

1       The Texas Lottery Commission (Commission) proposes new 16 Tex. Admin. Code  
2   §401.323 ("MONOPOLY® Millionaires' Club" Game Rule). The purpose of the proposed new  
3   rule is to establish and share with the public the details of the game design, matrix, prize level  
4   structure and operation of the new Multi-State Lottery Association (MUSL) national premium  
5   lottery draw game. The Commission anticipates sales for the new game will start on or about  
6   October 19, 2014, and the first drawing for the new game will occur on or about October 24,  
7   2014, such dates being subject to change by MUSL and/or the Commission's Executive Director.

8       Kathy Pyka, Controller, has determined that the "MONOPOLY Millionaires' Club" game  
9   will result in an estimated \$109.5 million in additional revenue for the first five-year period the  
10   rule is in effect. The fiscal impact for each year of the first five years the rule is in effect is as  
11   follows: FY 2015, \$19.5; FY 2016, \$22.5; FY 2017, \$22.5; FY 2018, \$22.5; and FY 2019,  
12   \$22.5. There will be no adverse effect on small businesses, micro businesses, or local or state  
13   employment. There will be no additional economic cost to persons required to comply with the  
14   new rule as proposed. Furthermore, an Economic Impact Statement and Regulatory Flexibility  
15   Analysis is not required because the new rule will not have an economic effect on small  
16   businesses as defined in Texas Government Code §2006.001(2).

17       Michael Anger, Lottery Operations Director, has determined that for each year of the first  
18   five years the "MONOPOLY Millionaires' Club" rule will be in effect, the public benefit  
19   anticipated is additional revenue for the Foundation School Fund, additional commissions for  
20   retailers, additional lottery advertising through the TV Game Show, and a wider variety of lottery  
21   game offerings and features for players.

22       The Commission requests comments on the proposed new rule from any interested  
23   person. Comments on the new rule may be submitted to Deanne Rienstra, Assistant General

1 Counsel, by mail at Texas Lottery Commission, P.O. Box 16630, Austin, Texas 78761-6630; by  
2 facsimile at (512) 344-5189; or by email at legal.input@lottery.state.tx.us. The Commission will  
3 hold a public hearing on this proposal at 11:00 a.m. on July 22, 2014, at Texas Lottery  
4 headquarters at 611 E. 6<sup>th</sup> Street, Austin, Texas 78701. Comments must be received within 30  
5 days after publication of this proposal in order to be considered.

6 The new rule is proposed under Texas Government Code §466.015(c), which authorizes  
7 the Commission to adopt rules governing the operation of the lottery; and under the authority of  
8 Texas Government Code §467.102, which provides the Commission with the authority to adopt  
9 rules for the enforcement and administration of the laws under the Commission's jurisdiction.

10 This proposal is intended to implement Texas Government Code, Chapter 466.

11 §401.323. "MONOPOLY® Millionaires' Club" Game Rule.

12 (a) MONOPOLY Millionaires' Club. MONOPOLY Millionaires' Club is a Multi-State Lottery  
13 Association (MUSL) national premium draw game offered by all Lotteries that have agreed to  
14 MUSL's National Premium Game Product Group Rules. MONOPOLY Millionaires' Club is  
15 authorized to be conducted in Texas by the executive director in accordance with the MUSL  
16 rules, the laws of the State of Texas, this section, and under such further instructions, directives,  
17 and procedures as the executive director may issue in conformance with state law. If a conflict  
18 arises between this section and §401.304 of this chapter (relating to On-line Game Rules  
19 (General)), this section shall have precedence. The purpose of the MONOPOLY Millionaires'  
20 Club game is the generation of revenue through the operation of a specially designed, national  
21 premium multi-jurisdiction lottery draw game that will award MONOPOLY Millionaires' Club  
22 prizes and, only when a Jackpot Prize has been won in a MONOPOLY Millionaires' Club  
23 drawing, \$1 million MONOPOLY Club prizes. In addition to other applicable rules contained in

Chapter 401, this section and definitions apply unless the context requires a different meaning or is otherwise inconsistent with the intention of the rules adopted by MUSL or the MUSL National Premium Game Product Group. The conduct and play of MONOPOLY Millionaires' Club must conform to the MUSL National Premium Game Product Group MONOPOLY Millionaires' Club Game Rules.

(b) Definitions.

(1) "Game board", "board", "panel", or "playboard" means that area of the playslip which contains one set of numbered squares to be marked by the player, or, at the player's option by marking the appropriate box on the playboard, selected as a Quick Pick, containing fifty-two (52) squares, numbered one (1) through fifty-two (52). One (1) of twenty-eight (28) numbered MONOPOLY game board properties will be assigned to the player as a Quick Pick with each MONOPOLY Millionaires' Club ticket purchase.

