



## Hoosier Lotto with +PLUS Game Rules

### **1. Name**

The name of this draw game is "Hoosier Lotto with +PLUS".

### **2. Definitions**

(a) The definitions in Indiana Code 4-30, 65 IAC, and this section apply throughout these game rules.

(b) "Hoosier Lotto" is the name of the base game.

(c) "Hoosier Lotto selection event" means a drawing or other selection event conducted to determine the winning combination of characters in Hoosier Lotto. "PLUS selection event" means a drawing or other selection event conducted to determine the winning combination of characters in PLUS.

(d) "PLUS" is the name of the add-on game for Hoosier Lotto.

(e) "Winning Hoosier Lotto numbers" means the six (6) numbers determined in a Hoosier Lotto selection event and announced as winning numbers in accordance with section 8 of these game rules.

(f) "Winning PLUS numbers" means the six (6) numbers determined in a PLUS selection event and announced as winning numbers in accordance with section 8 of these game rules.

### **3. Ticket price**

(a) The price of a ticket for Hoosier Lotto shall be two dollars (\$2) for each play.

(b) The price to add PLUS to Hoosier Lotto shall be one dollar (\$1) for each play.

### **4. Procedure for playing**

(a) Hoosier Lotto

(1) A single play, applicable to a particular Hoosier Lotto selection event, shall include the selection of six (6) numbers ranging from one (1) to forty-six (46).

(2) A draw game ticket for Hoosier Lotto may represent one (1) or more plays.

(3) A valid ticket for a Hoosier Lotto selection event must originate from the Commission. A ticket may only be issued after the information and purchaser elections required by this rule are entered into a terminal.

(4) A ticket is the only valid proof of a play and the only valid receipt for claiming a prize in Hoosier Lotto. A play slip shall have no pecuniary or prize value and shall not constitute evidence of purchase of a ticket or a play.

(5) Unless otherwise indicated on the ticket, a ticket for Hoosier Lotto is effective for the next scheduled Hoosier Lotto selection event. Subject to the restrictions of 65 IAC 7-1-6, the Commission may offer multi-draw tickets for Hoosier Lotto that are effective for up to ten (10) consecutive selection events.

(6) Sales of tickets for Hoosier Lotto shall be suspended prior to the time of each Hoosier Lotto selection event at a time determined by the director.

(7) If a paper play slip is used to select a player's numbers for a Hoosier Lotto selection event, the play slip must have been issued by the Lottery and completed by hand. The play slip will be scanned by the terminal or keyed in by hand by the retailer.

(8) If a digital play slip is used from the Hoosier Lottery "myplayslip" app feature to select a player's numbers for a Hoosier Lotto selection event, the player must provide their device to be scanned on the terminal.

(9) The director may provide for the generation of entry tickets from terminals for certain purchases of tickets for Hoosier Lotto.

(10) A purchased Hoosier Lotto ticket shall not be cancellable.

(b) PLUS

(1) A PLUS play will only be valid if the purchaser elects to play PLUS and the terminal generated ticket says YES to affirmatively indicate that the PLUS play was elected. If the purchaser does not elect to play PLUS, the terminal generated ticket says NO to indicate that the PLUS play was not elected.

(2) PLUS will apply to all plays on the ticket in which PLUS was purchased.

(3) The selection of the multi-draw option for Hoosier Lotto and an election of the PLUS play will result in PLUS being applied to all plays for all selected draws.

(4) A ticket may win on both Hoosier Lotto and PLUS.

## 5. Funding of prizes

(a) Hoosier Lotto

(1) The prize fund for Hoosier Lotto is designed to be equal to fifty percent (50.0%) of total Hoosier Lotto sales receipts for the selection event. Final Payout is determined by selection event.

(a) Thirty five percent (35%) of sales to fund the jackpot.

(b) One point six four percent (1.64%) of sales to fund the match five (5) prize.

(c) Three point one nine percent (3.19%) of sales to fund the match four (4) prize.

(d) Five point three nine percent (5.39%) of sales to fund the match three (3) prize.

(e) One point seven five percent (1.75%) of sales to fund the match two (2) prize.

(f) Three point zero three percent (3.03%) will be directed to fund the jackpot reserve account until the reserve cap, established by the Lottery Commission, is fulfilled.

(b) PLUS

(1) The prize fund for PLUS is designed to be equal to fifty three point three nine percent (53.39%) of total PLUS sales receipts for the selection event. Final payout is determined by selection event.

(a) Ten point six eight percent (10.68%) of sales to fund the match six (6) prize.

(b) Three point nine three percent (3.93%) of sales to fund the match five (5) prize.

(c) Seven point nine eight percent (7.98%) of sales to fund the match four (4) prize.

- (d) Twenty one point fifty six percent (21.56%) of sales to fund the match three (3) prize.
- (e) Nine point two four percent (9.24%) of sales to fund the match two (2) prize.

