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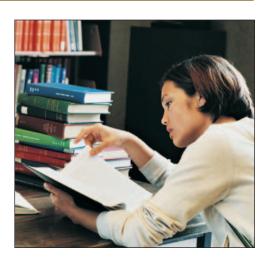
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## Message from the Chair



Front Row (L to R): Claire Tucker. Secretary/Treasurer: Dennis Bottorff, Chair; Deborah Story. Back Row (L to R): Jim Hill, Vice Chair; Marvell Mitchell: Houston Gordon: Iim Ripley.

The Tennessee Education Lottery wrapped up fiscal year 2005-06 with another outstanding performance, generating \$277.1 million for education—an increase of 18 percent from the previous year. Every student who applied and qualified received a scholarship or grant-56,058 to be exact—and additional funds were allocated for pre-kindergarten and after-school programs, spreading the benefits of the Lottery to students throughout the state.

The corporation, which surpassed \$2 billion in total gross sales during this fiscal year, continues to have a positive impact on Tennessee

businesses. More than 4,400 retailers offer Lottery products and enjoy the rewards that come with being part of that specialized network, while a diverse group of vendors and subcontractors benefit by helping meet the TEL's business needs.

The Lottery continues to recruit and maintain responsible leadership and a talented staff—a group I want to applaud and recognize as we review the outstanding achievements of the past year. Looking forward, the TEL team predicts a bright outlook. Not only does the corporation continue to raise the bar for fiscal success, but the Lottery will also continue to expand its role as a vital part of the community. Contributing to education, participating in a variety of events throughout the state, and continuing to expand its equal business opportunity program are just a few ways the Lottery carries out its commitment to be of service to Tennessee.

On behalf of the Board of Directors, I invite you to review the details of fiscal year 2005-06, and to share in the optimism and confidence we have for the years to come.

Dennis C. Bottorff

## Message from the CEO

It is with great pride that I present the Tennessee Lottery's annual report for fiscal year 2005-06. With sales of nearly \$1 billion and a return of \$277.1 million to education, it's clear that players have embraced a new way to have fun. And fun they have had: Players won more than \$568 million this past fiscal year alone, bringing the total in prizes since inception to \$1.29 billion.

The retailers who sell our products have also enjoyed success, earning \$64.9 million in commissions this fiscal year and \$147.6 million since we began selling tickets January 20, 2004. Typically, Lottery retailers see an increase in sales of their other products and the creation of a dedicated customer base, which are added benefits.



It is the students and families, however, who continue to gain the most value from the ongoing success of the Tennessee Lottery. More than 56,000 students attended higher education institutions with the help of Lottery scholarships and grants this past year. And with the help of \$25 million in Lottery funds, 300 pre-kindergarten classes in 79 counties gave more than 6,000 students an early start in school.

I'm grateful for the support and enthusiasm we continue to receive, and I want to extend my thanks to our hard-working staff and an energetic network of retailers that stretches from Memphis to Mountain City. It is only with this team effort that more than \$636 million has been generated for education in the state and with that kind of success, everyone is a winner.

Rebecca Graham Paul

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### Education

With the help of funds generated by the Tennessee Lottery, some of the obstacles to obtaining a solid education are disappearing. From the pre-kindergarten level to beyond twelfth grade, more than 73,000 Tennessee students benefited from Lottery funds during the 2005–06 academic school year.

Fiscal year 2005–06 produced a return of \$277.1 million to the education programs the Lottery funds, bringing the total raised since inception to more than \$636 million. According to the Tennessee



Student Assistance Corporation, the state organization responsible for distributing Lottery-funded awards, approximately \$136.8 million was awarded this past year alone, helping 56,058 students attend higher education institutions throughout the state.

Details about those scholarship and grant recipients include:

Board of Regents System	14,755
University of Tennessee System	12,065
State Technical/Community Colleges	10,961
Technology Centers	10,552
Independent Four-Year Programs	7,547
Independent Two-Year Programs	130
Private/Business Trade	48
TOTAL	56,058

Another 6,000 pre-kindergarten students benefited from additional funds allocated to support 300 classes in 79 counties, while more than 11,000 students received after-school services through the Tennessee Department of Education's LEAP (Lottery Education After-School Program) programs.

Clearly, as the number of beneficiaries from Lottery dollars continues to rise, the goal of helping to create a brighter future for Tennessee is being accomplished.

More than 73,000 Students benefited from Lottery funds.



### Games



With the growing number of entertainment options available, the TEL works hard to keep its products fresh and appealing. Lottery team members meet with players and retailers, stay current on industry trends, and constantly evaluate the potential for new and exciting games. With gross ticket sales of \$996.3 million during fiscal year 2005–06—nearly \$1 billion—these tactics are proving effective.

Game highlights from 2005-06 include the introduction of 36 new instant tickets, including the

World Series of Poker® "\$100,000 Hold 'em Poker" instant ticket game, launched in February with the help of Tennessee's own Chris Moneymaker, the 2003 World Series of Poker® champion. Along with a variety of other \$1, \$2, \$5 and \$10 games, instant tickets remained the most popular games this past year, accounting for \$696.2 million in gross ticket sales, representing 70 percent of total sales.

The Lottery launched midday Cash 3 and Cash 4 drawings in November 2005, giving players more chances to play and win. Sales for Cash 3 during fiscal year 2005–06 were \$61.4 million, while Cash 4 generated \$25.5 million in sales.

The popularity of the multi-state game, Powerball, continued to increase, due in part to two unprecedented jackpots in excess of \$300 million in October 2005 and February 2006. Total sales for Powerball during 2005–06 were \$190.9 million.

And finally, Tennessee's own lotto-style game, Lotto 5, generated overall sales of \$22.1 million.

Players won \$568.1 million in prizes.

## Players/Winners

Not only does every Tennessee Lottery ticket sold mean a win for education, but it also means a chance for players to have fun and win prizes. During fiscal year 2005–06 alone, players won \$568.1 million in prizes, bringing the total since inception to more than \$1.29 billion.

Mid-state resident Janis Goodwin was elated to be one of six Lottery players who won \$1 million or more during this past year. Janis, who split her winnings with longtime best friend Frances Davenport, was the first Tennessee Powerball player to reach a new prize level that was introduced in



Betty and Bill Caylor of Oak Ridge celebrate a \$1 million win with CEO Rebecca Paul and Board Chairman Dennis Bottorff.

