



## **GAME RULES FOR DRAW-BASED GAMES PLAYED INTERACTIVELY**

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### **INTRODUCTION**

**These Game Rules have been approved by the Regulator of the National Lottery in accordance with Section 45 of the National Lottery Act 2013**

**At Dublin, this 20<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2023.**

**PURSUANT to the National Lottery Act 2013.**

**Premier Lotteries Ireland Designated Activity Company,  
with the approval of the Regulator of the National Lottery,  
hereby makes the following rules.**



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## 1. GENERAL

- (a) These Game Rules for Draw-Based Games Played Interactively are governed by the Act, the General Rules for National Lottery Games, Premier Lotteries Ireland DAC's Interactive Terms and Conditions and the Data Privacy Statement. A copy of the General Rules for National Lottery Games, Premier Lotteries Ireland DAC's Interactive Terms and Conditions, the Data Privacy Statement, the Game Rules for Draw-Based Games Played Interactively and the Rules for Draw-Based Games played through Retail Sales Agents may be obtained by telephoning National Lottery Customer Support at 1890 244 344 or by writing to Premier Lotteries Ireland DAC, Abbey Street Lower, Dublin 1, or by accessing the Website.
- (b) These Game Rules for Draw-Based Games Played Interactively apply to all Draw-Based Games (e.g. Lotto, Lotto Plus, Lotto 5-4-3-2-1, EuroDreams, EuroMillions and Plus (EuroMillions), Daily Million, Daily Million Plus and Christmas Millionaire Raffle Played Interactively via the Website and/or National Lottery App). These Game Rules for Draw-Based Games Played Interactively should be read in conjunction with the rules for Draw-Based Games played through Retail Sales Agents (set out below):
- **Lotto 6/47 Rules;**
  - **Lotto Plus Rules;**
  - **Lotto 5-4-3-2-1 (incorporating Lotto 5-4-3-2-1 Plus) Rules;**
  - **EuroDreams;**
  - **EuroMillions (Incorporating Ireland Only Raffle) Rules;**
  - **Plus Rules (EuroMillions);**
  - **Daily Million Rules;**
  - **Daily Million Plus Rules;**
  - **Christmas Millionaire Raffle Rules**

each a "Draw-Based Game Rule" and together the "Draw-Based Game Rules".

The Draw-Based Game Rules apply, insofar as the context allows to Draw-Based Games Played Interactively, but certain provisions of the Draw-Based Game Rules have, by their very nature, no application to Games Played Interactively, for example, those provisions of the Draw-Based Games-which specifically concern obligations of Retail Sales Agents and/or contain references to Terminals, Tickets and Playslips.

- (c) In the event of any conflict or inconsistency between the documents set out at (i) to (vi) below, the order of precedence is as follows:
- (i) **The Interactive Terms and Conditions**
  - (ii) **These Game Rules for Draw-Based Games Played Interactively**
  - (iii) **The statements and explanations appearing on the applicable Game Details Screen**
  - (iv) **The applicable Game Rules**
  - (v) **The Data Privacy Statement**
  - (vi) **The General Rules for National Lottery Games**
- (d) Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Draw-Based Game Rules, PLI has the right to offer Draw-Based Games Played Interactively to Players.
- (e) Prospective players must read and understand the Interactive Terms and Conditions and the relevant Game Rules before playing any Games. The documents set out at (c) are

hereby incorporated into and form part of these Game Rules for Draw-Based Games Played Interactively.

- (f) The Company reserves the right to vary these Game Rules for Draw-Based Games Played Interactively subject to the consent of the Regulator.
- (g) The official address to which correspondence must be sent is:  
**The National Lottery, Abbey Street Lower, Dublin 1, Ireland**
- (h) The Company reserves the right to vary the format of the Game and the value and number of Prizes subject to the approval of the Regulator.
- (i) Where the context so requires, in these Game Rules for Draw-Based Games Played Interactively, the neuter gender shall include the feminine or masculine gender and vice versa, the feminine gender shall include the masculine gender and vice versa and the singular shall include the plural and vice versa.

## 2. DEFINITIONS

In these Game Rules for Draw-Based Games Played Interactively unless the context requires otherwise:

**Account** means an account maintained by a Player on the Interactive Channels.

**Account Notification** means a notification to You which is sent via Your Account.

**Act** means the National Lottery Act 2013 as may be amended or replaced from time to time including any regulation made thereunder.