(2) "Jackpot Prize" means the game prize (see Figure 16 TAC §401.323(d)(3)(A), Prize Level 1) won when a player's wager matches all six (6) numbers, the first five (5) from a field of fifty-two (52) numbers and one (1) from a field of twenty-eight (28) numbered MONOPOLY game board properties.

(3) "Lottery" means a state lottery or lottery of a governmental unit, political subdivision or entity thereof that has agreed to MUSL's MONOPOLY Millionaires' Club Game Rules and is selling the game offered by the MUSL National Premium Game Product Group.

(4) "Lotteries" refers to the Lotteries participating in the MUSL National Premium Game Product Group.

(5) "MONOPOLY Club Prize" means a single payment prize (See 16 TAC §401.323(d)(3)(A)) with a value of one million dollars (\$1,000,000). Only when a Jackpot Prize

1 has been won in a MONOPOLY Millionaires' Club drawing, a second drawing will be held to  
2 select MONOPOLY Club Prize winning tickets.

3 (6) "MUSL" means the Multi-State Lottery Association, a government-benefit  
4 association wholly owned and operated by its Member Lotteries, which acts as the central office  
5 for the Lotteries in the MUSL National Premium Game Product Group.

6 (7) "MUSL Board" means the governing body of MUSL which is comprised of the chief  
7 executive officer of each MUSL Member Lottery.

8 (8) "Play" or "wager" means the six (6) numbers, the first five (5) from a field of fifty-  
9 two (52) numbers and the last one (1) from a field of twenty-eight (28) numbered MONOPOLY  
10 game board properties, that appear on a ticket as a single numbered selection, and are to be  
11 played by a player in the game.

12 (9) "Playslip" means an optically readable card issued by the Commission used by  
13 players of MONOPOLY Millionaires' Club to select plays and to elect all features. A playslip  
14 has no pecuniary value and shall not constitute evidence of ticket purchase or of numbers  
15 selected. Playslips must be completed manually. A ticket generated from a playslip that was not  
16 completed manually is not valid. There shall be four (4) playboards on each playslip.

17 (10) "MUSL National Premium Game Product Group" or "Product Group" means the  
18 group of Lotteries that has joined together to offer the MONOPOLY Millionaires' Club lottery  
19 game pursuant to the terms of the Multi-State Lottery Agreement and the Product Group's  
20 MONOPOLY Millionaires' Club Game Rules.

21 (11) "Set Prize" or "Low-Tier prizes" (Prize Levels 2-10) means all other prizes, except  
22 the Jackpot Prize and MONOPOLY Club Prizes, that are advertised to be paid in a single

1 payment and, except in instances outlined in this rule, are established by the Product Group for  
2 each prize level.

3 (12) "Terminal" means a device authorized by the Commission to function in an  
4 interactive mode with the lottery's central gaming system for the purpose of issuing lottery  
5 tickets and entering, receiving, and processing lottery transactions, including making purchases,  
6 validating tickets, and transmitting reports.

7 (13) "Winning Numbers" means the six (6) numbers, the first five (5) from a field of  
8 fifty-two (52) numbers and the last one (1) from a field of twenty-eight (28) numbers that also  
9 represent MONOPOLY game board properties, randomly selected at each drawing, which shall  
10 be used to determine winning plays contained on a game ticket.

11 (c) Game Description.

12 (1) How to Play. MONOPOLY Millionaires' Club is a five (5) out of fifty-two (52) plus  
13 one (1) out of twenty-eight (28) lottery draw game, drawn every Friday (or such other day of the  
14 week as required by the Product Group's MONOPOLY Millionaires' Club Game Rules), which  
15 pays the Jackpot Prize at the election of the player or by a default election made in accordance  
16 with this rule, either on an annuitized pari-mutuel basis or a cash lump sum payment of the total  
17 cash held for this prize pool on a pari-mutuel basis.

18 Only when a Jackpot Prize has been won in a MONOPOLY Millionaires' Club drawing,  
19 a second drawing will be held to select MONOPOLY Club Prize winning tickets. At the start of  
20 each new MONOPOLY Millionaires' Club roll cycle, ten (10) MONOPOLY Club Prizes will be  
21 available. As determined by the Product Group, more MONOPOLY Club Prizes may be added,  
22 during the roll cycle, with each drawing until the Jackpot Prize is won and the MONOPOLY  
23 Club Prizes are drawn. A given play may win in the MONOPOLY Millionaires' Club drawing,

1 the MONOPOLY Club Prize drawing (if any), or both drawings. MONOPOLY Millionaires'  
2 Club and MONOPOLY Club Prize drawings shall use random number generators, and otherwise  
3 shall be determined by the Product Group. All MONOPOLY Club prizes and MONOPOLY  
4 Millionaires' Club set prizes (all prizes except the Jackpot prize) are paid as a single payment.