August 2005. By using the Power Play option, the duo's second-tier prize was multiplied from \$200,000 to \$1 million since the multiplier for that October 2005 drawing was five.

"We were numb, and then we jumped up and down and screamed!" said the friends. By the end of the fiscal year, two more players earned \$1 million using Power Play: Bill Caylor of Oakridge and Barbara Blaul of Tullahoma.

Another two players won the top prize in the TEL's instant ticket game "Win for Life," which offers just that: \$1,000 a week for life, with a minimum guarantee of over \$1 million.

The Lottery's sixth winner of at least \$1 million during fiscal year 2005–06 was Ann Strong of Alamo, Tenn., who won the top prize of \$1 million in the Lottery's third and final "Millionaire Live!" drawing. The event was held in Memphis as part of the "Volunteer Millionaire" and "Tennessee Millionaire" instant games.

While cash prizes are the most abundant, several players won other prizes during the past year, including two C6 Corvette Convertibles, four seats in U.S. qualifying World Series of Poker® tournaments, and hundreds of other prize packages associated with several instant ticket games.

Winnings averaged \$1.5 million per day.





### Retailers



Thom Ti Tran, Humphrey's Wine and Spirits, in Memphis, is one of more than 4,400 Lottery retailers throughout the state.

The friendly faces who work at more than 4,400 retailer locations across the state are truly the heart of the Tennessee Lottery. It is at those convenience stores, truck stops, restaurants and other types of retail locations where players enjoy learning about the Lottery's games, discussing the possibilities a jackpot could bring, and jumping for joy with every win—both big and small.

Our retail partners are a dedicated team, whose work resulted in nearly \$65 million in retailer commissions during fiscal year 2005–06 and \$147.6 million since the Lottery launched its first games on January 20, 2004.

The Lottery is continuously creating ways to strengthen its partnership with retailers and to help increase their sales. This past year, for example, the TEL launched a cashing bonus of one percent for retailers that pay prizes to players who win Cash 3 and Cash 4. The Lottery also publishes a retailer newsletter, maintains a retailer website and toll-free helpline, provides hands-on training, and seeks input from members of the TEL Retailer Advisory Board.

And, of course, the Lottery's team of 43 sales representatives is always on the road, traveling from location to location. These professionals offer a helping hand with everything from marketing products and operating lottery equipment to tips on providing superior customer service. Each of the TEL's five districts has a district office that serves as a claim center as well as a hub for the area's sales representatives and retailers. Offices are located in Johnson City, Knoxville, Chattanooga, Nashville (TEL Headquarters) and Memphis.

Retailers earned nearly \$65 million in commissions.

## Minority Business Participation

In addition to its commitment to education, the Tennessee Lottery remains dedicated to diversity and minority business participation. With gross ticket sales of nearly \$1 billion during fiscal year 2005–06, the economic impact of the Lottery touches businesses in a variety of ways throughout the state. Through its Equal Business Opportunity Program, the TEL works hard to ensure that those businesses reflect the diversity of the state's rich culture.



The TEL's 2006 Summer Interns

One of the Lottery's goals is to maintain a minimum

of 15 percent participation by minority-owned companies. During fiscal year 2005–06, 20.9 percent of the dollars spent by the Lottery on non-major procurement items were spent with minority businesses. The TEL's three major procurement vendors—GTECH, Scientific Games and Gish, Sherwood and Friends—are also committed to this effort and continue to surpass minority business participation goals.

In addition to purchasing, the Lottery reaches out in other ways to share information about its educational and business opportunities. Through participation in community activities and alliances with minority business organizations, the TEL was present at a variety of events throughout fiscal year 2005–06. And, for the third summer, the TEL's Internship Program reached out to Tennessee students from historically black colleges and universities. From June through August 2005, 17 talented college students gained professional experience that ranged from learning about the lottery industry to basic career development skills.

And finally, TEL staff and the Advisory Council on Minority Business Participation continued to meet regularly to discuss a variety of issues and offer valuable insight.

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## Organization



Back Row (L to R): Vicki Updike, VP Finance; Andrew M. Morin, VP Legal Services; Cynthia Fitzgerald, VP Legal Services; Lucretia Kirk, VP Information Systems; Joe Hills, VP Sales and Distribution; David Jennings, VP Security; Kym Gerlock, VP Communications; Regena Andrews, VP Human Resources; Khristie Stoecklein, VP Internal Controls

Front Row (L to R): Andy Davis, Rebecca Paul, Wanda Young Wilson, Sidney Chambers.

Responsible leadership and a talented staff are crucial to the success of any organization. A seven-member Board of Directors oversees the Tennessee Lottery, providing guidance and oversight, while more than 170 dedicated professionals are charged with meeting the objectives designed to maximize dollars for education.

#### **EXECUTIVE DIVISION:** Rebecca Paul, President and CEO

In addition to overseeing the daily operations of the Tennessee Lottery, the President and CEO is responsible for developing a broad vision for the organization and ensuring that strategies to achieve all objectives are implemented. The Executive Division is also responsible for advertising strategy, communications (including player services, media and public relations), legislative affairs, and management of all lottery facilities.

**LEGAL DIVISION:** Wanda Young Wilson, Executive Vice President and General Counsel

The Legal Division is made up of the following departments:

Human Resources—Manages all personnel functions.

Legal Services—Provides legal advice and assistance to management and the Board of Directors, serves as the corporate records keeper, oversees litigation, and manages contract compliance.

Security—Responsible for physical and intellectual property security, as well as the integrity of televised drawings. Retailer Contract Administration—Manages all functions of retailer applications and contracts.

#### SALES AND MARKETING DIVISION: Sidney Chambers, Executive Vice President

The Sales and Marketing Division oversees all aspects of the Lottery sales operation, including marketing, retailer sales and services, corporate accounts, promotions and special events, and warehouse management and distribution.

**FINANCE AND INFORMATION SYSTEMS:** Andy Davis, *Chief Financial and Information Systems Officer* Finance and Information Systems is responsible for the following:

Financial accounting and reporting, retail accounting, prize validation, cash management, budgeting, collections and procurement, gaming systems and operations oversight, computer systems, technology infrastructure and telecommunications systems.

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### Auditor's Opinion Letter



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#### Independent Auditor's Report

December 11, 2006

The Honorable John G. Morgan Comptroller of the Treasury State Capitol Nashville, Tennessee 37243

Dear Mr. Morgan:

We have audited the accompanying statements of net assets of the Tennessee Education Lottery Corporation, a component unit of the State of Tennessee, as of June 30, 2006, and June 30, 2005, and the related statements of revenues, expenses, and changes in net assets and cash flows for the years then ended. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Tennessee Education Lottery Corporation's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements, based on our audits.

