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“**BONUS CROSSWORD**” tickets shall be made available for sale at the discretion of the President of the Louisiana Lottery Corporation and shall continue until the President publicly announces the termination date. This Directive shall govern Play of the game, except to the extent that it may be amended or superseded by subsequent directive(s). The price of each ticket shall be three dollars (\$3.00) unless authorized by the President at a discount for promotional purposes.

Each ticket has one (1) game that consists of eighteen (18) YOUR LETTERS, one (1) PUZZLE, one (1) BONUS WORD and one (1) PRIZE LEGEND.

HOW TO WIN:

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Mark the letters on the PUZZLE and BONUS WORD that match YOUR LETTERS. Complete the BONUS WORD and/or 3 or more horizontal or vertical words in the PUZZLE, win the corresponding PRIZE in the PRIZE KEY. Completing only the BONUS WORD WINS \$3.

Partial words do not count.

Only highest prize paid per ticket.

PRIZE KEY		PLUS BONUS WORD
9 Words	\$5,000	\$15,000
8 Words	\$500	\$1,000
7 Words	\$100	\$200
6 Words	\$50	\$120
5 Words	\$20	\$40
4 Words	\$10	\$25
3 Words	\$5	\$15
BONUS WORD only		\$3

The anticipated number of winners and the value of these prizes, along with the approximate odds of winning are shown on the following page.

Prize Structure

Prize Level		Division	Probability per Board	Odds per Grid	Expected Number of Winners/Grid	Prize per Winner	Total Prize	Prize %	Payout %	Percent Low Tier	Percent Mid Tier	Percent High Tier
1	9 WORDS (\$5,000) & BONUS WORD	1	0.00000	240,000.00	1	\$15,000	\$15,000	3.06%	2.08%			3.06%
2	9 WORDS (\$5,000)	2	0.00001	120,000.00	2	\$5,000	\$10,000	2.04%	1.39%			2.04%
3	8 WORDS (\$500) & BONUS WORD	3	0.00002	48,000.00	5	\$1,000	\$5,000	1.02%	0.69%			1.02%
4	8 WORDS (\$500)	4	0.00004	24,000.00	10	\$500	\$5,000	1.02%	0.69%		1.02%	
5	7 WORDS (\$100) & BONUS WORD	5	0.00008	12,000.00	20	\$200	\$4,000	0.82%	0.56%		0.82%	
6	6 WORDS (\$50) & BONUS WORD	6	0.00021	4,800.00	50	\$120	\$6,000	1.22%	0.83%		1.22%	
7	7 WORDS (\$100)	7	0.00250	400.00	600	\$100	\$60,000	12.24%	8.33%		12.24%	
8	6 WORDS (\$50)	8	0.00375	266.67	900	\$50	\$45,000	9.18%	6.25%		9.18%	
9	5 WORDS (\$20) & BONUS WORD	9	0.00167	600.00	400	\$40	\$16,000	3.27%	2.22%		3.27%	
10	4 WORDS (\$10) & BONUS WORD	10	0.00167	600.00	400	\$25	\$10,000	2.04%	1.39%	2.04%		
11	5 WORDS (\$20)	11	0.00958	104.35	2,300	\$20	\$46,000	9.39%	6.39%	9.39%		
12	3 WORDS (\$5) & BONUS WORD	12	0.00750	133.33	1,800	\$15	\$27,000	5.51%	3.75%	5.51%		
13	4 WORDS (\$10)	13	0.03583	27.91	8,600	\$10	\$86,000	17.55%	11.94%	17.55%		
14	3 WORDS (\$5)	14	0.05417	18.46	13,000	\$5	\$65,000	13.27%	9.03%	13.27%		
15	BONUS WORD	15	0.12500	8.00	30,000	\$3	\$90,000	18.37%	12.50%	18.37%		
Total			0.24	4.13	58,088.00		\$490,000	100.00%	68.06%	66.12%	27.76%	6.12%

DEFINITIONS

- a) **Lottery** means The Louisiana Lottery Corporation.
- b) **President** means the President of the Louisiana Lottery Corporation or any other person to whom the President's authority is lawfully delegated.
- c) **Instant Terminal Game** means a game which is played using ticket-generating terminals linked to a central computer, whereby a player can immediately determine whether the player has won a prize.
- d) **Fast Play Games** means a series of Instant Terminal Games offered by the corporation.
- e) A **Pool** shall consist of 240,000 tickets. A new pool shall be opened when all top prizes are claimed or at the discretion of the President.
- f) **Ticket Number** means the 35-digit number imaged on the face of every ticket.
- g) **Symbols:**

PLAY SYMBOLS

A B C D E F
G H I J K L
M N O P Q R
S T U V W X
Y Z

BONUS WORD Symbols

A	B	C	D	E	F
G	H	I	J	K	L
M	N	O	P	Q	R
S	T	U	V	W	X
Y	Z				

REDEMPTION

Tickets winning a cash prize may be redeemed at any lottery office or retailer sales location during the official sales period for this game, but no later than ninety (90) days after the announced end of sales for this game. Tickets winning a low or mid-tier cash prize may be redeemed at any participating lottery retail location. Any cash prize may be redeemed at any lottery regional office or at lottery headquarters in Baton Rouge, within the claim period noted above.