5 To play MONOPOLY Millionaires' Club a player shall select, or use Quick Pick to  
6 choose, five (5) different numbers from one (1) through fifty-two (52); the additional number in  
7 the range from one (1) through twenty-eight (28) shall always be a randomly generated Quick  
8 Pick number for the second value in the player's selection. The second number may be the same  
9 as one of the first five numbers selected by the player. The second number shall be represented  
10 on the player's ticket both as a number and as the associated MONOPOLY game board property.  
11 Each play shall also have a unique, non-repeating transactional number associated with that play  
12 to be used in determining MONOPOLY Club Prize winning plays, only in the event the Jackpot  
13 Prize is won and a separate MONOPOLY Club Prize drawing is held.

14 (2) Plays and Ticket Purchases. Plays can be purchased for five dollars (U.S. \$5.00) and  
15 may be sold only by an on-line licensed sales agent and only at the location listed on the sales  
16 agent's license. A ticket sold by a person other than an on-line licensed sales agent is not valid.

17 (3) Claims. A valid ticket shall be the only proof of a game play, and the submission of a  
18 valid winning ticket to the Commission or its authorized sales agent shall be the sole method of  
19 claiming a prize or prizes. A playslip has no pecuniary or prize value and shall not constitute  
20 evidence of ticket purchase or of numbers selected. A terminal-produced paper receipt has no  
21 pecuniary or prize value and shall not constitute evidence of ticket purchase or of numbers  
22 selected.

1 (4) Cancellations Prohibited. A MONOPOLY Millionaires' Club ticket may not be  
2 voided or canceled, even when printed in error. No ticket which can be used to claim a prize  
3 shall be returned to the Commission for credit. Tickets accepted by licensed sales agents as  
4 returned tickets and which cannot be re-sold shall be deemed owned by the bearer thereof.

5 (5) Player Responsibility. It shall be the sole responsibility of the player to verify the  
6 accuracy of the game play or plays and other data printed on the ticket. The placing of plays is  
7 done at the player's own risk through the licensed sales agent who is acting on behalf of the  
8 player in entering the play or plays.

9 (6) Entry of Plays. Plays may only be entered manually using the licensed sales agent  
10 terminal touch screen or by means of a playslip provided by the Commission and hand-marked  
11 by the player or by such other means approved by the Commission. Licensed sales agents shall  
12 not permit the use of facsimiles of playslips, copies of playslips, or other materials that are  
13 inserted into the terminal's playslip reader that are not approved by the Commission. Licensed  
14 sales agents shall not permit any device to be connected to a lottery terminal to enter plays,  
15 except as approved by the Commission.

16 (d) Prize Pool and Prize Reserve.

17 (1) Prize Pool. The prize pool for all prize categories shall consist of fifty percent  
18 (50.00%) of each drawing period's sales, after the prize pool accounts and prize reserve accounts  
19 are funded to the amounts set by the Product Group. Any amount remaining in the prize pool  
20 when the Product Group declares the end of the MONOPOLY Millionaires' Club game shall be  
21 returned to all Lotteries participating in the prize pool after the end of all applicable claim  
22 periods of all Lotteries, carried forward to a replacement game or expended in a manner at the  
23 election of the individual Lotteries in accordance with jurisdictional requirements.

1 (2) Prize Pool Accounts and Prize Reserve Accounts.

2 (A) MUSL will deduct an amount up to four percent (4%) of the Texas  
3 Lottery's MONOPOLY Millionaires' Club sales from the MONOPOLY Millionaires' Club  
4 Jackpot Prize contribution and MONOPOLY Club Prize Pool contribution and place in trust in  
5 one or more prize pool accounts and prize reserve accounts until the prize pool accounts and the  
6 Texas Lottery's share of the prize reserve account(s) reach the amounts designated by the  
7 Product Group.