We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Tennessee Education Lottery Corporation as of June 30, 2006, and June 30, 2005, and the changes in its financial position and cash flows for the years then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.



The Honorable John G. Morgan December 11, 2006 Page 2

The management's discussion and analysis, as listed in the table of contents, is not a required part of the basic financial statements but is supplementary information required by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. We have applied certain limited procedures, which consisted principally of inquiries of management regarding the methods of measurement and presentation of the required supplementary information. However, we did not audit the information and express no opinion on it.

In accordance with Government Auditing Standards, we have also issued our report dated December 11, 2006, on our consideration of the Tennessee Education Lottery Corporation's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with Government Auditing Standards and should be read in conjunction with this report in considering the results of our audit.

Sincerely

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# MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

The Tennessee Education Lottery Corporation ("TEL") offers the following Management Discussion and Analysis ("MD&A") to the readers of the financial statements. This narrative overview provides an objective analysis of the TEL's financial activity for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2006 and 2005. The overview should be considered in conjunction with the accompanying financial statements and notes to financial statements.

A comparison of the fiscal years ended June 30, 2005 and 2004, has not been presented due to fiscal year 2004 representing only approximately 5 1/2 months of financial activity compared to 12 months in fiscal year 2005.

#### **Understanding the TEL's Financial Statements**

The TEL, a quasi-public instrumentality, is a component unit of the State of Tennessee. The TEL's activities are accounted for as a business-type activity using the full accrual basis of accounting, similar to a private business entity. In accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, this report consists of a series of comparative financial statements, along with notes to the financial statements designed to highlight the TEL's net assets and changes therein resulting from business operations.

The financial statements are comprised of three components:

The Statements of Net Assets—Reflects the TEL's financial position at June 30, 2006 and 2005.

The Statements of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets—Reports revenues and expenses incurred in relation to the sale of lottery products, as well as other non-gaming related activity for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2006 and 2005.

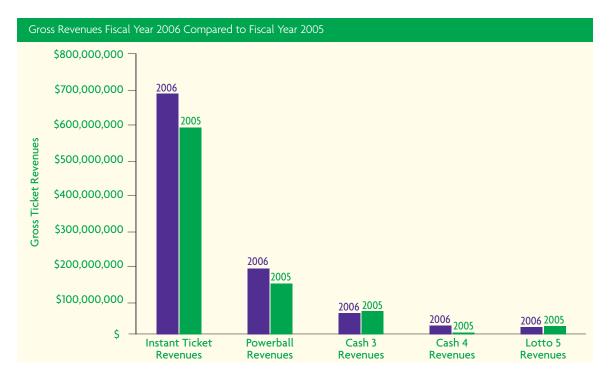
The Statements of Cash Flows—Outlines the cash inflows and outflows related to the activity of selling lottery products for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2006 and 2005.

The Notes to the Financial Statements document additional information essential to readers gaining a comprehensive understanding of the data provided in the financial statements.

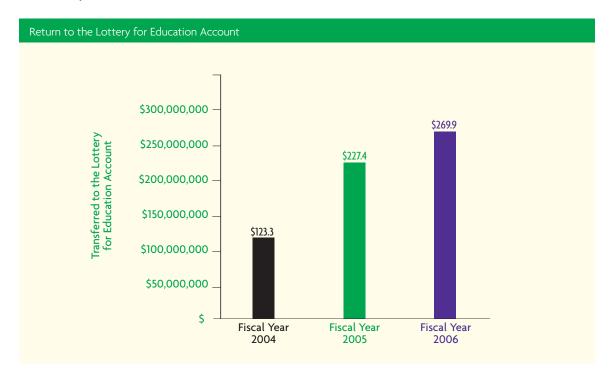
The TEL's primary business purpose is to generate revenues, used to fund college scholarships for residential Tennessee students, for the state's Lottery for Education Account. Accordingly, the main focus of the financial statements is determining funds available for payment to the Lottery for Education Account. It is important to note that most financial statement balances have a direct or indirect relationship to revenue. As lottery sales increase, the amount paid to the Lottery for Education Account also increases. Similarly, increases in revenue generally result in direct increases to cost of sales—including, but not limited to, prize expense, commission expense and gaming contractor fees.

#### **Financial Highlights**

The TEL experienced an outstanding fiscal year 2006. Gross sales for all games increased 18% compared to fiscal year 2005. Instant games, which represented approximately 70% of total sales, increased 16%, due largely to the introduction of higher price point games with higher prize payouts compared to the prior year. The second largest contributing factor to the sales increase was two (2) POWERBALL jackpots exceeding \$300 million. POWERBALL sales increased 30% compared to the prior year. Other contributing factors were the launch of midday drawings for Cash 3 and Cash 4 and the increase of our retailer distribution network.



The TEL transferred \$269.9 million to the Lottery for Education Account in fiscal year 2006, compared to \$227.4 million in fiscal year 2005. The transfer represented 29% of total lottery proceeds for both fiscal years. The additional \$42.5 million in fiscal year 2006 represents an 18.7% increase from the prior year. Since inception, the TEL has transferred \$620.6 million to the Lottery for Education Account.







#### **Condensed Statement of Net Assets**

Assets and Liabilities			
	June 30, 2006	June 30, 2005	Increase
ASSETS:			(Decrease)
Current assets			
Cash	\$ 57,731,000	\$ 54,381,000	\$ 3,350,000
Restricted cash	331,000	288,000	43,000
Retailer accounts receivable, net	38,437,000	35,284,000	3,153,000
Other	5,649,000	3,596,000	2,053,000
Total current assets	102,148,000	93,549,000	8,599,000
Non-current assets	102). 10,000	75,5 .7,5 5 5	
Other	1,786,000	120,000	1,666,000
Capital assets, net	2,283,000	2,981,000	(698,000)
Total non-current assets	4,069,000	3,101,000	968,000
Total assets	106,217,000	96,650,000	9,567,000
LIABILITIES			
Current liabilities			
Due to Lottery for Education Account	62,473,000	59,089,000	3,384,000
Due to After School Programs Account	5,518,000	6,873,000	(1,355,000)
Prizes payable	19,426,000	16,884,000	2,542,000
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	4,511,000	4,620,000	(109,000)
Deferred liabilities	1,165,000	854,000	311,000
Total current liabilities	93,093,000	88,320,000	4,773,000
Non-current liabilities			
Non-current portion of Due to			
After School Programs Account	9,265,000	-	9,265,000
Non-current portion of other liabilities	3,528,000	1,169,000	2,359,000
Total non-current liabilities	12,793,000	1,169,000	11,624,000
Total liabilities	105,886,000	89,489,000	16,397,000
NET ASSETS			
Investment in capital assets	2,283,000	2,981,000	(698,000)
Unrestricted assets	(2,283,000)	(2,981,000)	698,000
Restricted assets	331,000	7,161,000	(6,830,000)
Total net assets	\$ 331,000	\$ 7,161,000	\$ (6,830,000)