DETERMINATION OF INSTANT PRIZE WINNERS

The determination of instant prize winners is subject to validation pursuant to the paragraphs below entitled Claim Period and Ticket Validation Requirements.

- a) The holder of a ticket shall be entitled to a prize of \$3.00 if any of the YOUR LETTERS match all letters in the BONUS WORD on the face of the ticket.
- b) The holder of a ticket shall be entitled to a prize of \$5.00 if any of the YOUR LETTERS match letters in the PUZZLE to form three (3) complete horizontal or vertical WORDS in the PUZZLE play area on the face of the ticket.
- c) The holder of a ticket shall be entitled to a prize of \$10.00 if any of the YOUR LETTERS match letters in the PUZZLE to form four (4) complete horizontal or vertical WORDS in the PUZZLE play area on the face of the ticket.
- d) The holder of a ticket shall be entitled to a prize of \$15.00 if any of the YOUR LETTERS match letters in the PUZZLE to form three (3) complete horizontal or vertical WORDS in the PUZZLE play area on the face of the ticket **PLUS** any of the YOUR LETTERS match all letters in the BONUS WORD on the face of the ticket.
- e) The holder of a ticket shall be entitled to a prize of \$20.00 if any of the YOUR LETTERS match letters in the PUZZLE to form five (5) complete horizontal or vertical WORDS in the PUZZLE play area on the face of the ticket.
- f) The holder of a ticket shall be entitled to a prize of \$25.00 if any of the YOUR LETTERS match letters in the PUZZLE to form four (4) complete horizontal or vertical WORDS in the PUZZLE play area on the face of the ticket **PLUS** any of the YOUR LETTERS match all letters in the BONUS WORD on the face of the ticket.
- g) The holder of a ticket shall be entitled to a prize of \$40.00 if any of the YOUR LETTERS match letters in the PUZZLE to form five (5) complete horizontal or vertical WORDS in the PUZZLE play area on the face of the ticket **PLUS** any of the YOUR LETTERS match all letters in the BONUS WORD on the face of the ticket.
- h) The holder of a ticket shall be entitled to a prize of \$50.00 if any of the YOUR LETTERS match letters in the PUZZLE to form six (6) complete horizontal or vertical WORDS in the PUZZLE play area on the face of the ticket.

- i) The holder of a ticket shall be entitled to a prize of \$100.00 if any of the YOUR LETTERS match letters in the PUZZLE to form seven (7) complete horizontal or vertical WORDS in the PUZZLE play area on the face of the ticket.
- j) The holder of a ticket shall be entitled to a prize of \$120.00 if any of the YOUR LETTERS match letters in the PUZZLE to form six (6) complete horizontal or vertical WORDS in the PUZZLE play area on the face of the ticket **PLUS** any of the YOUR LETTERS match all letters in the BONUS WORD on the face of the ticket
- k) The holder of a ticket shall be entitled to a prize of \$200.00 if any of the YOUR LETTERS match letters in the PUZZLE to form seven (7) complete horizontal or vertical WORDS in the PUZZLE play area on the face of the ticket **PLUS** any of the YOUR LETTERS match all letters in the BONUS WORD on the face of the ticket
- l) The holder of a ticket shall be entitled to a prize of \$500.00 if any of the YOUR LETTERS match letters in the PUZZLE to form eight (8) complete horizontal or vertical WORDS in the PUZZLE play area on the face of the ticket.
- m) The holder of a ticket shall be entitled to a prize of \$1,000.00 if any of the YOUR LETTERS match letters in the PUZZLE to form eight (8) complete horizontal or vertical WORDS in the PUZZLE play area on the face of the ticket **PLUS** any of the YOUR LETTERS match all letters in the BONUS WORD on the face of the ticket
- n) The holder of a ticket shall be entitled to a prize of \$5,000.00 if any of the YOUR LETTERS match letters in the PUZZLE to form nine (9) complete horizontal or vertical WORDS in the PUZZLE play area on the face of the ticket.
- o) The holder of a ticket shall be entitled to a prize of \$15,000.00 if any of the YOUR LETTERS match letters in the PUZZLE to form nine (9) complete horizontal or vertical WORDS in the PUZZLE play area on the face of the ticket **PLUS** any of the YOUR LETTERS match all letters in the BONUS WORD on the face of the ticket.

