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### **Jonesboro Man Appointed to Arkansas Lottery Commission**

**Little Rock, AR – June 10, 2013** – Doug Pierce of Jonesboro was recently appointed by House Speaker Davy Carter to a six-year term on the Arkansas Lottery Commission. He replaces Mike Malone of Fayetteville, whose term expired April 1.

Pierce, a 1995 graduate of Arkansas State University, has held a variety of leadership roles within the biotechnology industry, including sales and marketing management, operations, training, and leadership development. Prior to coming back home to Arkansas in 2011, Pierce worked in Knoxville, Atlanta, and San Francisco. He is the southeast U.S. division sales manager for biotechnology firm Genentech. His appointment expires April 1, 2019.

The Arkansas Lottery Commission is a self-supporting and revenue-producing agency of the State of Arkansas. Its net proceeds provide scholarships and grants to citizens of the State of Arkansas enrolled in public and private nonprofit two-year and four-year colleges and universities located within the state.