#### **Overview of Financial Position**

The TEL's financial position remained strong during fiscal 2006. The \$9.6 million increase in total assets primarily resulted from increased sales from our Instant Ticket and POWERBALL products in fiscal year 2006. Other factors included, but were not limited to, the purchase of two prize annuity investments to fund Win for Life grand prizes and the increase in the TEL's POWERBALL prize reserve account balances held by the Multi-State Lottery Association.

The \$16.4 million increase in total liabilities relates primarily to increased sales, resulting in higher net proceeds payable to the Lottery for Education Account, higher prizes payable to players, and higher unclaimed prizes payable to the After School Programs Account. Effective in June 2006, 100% of actual unclaimed prizes were payable to the After School Programs Account in accordance with statutory requirements, compared to 50% in the prior fiscal year.

The \$6.8 million decrease in restricted net assets results from a statutory change in Tennessee Education Lottery Implementation Law, effective June 2006, that requires 100% of unclaimed prize monies be deposited in the After School Programs Account. Prior to the change, 50% of unclaimed prizes were available to the TEL to fund future prizes in accordance with the originating lottery statute.

#### **Condensed Statement of Revenues & Expenses**

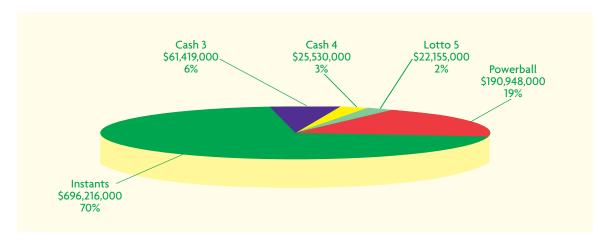
	June 30, 2006	June 30, 2005	Increase (Decrease)
REVENUES			(= ====================================
Instant games	\$ 696,216,000	\$ 598,965,000	\$ 97,251,000
Online games	300,052,000	245,354,000	54,698,000
Retailer service fees	3,166,000	3,288,000	(122,000
Interest income	1,996,000	714,000	1,282,000
Other revenue	315,000	345,000	(30,000
Total revenues	1,001,745,000	848,666,000	153,079,000
EXPENSES			
Cost of sales	708,398,000	593,889,000	114,509,000
General, administrative and			
other operating expenses	15,532,000	15,634,000	(102,000
Proceeds to After School Program Account			
Current	5,518,000	6,873,000	(1,355,000
Deferred	9,265,000	-	9,265,000
Proceeds to Lottery for Education Account	269,862,000	227,423,000	42,439,000
Total expenses	1,008,575,000	843,819,000	164,756,000
Change in net assets	(6,830,000)	4,847,000	(11,677,000
Total net assets, beginning of year	7,161,000	2,314,000	4,847,000
Total net assets, end of year	\$ 331,000	\$ 7,161,000	\$ (6,830,000



#### Revenues

Total gross lottery ticket sales for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2006 and 2005, were \$996.27 million and \$844.32 million, respectively. The following chart depicts the distribution of sales by product for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2006:

#### Sales by product for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2006



Gross instant ticket sales for 2006 grew to \$696.22 million, which represents a 16% increase over 2005 instant sales of \$598.97 million. Instant tickets remained approximately 70% of total gross sales in the year 2006. The instant ticket marketing strategy included multiple game introductions, along with \$1, \$2, \$5, and \$10 price points. The games most popular with the players were Jumbo Bucks, Lucky 7's, and Junior Jumbo Bucks.

POWERBALL sales for the year 2006 were \$190.95 million or 19.1% of gross ticket sales. This represents a 30% increase over year 2005 sales of \$146.67 million. This can be attributed primarily to the two large jackpots exceeding \$300 million dollars in fiscal year 2006.

POWERBALL is a multi-jurisdictional lottery game operated in the following jurisdictions: Arizona, Colorado, Connecticut, Delaware, Idaho, Iowa, Indiana, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maine, Minnesota, Missouri, Montana, North Dakota, Nebraska, New Hampshire, New Mexico, North Carolina, Oklahoma, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, South Carolina, South Dakota, Vermont, Wisconsin, West Virginia; District of Columbia and US Virgin Islands. The TEL's average weekly sales for POWERBALL were approximately \$3.7 million in 2006.

Cash 3 sales for 2006 and 2005, respectively, were \$61.42 million and \$69.18 million or 6.2% and 8.2% of gross sales for the years 2006 and 2005, respectively. Average weekly sales for Cash 3 were approximately \$1.2 million in 2006.

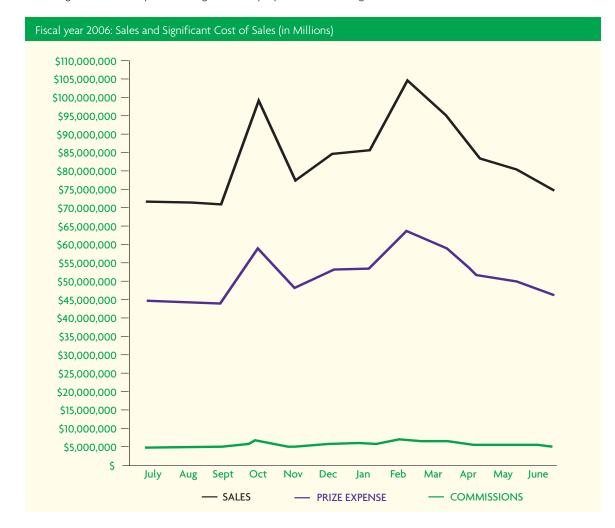
Lotto 5 sales were \$22.2 million and \$23.4 million in the years 2006 and 2005, respectively. Fiscal year 2006 sales represented approximately 2% of total gross sales. Average weekly sales for Lotto 5 were approximately \$425 thousand in 2006.

