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White Hall Mans Wins \$500,000 in Play It Again[®] Drawing

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LITTLE ROCK, Ark. – When Sarabjit Singh of White Hall received an unexpected letter in the mail explaining that he had won \$500,000 in the Arkansas Scholarship Lottery's (ASL) Play It Again[®] drawing, he thought someone was trying to play a cruel trick on him.

"Honestly, I thought it was a scam," he said. "I didn't believe it until I called the number listed in the letter this morning."

Singh claimed his prize today at the ASL Claim Center in Little Rock. His name was randomly selected from all the eligible entries players had submitted from non-winning tickets.

"I play the lottery occasionally, especially when the jackpots are high. I plan to celebrate and give back to my community of White Hall with my winnings," Singh said.

The Club has more than 260,000 registered members. It is free to sign up by visiting MyArkansasLottery.com and clicking on "The Club." Players can enter non-winning tickets to earn Points for Prizes[®] points and entries into the Play It Again[®] drawings.

In other lottery drawings, the Powerball[®] jackpot for tomorrow night's drawing has grown to \$138 million. Tonight, the Mega Millions[®] jackpot drawing is for \$55 million, and the Natural State Jackpot is set for \$100,000.

About the Arkansas Scholarship Lottery

More than 92 cents of every dollar of ASL revenue goes to prizes, scholarships, retailer commissions, and other expenses in Arkansas. Since 2009, the lottery has raised more than \$1 billion in proceeds for scholarships. More than 600,000 college scholarships have been awarded to Arkansans. The lottery has awarded more than \$3.5 billion in prizes to players, about \$304 million in retailer commissions, and provided more than \$142 million in state and federal tax revenue.

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