**Advance Play** means the facility to play a Draw-Based Game Played Interactively for a number of Draws in advance with the purchase of one Ticket.

**Bonus Number** means the number between one and forty-seven (inclusive), randomly selected from the remaining forty-one numbers immediately after the Winning Numbers have been selected in a Lotto or Lotto Plus Draw or the number between one and thirty-nine (inclusive) randomly selected from the remaining thirty-three numbers immediately after the Winning Numbers have been selected in a Daily Million or Daily Million Plus Draw.

**Central Gaming System** has the meaning provided under the Act.

**Christmas Millionaire Raffle Game** means a lottery game that is of limited duration, having pre-established and announced beginning and end sales and Draw Date. A limited number of Tickets each unique from all others, will be offered for the opportunity to win one of a number of predetermined and announced prizes.

**Company** or **We** or **PLI** means Premier Lotteries Ireland Designated Activity Company.

**Contractors** mean the Company's gaming systems contractor(s) and its (their) sub-contractors and any third party contractors engaged by the Company to provide goods or services in respect of the Website and/or National Lottery App.

**Co-Promoter** means a body or organisation established in a territory outside the Territory which is licensed, authorised or otherwise permitted by the relevant authority to operate and promote a lottery forming part of the EuroMillions Game in a territory outside the Territory but within the European Economic Area.

**Daily Million Game** has the meaning given to it in the Daily Million Game Rules.

**Daily Million Plus Game** has the meaning given to it in the Daily Million Plus Game Rules.

**Draw** means the process which is used to randomly select a set of Winning Numbers and a Bonus Number, where applicable, for a given Draw-Based Game and the process which is used to randomly select a set of Winning EuroMillions Raffle Numbers, a set of Winning Ireland Only Raffle Numbers, the Winning Lotto Plus Raffle Entry Number and a set of Winning Christmas Millionaire Raffle Numbers.

**Draw-Based Game** means a National Lottery Game, the results of which are determined by a Draw and in which a Player's Selection(s) is/are recorded on the Central Gaming System.

**Draw-Based Game Played Interactively** means a Draw-Based Game which can be played by Players via the Interactive Channels.

**EuroDreams Game** has the meaning given to it in the EuroDreams Game Rules.

**EuroMillions Game** means a game in which the Company and each Co-Promoter are authorised by the relevant authorities in the territory or territories in which it operates to operate and promote independent lotteries under the name or style of "EuroMillions" or its translated equivalent, such lotteries together having a shared prize fund, a common Draw and a common game mechanic. Such lotteries are collectively known as the "EuroMillions Game" and include the EuroMillions Raffle.

**Favourite Play** means a facility whereby a Player may save his favourite numbers for playing Draw-Based Games Played Interactively by following the online instructions on the "Add Favourites" page of the Website and/or National Lottery App.

**Game or Games** means one of the Company's game(s) which is/are accessible through the Website and/or National Lottery App and which may only be played in accordance with the applicable Game Rules.

**Game Details Screen** means the screen on the Website and/or National Lottery App setting out information relating to a Game.

**Game Play Window** means the screen on the Website or National Lottery App via which a Player plays a Game.

**Games Related Information** means a Player's transaction history, Game history and any information the Company requires a Player to submit to it via Interactive Channels before providing that Player with access to the Interactive Games which may include, without limitation, the Player's name, user name, Password, Payment Card details, security information, address details, Identification Information, email address, date of birth and gender.

**Game Rules** means any rules or conditions issued by the Company in relation to a specific Game which are additional to the Game Rules for Draw-Based Games Played Interactively and the Interactive Terms and Conditions and are hereby incorporated by reference.

**High Tier Prize** means a Prize exceeding €9,999, paid by cheque, stamped "Account Payee Only", and which must be redeemed at National Lottery headquarters upon receipt of a completed Prize Claim Form and proof of identity and age (i.e. copy of valid passport or driving licence).

**Interactive Channels** means communications over the internet that use any device from which the internet is able to be accessed and includes the Website and/or the National Lottery App.

**Interactive Playslip** means the interactive playslip displayed on the Game Play Window for use by a Player in making a Selection for a Draw-Based Game played through the Interactive Channels.