TICKET RESPONSIBILITY

A Fast Play Game ticket is payable to the person presenting the ticket for payment.

The Lottery shall not be responsible for lost or stolen Fast Play Game ticket(s).

The Lottery shall not be responsible for tickets claimed in error or redeemed in error at a sales agent location.

A Fast Play Game ticket is a bearer instrument until signed.

CLAIM PERIOD

All prizes for this Fast Play Game must be claimed no later than ninety (90) days from and after the announced end of sales date for this game. Any prize not claimed in the manner described in the Directive shall be forfeited.

TICKET VALIDATION REQUIREMENTS

To be a valid “**BONUS CROSSWORD**” Fast Play Game ticket, all of the following requirements must be met:

- 1) Exactly eighteen (18) YOUR LETTERS, one (1) PUZZLE, one (1) BONUS WORD, one (1) PRIZE LEGEND and one (1) Ticket Number must appear on the face of the ticket;
- 2) The eighteen (18) YOUR LETTERS, one (1) PUZZLE, one (1) BONUS WORD, one (1) PRIZE LEGEND and one (1) Ticket Number must meet all of the following criteria:
 - a. be printed in black ink in its entirety and be fully legible;
 - b. be right-side-up and not reversed in any manner;
 - c. be one (1) or more of those described in the previous paragraphs entitled DEFINITIONS;
 - d. be printed in the specified font size and correspond precisely to the specifications for this Fast Play Game on file at the Lottery;

Any deviation thereof must be submitted for claim to a Louisiana Lottery Corporation Office;

- 3) Sufficient validation data must be present and the play data must correspond with the data reflected in the Corporation’s computer records relating to production of the ticket;
- 4) The ticket must be intact; any deviation thereof must be submitted for claim to a Louisiana Lottery Corporation Office;
- 5) The ticket must not be mutilated, altered, unreadable, reconstructed or tampered with in any manner;

- 6) The ticket must not be counterfeit;
- 7) The ticket must have been issued by a licensed retailer or self-service vending machine in an authorized manner on official paper stock;
- 8) The ticket data, ticket number and validation data of an apparent winning ticket must appear on the Corporation's computer records and must not have been previously paid;
- 9) The ticket must not be blank or partially blank, misregistered, defective, printed or produced in error;
- 10) The printing must be regular in every respect and correspond precisely with the artwork for this game on file at the Lottery;
- 11) The ticket must pass all validation tests of the Lottery;

Any ticket not passing all the validation tests in this section may be decreed void and ineligible for any prize. In the event a defective ticket is purchased, the sole responsibility and/or liability of the Lottery shall be the replacement of the defective ticket with an unplayed ticket(s) of equivalent sales price from any current lottery game.

CHILD SUPPORT ARREARAGE

According to Louisiana Revised Statutes 47:9026, the Louisiana Lottery is required to withhold outstanding child support arrearage from lottery winners. If the information submitted by the Department of Child and Family Services indicates that a prize winner owes child support, the amount due will be deducted from the winnings and the remainder, if any, will be remitted to the winner. Refer to the LLC's Special Rules and Regulations on Payment of Prizes for additional information regarding this matter.

DISPUTES

In the event a dispute between the Lottery and the ticket presenter occurs as to whether the ticket is a winning ticket and the ticket prize is not paid, the President may, solely at his/her option, replace the disputed ticket with an unplayed ticket (or tickets of equivalent sales price from another current Lottery game). This shall be the sole and exclusive remedy of the presenter of the ticket in the event of such disputes.

GOVERNING LAW

In purchasing a ticket, the purchaser agrees to comply with and abide by Louisiana State Law and all rules and regulations, directives and final decisions of the Lottery and all procedures established by the President for the conduct of the game.

PURCHASE AND PRIZE RESTRICTIONS

No Fast Play Game ticket shall be purchased by and no prize paid to any member of the Board of Directors, officer or employee of the Lottery or to any spouse, child, brother, sister or parent residing as a member of the same household in the principal place of abode of any such person.

Players do not have the ability to select numbers or play symbols.

Fast Play Game tickets may only be sold to persons 21 years of age or older.

A Fast Play Game ticket may not be cancelled.

TERMINATION OF THE GAME

The President at any time may announce an end of sales date for the game. No tickets for this game shall be generated by retailer locations following that date.

RETAILER CONDUCT

Retailers shall only produce Fast Play Game tickets at time requested by customer. Retailers are prohibited from printing Fast Play Game tickets in advance.

Retailers are prohibited from playing Fast Play Game tickets using any method other than fair chance or contrary to the principle that every ticket has an equal and random chance of winning a prize.

Retailers and retailers' employees are prohibited from placing their own or any other name on any ticket not purchased and redeemed by said retailer or employee.

Rose J. Hudson

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Rose J. Hudson, President

Apr 22, 2026

Date







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