INDIVIDUALS PROHIBITED FROM PLAYING ARIZONA LOTTERY GAMES

PURPOSE

This policy clarifies which individuals are prohibited from playing Arizona State Lottery (Lottery) games.

BACKGROUND

As stated below, A.R.S. § 5-567 prohibits certain individuals from playing Lottery games.

- A. A lottery ticket or share may not be purchased by and a prize may not be paid to an officer or employee of the commission or to any spouse, child, brother, sister or parent residing as a member of the same household in the principal place of residence of such officer or employee.
- B. A lottery ticket or share may not be purchased by and a prize may not be paid to any of the following persons:
 - 1. An officer or employee of any person contracting with the commission to supply gaming equipment or lottery tickets, advertising or consulting services or to draw or otherwise select winning tickets or shares if the officer or employee is involved in the direct provision of goods or services to the commission or has access to information made confidential by the commission.
 - 2. A spouse, child, brother, sister or parent residing as a member of the same household in the principal place of residence of a person described in paragraph 1.
 - 3. The immediate supervisor of a person described in paragraph 1.

RESPONSIBILITY

- 1. It shall be the responsibility of each employee to understand and comply with A.R.S. §5-567.
- 2. It shall be the responsibility of each employee to inform their family members or any relevant associates of the prohibitions stated in A.R.S. § 5-567.
- 3. It shall be the responsibility of the Procurement Officer to include the prohibitions of A.R.S. § 5-567 in the contracts of all vendors who meet the prohibition requirements as stated in A.R.S. § 5-567.

POLICY

- 1. Employees or those employed by Arizona Lottery vendors must review A.R.S. § 5-567.
- 2. The aforementioned individuals bear the responsibility of understanding and complying with A.R.S. §5-567.
- 3. The prohibition against participation in Arizona Lottery games as stated in A.R.S. § 5-567

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include, but are not limited to the following: draw games, Scratchers, Fast Play games, all online or mobile apps, and any multi-state games that the Arizona Lottery offers.

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