OLC Operating Procedure 1018

Effective November 25, 2024

(A) Title and term. Ohio lottery commission operating procedure, OLC Operating Procedure number one thousand eighteen, "Best of 7's" 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 eighteen.

(B) General design.

(1) OLC Operating Procedure number one thousand eighteen is an extended play reveal symbol key number match game and is generally known as an "instant lottery."

(2) Front of ticket: Holders of valid tickets will remove the covering off all play areas for "Game 1," "Game 2," and "Game 3" on the front. In "Game 1," if the player reveals a "Black 7" symbol, the player wins the prize shown for that corresponding symbol. If the player reveals a "Red 77" symbol, the player wins double the prize shown for that corresponding symbol. In "Game 2," if the player reveals three of the same symbols in the same "Spin," the player wins the prize shown for that "Spin." If the player reveals three "Red 7" symbols in the same "Spin," the players wins double the corresponding prize shown for that "Spin." In "Game 3," if the player matches any one or more of "Your Numbers" to any of the "Winning Numbers," the player wins the corresponding prize(s) shown to the right of the corresponding matching number(s). If the player reveals a "Red Hot 7" symbol, the player wins five times the corresponding prize shown for that symbol. All games are played separately. Back of ticket: Holders of valid tickets will remove the covering off the entire play area for "Game 4" on the back of the ticket to reveal eight "Winning Numbers," and twenty-five "Your Numbers." If any one or more of "Your Numbers" match any of the "Winning Numbers," the player wins the corresponding prize shown below the matching "Your Numbers." If the player reveals a "Star" symbol, the player wins the corresponding prize shown automatically. If the player reveals a "Black 7" symbol, the player wins double the corresponding prize shown automatically. If the player reveals a "Win All" symbol, the player wins all twenty-five prizes shown below each "Your Numbers" on the back of the ticket. Front and back of ticket are played separately. There are sixty chances to win on each ticket, and a player can win up to sixty times on one ticket.

(3) The only "Prize Values," which shall appear on a ticket in game rule one thousand eighteen are: five dollars, ten dollars, twenty dollars, twenty-five dollars, fifty dollars, one hundred dollars, five hundred dollars, one thousand dollars, five thousand dollars, ten thousand dollars, fifty thousand dollars, one

hundred thousand dollars, and five hundred thousand dollars. Numbers, prize values and play symbols appearing on any ticket in OLC Operating Procedure number one thousand eighteen 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 eighteen shall be ten dollars.

(D) Structure, nature and value of prize awards.

(1) There shall be one type of prize in game rule one thousand eighteen, 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: ten dollars, twenty dollars, twenty-five dollars, fifty dollars, one hundred dollars, five hundred dollars, one thousand dollars, five thousand dollars, ten thousand dollars, fifty thousand dollars, one hundred thousand dollars, and five hundred thousand dollars. Each ticket in OLC Operating Procedure number one thousand eighteen 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 eighteen 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 columns three, four, five and six shall win the prize award on that same line in column seven. In a pool of two million one hundred sixty thousand 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 columns three, four, five and six of the appendix to this rule should be as set forth on that same line in column eight.

(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 eighteen 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 eighteen 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 eighteen 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 eighteen 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 eighteen.

(1) The director shall conduct OLC Operating Procedure number one thousand eighteen 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 eighteen. 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 eighteen 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 eighteen and these elements may be given names or titles chosen by the commission.

Appendix

OHIO LOTTERY
"BEST OF 7'S" (INSTANT GAME NO. 1018)
PRIZE STRUCTURE
SEPTEMBER 25, 2024 - VERSIONA

TICKET QUANTITY: 2,160,000
TICKET COST: $10.00

Front Game 1: Scratch the PLAY AREA. Reveal a BLACK (7) symbol, win the prize shown for that symbol.
Reveal a RED (77) symbol and win DOUBLE the prize shown for that symbol.

