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**Rules of  
Department of Revenue  
Division 40—State Lottery  
Chapter 50—Tickets and Prizes**

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## Title 12—DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE

### Division 40—State Lottery Chapter 50—Tickets and Prizes

#### 12 CSR 40-50.010 Tickets and Prizes

*PURPOSE: This rule provides that licensees own Scratchers tickets after they are delivered to the licensee and the licensee shall bear the burden of any loss. The executive director may establish policies after consideration of circumstances to relieve the licensee of some or all of the burden of loss.*

The licensee shall be responsible for all tickets upon delivery to the retailer and shall bear the burden of any loss, including theft, damage, or loss. The executive director of the lottery may establish policies which, after consideration of the circumstances of the licensee's loss, relieve the licensee of some or all of the burden of loss. The policies established by the executive director shall be made with the overall functionality of the lottery and the purpose of maximizing the funds available for appropriation as set forth in the *Missouri Constitution*, Article III, Section 39(b).

*AUTHORITY: section 313.220, RSMo Supp. 2014.\* Original rule filed Sept. 4, 1985, effective Sept. 14, 1985. Amended: Filed Aug. 28, 2002, effective March 30, 2003. Amended: Filed July 15, 2014, effective Feb. 28, 2015.*

*\*Original authority: 313.220, RSMo 1985, amended 1988, 1993, 1995, 2003.*

#### 12 CSR 40-50.020 Price of Tickets

*PURPOSE: This rule states how lottery tickets are priced.*

(1) The price of lottery tickets to retail licensees shall be established by the executive director.

(2) Retail licensees must sell lottery tickets to the public at the price printed on the ticket.

*AUTHORITY: section 313.220, RSMo (Cum. Supp. 1997).\* Original rule filed Sept. 4, 1985, effective Sept. 14, 1985. Amended: Filed Nov. 12, 1985, effective Nov. 22, 1985. Amended: Filed Sept. 15, 1997, effective March 30, 1998.*

*\*Original authority: 313.220, RSMo 1985, amended 1988, 1993, 1995.*

#### 12 CSR 40-50.030 Redemption of Winning Tickets

*PURPOSE: This rule addresses redemption amounts for Scratchers tickets.*

(1) Licensees shall redeem winning Scratchers tickets of twenty-five dollars (\$25) or less.

(2) Licensees, at their option, may redeem winning Scratchers tickets of between twenty-five dollars and one cent (\$25.01) and six hundred dollars (\$600).

(3) Any Scratchers retailer may pay a prize for a winning Scratchers ticket regardless of where the ticket was purchased.

(4) Lottery Scratchers retailers shall follow the procedures for validation of the tickets issued by the lottery before paying any Scratchers prizes.

(5) Winning tickets over six hundred dollars (\$600) shall be processed at a lottery office, the location(s) of which shall be published periodically by the lottery.

*AUTHORITY: section 313.220, RSMo Supp. 2014, and section 313.255, RSMo 2000.\* Original rule filed Jan. 10, 1986, effective Jan. 20, 1986. Amended: Filed May 3, 1988, effective July 28, 1988. Amended: Filed Sept. 15, 1997, effective March 30, 1998. Amended: Filed July 15, 2014, effective Feb. 28, 2015.*

*\*Original authority: 313.220, RSMo 1985, amended 1988, 1993, 1995, 2003 and 313.255, RSMo 1985, amended 1988.*

#### 12 CSR 40-50.040 Game/Promotion Changes—Cancellation

*PURPOSE: This rule gives the executive director of the Missouri lottery the authority to revise or cancel any game or promotion that is found to impugn the security or integrity of the lottery.*

(1) The Missouri lottery reserves the right to revise or cancel any game or game related promotion if in the opinion of the executive director such action is necessary to protect the security and/or the integrity of the lottery.

*AUTHORITY: section 313.220, RSMo Supp. 2004.\* Original rule filed Aug. 24, 2004, effective March 30, 2005.*

*\*Original authority: 313.220, RSMo 1985, amended 1988, 1993, 1995, 2003.*

#### 12 CSR 40-50.050 Claim Period

*PURPOSE: The purpose of this rule is to set the period in which prizes may be claimed.*

(1) All winning tickets for any Scratchers game must be claimed, as defined in lottery policy, within one hundred eighty (180) days of the announced end of the game. The announced end of the game may be obtained from any Missouri Lottery office or [www.molottery.com](http://www.molottery.com).

(2) All winning tickets for any draw games must be claimed, as defined in lottery policy, within one hundred eighty (180) days of the last winning draw date on that ticket.

*AUTHORITY: section 313.220, RSMo Supp. 2014.\* Original rule filed Oct. 6, 2006, effective April 30, 2007. Amended: Filed July 15, 2014, effective Feb. 28, 2015.*

*\*Original authority: 313.220, RSMo 1985, amended 1988, 1993, 1995, 2003.*