8 (B) The prize pool accounts established for the MONOPOLY Millionaires'  
9 Club game include:

10 (i) Jackpot Prize Pool, which is used to fund the immediate Jackpot  
11 Prize;

12 (ii) MONOPOLY Club Prize Pool, which is used to fund the  
13 MONOPOLY Club Prizes;

14 (iii) Set-Aside Account, which is used to guarantee payment of the  
15 minimum or starting Jackpot and MONOPOLY Club Prizes; and,

16 (iv) Set Prize Pool Account, which holds the temporary balances that may  
17 result from having fewer than expected winning plays in the set prize categories. The source of  
18 the Set Prize Pool Account is the participating Lotteries' weekly prize contributions less actual  
19 set prize liability.

20 (C) The prize reserve accounts established for the MONOPOLY Millionaires'  
21 Club game include:



1 (i) the Prize Reserve Account (PRA), which is used to guarantee the  
2 payment of valid, but unanticipated, Jackpot Prize and MONOPOLY Club Prize claims that may  
3 result from a system error or other reason; and,

4 (ii) Set Prize Reserve Account (SPRA), which is used to fund deficiencies  
5 in set prize payments (subject to the limitations of this rule).

6 (D) Once the prize pool accounts and the Commission's share of the prize  
7 reserve accounts exceeds the designated amounts, the excess shall become part of the Jackpot  
8 Prize Pool, subject to any cap on the Jackpot Prize Pool. The Product Group, with approval of  
9 the MUSL Finance & Audit Committee, may establish a maximum balance for the prize pool  
10 accounts and prize reserve accounts.

11 (E) The Product Group may determine to expend all or a portion of the funds  
12 in the prize reserve accounts and the prize pool accounts (except the Jackpot Prize Pool and the  
13 MONOPOLY Club Prize Pool accounts), (1) for the purpose of indemnifying the Lotteries in the  
14 payment of prizes to be made by the Lotteries, subject to the approval of the MUSL Board; and  
15 (2) for the payment of prizes or special prizes in the MONOPOLY Millionaires' Club game,  
16 limited to prize pool and prize reserve contributions from lotteries participating in the special  
17 prize promotion, subject to the approval of the MUSL Finance and Audit Committee. The prize  
18 reserve shares of a Lottery may be adjusted with refunds to the Lottery from the prize reserve  
19 account(s) as may be needed to maintain the approved maximum balance and shares of the  
20 Lotteries. As approved by the Product Group, any amount remaining in the prize pool accounts  
21 or prize reserve accounts when the Product Group declares the end of the MONOPOLY  
22 Millionaires' Club game shall be returned to all lotteries participating in the accounts after the  
23 end of all applicable claim periods of all Lotteries, carried forward to a replacement prize reserve

account or expended in a manner as directed by the individual Lotteries in accordance with jurisdictional requirements.

(3) Expected Prize Payout Percentages, Prize Pool Funding and Fund Transfers.

(A) The Jackpot Prize shall be determined on a pari-mutuel basis. The following table sets forth the probability of winning plays and the probable distribution of winning plays in and among each prize category, based upon the total number of possible combinations in MONOPOLY Millionaires' Club, and prize pool funding by prize category. Except as otherwise provided for in this rule, all other prizes awarded shall be paid as Set Prizes with the following expected prize payout percentages:

Figure: 16 TAC §401.323(d)(3)(A)

Winning Play Odds and Prize Funding						
Prize Level	Matches First Set	Matches Second Set	Prize	Odds (1 in)	% Sales	% Prize Pool
1	5	1	Jackpot/Club Prizes	72,770,880.0000	32.215%	64.4298%
2	5	0	\$100,000	2,695,217.7778	0.742%	1.4842%
3	4	1	\$20,000	309,663.3191	1.292%	2.5834%
4	4	0	\$500	11,469.0118	0.872%	1.7438%
5	3	1	\$250	6,731.8113	0.743%	1.4854%
6	2	1	\$25	448.7874	1.114%	2.2282%
7	3	0	\$20	249.3263	1.604%	3.2086%
8	1	1	\$10	81.5977	2.451%	4.9020%
9	0	1	\$7	47.4405	2.951%	5.9022%
10	2	0	\$5	16.6218	6.016%	12.0324%
				Overall Odds	1 in 10.0025	
				Total	50.00%	100.0%

(B) The prize money allocated to the Jackpot Prize category shall be divided equally by the number of plays winning the Jackpot Prize.

(C) Prize Pool Account Rollovers and Carry Forwards.

1 (i) If the Jackpot Prize is not won in a drawing, the prize money allocated  
2 for the Jackpot Prize from the Jackpot Prize Pool shall roll over and be added to the Jackpot  
3 Prize Pool for the following drawing, subject to any Jackpot Prize Pool caps.

4 (ii) Any monies not paid for MONOPOLY Club prizes in the  
5 MONOPOLY Club Prize Pool following a drawing shall roll over and be added to the  
6 MONOPOLY Club Prize Pool for the following drawing.