**Interactive Terms and Conditions** means the terms and conditions which regulate the manner in which a Player plays Interactive Games and may open, maintain, interrogate and close an Account.

**Ireland** means Ireland excluding Northern Ireland.

**Ireland Only Raffle** means a game available to play in Ireland only and which must be played in conjunction with EuroMillions.

**Lotto 5-4-3-2-1** has the meaning given to it in the Lotto 5-4-3-2-1 Game Rules.

**Lotto Game** has the meaning given to it in the Lotto 6/47 Game Rules.

**Lotto Plus Game, Lotto Plus One Game and Lotto Plus Two Game** have the meaning given to them in the Lotto Plus (Lotto 6/47) Rules.

**Low Tier Prize** means a Prize within the range of €1 - €99, which will be paid directly to a Player's Wallet.

**Lucky Star Numbers** means the two numbers randomly selected as part of a EuroMillions Draw from the numbers one to twelve inclusive.

**Main Numbers** means the five numbers randomly selected as part of a EuroMillions or Plus (EuroMillions) Draw from the numbers one to fifty inclusive.

**Matrix 1 Numbers** means the six numbers randomly selected as part of a EuroDreams Draw from the numbers one to forty inclusive.

**Matrix 2 Number** means the number randomly selected as part of a EuroDreams Draw from the numbers one (1) to five (5) inclusive.

**Mid-Tier (Level 1) Prize** means a Prize within the range of €100 to €500. Mid-Tier (Level 1) Prizes will be paid electronically to the card registered to Your Account or by cheque, stamped "Account Payee Only", and posted to the address specified in the Account.

**Mid-Tier (Level 2) Prize** means a Prize within the range of €501 - €9,999. Winners will be contacted by PLI to verify their age and identification details. Upon receipt of a completed Claim Form and proof of identity and age (i.e. copy of valid passport or driving licence) the Mid-Tier (Level 2) Prize will be paid by cheque, stamped "Account Payee Only", and posted to the address specified in the Account.

**National Lottery App** means the National Lottery software application which enables a Player to access the Website to play National Lottery Draw Based Games via supported mobile devices. A list of supported devices is available on [www.lottery.ie](http://www.lottery.ie).

**Payment Card** means a debit card issued by a financial institution located within, and compliant with, SEPA (please note that PLI reserves the right to amend this list of authorised countries at its sole discretion, without prior notice. Any such change is binding as soon as You access the Website).

**Payment Card Failure** means an attempt to draw payment for a Scheduled Play Entry is rejected by the payment provider.

**Payment Card Failure Notice** means an email notification and an Account Notification to a Player notifying them that there has been a Payment Card Failure for a Scheduled Play Entry.

**Payment Card Notice** means an email notification and an Account Notification sent to a Player that payment for a Scheduled Play has been drawn from their Payment Card.

**Play** means in relation to any Draw Based Game, any interaction by a Player, who is physically located in Ireland, with their Account which results in a wager, entry or selection for a Draw which may yield a Prize and which conforms with the "Method of Play" described in the relevant Game Rules.

**Play Number** means the number accessible on the relevant page of the Interactive Channels which is unique to and which identifies a particular Play and which is recorded on the Central Gaming System.

**Player or You or Yours** means a person who plays Games via the Interactive Channels and, for the avoidance of doubt, has satisfied the various Player criteria as set out in the Interactive Terms and Conditions.

**Plus Game or Plus** means a Plus (EuroMillions) game in which a Player selects 'Yes' or 'No' on the Plus section of the Game Play Window or opts for a Quick Pick random selection for a predetermined Draw date(s). Plus may only be played in conjunction with a EuroMillions game and the number of lines chosen by the Player in the EuroMillions game will determine the number of Plays in Plus.

**Prize** means a prize won by a Player from a Play in a Game and which has been validated on the Central Gaming System and is in accordance with these Rules and the Interactive Terms and Conditions.

**Quick Pick** means a Play(s) which, instead of being selected by a Player, is/are selected on a random basis by the Central Gaming System.

**Regulator** has the meaning provided under the Act.

**Retail Sales Agent** means a person authorised to sell National Lottery Tickets at specified location(s) under section 42 of the Act.

