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IMPORTANT MESSAGE REGARDING THE HOT LOTTO GAME

The HOT LOTTO game will be discontinued in the District of Columbia as of the 12/24/16 drawing. Phasing out the ability to purchase plays will begin on October 15, 2016 over 20 draws as listed below. Please note: the system will not produce bets after December 24th, 2016. Please share this information with all terminal operators in your retail location. Should you have questions, please contact your Sales Coordinator. Thank you.

Date	Number of draws left after this draw
10/15/16	20
10/19/16	19
10/22/16	18
10/26/16	17
10/29/16	16
11/2/16	15
11/5/16	14
11/9/16	13
11/12/16	12
11/16/16	11
11/19/16	10
11/23/16	9
11/26/16	8
11/30/16	7
12/3/16	6
12/7/16	5
12/10/16	4
12/14/16	3
12/17/16	2
12/21/16	1
After the draw on 12-24-16 all sales will be stopped until 6am 12-25-16	
12/24/16	0

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**WHAT’S GOING ON WITH HOT LOTTO?**

Hot Lotto sales will discontinue in the District of Columbia effective Saturday, December 24, 2016.

**WHAT IF I HAVE A WINNING TICKET?**

Winning tickets purchased from a DC Lottery retailer will be honored for up to 180 days from the date of the draw for which the ticket was purchased.

**HOW MUCH WILL THIS AFFECT LOTTERY REVENUE?**

It is the agency’s mission to provide the highest and best revenue-generating gaming experience to players in the District of Columbia. Hot Lotto is being discontinued as a part of the D.C. Lottery’s standard product refreshment program. No significant impact to the DC Lottery’s overall revenue is expected.

**IS THE GAME OVER OR JUST SUSPENDED?**

Sales for Hot Lotto will end in the District of Columbia on December 24, 2016.

**ARE THERE ANY MORE DRAWINGS?**

The final Hot Lotto drawing recognized in the District will take place December 24, 2016. As Hot Lotto is a national game, draws will continue in participating states.

10/18/16