

**SOUTH CAROLINA EDUCATION LOTTERY™
OFFICIAL RULES AND PROCEDURES FOR
CAROLINA POWER DEAL GAME SHOW**

A. GENERAL PROVISIONS

1. The South Carolina Education Lottery (SCEL) will conduct the Carolina Power Deal Abbreviated Television Game Show ("Show") under the rules provided in this document. The Show is a Powerball® promotion. The entry method, entry deadlines, draw dates and the selection and qualification of contestants to appear on the Show are specified in the Official Rules for the Carolina Power Deal Promotion. This document is a supplement to the Official Rules for the Carolina Power Deal Promotion and all of the provisions of those Official Rules remain in effect. This document is subject to change without notice. The Show is scheduled to result in fifty-two (52) Carolina Power Deal contestants selected in approximately seven (7) separate draws, but SCEL reserves the option to discontinue or modify the promotion or Show at any time.

Amendments to these rules, including cancellation of the Show, may be made at any time without notice, but must be made in writing and signed by the Executive Director of SCEL. To ensure that you are reviewing the current version of the Official Rules for this game, visit www.sceducationlottery.com or call 1-866-736-9819 (toll free).

2. **A CONTESTANT IS BOUND BY THE OFFICIAL RULES OF THIS SHOW.**
3. **IN ADDITION TO THE APPEARANCE ON THE SHOW, SCEL MAY USE A CONTESTANT'S HOMETOWN, NAME, LIKENESS, AND/OR VOICE IN SCEL PROMOTIONS, PUBLICATIONS OR OTHER ADVERTISING MEDIA INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, THE SCEL WEBSITE WITHOUT COMPENSATION OR ADDITIONAL RELEASE. THIS AUTHORIZATION IS NOT SUBJECT TO REVOCATION.**

B. CAROLINA POWER DEAL SHOW

1. The Show will be conducted under the supervision of SCEL Security personnel pursuant to procedures as may be determined by the Director of Security. Compliance with all rules and procedures must be certified by an independent auditor. If a foul is declared during the Show, the taping may be halted by the Director of Security or his designee. In its sole discretion, SCEL may end the selection process for that Contestant, resume the contest at the point of the foul, restart the process of selection from the beginning or take other action as deemed appropriate.
2. A Contestant is eligible to participate only on the taping date for which the Contestant was drawn unless approved for a later taping as granted by the Executive Director or his designee. Multiple shows will be taped in one day (normally on a Saturday for the convenience of the Contestants) for broadcast at a later date. A Contestant who is unable to appear on that date may designate a proxy to appear in his or her place. **If a Contestant is unable to appear as determined in the sole discretion of SCEL, a proxy or stand-in may be designated by SCEL. A proxy must be eighteen years of age or older. A proxy is not entitled to receive a prize or a portion of a prize awarded. The contestant releases and holds SCEL and the proxy harmless for any selection or decision made by the proxy on behalf of the contestant.**

SCEL assumes no responsibility for the selection or choices made by the proxy, irrespective of how the proxy was chosen.

3. Pre-taping Show Procedures

- (a) The necessary equipment and written security procedures needed to comply with these rules will be established by the Director of Security and shall have the same force and effect as the Rules. All drawings will be conducted under the supervision of the Director of Security, or his designee, with an independent auditor present who must certify compliance with all procedures.
- (b) A ball draw machine will be loaded with a set of balls numbered one (1) through thirty-nine (39) from which five (5) numbered balls will be drawn. The results of the draw (with the numbers recorded in the order drawn) will be certified by the independent auditor.
- (c) The recorded results of the draw will be placed inside an envelope and sealed in a secure fashion and the auditor will sign the envelope seal for security purposes. The date of the draw will be displayed on each envelope along with the corresponding scheduled Show taping date. The sealed envelopes will be secured by the Director of Security, or his designee, and must remain unopened until needed for the taping of the Show. This procedure will be repeated to ensure that sufficient sets of numbers are available for use during a scheduled taping session of Shows.
- (d) Should any required piece of equipment used in the selection of sets of number become inoperable, for any reason, at any stage of the procedure detailed above, the Director of Security, or his designee, in his sole discretion, may stop, delay, restart or postpone the number selection procedure, as deemed appropriate given the circumstances.
- (e) Prior to the taping of the Show, each respective contestant or proxy will choose a sealed envelope in a selection method proscribed by the Director of Security or his designee.
- (f) As each contestant selects his or her sealed envelope of pre-selected numbers, the independent auditor will write the selecting contestant's name or other identifying information on the outside of the envelope.
- (g) SCEL security personnel will assume custody of the sealed envelopes until the time the numbers are to be entered into the computer or the device used to display the pre-selected numbers on the Show. SCEL personnel will enter the numbers in the order specified in (b) above. The independent auditor will certify that the entry of the five (5) numbers from each contestant's sealed envelope are entered in the correct order.