**Scheduled Play** is the instruction by a Player to PLI to Play continuously in a Lotto Game (with or without Lotto Plus Game) for specified Draws and durations or a EuroMillions Game (with or without Plus) for specified Draws and durations by using the funds in their Wallet or, if insufficient funds are available in their Wallet, using their Payment Card.

**Scheduled Play Confirmation** means the screen showing Your Selections and Games and the date of the first Draw which You will be entered into.

**Scheduled Play Entry** means an individual entry into a Game showing Selections and Draws entered which have been paid for by Scheduled Play.

**Select Five Section** means that section of a EuroMillions Play or Plus (EuroMillions) Play which contains the numbers one to fifty inclusive only.

**Select Two Section** means that section of a EuroMillions Play which contains the numbers one to twelve inclusive only.

**Selection or Selections** mean(s) the set of numbers chosen by a Player (whether chosen by himself or via Quick Pick) for the purpose of making a Play or Plays.

**Spend Limit Failure** means You have reached the Play limits set in Your Account (or will exceed those amounts as a result of a Scheduled Play Entry) and the attempt to draw payment for a Scheduled Play Entry has been rejected.

**Spend Limit Notification** means an email notification and an Account Notification sent to a Player explaining that a Spend Limit Failure has occurred.

**Spend Limit Wager Failure Notification** means an email notification and an Account Notification sent to a Player explaining that a Spend Limit Failure has occurred and that there has been no Scheduled Play Entry for the next specified Draw.

**Territory** means Ireland.

**Valid Winning Play** means a winning Play which meets all the Play validation requirements as set out in the Interactive Terms and Conditions.

**Wager Failure Notice** means an email notification and an Account Notification sent to a Player notifying them that they have not been entered into a Draw

**Wallet** means an on-line account created by a Player and credited with funds from a registered payment card in order to play Games, which may hold Prize money and is accessible via the Website.

**Website** means the National Lottery Website, which is accessible through URL [www.lottery.ie](http://www.lottery.ie) or via the National Lottery App.

**Winning Christmas Millionaire Raffle Number(s)** means the numeric combination(s) randomly selected at a Christmas Millionaire Raffle Draw which are used to determine the winning tickets in that Christmas Millionaire Raffle Game.

**Winning EuroMillions Raffle Number(s)** means the alpha-numeric combination(s) randomly selected at each EuroMillions Raffle Draw which are used to determine the winning Play(s) in each EuroMillions Raffle.

**Winning Ireland Only Raffle Number(s)** means the alpha-numeric combination(s) randomly selected at each Ireland Only Raffle Draw which are used to determine the winning Play(s) in the Ireland Only Raffle.

**Winning Lotto Plus Raffle Entry Number** means the four-digit number randomly selected at each Draw which is used to determine the winning Play in the Lotto Plus Raffle Draw.

**Winning Numbers** means the six numbers and Bonus Number between one and forty-seven (inclusive) randomly selected at each Draw and which are used to determine the winning Plays in the Lotto and Lotto Plus Games or the Main Numbers and the Lucky Stars Numbers selected at each Draw which are used to determine the winning Plays in the EuroMillions Game, or the five numbers selected at each Draw which are used to determine the winning Plays in the Plus (EuroMillions) Game or the six numbers and Bonus Number between one and thirty nine (inclusive) randomly selected at each Draw and which are used to determine the winning Plays in a Daily Million game or a Daily Million Plus game or the Matrix 1 Numbers and the Matrix 2 Number selected at each Draw which are used to determine the winning Plays in the EuroDreams Game.

### 3. PLAYER'S OBJECTIVE

The objective of a Player in a Draw-Based Game Played Interactively is to correctly select a set of Winning Numbers, or correctly match a Quick Pick selection for the Draw-Based Game entered, or correctly match the Winning EuroMillions Raffle Number(s), or correctly match the Winning Ireland Only Raffle Number(s) or correctly match the Winning Lotto Plus Raffle Entry Number or correctly match the Winning Christmas Millionaire Raffle Number(s).

### 4. COST OF PLAY

- (a) Each Play shall be sold by the Company via the Interactive Channels for the price stated in the applicable Draw-Based Game Rules and/or on the Game Details Screen.
- (b) Interactive Playslips shall have no monetary or Prize value nor will they constitute evidence of a Play or of a Selection. A Valid Winning Play shall be the only valid basis for claiming a Prize.