7 (iii) The Set Prize Pool for prizes of one hundred thousand dollars  
8 (\$100,000.00) or less shall be carried forward to subsequent draws if all or a portion of it is not  
9 needed to pay the Set Prizes awarded in the current draw.

10 (D) Pari-Mutuel Prize Determinations.

11 (i) If the total of the Set Prizes awarded in a drawing (prize levels 2-10)  
12 exceeds the percentage of the prize pool allocated to the Set Prizes, then the amount needed to  
13 fund the Set Prizes awarded shall be drawn from the following sources, in the following order:  
14 (1) the amount allocated to the Set Prizes and carried forward from previous draws, if any; (2) an  
15 amount from the SPRA, if available, not to exceed twenty million dollars (\$20,000,000.00) per  
16 drawing.

17 (ii) If, after these sources are depleted, there are not sufficient funds to  
18 pay the Set Prizes awarded, then the highest Set Prize shall become a pari-mutuel prize. If the  
19 amount of the highest Set Prize, when paid on a pari-mutuel basis, drops to or below the next  
20 highest Set Prize and there are still not sufficient funds to pay the remaining Set Prizes awarded,  
21 then the next highest Set Prize shall become a pari-mutuel prize. This procedure shall continue  
22 down through all Set Prize levels, if necessary, until all Set Prize levels become pari-mutuel  
23 prize levels.

1 (E) Fund Transfers. On a weekly basis, or as otherwise determined by the  
2 Product Group, the Commission will transfer, in trust, an amount as determined by the Product  
3 Group to be the Commission's total proportionate share of the MONOPOLY Millionaires' Club  
4 license and vendor fees, which include the television game show prizes, and studio audience  
5 member travel expenses.

6 (F) Unclaimed Jackpot and MONOPOLY Club Prizes. All funds to pay a  
7 Jackpot Prize or MONOPOLY Club Prize that had been collected by the MUSL central office  
8 and that went unclaimed shall be returned to the Lotteries in proportion to sales by the Lotteries  
9 for the prize(s) in question, after the claiming period set by the Lottery selling the winning ticket  
10 expires.

11 (e) Prize Payment.

12 (1) Jackpot Prizes.

13 (A) The Jackpot Prize shall begin at an annuitized amount of Fifteen Million Dollars  
14 (\$15,000,000.00) and shall increase following each consecutive drawing in which the Jackpot  
15 Prize is not won; except that the annuitized Jackpot Prize amount shall not exceed Twenty-five  
16 Million Dollars (\$25,000,000.00) and will remain at this amount for each subsequent drawing  
17 until the Jackpot Prize is won.

18 Jackpot Prizes shall be paid as an annuity or a single lump-sum payment. At the  
19 time of ticket purchase, a player may select the option for payment of the cash value or  
20 annuitized payments of a share of the Jackpot Prize if the play is a winning play. If no payment  
21 option is selected by the player, the default payment option will be the cash value option.  
22 Selection of the option for payment of the cash value or annuitized payments of a share of the

1     Jackpot Prize if the play is a winning play is a selection made at the time of purchase and is final  
2     and cannot be revoked, withdrawn or otherwise changed.

3             (B) Shares of the Jackpot Prize shall be determined by dividing the cash allocated  
4     for this prize in the Jackpot Prize Pool equally among all winning plays of the Jackpot Prize. A  
5     player(s) who elects a single lump-sum payment (cash value payment) shall be paid his/her  
6     share(s) in a single cash payment. The annuitized option prize shall be determined by  
7     multiplying the winning play's share of the Jackpot Prize by the annuity factor established in  
8     accordance with Texas law and the rules of the Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts. The  
9     annuity factor is determined by the best total securities price obtained through a competitive bid  
10    of qualified, pre-approved brokers made after it is determined that the prize is to be paid as an  
11    annuity prize. Neither MUSL, the Product Group, nor the Lotteries shall be responsible or liable  
12    for changes in the advertised or estimated annuity prize amount and the actual amount purchased  
13    after the prize payment method is actually known to the MUSL central office. In certain  
14    instances announced by the Product Group, the Jackpot Prize shall be a guaranteed amount and  
15    shall be determined as set out in subsection 401.323(e)(4). If individual shares of the cash held  
16    to fund an annuity are less than \$250,000, the Commission, in its sole discretion, may elect to  
17    pay the holders of tickets with winning plays their share of the cash held in the Jackpot Prize  
18    Pool.