Front Game 2: Reveal 3 like symbols in the same SPIN, win the prize shown for that SPIN. Reveal 3 RED (7) symbols in the same SPIN, win DOUBLE the prize shown for that spin.

Front Game 3: If any one or more of YOUR NUMBERS match any of the WINNING NUMBERS, you win the prize shown to the right of your matching number(s).
Reveal a RED HOT (7) symbol and win 5 TIMES the prize shown for that symbol.

Back Game 4: If any one or more of YOUR NUMBERS match any of the WINNING NUMBERS, you win the prize shown below your matching number(s).
Reveal a (STAR) Star symbol and win the prize shown automatically. Reveal a BLACK (7) symbol and win DOUBLE the prize shown automatically.
Reveal a (WIN ALL) symbol and win ALL 25 prizes shown below!

Column One	Column Two	Column Three	Column Four	Column Five	Column Six	Column Seven	Column Eight
Line #	TIER LEVEL	Prize Value	Prize Value	Prize Value	Prize Value	Prize Award	Number of Prizes
1	01	$5	$5			$10	72,000
2	01		$5	$5		$10	72,000
3	01			$5	$5	$10	36,000
4	01		$5		$5	$10	36,000
5	02	$5 (w/RED 77)	$5		$5	$20	18,000
6	02		$10	$10		$20	18,000
7	02			$10	$10	$20	18,000
8	02	$10			$10	$20	18,000
9	02	$5	$5 (w/RED 7)		$5	$20	18,000
10	02	$5 x 2	$5 x 2			$20	18,000
11	02			$5 x 2	$5 (w/BLACK 7)	$20	18,000
12	02	$5 x 4				$20	18,000
13	02	$10 x 2				$20	18,000
14	02		$10 x 2			$20	18,000
15	02			$10 x 2		$20	18,000
16	02				$10 x 2	$20	18,000
17	03	$5	$20			$25	5,400
18	03	$5 (w/RED 77)	$5	$5	$5	$25	7,200
19	03		$10 (w/RED 7)	$5		$25	5,400
20	03	$10 (w/RED 77)			$5	$25	7,200
21	03	$5 x 5				$25	5,400
22	03	$5	$5	$5 x 2	$5	$25	5,400
23	03		$10	$5 x 3		$25	5,400
24	03			$10	$5 x 3	$25	5,400
25	03	$5 + $10 x 2				$25	5,400
26	03	$5	$10 (w/RED 7)			$25	7,200
27	03			$5 + $10 x 2		$25	7,200
28	03			$5	$10 (w/BLACK 7)	$25	5,400
29	04	$20 (w/Red 77)	$5		$5	$50	6,300
30	04	$5	$20 (w/RED 7)	$5		$50	6,300
31	04	$10	$10	$10	$10 (w/BLACK 7)	$50	6,300
32	04	$5 x 6	$5	$5	$10	$50	4,500
33	04	$25	$25			$50	4,500
34	04			$25	$25	$50	4,500
35	04	$10	$10	$20	$10	$50	4,500
36	04	$5	$5	$5 (w/RED HOT 7)	$5 x 3	$50	6,300
37	04			$10 x 3	$20	$50	5,400
38	04	$10			$20 (w/BLACK 7)	$50	6,300
39	04		$5 x 10			$50	5,400
40	04			$5 x 10		$50	5,400
41	04	$5 (w/RED 77)	$10 (w/RED 7)	$10	$5 x 2	$50	6,300
42	05	$10 (w/RED 77)	$5 x 14		$10	$100	180
43	05	$50			$50	$100	90
44	05		$50	$50		$100	90
45	05				$5 x 20	$100	180
