

# **DIRECTOR'S ORDER NUMBER THIRTEEN (2019)**

### VIRGINIA LOTTERY'S "SUBSCRIPTION PROGRAM PROMOTION" FINAL RULES FOR OPERATION.

In accordance with the authority granted by §§ 2.2-4002B(15) and 58.1-4006A of the Code of Virginia, I hereby promulgate the Virginia Lottery's "Subscription Program Promotion" Rules to generate additional awareness of the Virginia Lottery Subscription Program. The Promotion period is February 8, 2019, through October 31, 2019. These rules amplify and conform to the duly adopted Virginia Lottery regulations for the conduct of lottery games.

The rules are available for inspection and copying during normal business hours at the Virginia Lottery headquarters, 600 East Main Street, Richmond, Virginia, and at each of the Virginia Lottery offices. A copy may be requested by mail by writing to: Director's Office, Virginia Lottery, 600 East Main Street, Richmond, Virginia 23219.

This Director's Order becomes effective on February 8, 2019, and shall remain in full force and effect through the end Promotion date unless amended or rescinded by further Director's Order.

/s/ Amy Dilworth

January 31, 2019

Amy Dilworth, General Counsel

Date February 8, 2019

/s/ Kevin Hall

Kevin Hall, Executive Director

Date



#### VIRGINIA LOTTERY'S "SUBSCRIPTION PROGRAM PROMOTION" OFFICIAL RULES

- A. **PURPOSE:** A Promotion will be conducted to generate additional awareness of the Virginia Lottery's Subscription Program. With this Promotion, various bonus opportunities ("offering(s)") will be offered in conjunction with a MyGameRoom Account registration and/or the purchase of, or deposit to, a Subscription.
- **B. PROMOTION PERIOD:** This Promotion will begin on February 8, 2019, and will end on October 31, 2019, unless amended or rescinded by further Director's Order.

### C. **DEFINITIONS** (for purposes of this Promotion):

"<u>Account</u>" means a Virginia Lottery MyGameRoom account set up by a Player where his/her name, address, communication preferences, and other details are retained and through which a Player accesses the Subscription system and the mechanism by which a Player purchases a Subscription.

"<u>Auto-renewal</u>" means a recurring billing feature used to purchase a particular set of numbers for consecutive Draws until canceled by the Player.

"<u>Director</u>" means the Executive Director of the Virginia Lottery, as established in Chapter 40 of Title 58.1 (§58.1-4000 *et seq.*) of the Code of Virginia, or any other employee(s) to whom the Executive Director's authority is lawfully delegated.

"Lottery" means the Virginia Lottery.

"<u>Lottery Board</u>" means the group of five (5) people, appointed by the Governor of Virginia, with the power to adopt regulations governing the establishment and operation of the Virginia Lottery and to perform other functions that are set out in the Code of Virginia.

"<u>Participant</u>", or "<u>Player</u>" means a Person who is at least eighteen (18) years of age, who makes a qualifying purchase and/or otherwise follows/meets all requirements in the Promotion Rules and/or on the Lottery's Promotion site in the hope of winning a Prize.

"<u>Person</u>" means a natural person and may not extend to or be applied to a corporation, company, partnership, association or other entity.

"Prize" or "Prizes" means the winnings as defined in **Section G** ("Prize Description").

"<u>Prizewinner</u>" means a verified Person who is entitled, via Entry verification, to receive a Prize under the rules of a Promotion.

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"<u>Promotion</u>" means the "added value" offer to consumers named in the title at the top of Page 1 of these Rules. A Promotion is not a lottery game.

"Promotion Rules" or "Rules" means these rules.

"<u>Subscription</u>" means an extended, multi-draw purchase option wherein the same set(s) of numbers may be placed for a specified number of consecutive Draws effective on a future prescribed date.

### D. ELIGIBILITY:

- 1. This Promotion is open to Players eighteen (18) years of age or older who have successfully registered on valottery.com and passed age verification. A Player will be required to provide proof of his/her date of birth.
- 2. No officer, employee or Board member of the Lottery, or any officer or employee or board member of any vendor to the Lottery of computer-generated or scratch game goods or services working directly on a contract with the Lottery for such goods or services, or any person residing in the same household of any such board member, officer or employee, or any person under the age of eighteen (18) years, shall be eligible to participate in this Promotion. The Lottery will not award a Prize on an Entry submitted by, for, or gifted to or transferred to anyone under eighteen (18) years of age, or to the transferee of such Person.
- E. PROMOTION ENTRY: To participate, a Player must successfully register on valottery.com for a MyGameRoom Account, meet all Subscription program and deposit requirements, and follow all required steps specified on valottery.com and/or in a promotional communication for each promotional offering.

