

L.N. 18 of 1982

GOVERNMENT LOTTERIES ACT, 1981
(ACT NO. XXIV OF 1981)

Government Lotteries (Amendment) Regulations, 1982

IN exercise of the powers conferred by section 4 of the Government Lotteries Act, 1981, the Minister of Finance has made the following regulations:—

1. These regulations may be cited as the Lotteries (Amendment) Regulations, 1982, and shall be read and construed as one with the Government Lotteries Regulations, 1981, hereinafter referred to as “the principal regulations”.

Citation.

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1981

2. For regulation 6 of the principal regulations there shall be substituted the following:

Substitutes
regulation 6
of the
principal
regulations.“Price of
tickets.

6. (1) Tickets shall be purchased from the Director in sheets of four and shall be paid for on purchase.

(2) The price of a Weekly Lottery ticket shall be twenty-five cents (25c). Sellers shall however, pay to the Director twenty-two cents (22c) for each Weekly Lottery ticket. Any amount so paid shall not be refunded under any circumstances.

(3) The price of a Grand Lottery ticket shall be one pound (£1). Sellers and agents shall however pay to the Director ninety cents (90c) for each Grand Lottery ticket. The Director shall issue a refund by means of a credit note for each whole sheet of four Grand Lottery tickets returned to him by the seller and/or agent not later than 7.00 p.m. of the third day prior to the day of the draw of the Grand Lottery.

(4) The price of a ticket which is to be sold outside Malta shall be expressed in foreign currency by the Director who shall also take into account in such price an amount to cover mailing expenses, bank charges and other incidental expenses.”.

3. For regulation 8 of the principal regulations there shall be substituted the following:

Substitutes
regulation 8
of the
principal
regulations.“Bonus to
seller of
winning
tickets.

8. There shall be paid to the seller or agent —

(a) of the ticket winning the first prize in the Grand Lottery ... a bonus of two hundred pounds;

(b) of the ticket winning the second prize in the Grand Lottery ... a bonus of seventy-five pounds;

(c) of the ticket winning the third prize in the Grand Lottery ... a bonus of fifty pounds;

(d) of the tickets winning the fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh, eighth, ninth and tenth prize in the Grand Lottery ... a bonus of twenty pounds each;

(e) of the ticket winning the first prize in the Weekly Lottery ... a bonus of fifty pounds.”.

Amends
Schedule to the
principal
regulations.

4. For paragraph A of the Schedule of Prizes to the principal regulations there shall be substituted the following:

“A. GRAND LOTTERY

First Prize: £50,000 (Fifty thousand pounds);

Second Prize: £5,000 (Five thousand pounds);

Third Prize: £2,000 (Two thousand pounds);

Three Prizes of £1,000 (One thousand pounds) each;

Four Prizes of £500 (Five hundred pounds) each;

Thirty-three consolation prizes of £100 (One hundred pounds) each to be awarded to the holders of tickets bearing the same numbers, but with a different letter of the tickets winning the first, second and third prize respectively.”.