



SOUTH CAROLINA EDUCATION LOTTERY ®
OFFICIAL RULES FOR THE
Clean Sweep
SECOND-CHANCE PROMOTION

A. GENERAL PROVISIONS

1. The South Carolina Education Lottery (“SCEL”) will conduct the **Clean Sweep (Clean Sweep)** Second-Chance Promotion (“Promotion”) according to the rules provided in this document. The Promotion begins with entries received after June 11, 2021, and will end with entries received on or before June 10, 2022.

The Official Rules (“Rules”) for the Promotion are comprised of:

- (a) Act 59 of 2001, as amended;
- (b) the Regulations of the South Carolina Education Lottery Commissioners;
- (c) any matter adopted by the Board of Commissioners of the South Carolina Education Lottery Commission;
- (d) the material presented in this document;
- (e) the SCEL Draw Procedures for the Promotion (“Draw Procedures”),
- (f) any practices or procedures (either written or unwritten) utilized by SCEL.

The items cited herein are incorporated by reference and are binding as if printed herein. Each item cited above shall have equal weight unless there is an inconsistency between or among the documents, in which case the document listed first shall be controlling.

Amendments to these Rules, including cancellation of the Promotion, may be made at any time without notice but must be made in writing and signed by the SCEL Executive Director. To ensure that you are reviewing the current version of the Official Rules for this Promotion, visit www.sceducationlottery.com or obtain a copy by calling 803-737-2002, between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday. The Promotion is void where prohibited by law.

2. **BY SUBMITTING AN ENTRY, AN ENTRANT IS BOUND BY THE OFFICIAL RULES OF THIS PROMOTION.**
3. **SCEL MAY USE, WITHOUT LIMITATION, AN ENTRANT’S HOMETOWN, NAME, LIKENESS, AND/OR VOICE IN ANY PROMOTION(S), RESEARCH, MARKETING, PUBLICATION(S) OR ADVERTISING MEDIA INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, THE SCEL WEBSITE, WITHOUT NOTICE, COMPENSATION OR ADDITIONAL RELEASE**
4. **The odds of winning or losing depend upon the number of entries submitted for each drawing.**

B. PRIZE

One hundred (100) winners will be selected each month throughout the Promotion period. Each person who meets the eligibility requirements will receive fifty dollars (\$50) for each of his or her Qualifying Entries drawn.

C. HOW TO ENTER

1. To be eligible to enter the Promotion, an entrant **must be at least eighteen (18) years of age** and submit a “Qualified Entry.”
2. A “Qualified Entry” must consist of ten (10) non-winning SCEL instant tickets from any SCEL instant game or combination of games as provided herein. Submitting more than ten (10) non-winning instant tickets in a single envelope will NOT count as multiple entries. Each envelope is deemed a single entry.
3. Each entry must be submitted in an envelope no larger than 7 ½ x 10 ½ inches. Non-winning tickets submitted in a larger envelope or in a box or other container are invalid entries and subject to disqualification at any time after receipt by SCEL. **Affixing the appropriate postage is the responsibility of the entrant.**
4. For each entry envelope, the **entrant must complete the back of at least one non-winning ticket with his or her name, address (including city, state, and zip code) and a handwritten signature (“Entrant Information”).** The ticket should also include the entrant’s phone number. If a ticket does not have the player’s Entrant Information or if it is illegible, as determined by SCEL Security personnel, it will be disqualified. Tickets with white-out or overwriting on the back of the ticket will be forwarded to the SCEL Security Department for a determination of validity of the entry.

5. **MAIL IN** - To be eligible to enter the Promotion, entries must be mailed to:

Clean Sweep
South Carolina Education Lottery
Post Office Box 11488
Columbia, SC 29211

Failure to use the correct amount of postage will not result in disqualification if the entry is received by SCEL at the proper address. **HAND DELIVERED ENTRIES WILL BE DISQUALIFIED. Entries mailed to any other SCEL mail box will be disqualified.**