19            (C) All annuitized prizes shall be paid annually in thirty (30) payments with the  
20    initial payment being made in cash, to be followed by twenty-nine (29) payments funded by the  
21    annuity. All annuitized prizes shall be paid annually in thirty (30) graduated payments  
22    (increasing each year) at a rate as determined by the Product Group. Prize payments may be  
23    rounded down to the nearest one thousand dollars (\$1,000). Annual payments after the initial

1 payment shall be made by the Lottery on the anniversary date or if such date falls on a non-  
2 business day, then the first business day following the anniversary date of the selection of the  
3 jackpot winning numbers. Funds for the initial payment of an annuitized prize or the single  
4 lump-sum cash prize shall be made available by MUSL for payment by the Lottery no earlier  
5 than the fifteenth calendar day (or the next banking day if the fifteenth day is a holiday)  
6 following the drawing. If necessary, when the due date for the payment of a prize occurs before  
7 the receipt of funds in the prize pool account sufficient to pay the prize, the transfer of funds for  
8 the payment of the full lump-sum cash amount may be delayed pending receipt of funds from all  
9 Lotteries. The identification of the securities to fund the annuitized prize shall be at the sole  
10 discretion of the State of Texas. If the State of Texas purchases the securities, or holds the prize  
11 payment annuity for a Jackpot Prize won in this state, the prize winner will have no recourse  
12 against MUSL or any other Lottery for payment of that prize.

13 (D) Payment of Prize Payments upon the Death of a Prize Winner. In the event of  
14 the death of a prize winner, payments may be made in accordance with §401.310 of this chapter  
15 (relating to Payment of Prize Payments Upon Death of Prize Winner); otherwise, payment of  
16 prize payments will be made to the estate of a deceased prize winner in accordance with Texas  
17 Government Code §466.406.

18 (2) MONOPOLY Club and Set Prize Payments. All MONOPOLY Club prizes and Set  
19 Prizes (all prizes except the Jackpot Prize, whether described as "cash" payment prizes or  
20 otherwise) shall be paid by the Commission and at the discretion of the Commission may be paid  
21 by check, warrant, or wire transfer. The Commission may begin paying MONOPOLY Club and  
22 Set Prizes after receiving authorization to pay from the MUSL central office.

1 (3) Prizes Rounded. Annuitized payments of the Jackpot Prize or a share of the Jackpot  
2 Prize may be rounded to facilitate the purchase of an appropriate funding mechanism. Breakage  
3 on an annuitized Jackpot Prize win shall be added to the first payment to the verified winner or  
4 winners. Set Prizes, which, under this rule, may become single-payment, pari-mutuel prizes,  
5 may be rounded down so that prizes can be paid in multiples of whole dollars. Breakage  
6 resulting from rounding Set Prizes shall be carried forward to the prize pool for the next drawing.

7 (4) Funding of Guaranteed Prizes. The Product Group may offer guaranteed minimum  
8 Jackpot Prize amounts, guaranteed minimum numbers of MONOPOLY Club winners, minimum  
9 increases in the Jackpot Prize amount between drawings, minimum increases in the number of  
10 MONOPOLY Club winners between drawings, or make other changes in the allocation of prize  
11 money where the Product Group finds that it would be in the best interest of the game. If a  
12 minimum Jackpot Prize amount or a minimum increase in the Jackpot Prize between drawings is  
13 offered by the Product Group, then shares of the Jackpot Prize shall be determined as follows: If  
14 there are multiple Jackpot Prize winning plays during a single drawing, each selecting the  
15 annuitized option prize, then a winning play's share of the guaranteed annuitized Jackpot Prize  
16 shall be determined by dividing the guaranteed annuitized Jackpot Prize by the number of  
17 winning plays. If there are multiple Jackpot Prize winning plays during a single drawing and at  
18 least one (1) of the Jackpot Prize claimants has elected the annuitized option prize, then the best  
19 bid submitted by the MUSE central office's pre-approved qualified brokers shall determine the  
20 cash pool needed to fund the guaranteed annuitized Jackpot Prize. If no claimant of the Jackpot  
21 Prize during a single drawing has elected the annuitized option prize, then the amount of cash in  
22 the Jackpot Prize Pool shall be an amount equal to the guaranteed annuitized amount divided by  
23 the average annuity factor of the most recent three (3) best quotes provided by pre-approved

1 qualified brokers submitting quotes. In no case shall quotes be used which are more than two (2)  
2 weeks old, and if less than three (3) quotes are submitted, then the MUSL central office shall use  
3 the average of all quotes submitted. Changes in the allocation of prize money shall be designed  
4 to retain approximately the same prize allocation percentages, over a year's time, as set out in  
5 MUSL's MONOPOLY Millionaires' Club Game Rules. Minimum guaranteed prizes or  
6 increases may be waived if the alternate funding mechanism set out in subsection (d)(3)(D) of  
7 this rule becomes necessary.