Cash 4 sales were \$25.5 million and \$6.09 million in the years 2006 and 2005, respectively. This game was on sale for 2 1/2 months during fiscal year 2005 as compared to 12 months in fiscal year 2006. Average weekly sales for Cash 4 were approximately \$489 thousand in 2006.



#### **Cost of Sales**

Cost of sales is comprised of prize expense net of unclaimed prizes, retailer commissions, contractor fees, and other marketing costs. These expenses change in direct proportion with changes in ticket sales.



Gross prize expense was \$552.53 million and \$457.99 million in the years 2006 and 2005, respectively.

Instant games prize expense is managed through the number of tickets printed for each game and value of prizes as determined prior to ticket production. Prize expense is recorded based on an established prize structure and related percentage of sales for each game introduced, and is recognized when products are made available for sale to the public. The aggregated prize payout for all instant games was 64% in 2006 and 62% in 2005 of instant game sales, net of free tickets.

Gross prize expense for online games generally increases or decreases in direct proportion to ticket sales of the related game.

The TEL compensates its retailers through a set commission percentage of 6.5% on all instant tickets settled and online tickets sold. There is a 1% cashing bonus retailers earn by cashing Cash 3 and Cash 4 prizes below \$600. In addition, retailers will receive a \$25,000 bonus for selling a winning POWERBALL jackpot ticket. Retailer commissions were \$64.95 million and \$54.88 million for the years ended June 30, 2006 and 2005, respectively. In the year 2005, there was one \$25,000 POWERBALL jackpot bonus received by a retailer. No jackpot bonus was paid in fiscal year 2006.

The TEL has retained two contractors for the operation of its online gaming network and the manufacturing, warehousing and distribution of its instant ticket games. The online contractor is compensated at a rate of 1.24% of the selling price of



online tickets sold, and of instant ticket activations, net of free tickets available as prizes; whereas the instant ticket contractor receives a fee of 1.139% of the selling price of instant ticket activations by retailers. Contractor fees for the fiscal year 2006 were \$19.41 million, as compared to \$16.51 million for the fiscal year 2005.

Advertising costs were \$14.11 million and \$13.83 million for the fiscal years 2006 and 2005, respectively.

#### General, Administrative and Other Operating Expenses

These expenses do not change in direct proportion with revenues. In accordance with budget directives, these expenses remained relatively consistent in fiscal years 2006 and 2005. General, administrative, and other operating expenses were \$15.53 million and \$15.6 million for the years 2006 and 2005, respectively. Salaries and benefits represent the major component of these expenses in both fiscal years 2006 and 2005.

# Potential Factors Impacting Future Results

The TEL's mission is to maximize revenues for the purpose of maximizing payments to the Lottery for Education Account. A continuous assessment of Tennessee's financial environment and the TEL's own product lines and operations are essential to accomplish this mission. The following considerations have been presented to inform those interested in the TEL's operations about factors that could potentially affect future results:

The TEL will continue to introduce new instant game product offerings, including expansion of our licensed property games, which are gaining nationwide popularity.

The TEL will introduce a new online game in fiscal year 2007 to increase our online sales and retailer distribution network. We will also research possible enhancements of existing online games to expand the play options available to players.

The statutory change in June 2006, requiring 100% of realized unclaimed prize monies to be deposited to the After School Programs Special Account, will affect the TEL's ability to increase instant game prize payout and may decrease the net proceeds available for transfer to the Lottery for Education Account in fiscal year 2007.

# Contacting the TEL's Financial Management

This financial report is designed to provide the State of Tennessee, the public, and other interested parties with an overview of the financial results of the TEL's activities, and to show the TEL's accountability for conducting business in a fiscally responsible manner. If you have questions about this report or require additional financial information, contact the TEL's Finance Department at the following address:

Tennessee Education Lottery Corporation Plaza Tower Metro Center 200 Athens Way, Suite 200 Nashville, Tennessee 37228





STATEMENTS OF NET ASSESTS JUNE 30, 2006 AND 2005		
	June 30, 2006	June 30, 2005
ASSETS		
Current Assets:		Ċ.
Cash (Note 2)	\$ 57,731,000	\$ 54,381,000
Restricted fidelity fund cash	331,000	288,000
Retailer accounts receivable, net	38,437,000	35,284,000
Prepaid expenses and other assets	5,545,000	3,596,000
Prize annuity investments (Note 3)	104,000	_
Total current assets	102,148,000	93,549,000
Noncurrent Assets:		
Prepaid expenses and other assets	108,000	120,000
Prize annuity investments (Note 3)	1,678,000	_
Capital assets, net of depreciation of \$1,742,000 and \$928,000	2,283,000	2,981,000
TOTAL ASSETS	106,217,000	96,650,000
LIABILITIES		
Current Liabilities:		
Due to Lottery for Education Account (Note 7)	62,473,000	59,089,000
Due to After School Programs Account (Note 8)	5,518,000	6,873,000
Prizes payable	19,270,000	16,884,000
Accounts payable	734,000	183,000
Prize annuities payable (Note 3)	156,000	_
Accrued liabilities	3,777,000	4,437,000
Deferred rent (Note 6)	68,000	68,000
Deferred revenue	1,097,000	786,000
Total current liabilities	93,093,000	88,320,000
Noncurrent Liabilities:		
Due to After School Programs Account (Note 8)	9,265,000	_
Prize annuities payables (Note 3)	2,417,000	_
Accrued liabilities (Note 10)	228,000	226,000
Deferred remt (Note 6)	883,000	943,000
Total non current liabilities	12,793,000	1,169,000
TOTAL LIABILITIES	105,886,000	89,489,000
NET ASSESTS		
Investment in capital assests	2,283,000	2,981,000
Unrestricted Assests	(2,283,000)	(2,981,000)
Restricted Assets:		
Restricted for uncollectible retailer receivables	331,000	288,000
Restricted for future prizes		6,873,000
TOTAL NET ASSETS	\$ 331,000	\$ 7,161,000

See notes to financial statements.