### 5. METHOD OF PLAY

- (a) The Interactive Channels must be available for Play.
- (b) When the Player has logged into the Interactive Channels a choice of Games, including Draw-Based Games Played Interactively, will appear. The Player then chooses the required Draw-Based Game Played Interactively by clicking on the relevant link.



- (c) When the Player attempts to purchase a Play via the Interactive Channels, the Central Gaming System checks to ensure that the Player has sufficient credit in his Wallet to purchase that Play.
- (d) The Player can choose the option to play by 'Scheduled Play'. A Player will only be permitted one Scheduled Play Entry per Game and a Scheduled Play Entry will consist of one ticket. In the event there is insufficient credit in the Player's Wallet to purchase a Scheduled Play Entry, We will withdraw funds from the Player's Payment Card.
- (e) A Player may Play for a single Draw, by Scheduled Play and /or Advance Play for Draw-Based Games Played Interactively.

## **6. GAME ENTRY MECHANISM**

### **Making a Selection for Draw-Based Games Played Interactively via the Website and/or the National Lottery App**

- (a) The Player enters his User ID and Password (created during the Player's original on-line registration process). When the Player has logged into the Interactive Channels a choice of Games, including Draw-Based Games Played Interactively, will appear. The Player then chooses the required Draw-Based Game Played Interactively by clicking on the relevant link.
- (b) Each Play shall be completed in accordance with the instructions set out on the Website and/or National Lottery App.
- (c) The Player may make his Selection manually by completing the Interactive Playslip, by Quick Pick or Favourite Play in accordance with the instructions on the Play assembly page.
- (d) Prior to the completion of the purchase, the Player must review and may edit his Selection, however once the Player has confirmed his Selection via the Website and/or National Lottery App and accepted the details on the Play confirmation page on the Website and/or National Lottery App, his Selection will be entered in the relevant Draw and the Player will not be able to cancel the relevant Play.
- (e) The total cost of purchasing the Play via the Website and/or National Lottery App will be displayed to the Player throughout the purchase process.
- (f) Each successfully completed Play via the Website and/or National Lottery App will be allocated a unique Play Number by the Central Gaming System.
- (g) Only the Plays recorded by the Central Gaming System will participate in the Draw.
- (h) It shall be the sole responsibility of the Player to verify that the details recorded on the Play confirmation page correspond with those selected by the Player (including any numbers selected) and that the date(s) of Draw(s) displayed are as required.
- (i) The details per draw relating to any Scheduled Play will be confirmed when first setting up a Scheduled Play Service for a Lotto and/or EuroMillions Scheduled Play. A Player

may amend or cancel a Scheduled Play by following the online instructions in their Account through the Website or National Lottery App.

- (j) The National Lottery and its Contractors shall not be liable in any circumstances for any errors or omissions with regard to the information recorded in respect of any Play made via the Website and/or National Lottery App (whether details of Plays, Selections, Lotto Game, number of Draws, Scheduled Play(s) or otherwise).

## 7. SCHEDULED PLAY

### General

- (a) Lotto Games, Lotto Plus Games, EuroMillions Games and Plus Games can be played by Scheduled Play. You must be 18 or over, be ID verified and resident in Ireland in order to play by Scheduled Play and/or when making any changes to Your Scheduled Play. You will only be permitted one Scheduled Play Entry per Game and a Scheduled Play Entry will consist of one ticket.
- (b) In the case of Lotto and Lotto Plus Games You may opt for a Scheduled Play for a Wednesday Lotto/Lotto Plus Draw only or a Saturday Lotto/Lotto Plus Draw only or you may opt for a Scheduled Play for both a Wednesday and Saturday Lotto/Lotto Plus Draw subject to the specific Game Rules. In the case of EuroMillions and EuroMillions Plus Games You may opt for a Scheduled Play for a Tuesday EuroMillions/EuroMillions Plus Draw only or a Friday EuroMillions/EuroMillions Plus Draw only or you may opt for a Scheduled Play for both a Tuesday and a Friday EuroMillions/EuroMillions Plus Draw subject to the specific Game Rules.
- (c) A new Scheduled Play will commence for the next specified Draw to occur after the Draw that is open for the relevant Game at the point of applying for a Scheduled Play, the date of this Draw will be stated on Your Scheduled Play Confirmation. A Scheduled Play will be entered into every specified Draw for the Game and duration selected. A Scheduled Play may be selected to run for the following durations:
- (i) 26 draws (with two Draws specified for a Lotto or EuroMillions Game per week)/ three months
  - (ii) 13 draws (with one Draw specified for a Lotto or EuroMillions Game per week)/ three months
  - (iii) 52 draws (with two Draws specified for a Lotto or EuroMillions Game per week)/ six months
  - (iv) 26 draws (with one Draw specified for a Lotto or EuroMillions Game per week)/ six months
  - (v) 104 draws (with two Draws specified for a Lotto or EuroMillions Game per week)/ 12 months
  - (vi) 52 draws (with one Draw specified for a Lotto or EuroMillions Game per week)/ 12 months
- (d) You should check all of the details of Your Scheduled Play are correct before confirming You wish to proceed with the Scheduled Play. You are solely responsible for checking that Your Scheduled Play shows the correct Selections, Games and specified Draw(s) and that Your Payment Card details are accurate.