8 (5) Prize Limited to Highest Prize Won. Except for the MONOPOLY Club Prizes, the  
9 holder of a winning ticket may win only one (1) prize for that ticket's play and shall be entitled  
10 only to the prize won by those numbers in the highest matching prize category. The status of a  
11 ticket with a winning play based on a match between the play and the Winning Numbers on that  
12 ticket shall have no effect on that ticket's ability to win (if drawn) a MONOPOLY Club Prize.

13 (6) MONOPOLY Club Prize. Independent of a ticket's status as an apparent winning  
14 ticket due to a match with the Winning Numbers, each ticket in a MONOPOLY Millionaires'  
15 Club drawing is eligible to win a MONOPOLY Club Prize if (and only if), on that game draw,  
16 MONOPOLY Club Prizes are awarded. If a ticket is a winning play under both drawings, the  
17 prize paid shall be the sum of both the Jackpot Prize or level 2-10 prize and the MONOPOLY  
18 Club Prize. At the start of each new MONOPOLY Millionaires' Club roll cycle, ten (10)  
19 MONOPOLY Club Prizes will be available. As determined by the Product Group, more  
20 MONOPOLY Club Prizes may be added, during the roll cycle, with each drawing until the  
21 Jackpot Prize is won and the MONOPOLY Club Prizes are drawn.

22 (7) Prize Claim Period. Prize claims shall be submitted no later than 180 days after the  
23 draw date.



1 (8) Prize Winners. The name and city of the winner of a Jackpot Prize or MONOPOLY  
2 Club Prize will be disclosed in a press conference or in a press release, and the prize winner may  
3 be requested to participate in a press conference. For legal entities, the name of a natural person  
4 who is a principal of the legal entity must be provided.

5 (f) Ticket Claim and Validation.

6 (1) Prize Claims. Prize claim procedures shall be governed by the rules of the  
7 Commission as set out in § 401.304 of this chapter and any internal procedures used by the  
8 Commission. Neither MUSL, the Product Group, nor the other participating Lotteries shall be  
9 responsible for prizes that are not claimed following the proper procedures as determined by the  
10 Commission.

11 (2) Signature. Until such time as a signature is placed upon a ticket in the area designated  
12 for signature, a ticket shall be owned by the bearer of the ticket.

13 (3) Multiple Claimants. The issue of multiple claimants shall be handled in accordance  
14 with Texas Government Code Chapter 466 and §401.304 of this chapter.

15 (4) Stolen Tickets. Neither MUSL, the Product Group, nor the other participating  
16 Lotteries shall be responsible for lost or stolen tickets.

17 (5) Ticket Validation. To be a valid ticket and eligible to receive a prize, a ticket shall  
18 satisfy all the requirements established by the Commission for validation of winning tickets sold  
19 through the Texas Lottery's gaming system and any other validation requirements adopted by the  
20 Lotteries, the Product Group, and the MUSL Board. Neither MUSL, the Product Group, nor the  
21 other participating Lotteries shall be responsible for paying prizes for tickets which are altered in  
22 any manner.

23 (g) Ineligible Players.

1 (1) A ticket or share for the MONOPOLY Millionaires' Club Game shall not be  
2 purchased by, and a prize won by any such ticket or share shall not be paid to:

3 (A) any MUSL employee, officer, or Product Group Lottery Director;

4 (B) any contractor or consultant under agreement with MUSL to review MUSL  
5 audit and security procedures;

6 (C) any employee of an independent accounting firm under contract with MUSL  
7 to observe drawings or site operations who is actually assigned to the MUSL account and all  
8 partners, shareholders, or owners in the local office of the firm; or

9 (D) an immediate family member (parent, stepparent, child, stepchild, spouse or  
10 sibling) of an individual described in subparagraphs (A), (B) or (C) of this paragraph and  
11 residing in the same household.

12 (2) Those persons designated by a Lottery as ineligible to play its games also shall be  
13 ineligible to play the MONOPOLY Millionaires' Club game in any Lottery jurisdiction.

14 (g) Applicable Law. In purchasing a ticket in Texas, the purchaser agrees to comply with and  
15 abide by all applicable laws, rules, regulations, procedures, and decisions of the Commission.

16 (h) Monopoly Millionaires' Club Television Game Show.

