

**GOVERNMENT OF PUNJAB
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE
DIRECTORATE OF LOTTERIES
PUNJAB STATE DEAR NEW YEAR LOHRI BUMPER 2021**

No.8/2/(6)/2020/LE-2/

Dated, Chd. the _____ 2020

The Governor of Punjab, in exercise of the powers conferred upon him under section 4 of “The Lotteries (Regulations) Act 1998” read with rule 3 of “The Lotteries (Regulations) Rules 2010” and all other powers enabling him in this behalf , is pleased to promulgate the following scheme to conduct a Bumper lottery scheme in the State viz:

1. THE NAME OF THE SCHEME AND THE LOTTERY

The Scheme shall be called the “Punjab State Dear New Year Lohri Bumper 2021” and the lotteries under this scheme shall be marketed in the State of Punjab and Lottery operating/permitted States.

2. NUMBER OF TICKETS

The scheme shall have Twenty Lakh lottery tickets with series A and B, series numbering from 000000 to 999999 each.

3. TICKET PRICE

The MRP of a single ticket shall be Rs 500/-. (Rupees Five hundred only) (MRP shall be Inclusive of all taxes).

4. PRIZE STRUCTURE OF THE SCHEME

The detail of Prizes for Winners and Promoter Prizes for Sub-agents and Sellers shall be as under:-

Prize No.	No. of Prize	Amount	Total	Sub Agent Bonus	Total	Seller Bonus	Total
1st	2	25000000	50000000	1250000	2500000	1250000	2500000
2nd	10	1000000	10000000	50000	500000	50000	500000
3rd	10	500000	5000000	25000	250000	25000	250000
4th	500	9000	4500000				
5th	500	7000	3500000				
6th	2000	5000	10000000				
7th	150000	500	75000000				
Total	153022		158000000		3250000		3250000

(** All prizes shall be paid in Indian Currency.)

5 METHOD OF DRAW

The following prizes shall be given on the basis of the draw, to be conducted by Directorate of Punjab State Lotteries in accordance with the method prescribed against each prize.

1 st Prize	2	Rupees Two Crore and Fifty Lakhs each only	Two complete numbers shall be drawn along with series. One from series A and another from series B. If numbers fall from un-sold ticket, the machine shall be re-operated till the prize is drawn from sold tickets.
2 nd	10	Rupees Ten Lakh each only	Five numbers of six digits shall be drawn without series.(Numbers will be considered in both the series)
3 rd	10	Rupees Five Lakh each only	Five numbers of six digits shall be drawn without series.(Numbers will be considered in both the series)
4 th	500	Rupees Nine Thousand only	Twenty Five numbers of last five digits shall be drawn without series. (Numbers will be considered in both the series).
5 th	500	Rupees Seven Thousand only	Twenty Five numbers of last five digits shall be drawn without series. (Numbers will be considered in both the series).
6 th	2000	Rupees Five Thousand each only	Ten numbers of last four digits shall be drawn without series.(Numbers will be considered in both the series)
7 th	150000	Rupees Five Hundred each only	Seven hundred fifty numbers of last four digits shall be drawn without series.(Numbers will be considered in both the series)

6 DATE TIME AND VENUE OF THE DRAW

The draw shall be held on **15th January - 2021 (Friday) at Ludhiana**. In exceptional circumstance the said date of draw and venue can be changed by Director Lotteries.

7. PAYMENT OF GST AND OTHER TAXES:

(a) Presently the Central Govt. has introduced GST on lotteries and the same shall be paid by the Distributor on reverse charge basis as per Notifications issued by Govt. of India. As per Notification Number 11/2017-Central Tax-(Rate) dated 28th June 2017 issued by the Government of India, Ministry of Finance (Department of Revenue) the GST will be calculated on face value or price notified by State whichever is higher as that price includes the amount of GST.

(b) Further any other tax on lotteries imposed by the Central Government/ State Government from time to time shall be borne by the distributor as decided.

8. PROMOTER COUPON

a. There shall be a promoter coupon worth Rs. 500/- each in bundle of 10 tickets. The sellers shall be given Rs. 500/- on sale of 10 tickets on surrendering / submitting of the Promoter Coupon. However, this amount of Rs. 500/- shall not be given / available, if the seller is getting promoter incentive amount on the basis of a prize winning tickets from that bundle. If there are more than one prize on one Prize Winning Ticket then the seller shall only be entitled the highest available incentive.

b. Similarly in case of Sub Agents and Sellers, If there are more than one prize on one Prize Winning Ticket then the Sub Agents and Sellers shall only be entitled the highest available incentive.

