

## **OLC Operating Procedure 1028**

**Effective November 25, 2024**

- (A) Title and term. Ohio lottery commission operating procedure, OLC Operating Procedure number one thousand twenty-eight, "\$300 Million Diamond Dazzler" shall be conducted at such times and for such periods as the commission may determine. For the purposes of this rule, "sales cycle" shall mean any such period, including reprints, beginning on the date when ticket sales are commenced and continuing through the date established by the director as the date on which sales agents are to make their final settlement with respect to tickets allocated to them during the period in OLC Operating Procedure number one thousand twenty-eight.
- (B) General design.
- (1) OLC Operating Procedure number one thousand twenty-eight is a reveal symbol key number match game and is generally known as an "instant lottery."
  - (2) Holders of valid tickets will remove the covering off the entire play area to reveal six "Dazzling Numbers," and twenty-five "Your Numbers." If any one or more of "Your Numbers" match any of the "Dazzling Numbers," the player wins the prize shown below the corresponding "Your Numbers." If the player reveals a "Diamond" symbol, the player wins the corresponding prize shown below automatically. If the player reveals a "Double Diamond" symbol, the player wins double the corresponding prize shown below automatically. If the player reveals a "Triple Diamond" symbol, the player wins all twenty-five prizes shown on the ticket. There are twenty-five chances to win on each ticket, and a player can win up to twenty-five times on one ticket.
  - (3) The only "Prize Values," which shall appear on a ticket in game rule one thousand twenty-eight are: ten dollars, twenty dollars, twenty-five dollars, forty dollars, fifty dollars, one hundred dollars, two hundred fifty dollars, five hundred dollars, one thousand dollars, ten thousand dollars, twenty thousand dollars, and an "Annuity Prize Award" of eighty thousand dollars per year for twenty-five years before taxes or the "Elected Cash Option Prize Award" of approximately one million dollars before taxes in lieu of the "Annuity Prize Award." Numbers, prize values and play symbols appearing on any ticket in OLC Operating Procedure number one thousand twenty-eight shall be concealed by an opaque covering, which may be scratched off by the holder of the ticket to reveal the underlying numbers, prize values and play symbols.
- (C) Price of tickets. The price of a ticket issued by the commission in OLC Operating Procedure number one thousand twenty-eight shall be twenty dollars.
- (D) Structure, nature and value of prize awards.
- (1) There shall be one type of prize in game rule one thousand twenty-eight, a "prize award."
  - (2) As used in this rule, "Prize Award" shall mean one of the following monetary

figures, which is the total of all winning prize values appearing on the ticket: twenty dollars, twenty-five dollars, forty dollars, fifty dollars, one hundred dollars, five hundred dollars, one thousand dollars, ten thousand dollars, twenty thousand dollars, and an "Annuity Prize Award" of eighty thousand dollars per year for twenty-five years before taxes or the "Elected Cash Option Prize Award" of approximately one million dollars before taxes in lieu of the "Annuity Prize Award." Each ticket in OLC Operating Procedure number one thousand twenty-eight shall be imprinted in such a way that prize awards from the set listed above may be won.

(E) Number of prize awards. The number of prize awards in any sales cycle of OLC Operating Procedure number one thousand twenty-eight will depend upon the number of tickets sold during that cycle. However, distribution and availability for public purchase may be affected by, but not limited to, circumstances such as stolen, defective, missing, damaged, promotional, returned or partial reordered tickets. Tickets shall be printed in accordance with this OLC Operating Procedure using random techniques in order that the following occur:

(1) Combinations winning each prize award are randomly distributed throughout all tickets printed in any given ticket issuance.

(2) For each line in column one of the appendix to this OLC Operating Procedure, the player having the prize value and multiplier, if any, on that same line in column three shall win the prize award on that same line in column four. In a pool of twenty million tickets sold, mathematical reasoning suggests that the number of tickets having the prize value and multiplier, if any, set forth on a given line in column three of the appendix to this rule should be as set forth on that same line in column five.

(F) Tickets sold. Chances of winning and the number of winning tickets are established at the time of printing and will change as prizes are won.

(G) Frequency of prize drawings.

(1) Random imprinting of prize awards on all tickets issued in OLC Operating Procedure number one thousand twenty-eight shall be accomplished in a manner which complies with the commission's rules and procedures.

(2) When a ticket issued in OLC Operating Procedure number one thousand twenty-eight is sold or deemed sold in accordance with this OLC Operating Procedure and the covering material over any of the numbers, prize values and play symbols has been removed, the holder shall be deemed to have drawn the numbers, prize values and play symbols on that ticket which determine whether the holder is entitled to a prize award. All prize awards shall be deemed announced no later than the last day of the sales cycle of OLC Operating Procedure number one thousand twenty-eight in which the

ticket was sold.

(H) Special claim, entry, receipt and validation procedures. The director shall establish special claim, entry, receipt and validation procedures, including procedures for validation by sales agents of tickets winning prize awards which are to be paid by sales agents in accordance with commission rules. Prize awards shall be claimed within the time limits set forth by commission rules.

(I) Validity of Tickets.