The Lottery reserves the right to open and close offerings over the course of the Promotion period. Offering details will be provided on valottery.com and/or in a promotional communication.

#### F. PROMOTION REQUIREMENTS:

- 1. Only an offering issued in conjunction with a Lottery MyGameRoom Account will be valid for this Promotion.
- 2. A Player may only register one (1) Account in his/her name.
- 3. The Lottery will not be responsible for a MyGameRoom Account opened using information that is not complete, correct, valid and/or not belonging to the Person completing the Account registration.
- 4. An Account owner must supply all required information and/or make the required deposit(s), and/or meet any applicable/other requirements for each offering as specified on valottery.com and/or in a promotional communication in order to be considered eligible for that offering.
- 5. A Player is eligible to receive only one (1) bonus/deposit match per offering, but may participate in multiple offerings over the course of this Promotion.

# G. PRIZE DESCRIPTION:

Prizes for all offerings in this Promotion are automatic bonus deposits to a Player's Subscription wallet in those amounts specified for each particular offering.

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#### H. PROMOTION DETAILS:

- 1. Bonus funds will be deposited to the Subscription account wallet immediately after meeting all requirements of the offering.
- 2. Bonus funds can only be used to purchase a standalone Subscription and not toward an existing or future Auto-Renewal purchase.
- 3. <u>Registration bonus</u>: Bonus funds can be used immediately (even prior to a Player making a firsttime deposit) **if his/her first purchase is for a standalone Subscription of less than \$10**. An alternative payment method that meets the first-time deposit criteria will be required if a Player's first purchase costs more than \$10. The bonus funds would then be eligible for a subsequent standalone Subscription purchase.
- 4. Bonus funds will not be eligible for withdrawal.
- 5. Bonuses awarded as part of this Promotion are not transferable or assignable.
- 6. Players that do not enter an associated bonus promotion code, if required, at the time of registration or deposit will not be eligible for the bonus funds tied to this Promotion.
- 7. <u>Deposit bonus</u>: If the minimum deposit is made as a standalone deposit, the bonus will be deposited to the Subscription account wallet immediately and will be available for use when the first purchase takes place. If the minimum deposit is made in the same transaction as the first purchase, the bonus will be deposited after that transaction has concluded and will be available for use at the time of the next purchase.

# I. CANCELLATION POLICY:

<u>Canceled Bonus Deposit award(s)</u>: The Director may, in the Director's sole discretion, cancel the awarding of bonus deposits on days when conditions make fulfillment of bonus deposits impractical or inappropriate and may elect to award bonus deposits at such times and dates, and pursuant to such methods, as the Director may determine, all with the Director's sole discretion. Neither the Lottery, the Director, nor any employee of the Lottery or member of the Lottery Board shall have any liability whatsoever for any such re-schedule or cancellation.

<u>Termination of Promotion:</u> The Director may, at any time, announce a suspension or termination of this Promotion, without advance notice and in the Director's sole discretion, at which point no further bonus deposits will be awarded. Neither the Lottery, the Director, nor any employee of the Lottery or member of the Lottery Board shall have any liability whatsoever for any such suspension/termination.

- J. GOVERNING LAW: By participating in this Promotion, each person agrees to comply with and abide by the Lottery statutes, Lottery regulations, all final decisions of the Director of the Lottery, and these and any other applicable Rules established by the Lottery Board and/or Director of the Lottery for the conduct of this Promotion. Any dispute arising that relates to any aspect of this Promotion shall be governed by the laws of the Commonwealth of Virginia, and the venue for the determination of any such dispute shall be in the city of Richmond, Virginia.
- K. WAIVER OF CLAIMS: By entering this Promotion, each Recipient agrees to indemnify, hold harmless, and waive any claims against the Lottery and any of the affiliates, employees, directors, officers, agents, representatives and assigns of any of said entities, arising, directly or indirectly, out of, or in any way connected with, this Promotion or the Coupons awarded in connection therewith.

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