**6. Determination of Hoosier Lotto estimated jackpot amount**

(a) The director or the director's designee shall announce the estimated annuity jackpot amount prior to each Hoosier Lotto selection event.

(b) The lump sum jackpot amount applicable to a particular Hoosier Lotto selection event shall include the lump sum jackpot amounts, if any, applicable to selection events preceding the particular selection event and following the last selection event in which players won the jackpot prize.

(c) The starting estimated annuity jackpot amount for a particular Hoosier Lotto selection event shall be one million dollars (\$1,000,000).

(d) Except as described in subdivision (e), the estimated annuity jackpot amount for each Hoosier Lotto selection event beginning with the third Hoosier Lotto selection event following the last Hoosier Lotto selection event in which a player won the jackpot prize, shall increase in alternating fashion as follows:

(1) if the Hoosier Lotto selection event falls on a Wednesday, the annuity jackpot shall increase by two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000); or

(2) if the Hoosier Lotto selection event falls on a Saturday, the annuity jackpot shall increase by three hundred thousand dollars (\$300,000).

(e) For any Hoosier Lotto selection event where the anticipated lump sum jackpot fund is sufficient for the director to purchase, through any means deemed preferable by the director, an annuity that is larger than what the estimated annuity jackpot amount would be under the alternating schedule referenced in subdivision (c), then the estimated annuity jackpot amount may be equal to the annuity that can be purchased by the director.

**7. Determination of winning numbers**

The Commission shall conduct Hoosier Lotto with +PLUS selection events twice each week in accordance with 65 IAC 7-1-8 at a time to be determined by the director. Each Hoosier Lotto with +PLUS selection event shall determine six (6) winning Hoosier Lotto numbers and six (6) winning PLUS numbers, each conducted separately.

**8. Determination of winners**

**A. Hoosier Lotto**

1. Each holder of a valid ticket for a Hoosier Lotto selection event on which six (6) numbers in a play applicable to that selection event match the six (6) winning Hoosier Lotto numbers is entitled to the jackpot amount or an equal share of the jackpot amount in the event multiple plays match the winning Hoosier Lotto numbers.
2. The set prize of five hundred dollars (\$500) shall be allocated to players who have matched five (5) of the six (6) winning Hoosier Lotto numbers.
3. The set prize of twenty dollars (\$20) shall be allocated to players who have matched four (4) of the six (6) winning Hoosier Lotto numbers.

4. The set prize of two dollars (\$2) shall be allocated to players who have matched three (3) of the six (6) winning Hoosier Lotto numbers.
5. The set prize of one (1) free quick pick for a future Hoosier Lotto drawing shall be allocated to players who have matched two (2) of the six (6) winning Hoosier Lotto numbers.

**B. PLUS**

1. The set prize of one million dollars (\$1,000,000) shall be allocated to players who have matched six (6) of the six (6) winning PLUS numbers. If the total payout for the match six (6) of forty-six (46) numbers drawn for any single PLUS drawing exceeds two million dollars (\$2,000,000), two million dollars (\$2,000,000) will be shared among those winning plays.
2. The set prize of six hundred dollars (\$600) shall be allocated to players who have matched five (5) of six (6) winning PLUS numbers.
3. The set prize of twenty-five dollars (\$25) shall be allocated to players who have matched four (4) of six (6) winning PLUS numbers.
4. The set prize of four dollars (\$4) shall be allocated to players who have matched three (3) of six (6) winning PLUS numbers.
5. The set prize of one (1) free quick pick for a future Hoosier Lotto with PLUS drawing shall be allocated to players who have matched two (2) of the six (6) winning PLUS numbers.

**C. Multiplier**

1. For both Hoosier Lotto and PLUS drawings, players who match five (5) of six (6), four (4) of six (6), and three (3) of six (6) winning numbers are entitled to multiply the associated prize amount by the multiplier assigned to the play containing the winning numbers, which can be one time (1X), two times (2X), three times (3X), five times (5X), or ten times (10X). Multipliers will be found on each play of each Hoosier Lotto ticket.

**9. Payment options; player election**

(a) Each holder of a valid winning jackpot ticket is required to select a payment option for distribution of the jackpot prize. The following payment options are available:

(1) A single lump sum payment of the jackpot amount or the player's share of the lump sum jackpot amount applicable to a particular Hoosier Lotto selection event shall be determined in accordance with Section 5 (a).

(2) Thirty (30) annual payments, which shall increase from the first payment at an average rate of four percent (4%) per year and be rounded to the nearest one thousandth dollar (\$1,000), until the total payments equal the annuity jackpot amount or the player's share of the annuity jackpot amount as estimated in Section 6 of these game rules.