(1) A mechanical error in printing prize awards, symbols, words or other numbers on a ticket shall not automatically invalidate that ticket. To the extent feasible, the director shall establish procedures by which the holder of any ticket on which information is incorrectly printed due to mechanical malfunction may be advised of correct information for the ticket. If it is not technically feasible to recover the information from a mechanically misprinted ticket, the director may declare the ticket void and the holder shall be entitled to a return of the ticket price or a replacement ticket of comparable price.

(2) In addition to, but not in limitation of, all other power and authority conferred on the director by the commission's rules, the director may declare a ticket in OLC Operating Procedure number one thousand twenty-eight void if it is stolen, deactivated, not sold or deemed not sold in accordance with commission rules; if it is illegible, mutilated, altered, counterfeit, misregistered, reconstituted, miscut, defective, printed or produced in error or incomplete; if the ticket fails any of the validation tests or procedures established by the director; or if the ticket is obtained in violation of commission rules, including, but not limited to, by way of prize discounting prohibited under rule 3770-3-01 of the administrative code. The commission's liability and responsibility for a ticket declared void, if any, is limited to refund of the retail sales price of the ticket or issuance of a replacement ticket of comparable price.

(J) Director's conduct of OLC Operating Procedure number one thousand twenty-eight.

(1) The director shall conduct OLC Operating Procedure number one thousand twenty-eight and any promotions or drawings associated therewith in a manner consistent with the Lottery Act and the rules of the commission including, without limitation, this OLC Operating Procedure. The director shall inform the public of the provisions of this OLC Operating Procedure and the procedures established pursuant hereto, which affect the play of OLC Operating Procedure number one thousand twenty-eight. The director reserves the right to declare any instant game as unavailable for sale at any time to maintain game integrity and accountability.

- (2) Names and definitions of elements of OLC Operating Procedure number one thousand twenty-eight used in this OLC Operating Procedure are to be considered generic terms used solely for purposes of this OLC Operating Procedure. In actual operation, OLC Operating Procedure number one thousand twenty-eight and these elements may be given names or titles chosen by the commission.

TICKET QUANTITY: 20,000,000  
TICKET COST: \$20.00

Appendix  
OHIO LOTTERY  
"\$300 MILLION DIAMOND DAZZLER" (INSTANT GAME NO. 1028)  
PRIZE STRUCTURE  
OCTOBER 8, 2024 - VERSION A

If any one or more of YOUR NUMBERS match any of the DAZZING NUMBERS, you win the prize shown below your matching number(s). Reveal a (DIAMOND) symbol, win prize shown automatically. Reveal a (DOUBLE DIAMOND) symbol, win DOUBLE the prize shown automatically. Reveal a (TRIPLE DIAMOND) symbol, win ALL 25 prizes shown on this ticket!

Column One Line #	Column Two TIER LEVEL	Column Three Prize Value	Column Four Prize Award	Column Five Number of Prizes
1	1	\$10 (w/ DOUBLE DIAMOND)	\$20	1,600,000
2	1	\$10 x 2	\$20	400,000
3	1	\$20	\$20	400,000
4	2	\$25	\$25	1,600,000
5	3	\$10 x 4	\$40	30,000
6	3	(\$10 x 2) + \$20	\$40	30,000
7	3	\$20 x 2	\$40	20,000
8	3	\$20 (w/ DOUBLE DIAMOND)	\$40	180,000
9	3	\$40	\$40	30,000
10	4	\$10 x 5	\$50	100,000
11	4	(\$10 x 3) + \$20	\$50	100,000
12	4	(\$20 x 2) + \$10	\$50	100,000
13	4	\$25 (w/ DOUBLE DIAMOND)	\$50	400,000
14	4	\$50	\$50	100,000
15	5	\$10 x 10	\$100	150,000
16	5	\$20 x 5	\$100	100,000
17	5	\$25 x 4	\$100	100,000
18	5	\$50 (w/ DOUBLE DIAMOND)	\$100	300,000
19	5	(\$20 x 3) + (\$10 x 4)	\$100	100,000
20	5	\$100	\$100	50,000
21	6	(\$100 x 2) + (\$25 x 10) + \$50	\$500	10,000
22	6	\$250 (w/ DOUBLE DIAMOND)	\$500	20,000
23	6	\$20 x 25 (w/ TRIPLE DIAMOND)	\$500	30,000
24	6	\$20 x 25	\$500	10,000
25	6	(\$40 x 10) + (\$50 x 2)	\$500	10,000
26	6	\$50 x 10	\$500	10,000
27	6	\$100 x 5	\$500	5,000
28	6	\$500	\$500	5,000
29	7	\$40 x 25 (w/ TRIPLE DIAMOND)	\$1,000	5,000
30	7	\$100 x 10	\$1,000	3,000
31	7	\$500 (w/ DOUBLE DIAMOND)	\$1,000	5,000
32	7	\$1,000	\$1,000	1,000
33	08	\$250 x 10 + \$500 x 15 (w/ TRIPLE DIAMOND)	\$10,000	100
34	08	\$250 x 10 + \$500 x 15	\$10,000	100
35	08	\$1,000 x 10	\$10,000	100
36	08	\$10,000	\$10,000	100
37	09	\$20,000	\$20,000	30
38	09	\$500 x 10 + \$1,000 x 15 (w/ TRIPLE DIAMOND)	\$20,000	50
39	10	\$2,000,000 (\$80,000/yr/25yrs)	\$1,242,542	10