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# Texas Lottery Commission August 6, 2020 10:00 a.m.

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Roll Call for Commissioners.

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William Smith, III, President, Bingo Advisory Committee

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Ryan Mindell, Lottery Operations Director

Kyle Wolfe, Assistant General Counsel Game Rule), §401.317 ("Powerball®" Draw Game Rule), §401.320 ("All or Nothing" Draw Game Rule), §401.321 (Instant Game Tickets Containing Non-English Words), §401.322 ("Texas Triple Chance" Draw Game Rule), §401.351 (Proceeds from Ticket Sales), §401.353 (Retailer Settlements, Financial Obligations, and Commissions), §401.355 (Restricted Sales), §401.363 (Retailer Record) §401.366 (Compliance with All Applicable Laws), and §401.368 (Lottery Ticket Vending Machines).

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XVII. Adjournment.

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