4. Contestant Play Procedures

- (a) The contestant will be escorted onto the set and stationed in his or her position. The contestant will begin play with a monetary amount of four thousand (\$4,000) dollars for use as specified below. The contestant must press the number select button to activate the reveal mechanism and reveal the first and all subsequent numbers.
- (b) The contestant must choose whether the second number to be revealed will be "higher" or "lower" than the first number. The last answer given by the contestant and confirmed or repeated by the Emcee will be the answer. After the contestant makes his or her selection of "higher" or "lower", the Emcee will repeat the contestant's last answer aloud, the contestant will press the number select button, and the second number will be revealed. If the contestant's selection of "higher" or "lower" is correct, the \$4,000 base monetary amount will increase by two thousand (\$2,000) dollars. If the contestant's selection of "higher" or "lower" is incorrect, the \$4,000 base monetary amount will decrease by \$2,000.
- (c) The contestant must then choose whether the third number will be "higher" or "lower" than the second number displayed. After the contestant makes his or her selection of

“higher” or “lower”, the Emcee will repeat the contestant’s last answer aloud, the contestant presses the number select button, and the third number will be revealed. If the contestant is correct with his or her answer of “higher” or “lower,” the contestant’s accumulated monetary amount will increase by \$2,000 dollars. If the contestant’s answer is incorrect, the accumulated monetary amount will decrease by \$2,000 but it may not decrease below \$2000.

- (d) The contestant must then choose whether the fourth number will be “higher” or “lower” than the third number displayed. After the contestant makes his or her selection of “higher” or “lower”, the Emcee will repeat the contestant’s last answer aloud, the contestant presses the number select button, and the fourth number will be revealed. If the contestant’s selection of “higher” or “lower” is correct, the contestant’s accumulated monetary amount will increase by \$2,000 dollars. If the selection is incorrect, the accumulated monetary decrease by \$2,000 but it may not decrease below \$2000.
- (e) **The contestant is not required to continue play after the fourth number has been revealed.** The contestant has the option to end his or her participation in the Show and receive the monetary amount accumulated to this point or to continue play by making a choice of whether the fifth, and final, number revealed will be “higher” or “lower” than the fourth number displayed. The contestant will be informed that **a correct answer will double the contestant’s accumulated monetary amount.** The contestant will also be informed that **an incorrect answer will decrease the contestant’s accumulated monetary amount by one-half but the amount won may not be less than \$2,000.** If the contestant chooses to continue, he or she will make a selection of “higher” or “lower.” The Emcee will repeat the contestant’s last answer aloud. The contestant presses the number select button, the fifth number will be revealed, and the game will end.

5. Prize Payout

- (a) A contestant appearing and participating on the Show will receive one thousand (\$1,000) dollars of the minimum prize upon completion of the taping of the Show subject to Section 59-150-300, if applicable. Taxes will not be deducted from the \$1,000 but applicable state and federal taxes on the entire amount of the contestant’s winnings less any other applicable deductions required by law, will be accounted for in a check for the total Show winnings (less the \$1,000 payment for appearance on the Show) will be mailed to the contestant after the taping.
- (b) A contestant who chooses not to appear, either in person or through a contestant appointed proxy, will receive the prize amount less any other applicable state and federal taxes and any other deductions required by law in a check mailed to the contestant after the scheduled air date of the Show.

C. MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

- 1. Any question as to the order that any selections are made will be resolved by the Director of Security, or his designee, at his sole discretion, and approved by the independent auditor.
- 2. Should the number select mechanism or the number reveal mechanism or any other required piece of equipment used in the taping of the Show become inoperable, for any reason, at any stage of the play procedure detailed above, the Director of Security, or his designee, in his sole discretion, may stop, delay, restart or postpone the play procedure, as deemed appropriate given the circumstances.
- 3. Contestants affected by any decision during the play procedure or any aspect of the play procedure shall be limited to the remedy or remedies provided in the Official Rules. This

document is a supplement to the Official Rules and all of the provisions of the Official Rules remain in effect.

4. Contestants who become unruly or non-cooperative at any point in the play procedure, for any reason deemed adequate by the Director of Security, or his designee, and within the Director of Security's or his designee's sole discretion, will not be allowed to further participate. SCEL reserves the right to edit any Show, and to decide not to air any Show for any reason or for no reason.

s/Ernie L. Passailaigue
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Executive Director

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Date