	June 30, 2006	June 30, 200
PERATING REVENUES		
Ticket sales (Net)	\$ 995,845,000	\$ 844,319,00
Less instant tickets provided as prizes	(68,263,000)	(60,620,00
Net ticket sales	927,582,000	783,699,00
Retailer service fees	3,166,000	3,288,00
Other	272,000	322,00
Net operating revenues	931,020,000	787,309,00
PERATING REVENUES		
Available prizes	552,528,000	457,989,00
Prizes estimated as unclaimed (Note 8)	(14,783,000)	(13,746,00
Net prizes	537,745,000	444,243,00
Retailer commissions and bonuses	64,950,000	54,878,00
Contractor fees	19,406,000	16,511,00
Advertising	14,111,000	13,829,00
Salaries and benefits	11,392,000	11,854,00
Retailer merchandising and marketing	3,923,000	3,808,00
Rent, utilities, and maintenance	1,816,000	1,694,00
Depreciation	816,000	769,00
Professional fees	317,000	467,00
General administrative and other operating	768,000	850,00
Total operating expenses	655,244,000	548,903,00
Operating income	275,776,000	238,406,00
ONOPERATING REVENUES (EXPENSES)		
Interest revenue	1,996,000	714,00
Retailer fees for future uncollectible retailer receivables	43,000	23,00
Proceeds to After School Programs Account (Note 8)		
Current	(5,518,000)	(6,873,00
Deferred	(9,265,000)	
Proceeds to Lottery for Education Account (Note 7)	(269,862,000)	(227,423,00
Total nonoperating revenues (expenses)	(282,606,000)	(233,559,00
Change in Net Assets	(6,830,000)	4,847,00
NET ASSETS, beginning of year	7,161,000	2,314,00

See notes to financial statements.



## STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 2006 AND 2005

	2006	2005
OPERATING ACTIVITIES:		
Cash received from customers	\$ 924,740,000	\$ 759,691,000
Other operating cash received	3,441,000	3,486,000
Cash paid for prizes	(534,635,000)	(444,019,000)
Cash paid to/on behalf of gaming vendors	(19,354,000)	(16,387,000)
Cash paid to retailers	(64,969,000)	(54,895,000)
Cash paid for advertising	(14,130,000)	(13,416,000)
Cash paid to/on behalf of contractors and employees	(11,287,000)	(10,150,000)
Other operating payments	(7,232,000)	(6,731,000)
Net cash provided by operating activities	276,574,000	217,579,000
NONCAPITAL FINANCING ACTIVITIES:		
Payments to Lottery for Education Account	(268,478,000)	(227,832,000)
Payments to the After School Programs Account	(6,873,000)	(2,049,000)
Fidelity fund cash received from retailers	42,000	37,000
Fidelity fund cash refunded to retailers	(1,000)	(14,000)
Net cash used in noncapital financing activities	(273,310,000)	(229,858,000)
CAPITAL AND RELATED FINANCING ACTIVITIES:		
Purchase of property and equipment	(115,000)	(1,832,000)
Proceeds from disposal of capital assets		13,000
Net cash used in capital and related financing activities	(115,000)	(1,819,000)
INVESTING ACTIVITIES:		
Interest income	1,996,000	773,000
Purchase of prize annuity investments	(1,752,000)	
Net cash provided by investing activities	244,000	773,000
NET CASH PROVIDED BY/(USED IN) ALL ACTIVITIES	3,393,000	(13,325,000)
CASH AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	54,669,000	67,994,000
CASH AT END OF YEAR	\$ 58,062,000	\$ 54,669,000
Reconciliation of cash on the statement of net assets		
Cash	57,731,000	54,381,000
Restricted fidelity fund cash	331,000	288,000
Cash at end of year	\$ 58,062,000	\$ 54,669,000

See notes to financial statements.



#### STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 2006 AND 2005

RECONCILIATION OF NET OPERATING REVENUE TO NET CASH P	ROVIDED BY OPERATING	ACTIVITIES:
	2006	2005
Operating income	\$ 275,776,000	\$ 238,406,000
Adjustments to reconcile operating income to net cash provided by operating expenses:		
Bad debt expense	423,000	_
Depreciation	816,000	769,000
Loss/(Gain) on disposal of capital assets	1,000	(4,000)
Changes in assets and liabilities:		
Retailer accounts receivable and bad debt allowance	(3,576,000)	(24,240,000)
Prepaids and other assets	(1,937,000)	(2,290,000)
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	(107,000)	2,323,000
Prizes payable	2,386,000	2,355,000
Prize annuities payable	2,542,000	_
Deferred rent	(61,000)	28,000
Deferred revenue	311,000	232,000
Net cash provided by operating activities	\$ 276,574,000	\$ 217,579,000
NONCASH INVESTING ACTIVITIES:		
Increase in fair value of prize annuity investments	\$ 31,000	<u>\$</u>

See notes to financial statements.



# TENNESSEE EDUCATION LOTTERY CORPORATION

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AS OF AND FOR THE YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 2006 AND 2005

#### (1) SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Organization and Description of Reporting Entity—Effective June 11, 2003, the Tennessee Education Lottery Implementation Law (the "Act"), Tennessee Code Annotated §§ 4-51-101, et. seq., was signed into law, creating the Tennessee Education Lottery Corporation (the "TEL"). Pursuant with the Act, the TEL was incorporated in the State of Tennessee as a body, politic and corporate, and a quasi-public instrumentality.

The TEL is considered a component unit of the State of Tennessee as the state has financial accountability for fiscal matters as follows:

- 1. The board of directors is appointed by the governor;
- 2. Upon dissolution of the TEL, title to all TEL property shall vest in the State of Tennessee; and
- 3. The TEL provides financial benefits to the state in the form of transfer payments to the state treasury.

The accompanying financial statements present information only as to the transactions of the programs of the TEL. The TEL is reported as a discreetly presented component unit within the State of Tennessee's *Comprehensive Annual Financial Report*.

The TEL is responsible for the provision of lotteries on behalf of the State of Tennessee in accordance with the Act and is deemed to be acting, in all respects, for the benefit of the people of the State of Tennessee.

On January 20, 2004, the TEL began lottery ticket sales. As of June 30, 2006, the TEL's lottery sales include a variety of instant ticket games and four terminal-based online ticket games: Cash 3, Cash 4, Lotto 5, and POWERBALL.

Basis of Presentation—The accompanying financial statements have been prepared in conformity with the accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America as prescribed by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board. Private-sector standards of accounting and financial reporting issued prior to December 1, 1989, generally are followed in the financial statements to the extent that those standards do not conflict with or contradict guidance of the Governmental Accounting Standards Board. The TEL has elected to follow subsequent private-sector guidance subject to this same limitation.