(b) A jackpot prize claimant shall have sixty (60) days from the day the prize claimant becomes entitled to receive the jackpot amount or a share thereof to select a payment option. The election must be in writing and on a form authorized by the Commission. An election under this subsection cannot be revoked, withdrawn, or otherwise modified. The election of the prize claimant shall apply to all prize winners of that jackpot prize.

(c) If a prize claimant fails to select a payment option, the jackpot amount shall be paid out in a single lump sum payment.

(d) The Commission, director, agents, or employees of the Commission shall not be responsible for differences in the advertised or estimated jackpot amount or the amount paid to the player due to changes in the price of securities occurring between the drawing and payment dates.

(e) The director may, in the director's discretion and despite the player's selection, require a single lump sum payment if the winnings pool is insufficient to obtain securities for an annuity payment stream at a reasonable cost.

#### **10. Payment of prizes**

(a) Payments arising out of the jackpot amount shall be made in accordance with the player's selected payment option in accordance with section 9 of this rule.

(b) If a valid ticket for Hoosier Lotto contains more than one (1) play entitled to a prize, the prize amounts for the winning plays shall be added together for purposes of claiming the prizes and determining whether the total prize amounts may be claimed from a retailer.

(c) An annuity jackpot prize or any share thereof may be rounded to facilitate the purchase of an appropriate funding mechanism.

#### **11. Odds of winning**

##### **(a) Hoosier Lotto**

(1) The odds of a single play winning the jackpot prize in Hoosier Lotto are approximately 1 in 9,366,819.

(2) The odds of a single play winning a prize in Hoosier Lotto by matching five (5) of the winning Hoosier Lotto numbers are approximately 1 in 39,028.

(3) The odds of a single play winning a prize in Hoosier Lotto by matching four (4) of the winning Hoosier Lotto numbers are approximately 1 in 800.

(4) The odds of a single play winning a prize in Hoosier Lotto by matching three (3) of the winning Hoosier Lotto numbers are approximately 1 in 47.

(5) The odds of a single play winning a free Hoosier Lotto quick pick prize in Hoosier Lotto by matching two (2) of the winning Hoosier Lotto numbers are approximately 1 in 6.8.

(6) The overall odds of winning a prize in Hoosier Lotto are approximately 1 in 6.

##### **(b) PLUS**

(1) The odds of a single play winning the jackpot prize in PLUS are approximately 1 in 9,366,819.

(2) The odds of a single play winning a prize in PLUS by matching five (5) of the winning PLUS numbers are approximately 1 in 39,028.

(3) The odds of a single play winning a prize in PLUS by matching four (4) of the winning PLUS numbers are approximately 1 in 800.

(4) The odds of a single play winning a prize in PLUS by matching three (3) of the winning PLUS numbers are approximately 1 in 47.

(5) The odds of a single play winning a free PLUS quick pick prize in PLUS by matching two (2) of the winning PLUS numbers are approximately 1 in 6.8.

(6) The overall odds of winning a prize in PLUS are approximately 1 in 6.

(c) Combined odd of winning Hoosier Lotto with PLUS  
(1) The combined overall odds of winning a prize in Hoosier Lotto with PLUS ticket are approximately 1 in 3.24.

**12. Effectiveness**

These game rules are effective as of April 24, \_\_\_\_\_, 2016

**Approved and amended:**

By: Carrie B. Stroud Date: 4/19/2016  
Carrie B. Stroud  
Chief of Staff, State Lottery Commission of Indiana



## ADDENDUM TO

### Hoosier Lotto with +PLUS Game Rules

The purpose of this Addendum is to modify, delete, and amend certain terms and conditions set forth in the Hoosier Lotto with +PLUS Game Rules effective April 24, 2016. This Addendum and the Hoosier Lotto with +PLUS Game Rules are incorporated into each other and, when read together, shall constitute one integrated document ("Rules"). This Addendum replaces and supersedes the previous Addendum dated April 10, 2020. Any inconsistency, conflict, or ambiguity between this Addendum and the Hoosier Lotto with +PLUS Game Rules shall be resolved by giving precedence and effect to this Addendum.

1. Effective Date: This Addendum is effective on October 2, 2020
2. The following is deleted from the Hoosier Lotto with +PLUS Game Rules:
  - a. Subdivision 6(d)(1) and 6(d)(2)
3. The following terms and conditions are incorporated into and made part of the Hoosier Lotto with +PLUS Game Rules:
  - a. Subsection 6(d) shall be modified to read: "Except as described in subsection (e), the estimated annuity jackpot amount for each Hoosier Lotto selection event beginning with the third Hoosier Lotto selection event following the last Hoosier Lotto selection event in which a player won the jackpot prize, shall increase by two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000)."

**Approved and amended: State Lottery Commission of Indiana**

By: 

**Carrie B. Stroud**  
Chief of Staff, State Lottery Commission of Indiana

Date: 10/2/2020