9. DISTRIBUTOR OF THE SCHEME.

M/s West Bengal lottery Stockists Syndicate Pvt. Ltd. Regd Office : 55A, S.P Mukherjee Road , Kolkata- 700026 having branch office at : 392/27, shop No. 406-07 , Gurunanak Pura , Kailash Chownk , Ludhiana, Punjab -141001 is appointed as the Distributor to sell and marketing the tickets of said bumper.

10 PROCEDURE FOR ISSUE OF TICKETS AND DEPOSIT OF SALE PROCEEDS.

- i. This Bumper Scheme for selling of lottery tickets has been allotted to the Distributor as per the terms and conditions of the tender and agreement signed between Distributor and State Government.
- ii. The Distributor will sell the lottery tickets through their network of Stockists in the State of Punjab and other lottery operating/permitted States in India. A detail of Stockists has to be submitted by the Distributor in the office of Directorate Punjab State Lotteries. Government has the right to cancel the stockist-ship of any stockist appointed by the Distributor, if that stockist is found doing some illegal activity.
- iii. Tickets will be issued to the Distributor on a discount @ 51.675 % of MRP of the ticket .
- iv. Distributor will deposit the face value of the issued tickets in the consolidated fund or Public ledger account as decided by the Director, Punjab State Lotteries.
- v) The Distributor shall get delivery of tickets by making 100% payment for the face value of issued tickets in shape of Bank Draft i.e (MRP- GST-Discount) and shall also submit receipt for amount deposited as GST for sold tickets.

Or

The distributor shall get delivery of tickets on following payment terms: -

- a. Payment of at least 25% of the face value of issued tickets (MRP-GST-Discount) in shape of Bank Drafts; and
- b. 75% by furnishing security in the shape of Bank Guarantee / FDR etc. mortgaged/ pledged in favor of the Director, Punjab State Lotteries, Chandigarh. Validity of the bank Guarantee / FDRs should remain valid for sufficient period.

Distributor has to submit the receipt for amount deposited as GST in the Office of Directorate Punjab State Lotteries within 7 days of depositing the GST on Punjab State Lottery Schemes.

- (vi) The tickets shall not be issued to the Distributor if they fail to settle the accounts of any previous lottery scheme within stipulated period.
- (vii) The request for sending the ticket by post as received in Directorate of Punjab State Lotteries shall not be entertained and the tickets shall not be dispatched to the individual customer from Directorate of Punjab State Lotteries.
- (viii) The tickets shall be issued to the distributor as per the procedure laid down in condition 10 above. Any amount paid less by the distributor or any delay in submission of receipt of amount deposited as GST shall be charged interest @18% p.a, for the delayed period.

11 UNSOLD TICKETS

The distributor shall submit the list of unsold tickets, in shape of hard copy and soft copy, in the office of Directorate of Punjab State Lotteries up to 12.00 noon on the date of draw and no list of unsold tickets would be entertained by the office after scheduled time. The signed list of unsold tickets can be sent through registered post or through special messenger or email but this Department shall not be responsible for any postal delay.

However if any ticket claimed by winner out of list of unsold tickets declared by Distributor, then liability to pay that prize amount will be of the Distributor. An amount upto 10 times of total MRP of these tickets or as decided by the Director Lotteries may be imposed on the Distributor who will submit the wrong detail of unsold tickets.

12. PAYMENT OF PRIZES/ INCENTIVES

- (i) All the prize winning tickets above Rs. 10,000/- should reach the office of the Director, Punjab State Lotteries, Vit Te Yojna Bhawan , Plot No. 2-B , Sector 33 A, Chandigarh-160020 on the prescribed form within 30 days from the date of publication of the result in the Punjab State Government gazette either personally or through a nationalized bank or by registered post or by insured parcel.
- (ii.) Sellers' and Sub- Agents' promoter incentive up to Rs. 1,000/- should be claimed from the Distributor within 30 days from the date of publication of the result in the Punjab State Government Gazette and the promoters prizes above Rs. 1,000/- should be claimed directly from the Director, Punjab State Lotteries Vit Te Yojna Bhawan, Plot No. 2-B , Sector 33 A, Chandigarh-160020 within 30 days from the date of publication of the result in the Punjab State Government gazette. TDS shall be deducted at source while making payment of such incentive(s).
- (iii) In case the prize winners' claim does not reach this Directorate within 30 days, the right of the winner to claim the prize/amount thereafter shall be extinguished in accordance with the Punjab State Lotteries Rules 2015. The Director or the State Government, as the case may be, may in exceptional circumstances and on sufficient cause being shown, condone the delay in submission of claim after the prescribed 30 days in accordance with the rules *ibid*. Distributor is authorized to make the payment of prizes/incentives below the aforesaid limit and seek reimbursement from office within 90 days from the date of publication of the result in the Punjab State Government gazette.
- (iv) The gross amount of higher prizes (each prize more than Rs. 10,000/-) should be deposited by the Distributor in the Consolidated Fund of the State or PLA prior to holding the actual draws as per the approved scheme by the Government of Punjab. Higher prizes will be paid out of that amount and for the next draw, the Distributor has to ensure the deposit of higher prizes amount of next draw in the Consolidated Fund of the State or PLA. If those prizes (except guaranteed prizes if any), do not fall out of the sold tickets then this amount will be considered for the next draw of the scheme.