- (a) If an entry does not have the Entrant Information or if it is not legible, as determined by SCEL Security personnel, the entry will be disqualified. The entrant's signature must be handwritten. Only one person may be listed on each entry, i.e. an entry with more than one name such as "Mr. and Mrs. Jones" or "John and Mary Jones" will be disqualified.
- (b) Only one person should be listed among the ten (10) tickets in the entry. Entries with Entry Information pertaining to multiple people will be disqualified.
- (b) "Live" or winning instant tickets **SHOULD NOT** be mailed for entry in the Promotion. **An instant ticket that is mailed in and that SCEL Security personnel determines is a live or winning ticket will be disqualified.** SCEL assume no responsibility for the validation of a winning ticket and will not attempt to locate or retrieve winning tickets submitted for this Promotion. Entries submitted must consist of an original Qualified Entry. A facsimile, copy, replica, duplicate, photograph, or reproduction of a ticket will not be acceptable under any circumstance.
- (c) An entry for this Promotion that is:
 - i. **HAND-DELIVERED TO ANY SCEL OFFICE WILL BE DISQUALIFIED;**
 - ii. **MAILED OR DELIVERED TO ANY ADDRESS OTHER THAN THE SPECIFIC PROMOTION ADDRESS WILL BE DISQUALIFIED;**
 - iii. **RECEIVED IN A BOX OR OTHER CONTAINER WILL BE DISQUALIFIED AT ANY TIME AFTER RECEIPT BY SCEL; OR**
 - iv. **PERFORATED, TORN (unless intact after mended as determined by SCEL Security personnel), ALTERED, OR CONTAINS MULTIPLE TICKETS SECURED TOGETHER WILL BE DISQUALIFIED.**

- (d) SCEL assumes no responsibility for and will not attempt to locate, verify receipt of, or validate a Qualified Entry or any other ticket mailed to the address provided in this Promotion. **The risk of loss for, including but not limited to, the mis-delivery, late delivery, improper postage, failure of delivery, or damage to an entry during transit for any ticket mailed remains with the entrant.**

D. DRAW

1. Entries must be received no later than the entry deadline date listed below in ¶ 8 and as posted on www.sceducationlottery.com in the last scheduled mail collection (no later than 5:00 p.m.) on each entry deadline. Entries from one draw cycle do NOT carry over to the next draw cycle. Entries submitted for a given draw cycle will be destroyed (shredded and recycled) after each draw. This Promotion ends June 15, 2022.
2. The SCEL Security Department or a designated agent is responsible for securing all entries upon delivery to SCEL and at all times thereafter until destroyed.
3. Entries received for each draw will be placed in a draw container by SCEL Security personnel and will be mixed thoroughly. If the number of entries exceeds the capacity of the draw container, the Director of SCEL Security, or his designee, will randomly select numbered containers used for entry storage. The entries will then be placed into the draw container for selection.
4. At each draw, SCEL Security personnel will draw one hundred (100) entries ("Selected Entrants"), not including alternates and entries that are disqualified. Entries that do not contain a complete and legible ticket and Entry Information, with a handwritten signature as required by Paragraph C4, will be disqualified by draw personnel at the time the entry is drawn or after the conclusion of the draw. At least ten (10) alternates will be drawn and if needed an alternate shall replace a disqualified entry in the order that the alternates were drawn. If all Selected Entries and alternates are exhausted and there are not enough Qualified Entries to award all the prizes in the Drawing, some prizes may not be awarded and there may be fewer winners for the Drawing.
5. Each draw will be conducted under the supervision of an independent auditor who will audit the draw and will certify that draw procedures were followed. The draw will occur at SCEL headquarters at 1333 Main Street, Columbia, South Carolina 29201. The place and time for a draw may be established or changed without written notice or amendment to the Rules.

6. If a foul is declared during the Draw, the selection process shall be halted and the Director of Security, or a designee, will void or reinstitute the process he or she deems appropriate.
7. One-hundred (100) entries, subject to qualification, will win fifty dollars (\$50). If the first selected entrant fails to qualify, the next entry selected will be eligible for qualification in descending order of selection.
8.

Draw Entry Deadline	Scheduled Draw Date
Friday, July 16th, 2021	Wednesday, July 21st, 2021
Friday, August 13th, 2021	Wednesday, August 18th, 2021
Friday, September 10th, 2021	Wednesday, September 15th, 2021
Friday, October 15th, 2021	Wednesday, October 20, 2021
Friday, November 12th, 2021	Wednesday, November 17th, 2021
Friday, December 10th, 2021	Wednesday, December 15th, 2021
Friday, January 14th, 2022	Wednesday, January 19th, 2022
Friday, February 11th, 2022	Wednesday, February 16th, 2022
Friday, March 11th, 2022	Wednesday, March 16th, 2022
Friday, April 15th, 2022	Wednesday, April 20th, 2022
Friday, May 13th, 2022	Wednesday, May 18th, 2022
Friday, June 10th, 2022	Wednesday, June 15th, 2022