Basis of Accounting and Measurement Focus—Basis of accounting refers to the timing of recognition of revenues and expenses in the accounts and reporting in the financial statements, and the measurement focus refers to what transactions and events should be recorded. The financial statements are reported using the accrual basis of accounting and the economic resources measurement focus in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. Under this method, revenues are recognized when they are earned and expenses are recognized when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows.

**Revenue Recognition**—Lottery games are sold to the public by contracted retailers. Revenue is recognized for instant games when retailers make them available for sale to the public, as indicated by the retailers' activation of tickets. Revenue is recognized for online games when tickets are sold to players and the related draw occurs. Certain instant games include free tickets, which entitle the holder to exchange one instant ticket for another of equal value. The selling price of free tickets reduces instant ticket revenue when the ticket is claimed by a player. Revenues are presented net of Bad Debt Expense.

**Net Assets**—Net assets represent cumulative revenues less expenses and required transfers in accordance with the Act (see Notes 7 and 8). Net assets include funds invested in capital assets, restricted assets and unrestricted net assets.



**Cash**—Cash includes cash in banks, petty cash, and deposits on account in the State of Tennessee Local Government Investment Pool (LGIP) (see Note 2).

**Retailer Accounts Receivable**—Retailer accounts receivable represents lottery proceeds due from retailers for ticket sales net of commissions due to and prizes paid by the retailers, and allowance for bad debt.

Lottery proceeds are collected weekly from retailer bank accounts established in trust for the TEL. Amounts not collected upon the established collection date are deemed delinquent. Delinquent accounts are reviewed periodically by TEL management. Accounts outstanding more than 180 days from the most recent date of delinquency are considered doubtful. As of June 30, 2006, the Allowance for Doubtful Accounts was \$423 thousand. No allowance existed as of June 30, 2005.

**Capital Assets**—Capital assets are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation. Depreciation on capital assets is computed using the straight line method over the estimated useful lives of the assets, which is 3 to 7 years for most assets. Leasehold improvements are amortized over their expected useful lives or the lease term, whichever is shorter. When assets are retired or otherwise disposed of, the cost and related accumulated depreciation is removed from the accounts, and any resulting gain or loss is reflected in the results from operations in the period of disposal. The TEL's general threshold for capitalization is assets valued at \$500 or greater.

**Deferred Revenue**—Funds collected from retailers for online game tickets sold in advance of the game drawings are recorded as deferred revenue and recognized as revenue once the related drawing occurs.

Fidelity Fund—In accordance with the Act, upon acceptance as a TEL retailer, retailers contribute a fee to a fidelity fund. Funds may be used to cover losses incurred as a result of nonfeasance, malfeasance, or misfeasance of TEL retailers. Fidelity fund proceeds are held in a demand deposit account at Citizens Bank and are classified as restricted fidelity fund cash on the Statement of Net Assets. At the end of each fiscal year, the net assets exceeding \$500,000 may be treated as net proceeds from the TEL subject to transfer to the Lottery for Education Account. As of the years ended June 30, 2006 and 2005, there were no fidelity funds available for transfer as net proceeds.

**Retailer Commissions and Bonuses**—Retailers receive a commission of 6.5% on all instant tickets settled and online tickets sold. In addition, retailers cashing Cash 3 and Cash 4 tickets receive an additional 1% for amounts cashed. Where commission has been paid to retailers for deferred revenue ticket sales, this fee is recorded as a prepaid expense until the related revenue is recognized. A \$25,000 bonus is paid to any retailer who sells a winning POWERBALL jackpot ticket. During the year ended June 30, 2006, no related bonuses were earned by nor paid to any retailer. During the year ended June 30, 2005, one \$25,000 bonus was earned by and paid to a retailer.

**Contractor Fees**—The TEL has contracted with two vendors, GTECH Corporation ("GTECH") and Scientific Games, Inc. ("SGI"), for the majority of the gaming systems and supplies.

GTECH operates the gaming network that consists of approximately 4,470 instant and online retailer ticket terminals and associated software. GTECH receives a fee of 1.24% of the selling price of online tickets sold, and of net instant ticket activations, net of free tickets available as prizes.

SGI prints, warehouses, and distributes the net instant game tickets to retailers. SGI receives a fee of 1.139% of the selling price of instant ticket activations by retailers.

**Prizes**—In accordance with the Act, as nearly as practical, at least 50% of ticket proceeds must be made available as prize money. Gross prize expense for instant ticket sales is recognized based on a predetermined prize structure for each game in accordance with the approved game working papers when tickets are activated for sale. Gross prize expense for online games, Cash 3, Cash 4 and Lotto 5, is recognized based on industry average or historical payout experience when tickets are actually sold.

POWERBALL prizes are shared based on contributions made to the prize pool by all member lotteries of the POWERBALL Group of the Multi-State Lottery Association ("MUSL"). All POWERBALL grand prizes won by players who purchase tickets in Tennessee are funded from pooled contributions by MUSL. The contributions are held by MUSL in trust for the TEL and are paid, at the option of the prize winner, in either a lump-sum or 29 annual installments. Lump-sum payments are discounted to present value, as calculated by MUSL. As of the year ended June 30, 2006, there were no grand prize winners in Tennessee. As of the year ended June 30, 2005, one grand prize of \$25 million, discounted to a lump-sum payment of \$13,851,000, was awarded to a winning player in Tennessee.



**Unclaimed Prizes**—Prizes not claimed within 90 days of the game-end date for instant games and within 180 days of a game draw date for online games are forfeited as unclaimed prizes. Prior to August 17, 2004, the claim period for online prizes was 365 days from the game draw date.

**Budget**—Pursuant with the Act, annually by June 30, the TEL is required to submit a proposed operating budget for the next fiscal year to the Tennessee Department of Finance and Administration, Office of Legislative Budget Analysis, and Comptroller of the Treasury. Additionally, by September 1, the TEL is required to submit a proposed operating budget for the succeeding fiscal year to the Tennessee Department of Finance and Administration for informational purposes.

**Contingencies**—The TEL is subject to various claims and contingencies related to litigation, fines and penalties, assessments and other matters arising out of the normal course of business. Liabilities related to contingencies are recognized when a loss is probable and reasonably estimable. As of the years ended June 30, 2006 and 2005, the TEL has not incurred any related liabilities.

**Use of Estimates**—The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make certain estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosures of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates. Estimates and assumptions are reviewed periodically and the effects of revisions are reflected in the financial statements in the period they are determined.