46	05		$10 x 10			$100	90
47	05	$10	$10	$10 x 6	$10 x 2	$100	90
48	05	$50	$5 x 10			$100	90
49	05			$10 (w/RED HOT 7)	$10 x 5	$100	180
50	05	$25	$25	$25	$5 + $20	$100	180
51	05	$5 (w/RED 77)	$10	$5 x 15	$5	$100	450
52	05			$5 x 15	$25	$100	225
53	05	$25			$5 x 15	$100	225
54	05	$5	$10 (w/RED 7)	$5 x 15		$100	360
55	05	$5 (w/RED 77)	$5 (w/RED 7)	$20 + $10	$25 x 2	$100	270
56	06	$5 x 6	$5 x 14	$5 x 15	$10 x 20 + $25 x 5	$500	36
57	06	$20 (w/RED 77) + $10	$25 (w/RED 7) + $100	$10 (w/RED HOT 7)	$50 x 5	$500	36
58	06	$50 (w/RED 77)	$10 (w/RED 7) x 5	$10 (w/RED HOT 7)	$5 (w/BLACK 7) x 25	$500	36
59	06	$100	$100 (w/RED 7)	$100	$100	$500	36
60	06	$20 x 2	$20 x 5	$20 x 10	$20 x 8	$500	36
61	06	$100 (w/RED 77)	$100	$100	$100	$500	36
62	06	$25	$25 x 2	$25 x 12	$25 x 5	$500	54
63	06	$100 x 5				$500	54
64	06		$50 x 10			$500	54
65	06			$20 (w/RED HOT 7) x 5		$500	54
66	06	$50	$50	$20 x 15	$100	$500	90
67	06	$10 (w/RED 77) x 6	$10 + $20	$25 x 4	$10 x 25	$500	90
68	06	$10 x 6	$10 x 14	$10 x 15	$5 x 20 + $10 x 5	$500	180
69	07	$50 (w/RED 77) x 4	$50 (w/RED 7)	$25 (w/RED HOT 7) x 4		$1,000	6
70	07	$500			$500	$1,000	6
71	07		$500	$500		$1,000	6
72	07		$50 x 10		$50 x 10	$1,000	6
73	07	$50 x 5	$50 x 5	$50 (w/RED HOT 7)	$50 x 5	$1,000	6
74	07	$100	$100 (w/RED 7)	$100 x 4	$100 x 3	$1,000	4
75	07	$5 x 6	$10 + $20 x 13	$20 x 15	$10 x 10 + $20 x 15	$1,000	10
76	07	$20 x 6	$20 x 14	$20 x 15	$10 x 10 + $20 x 10	$1,000	6
77	08	$1,000 (w/RED 77)	$1,000 (w/RED 7)	$500	$500	$5,000	6
78	08	$500 x 3	$500 x 2	$1,000	$500 x 3	$5,000	2
79	08	$1,000	$1,000	$500 (w/RED HOT 7)	$500	$5,000	6
80	08	$500	$500	$500 x 6	$1,000	$5,000	2
81	08	$500 x 6	$1,000	$50 x 15	$25 x 10	$5,000	6
82	08	$25 x 5	$25 x 10	$100 x 10 + $500 x 5	$20 x 5 + $25 x 5 + $50 x 10 + 100 x 4	$5,000	6
83	09	$5,000			$5,000	$10,000	4
84	09	$1,000 x 5	$1,000 x 5			$10,000	6
85	09			$1,000 x 10		$10,000	6
86	10	$5,000 x 5	$5,000 x 5			$50,000	2
87	10		$5,000 x 10			$50,000	2
88	10	$1,000 x 4 + $5,000 x 2	$10,000	$1,000 x 15	$1,000 + $10,000	$50,000	2
89	10	$1,000 x 5 + $5,000	$500 x 10	$1,000 x 10 + $10,000	$1,000 x 15	$50,000	2
90	10	$1,000 x 5	$500 x 10	$1,000 x 15	$1,000 x 25	$50,000	2
91	11		$10,000		$10,000 x 9	$100,000	2
92	11			$50,000	$50,000	$100,000	2
93	12	$50,000	$50,000 + $100,000	$50,000 + $100,000	$50,000 + $100,000	$500,000	2
94	12			$500,000		$500,000	2