- (e) We will make two attempts in advance of each specified Draw to take payment for each Scheduled Play Entry. Each attempt will include firstly seeking payment from Your Wallet and if insufficient funds are available, from Your Payment Card.
- (f) If there are insufficient funds in your Wallet to pay for the full cost of the Scheduled Play Entry, We will withdraw funds from your Payment Card and you will be sent A Payment Card Notice. You authorise the Company to withdraw funds from Your Payment Card to pay for the full cost of a Scheduled Play Entry in the event there are insufficient funds in Your Wallet. This process will happen before each specified Draw.
- (g) Withdrawal of funds for each Scheduled Play Entry shall be subject to Your Account and Play limits as set out in Clause 3(B) of the Interactive Terms and Conditions.

#### Wager Failure

- (h) Spend Limit Failure

If there is a Spend Limit Failure, You will receive:

- (i) a Spend Limit Notification if the Spend Limit Failure arises on the first attempt to withdraw funds from Your Wallet to pay for the relevant Scheduled Play Entry for that specified Draw; and/or
- (ii) a Spend Limit Wager Failure Notification if the Spend Limit Failure arises on the second attempt to withdraw funds from Your Wallet to pay for the relevant Scheduled Play Entry for that specified Draw, and Your Scheduled Play Entry will not be entered into that specified Draw.

- (i) Payment Card Failure

If there is a Payment Card Failure, You will receive:

- (i) a Payment Card Failure Notice if the issue arises on the first attempt to withdraw funds from Your Wallet to pay for the relevant Scheduled Play Entry for that specified Draw; and/or
- (ii) a Wager Failure Notice issue arises on the second attempt to withdraw funds from Your Wallet to pay for the relevant Scheduled Play Entry for that specified Draw, and Your Scheduled Play Entry will not be entered into that specified Draw.

If a Wager Failure Notice is issued for two successive specified Draws Your Scheduled Play will be cancelled for that Game.

- (j) Void Scheduled Play

A Scheduled Play will be void and You will not be entitled to any Prize for that Scheduled Play Entry if:

- (i) We haven't received the payment for that Scheduled Play; and/or
- (ii) You no longer meet any of the criteria set out in Clauses 2(A)(1) of the Interactive Terms and Conditions and 7(a) to 7(f) of these Rules or You are within one or more of the categories described in Clause 5 (C) of the Interactive Terms and Conditions.

- (k) Changes to or Cancellation of Your Scheduled Play

You can update or cancel Your Scheduled Play at any time. You should note that any updates or cancellations shall take effect for the next Draw to occur after the Draw that is open for the relevant Game at the point of cancelling or updating a Scheduled Play, If You cancel the Scheduled Play Entry for a Game, Your Scheduled Play Entry will be

deleted automatically. You cannot set up another Scheduled Play for a Game whilst the current one is still active; however You may set up a Scheduled Play for a different Game.

