would have doubled the prize to \$100,000. The tickets were purchased at the following locations:

- Hunterdon County: Exxon Tiger Mart, 1200 State Route 31, Lebanon; and
- Monmouth County: ACME #7960, Route 9 & Elton Edelpia Rd., Freehold.

In addition to the second and third-tier prizewinning tickets sold, there were 73,924 New Jersey players who took home an estimated \$359,058 in prizes ranging from \$4 to \$200, according to Lottery Executive Director Carole Hedinger.

“Congratulations to all of the lottery players who purchased winning tickets and to the retailers that sold them,” said Hedinger. “The Powerball excitement continues to build as the jackpot climbs to \$349,000,000 for the next drawing to be held Saturday, Feb 18 at 10:59 pm.”

### **ABOUT THE LOTTERY**

Since its inception in 1970, the New Jersey Lottery (NJLottery.com) has contributed more than \$24.8 billion to the State in support of education and institutions. Among its beneficiaries are: veterans homes, colleges and universities, school nutrition programs, homes for the developmentally disabled, psychiatric hospitals, higher education scholarship programs and the Marie Katzenbach School for the Deaf.

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