13. PRINTING OF TICKETS

- i) Printing of tickets will be done by the Office of Directorate Punjab State Lotteries. Distributor will convey the number of tickets required to be printed as per the market condition.
- ii) Distributor has to sell minimum 75% of the printed lottery tickets of the scheme as desired by him for printing. If Distributor fails to sell less than the specified limit

then printing charges for the differential number of tickets is to be recovered from the Distributor.

14 LEGAL JURISDICTION

The legal jurisdiction of this lottery shall be only at Chandigarh.

15 OTHER IMPORTANT CONDITIONS OF THE SCHEME

- i.) The draw for the prizes shall be held out of the total scheme. However, the draw of first prize(s) shall be out of sold tickets only.
- ii.) Income Tax on prizes / incentive(s) to sellers etc., wherever applicable, shall be deducted at source irrespective of the fact whether the prize goes to the winners, distributor(s) or seller(s).
- iii.) Promotional publicity shall be done through the Directorate Public Relation Department Punjab , Chandigarh on the DAVP/DPR rates through the mode of T.V., Radio, newspapers, banners, hoardings etc. Therefore, a provision of Rs 50.00 lacs (Rupees Fifty lacs only) is made for advertising through T.V, Radio, Newspapers and hoardings etc. and Rs. 15.00 lacs (Rupees fifteen lacs only) for printing of tickets, coupons etc. Distributor is free to make his own publicity at his own cost.
- iv.) GST imposed by the Government of India on Lotteries shall be borne by the Distributor.
- v.) Distributor(s)/ Sub Agents and sellers are advised to check the correctness of the printing and numbering of the tickets before selling and buyers should also check the same before purchasing tickets. Defective tickets should not be sold to the public, but should immediately be returned to the issuing authority.
- vi.) A ticket, which is forged, torn out, mutilated or tampered with shall not be entertained.
- vii.) Prize shall be paid on the production of original tickets only.
- viii) Prize winning tickets holders abroad shall be paid in Indian currency as per scheme.
- ix) One ticket/coupon shall be eligible to only one prize/incentive viz. The highest prize/incentive drawn against it.
- x.) In case of any dispute, the decision of the Principal Secretary to the Government of Punjab, Department of Finance shall be final and binding.

- xi) Before submitting the claim, results may be Checked with the Punjab State Government Gazette.
- xii) The request for sending the tickets by post as received in the office shall not be entertained and the tickets shall not be dispatched to the individual customers from office.
- xiii) The provisions of ‘The Lotteries (Regulation) Act 1998’,The Lotteries (Regulations) Rules, 2010 ,Punjab State Lotteries Rules 2015 and GST Rules shall be applicable.

16 AMENDMENTS TO THE SCHEME

The Government of Punjab may at any time amended/ delete/ modify/ relax any of the provisions of the Scheme under the orders of the Principal Secretary Finance; Government of Punjab in exceptional circumstances without assigning any reasons(s).

Notes:

- i. Printing of tickets / promoter coupons will be got done from the Security Printing Press on the panel of Reserve Bank of India or the Indian bank Associations Mumbai, However, lottery posters/banners will be got printed from the private printing press which stands selected through open tenders at approved rates or as decided by the Govt. keeping in view the prevailing circumstances.
- ii) The expenditure for making payment to Prize winners/Selling Agents/Distributors / Sellers/ Advertisers/ GSM checking Institutions/ Laboratories/ Printers, Taxes/Charges (if any), Draw Exp. etc. under this scheme shall be met from the Budget grant provided in the budget by the State Government. The Director, Punjab State Lotteries is authorized to sanction make all kinds of payments mentioned above.

Dated 03.11.2020

**KAP Sinha, IAS
Principal Secretary to Government of Punjab
Department of Finance, Chandigarh.**

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A copy of the above scheme is forwarded to the Punjab Government Printing Press, SAS nagar , Mohali with the request this may be got published in the Ordinary Gazette of Punjab Government and 50 (Fifty) copies may kindly be supplied to this office for record.

**Deputy Director,
Punjab State Lotteries,
Chandigarh**