

**(5) Investments and Prizes Payable in Installments**

For an investment, custodial credit risk is the risk that, in the event of the failure of the counterparty, the Department will not be able to recover the value of its investments that are in the possession of an outside party. Investments are held by the custodial bank's trust department in the name of the State Treasurer.

Interest rate risk is the risk that an investment's fair value decreases as market interest rates increase. Typically, this risk is higher in debt securities with longer maturities. The Department purchases investments with maturities scheduled to coincide with cash requirements. Interest rate risk is managed according to the purpose of the investments and the projected time frame for the use of these assets.

The risk that the Department will actually realize, material losses from its investments in government securities resulting from changes in market interest rates is mitigated by the low probability that these securities will have to be sold prior to maturity.

The fair value of the securities is reflected in the accompanying financial statements of the Deferred Prize Winners Trust Fund as assets and the corresponding present value is reflected as annuity prizes payable. The original cost of the securities plus accrued interest is \$12,570,960 more than fair value as of August 31, 2025. These securities were purchased at discount rates ranging from 0.456% to 47.656% and mature in annual installments up to a 30 year period.

Investments in prize securities are in the form of United States Treasury zero-coupon bonds. Investments are held by a custody bank in the name of the Department. Credit ratings are not required for U.S. Government and agency securities that are explicitly guaranteed by the U.S. government. The fair value and investment maturities of the investments at August 31, 2025 are as follows:

<u>Investment Maturities</u> <u>(In Years)</u>		<u>Fair Value</u> <u>Amount</u>
Less than 1 year	\$	24,733,817
1 to 5 years		80,020,325
6 to 10 years		68,343,660
More than 10 years		30,211,759
Total	\$	<u>203,309,561</u>

The Department has an unconditional obligation to pay all grand prizewinners the future value of the prize. The fair value of the future prize payments, which is reported in the Deferred Prize Winners Trust Fund, follows:

	Current	Long-Term	Total
<u>For the Fiscal Year:</u>			
2026	\$ 25,842,000	\$ -	\$ 25,842,000
2027		23,628,000	23,628,000
2028		22,380,000	22,380,000
2029		21,088,000	21,088,000
2030		22,176,000	22,176,000
2031-2035		93,682,000	93,682,000
2036-2040		40,689,000	40,689,000
2041-2045		8,833,000	8,833,000
2046-2050		3,847,000	3,847,000
2051-2055		1,352,000	1,352,000
Total Future Prize Payments	25,842,000	237,675,000	263,517,000
Less Present Value Adjustments	1,836,091	45,800,387	47,636,478
Present Value of Future Prize Payments	24,005,909	191,874,613	215,880,522
Add (Less) Adjustment to Reflect Fair Value	727,908	(13,298,869)	(12,570,961)
Fair Value of Future Prize Payments as of August 31, 2025	<u>\$ 24,733,817</u>	<u>\$ 178,575,744</u>	<u>\$ 203,309,561</u>

## LOTTERY INVESTMENTS

Certain Lottery prizes awarded are payable to the winners in annual installments ranging from 19 years to life of the prize winners, with the first payment being made at the time of the drawing. Effective July 30, 1985, the law provides that the State Treasurer may, with consent of the Director; contract to invest in securities which provide payments corresponding to the Department's obligations to these winners.

Money may be invested only in bonds, notes, certificates of indebtedness, treasury bills, or other securities constituting direct obligations of the United States of America and all securities or obligations the prompt payment of principal and interest of which is guaranteed by a pledge of the full faith and credit of the United States of America.

<b>August 31, 2025</b>	<b>Fair Value</b>
PNC	<u>\$ 203,309,561</u>
Total	\$ 203,309,561

### **Interest Rate Percentages:**

Minimum interest rate	0.456%
Maximum interest rate	47.656%

### **Investment Income and Average Yield**

Investment Income	\$ 727,793
Average Yield Rate	3.983%

Monthly investment income and the average yield rate is an "effective" income amount and yield rate. There is no cash realization of interest income by the Lottery Department. The yield rate is computed by dividing the effective investment income for the month by the average present value of the investments for the month.

### **Broker-Dealers:**

Multi-Bank Securities, Inc.  
Alamo Capital  
Cabrera Capital  
Penserra Securities, LLC  
Loop Capital Markets, LLC  
Mischler Financial Group, Inc.  
MFR Securities, Inc.  
Wells Fargo Securities, LLC  
ASL Capital Markets, Inc.  
Academy Securities, Inc.  
StoneX Group Inc.  
Mesirow Financial Holdings, Inc.  
Fifth Third Securities, Inc.

### **Security Holders:**

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