- (l) If You suspend Your Account in accordance with Clause 3(B) of the Interactive Terms and Conditions, Your Scheduled Play will be cancelled. You should note that although any suspension will take effect immediately, Your Scheduled Play Entry cancellation will only take effect for the next Draw to occur after the Draw that is open for the relevant Game at the point of suspension. When the suspension period is over and if You wish to play by Scheduled Play, You will have to submit a new application to play by Scheduled Play.
- (m) We can cancel Your Scheduled Play if You are found to be in breach of these Game Rules and/or the Interactive Terms and Conditions.
- (n) We reserve the right to cancel or change all or part of the Game(s) You have a Scheduled Play for. This includes, for example, (and subject to Regulatory approval where required), changing the price of the Game(s), the Prize structure and/or the Game play mechanic, changing a Draw, and/or changing the Interactive Terms and Conditions (and any Game Specific Rules) relating to that Game(s). We also reserve the right to cancel Your Scheduled Play Entry to the extent necessary or appropriate to reflect any such cancellation or change. We will notify You in advance of any such cancellation or change and You will be given an opportunity to cancel or update Your Scheduled Play.
- (o) **Liability**  
We will not be responsible for any mistakes or omissions in respect of data recorded relating to any Scheduled Play or for failure to be able to take funds from a Payment Card. We will also not be liable for any loss of whatever nature suffered or incurred by any person as a result of any such mistakes or omissions affecting a Scheduled Play Entry. Charges may be applied by financial institutions in respect of each Scheduled Play using Your Payment Card. Any such Charges are your responsibility.
- (p) Only the numbers registered in the Central Gaming System will be entered into the Draws on the Draw dates registered in the Central Computer System. If there is any conflict or inconsistency between the information contained in the Scheduled Play and the information contained in the Central Gaming System, the information registered in the Central Gaming System will take priority.
- (q) Our liability for any loss of whatever nature suffered or incurred by You as a result of any conflict or inconsistency (whether it was caused by an act or omission of the Company, Company employees, retailers, Co-Promoters or other third parties and, whether in negligence or otherwise) is limited to the amount You paid for the Scheduled Play Entry for which You suffered loss.

## 8. RESULTS

The results of each Draw will be displayed on [www.lottery.ie](http://www.lottery.ie), on the National Lottery App and will be issued to the national media and may also be published in such other manner as the Company may from time to time determine.

- 9. PAYMENT OF PRIZES (for Draw-Based Games Played Interactively via the Website and/or the National Lottery App)**
- (a) Prizes for Draw-Based Games Played Interactively may be available for payment on the day following the Draw. Prize winners in all prize categories will be notified by email.
  - (b) For Prizes won in the Lotto Match 2 + Bonus Number prize category, Players will receive a cash equivalent prize of €3.00 paid directly into his/her Wallet.
  - (c) For Prizes won in the Lotto Plus One Game Match 2 + Bonus Number and Lotto Plus Two Game Match 2 + Bonus Number prize categories, Players will receive a cash equivalent prize of €2.00 paid directly into his/her Wallet.
  - (d) Each Player's eligibility to win a Prize is subject to the Play validation requirements as set out in the Interactive Terms and Conditions.
  - (e) Low Tier Prizes will be paid by credit directly into a Player's Wallet.
  - (f) Mid-Tier (Level 1) Prizes will be paid electronically to the card registered to Your Account or by cheque, stamped "Account Payee Only", which will be posted to the address specified in the Account. Mid-Tier (Level 2) Prizes will be paid by cheque, stamped "Account Payee Only", which will be posted to the address specified in the Account, subject to completion of a Prize Claim Form and verification of identity and proof of age (i.e. copy of valid passport or driving licence).
  - (g) High Tier Prizes will be paid when a Player attends in person at the Company headquarters and such Prizes will only be paid subject to completion of a satisfactory validation process, including but not limited to verification of a Player's identity and age. When a High Tier Prize claim is made the High Tier Prize will be paid by cheque, stamped "Account Payee Only". High Tier Prizes must be claimed within 90 days of the relevant Draw.
  - (h) Winners of High Tier Prizes who are unable to attend the Company's headquarters for a stipulated reason may alternatively, and following confirmation from the Company's claims team, post a claim form and all required documentation to the Company's headquarters at the winner's sole risk. Alternatively, and notwithstanding any other provision in these rules, a member of the Company's claims team may visit the winner to take receipt of all relevant documentation. If valid, claims will be paid by cheque. This will be reviewed by the Company's claims team on a case-by-case basis. The remote prize claims process will be provided to winners at the Company's discretion.
  - (i) The Company will reserve the right to request verification of identity and proof of age documentation at any time from any Player and will close an account and return any unutilised funds in the account in the event that a Player, subsequent to registration, is identified as underage.
  - (j) If a High Tier Prize remains unclaimed after 60 days We will use reasonable endeavours to contact You (including by phone, by email and by post to the contact points provided by You when You registered as a Player), however if for any reason We are unable to contact You, the Prize not claimed within the 90 day period in the manner specified in these Game Rules for Draw-Based Games Played Interactively shall, at the discretion of the Company, be forfeited and the unclaimed prize money shall be allocated to a special reserve fund to be utilised by the Company in accordance with the National Lottery Licence.
  - (k) In the case of Advance Plays for Draw-Based Games Played Interactively, the time limit will expire 90 days after the applicable Draw date for which the Play is eligible.
  - (l) The Company reserves the right to alter the method of payment of any Prize within this Game, subject to the approval of the Regulator.
  - (m) The determination of prizes for Draw-Based Games Played Interactively will be as set out in the Draw-Based Game Rules. However, cash equivalents may be awarded for commodity-type or Free Ticket prizes.