E. QUALIFICATION AND VALIDATION OF WINNERS

1. Based on the Entry Information, SCEL staff will process and mail a check to each of the selected entrants.
2. SCEL employees, MDI and SGI employees, IGT employees, and/or dependents or family members residing in the household of any of these employees, or any other person ineligible to purchase South Carolina lottery tickets pursuant to Title 59, Chapter 150 of the South Carolina Code of Laws, are ineligible to enter this Promotion. Auditors who routinely perform work for SCEL and advertising firm employees who performed work for this Promotion are also ineligible to enter.
3. Disqualification of an entry may occur at the time an entry is received or at a later time as may be appropriate or required by these Rules.
4. Validity of entries, qualification of winners, drawing procedures and awarding prizes are subject to policies, rules and regulations of the SCEL and the laws and regulations of the State of South Carolina.

5. **Notification of the Winner:**

- (a) SCEL will mail a check for fifty dollars (\$50) for each Qualified Entry selected as a winner in the promotion to each winner by certified mail or a commercial overnight delivery service.
- (b) AN ENTRANT (OR ALTERNATE) SELECTED AS A WINNER ASSUMES THE RISK OF LOSS AND IS SUBJECT TO DISQUALIFICATION IF SCEL IS UNABLE TO CONTACT THE SELECTED ENTRANT. IF A WINNER'S CHECK IS RETURNED DUE TO AN INCORRECT ADDRESS, OR ANY OTHER REASON, SCEL RESERVES THE SOLE DISCRETION TO DISQUALIFY THAT WINNER AND CHOOSE AN ALTERNATE.

F. MISCELLANEOUS

- 1. SCEL reserves the right to use, without limitation, the names, addresses, telephone numbers, and other information provided to participate in the Promotion for research, marketing, and other purposes. For further details, click on "Terms of Use" located on the SCEL homepage, www.sceducationlottery.com.
- 2. A decision relating to cancellation of the Promotion, amendment to the Rules, the size of the envelope, the timing of the draw, declaring a foul, legibility of an entry, effort to notify a selected entrant, destruction of entries, a decision to disqualify an entrant, and/or any decision(s) made in accordance with section C is deemed not to be cause for grievance relating to this Promotion. A decision to alter the number of winners or to designate an alternate as a winner, for whatever reason, with or without notice, shall not constitute grounds for a grievance. Failure of delivery or mis-delivery of an entry is not subject to a grievance proceeding, and SCEL assumes no liability whatsoever for that occurrence regardless of fault.
- 3. After the completion of the Draw, all entries, including but not limited to: disqualified entries, the entries not selected in the Draw, and any unused alternates will be retained or destroyed as directed by the SCEL Director of Security, or a designee.
- 4. SCEL's total liability, under any circumstances and for any activity taken pursuant to these Rules, shall be no more than ten dollars (\$10), irrespective of the number of entries submitted by a person who is found to be aggrieved by any aspect of this Promotion or any application or any interpretations of the Rules. Any person claiming to be aggrieved must file a written notice with the SCEL Executive Director, P.O. Box 11949, Columbia, SC 29211-1949, specifying the grounds for the grievance. A grievance filed more than fifteen (15) days after the winner(s) is announced will be deemed untimely.

5. The filing of a grievance does not compel the Executive Director, or his designee, to delay any aspect of this Promotion or payment of the Prize. If any provision(s) of these Rules is deemed to be invalid, the remaining provisions shall remain in effect and the aggrieved party shall only be entitled to the relief provided in Paragraph 4 of this Section.
6. By accepting a prize, each winner, his or her respective heirs, legal representatives, and assigns, agree to indemnify, defend, release, and discharge the South Carolina Education Lottery, its employees, officers, and directors from and against any loss, claim, damage, suit, or injury arising out of or relating to this Promotion or any action taken pursuant to the Official Rules. By entering, the winner indemnifies, releases, discharges, and agrees to hold harmless SCEL, its employees, officers, and directors from unanticipated cancellation, suspension, or postponement of the Promotion due to natural disaster, national emergency, pandemic, or other unforeseen act of God or man.
7. In the event of any circumstances or interpretations of any matter, whether contemplated or not contemplated in these Rules, the interpretation and decision of SCEL's Executive Director, or his or her designee, will be final as provided by law.

/s/
Hogan Brown, Executive Director

June 10, 2021
Date