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\$100,000 POWERBALL Winner for Saturday May 21 Drawing

Berlin, VT; May 23, 2005— Someone purchased a \$100,000 winning Powerball ticket at Skip Mart in Rochester, Vermont and has not yet come forward to collect the prize. In addition to the \$100,000 winning ticket, there was a \$5,000 winning ticket purchased at Beer King in Rutland.

The winning POWERBALL numbers for the Saturday, May 21 drawing are 2-5-7-10-30 with the POWERBALL number 23. The Power Play number was 2. The winner correctly matched all five of the POWERBALL numbers but did not match the POWERBALL number.

Vermont Lottery officials urge POWERBALL players who may have purchased ticket for the May 21 drawing at Skip Mart in Rochester to check their numbers and contact the Lottery if they think they've won. The number to call is (802) 479-5686 or toll free in Vermont (800) 322-8800.

POWERBALL drawings are held each Wednesday and Saturday at 10:59 PM (EST). The overall odds of winning a prize are 1 in 36. The odds of winning the POWERBALL jackpot are 1:120,526,770. A televised broadcast of the POWERBALL drawing can be seen each Wednesday and Saturday evening on WCAX-TV, Channel 3, at 11 p.m.

Vermont Lottery games are sold at over 700 agent locations throughout Vermont. For information on lottery games and draw results, visit www.vtlottery.com. All profits from the Vermont Lottery are used to support the Vermont Education Fund. Vermont Lottery officials encourage everyone to play responsibly.

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