17 (1) Television Game Show. The Product Group may decide to add a television game  
18 show to the MONOPOLY Millionaires' Club game. The MONOPOLY Millionaires' Club  
19 television game show (TV Show) will be produced at times and places approved by the Product  
20 Group for broadcast at times approved by the Product Group.

21 (2) Basic TV Show Design; Alterations. The basic design of the TV Show shall be as  
22 described in this subsection, except that any alteration of the basic design of the TV Show may

1 be approved by the Product Group. Contests played on the TV Show shall be as approved by the  
2 Product Group.

3 (3) Eligibility. Unless otherwise indicated by the Commission, a Texas Lottery player  
4 may become eligible for TV Show studio audience member selection by registering a  
5 MONOPOLY Millionaires' Club ticket or tickets with one or more qualifying MONOPOLY  
6 game board properties according to the requirements of this game rule. Members of the studio  
7 audience shall be eligible to be selected to participate in MONOPOLY-themed contests on the  
8 TV Show. Guests of players who are not proxied by the player to appear as an on-stage  
9 participant in the place of the player are not eligible to be selected as an on-stage game  
10 participant.

11 (4) How to Register. To register a MONOPOLY Millionaires' Club ticket for  
12 participation in the selection of studio audience members, a Texas Lottery player must visit the  
13 Commission's LuckZone website, where the player will be asked to sign into his/her existing  
14 LuckZone account or open a new account and enter the webcode printed on the MONOPOLY  
15 Millionaires' Club ticket. The MONOPOLY game board property on the ticket, together with a  
16 randomly generated additional bonus MONOPOLY game board property assigned when the  
17 ticket is registered at the LuckZone website, will be put in the player's account. As shown in the  
18 following table, for each complete MONOPOLY property group, the player will be awarded a  
19 number of entries in a drawing from which studio audience members will be selected.

1 FIGURE: 16 TAC §401.323(h)(4)

MONOPOLY Property Groups	No. of Entries Awarded
Mediterranean Avenue & Baltic Avenue	2
Oriental Avenue & Vermont Avenue & Connecticut Avenue	4
St. Charles Place & States Avenue & Virginia Avenue	6
St. James Place & Tennessee Avenue & New York Avenue	8
Kentucky Avenue & Indiana Avenue & Illinois Avenue	10
Atlantic Avenue & Ventnor Avenue & Marvin Gardens	12
Pacific Avenue & North Carolina Avenue & Pennsylvania Avenue	15
Park Place & Boardwalk	20
Reading RR & Pennsylvania RR & B&O RR & Short Line RR	16
Electric Company & Water Works	10

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3 (5) Selection of Studio Audience Members. The Commission (or its authorized  
4 designee) shall, from time to time as specified by the Product Group, conduct a promotional  
5 drawing from among those MONOPOLY Millionaires' Club registered Texas Lottery LuckZone  
6 account holders who have accumulated enough Monopoly properties to participate in the  
7 drawing. For each drawing, the Commission shall select a minimum of three (3) studio audience  
8 participants, each of whom shall be awarded: i) transportation, meals, and lodging expenses for  
9 himself or herself and a guest to travel to and return from the TV Show; and ii) the opportunity  
10 to be chosen as an on- stage participant on the TV Show and play MONOPOLY-themed contests  
11 for prizes.

12 (6) No transfers; No cash option; Exceptions. A Texas Lottery player selected to  
13 participate as a studio audience member for the TV Show shall not have the right to transfer such  
14 selection to another person, except that the Commission, in its sole discretion, may permit the  
15 player to appoint another person to participate as a studio audience member (a proxy), subject to  
16 player eligibility requirements set by the Commission. If the player selects a proxy to participate  
17 as a studio audience member in his/her place, the transportation, meals, and lodging expenses,  
18 together with any prize(s) awarded as a result of participation in the studio audience or in a

1 contest on the TV Show shall be deemed to be received by the player initially selected to  
2 participate, not the proxy. Nothing in this rule requires the Commission to permit studio  
3 audience members to appoint a replacement to attend the TV Show taping. A player selected to  
4 participate as a studio audience member for the TV Show shall not have the right to decline the  
5 payment of expenses for transportation, meals, and lodging in exchange for a sum of money  
6 equivalent to the value of such expenses. The Commission, in its sole discretion, may select  
7 another player to attend the TV show taping should the player initially selected to participate in  
8 the studio audience decline the invitation or be determined to be ineligible to claim such prize  
9 under the State Lottery Act, this Chapter, or other Texas law. Nothing in this rule requires the  
10 Commission to offer a cash option in lieu of the opportunity to attend the TV Show.