**10. LIMITATIONS OF LIABILITY**

- (a) The Company will not be liable to pay any interest in respect of any amounts payable pursuant to clause 11.(b) and 11.(d) below or any other amounts howsoever referred.
- (b) Nothing in these Rules for Draw-Based Games Played Interactively excludes or limits (a) any person's liability for (i) fraud; or (ii) death or personal injury caused by breach of any duty that person may have to take reasonable care or exercise reasonable skill; or (b) any other liability which cannot lawfully be excluded or limited, including a Player's statutory rights.
- (c) The Company will not be liable to any person for:
  - (i) events beyond their reasonable control and expectations (for example war, strike, lockout, industrial action, fire, flood or drought);
  - (ii) the failure or destruction of, or damage to, all or any part of the computer systems or records of the Company or any third party (including, without limitation, the Central Gaming System) insofar as they fall outside the Company's reasonable control;
  - (iii) delays, losses, mistakes or omissions in or made by the postal or other delivery service or by the banking system;
  - (iv) subject to 11.(a) below, any other action or event outside of the Company's control which prevents or hinders the issue of a valid Play;
  - (v) the refusal to permit any person to play a Game in line with these Rules for Draw-Based Games Played Interactively or to allow any person to Play a Game.
- (d) In no event shall the Company be liable for any indirect, incidental, special or consequential damages, including loss of profits, loss of revenue, loss of business reputation, loss of goodwill, loss of availability or use, arising out of or in connection with any Draw-Based Game Played Interactively.
- (e) You acknowledge and agree that You do not rely on, and shall have no remedy in respect of, any statement, representation or warranty (in each case whether negligently or innocently made) made by any person whether or not that person is a party to these Rules for Draw-Based Games Played Interactively. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Company shall ensure that all factual statements for the National Lottery or National Lottery Games or in any material designed to encourage the purchase of Tickets in a National Lottery Game are true and capable of independent verification.

**11. DISPUTE RESOLUTION**

- (a) The Company's decisions and judgement in respect of all matters including the determination of a winning Play or of any other dispute arising from the payment or awarding of Prizes shall be final and binding upon all participants unless otherwise provided by law and these Rules for Draw-Based Games Played Interactively.
- (b) Notwithstanding any other clause to the contrary, in the event that a dispute arises relative to a winning Play, a Claim Form, the payment, or the awarding of any Prize, the Company may withhold payment of the Prize until a decision has been reached.
- (c) Unless otherwise prevented by law, the Company's decisions shall be final and binding in the event of any controversy or confusion in the interpretation and application of these Rules for Draw-Based Games Played Interactively, the Interactive Terms and Conditions and the applicable Draw-Based Game Rules or of any other procedure employed by the Company including whether or not a Play is a Valid Winning Play.
- (d) The sole remedy for the Player (except as otherwise may be provided by law or these Game Rules for Draw-Based Games Played Interactively), in the event that a dispute

between the Company and the Player arises as to whether a Play is a Winning Play, and if the Prize is not paid, shall be at the Company's option, to reimburse the cost of the disputed Play or to replace the disputed Play with a Play of equivalent price.