**Advertising**—In accordance with AICPA Statement of Position 93-7, *Reporting on Advertising Costs*, advertising costs are expensed the first time the related advertising takes place.

**Insurance**—Effective July 31, 2005, the TEL became a member of the Risk Management Fund, an internal service fund of the State of Tennessee. This self-insurance risk pool provides general liability, professional malpractice and automobile liability coverage up to \$300,000 per person and \$1,000,000 per occurrence.

Additionally, in order to minimize financial losses resulting from the occurrence of theft; employee dishonesty; legal judgments; work-related employee injury and accidents; and catastrophic events, the TEL maintains insurance from various other providers. For the year ended June 30, 2006, additional coverage was provided as follows:

Employee dishonesty—aggregate of \$500,000 total
Automobile—limit of \$1,000,000 combined single limit (bodily injury/property damage)
Worker's compensation—up to statutory limits
Umbrella coverage—aggregate of \$5,000,000

**Non-Operating Revenues and Expenses**—Revenues and expenses resulting from activities not directly associated with the sale of lottery tickets are reflected as non-operating revenues and expenses.

**Compensated Absences**—Effective November 29, 2004, the TEL implemented an attendance and leave policy allowing employees to earn vacation and sick leave during their employment. The corporation recognizes expense for accrued but unused vacation leave for all employees who have completed one year of service. No such expense exists for accrued but unused sick leave. (Note 9)

**Employment Separation**—Corporate officers earn separation pay for each year of employment with the TEL. Such expense is accrued in the period it is earned. (Note 9)

**Reclassifications**—Certain amounts presented in the prior periods have been reclassified to conform to the current period financial statement presentation. These reclassifications have no effect on previously reported operating income and are noted as follows:

- Prepaid expenses and other assets at June 30, 2005, of \$3,716,000 are reclassified as current assets of \$3,596,000 and non-current assets of \$120,000. The \$120,000 represents the proper classification of the long-term portion of deferred sublease income.
- Rent, utilities, and maintenance expenses in fiscal year 2005 is increased by \$318,000 of utility costs previously classified as general, administrative and other operating expenses.



#### (2) CASH

The TEL has implemented Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement No. 40, *Deposit and Investment Risk Disclosure*, which established and modified the disclosure requirements for deposits and investments.

The TEL's deposits are in financial institutions that participate in the bank collateral pool administered by the State Treasurer. The securities pledged to protect these accounts are pledged in the aggregate rather than against each individual account. The members of the pool may be required by agreement to pay an assessment to cover any deficiency. Under this additional assessment agreement, public fund accounts covered by the pool are considered to be insured for purposes of credit risk disclosure. At June 30, 2006 and 2005, TEL's bank balances of approximately \$1.342 million and \$820 thousand, respectively, were insured by the bank collateral pool.

The TEL also has deposits in the Local Government Investment Pool (LGIP) administered by the State Treasurer. The TEL's deposits with the LGIP were approximately \$57.4 million and \$54.3 million at June 30, 2006 and 2005, respectively. The LGIP is part of the Pooled Investment Fund. The Pooled Investment Fund is authorized by statute to invest funds in accordance with policy guidelines approved by the State Funding Board. The State Treasurer's Pooled Investment Fund is not rated by a nationally recognized statistical rating organization. The Pooled Investment Fund's investment policy and required risk disclosures are presented in the *Tennessee Comprehensive Annual Financial Report*. That report may be obtained by contacting the Tennessee Department of Finance and Administration, Division of Accounts, 14th Floor, William R. Snodgrass Tennessee Tower, 312 Eighth Avenue North, Nashville, Tennessee 37243-0298 or by calling (615) 741-2140.

#### (3) PRIZE ANNUITY INVESTMENTS

The prize structure of the Win for Life instant ticket game included three grand prizes in the form of lifetime annuities. These grand prizes guarantee the winner will receive \$52,000 a year for the remainder of his/her life, with a minimum of 20 annual payments totaling \$1,040,000. As of June 30, 2006, all of the grand prizes have been claimed by and awarded to winners.

In fiscal year 2006, the TEL purchased two (2) single premium, sum certain lifetime annuity contracts for approximately \$904,000 and \$848,000, in its name from Met Life, and appointed the respective Win for Life prize winners as the beneficiaries.

In accordance with its investment policy, the TEL may enter into insurance annuity contracts in order to fund annuity prizes. All life insurance annuity contracts must be issued by companies which are financially rated A or better by a nationally recognized rating agency and duly licensed, admitted and authorized to transact business in the State of Tennessee.

**Credit risk.** This is the risk that a counter party will fail to fulfill its obligation. The TEL mitigates this risk through its investment policy, which limits purchase of investments to those financially rated A or better by a nationally recognized rating agency. Consistent with this policy, both annuities were purchased from Met Life, which is rated A+ Superior by A.M. Best as of June 30, 2006.

**Concentration of credit risk.** This risk relates to an investor's failure to adequately diversify its investments and is specifically defined as investments of 5 percent or more in the securities of a single issuer. Though the TEL does not have a policy specific to this risk, as a condition of the purchase, and for the duration of the contract, Met Life is required to maintain insurance sufficient to reimburse the TEL for any losses resulting from its failure or inability to meet related obligations.

**Custodial credit risk.** For an investment, this is the risk that in the event of the failure of the counter party to a transaction, the investor will not be able to recover the value of its investments that are in the possession of an outside party. Investments are subject to custodial credit risk only if they are evidenced by securities that exist in physical or book entry form. Given that annuity contracts do not meet this condition, no related custodial credit risk exists as of the year ended June 30, 2006.

The TEL records all investments purchased to fund annuity prizes at fair value. Increases and decreases in the fair market value of these investments are deferred as non-current prize annuities payable.

Liabilities for annuity prizes are recorded at their discounted present value as prize annuities payable. In relation to both the prize annuity investments and prize annuities payables, payments due from insurance companies and due to prize winners



within the next fiscal year are classified as current, whereas the remaining portion is classified as non-current on the Statement of Net Assets.

As of the year ended June 30, 2006, the TEL deferred a \$31 thousand increase in the fair market value of the prize annuity investments.

#### (4) CAPITAL ASSETS

Capital assets consisted of the following as of June 30, 2006:

ginning Balance	lr	ncreases		Decreases	Enc	ling Balance
866,000	\$	7,000	\$		\$	873,000
366,000		18,000		(9,000)		375,000
200,000						200,000
865,000		80,000				945,000
307,000						307,000
859,000		19,000		(1,000)		877,000
258,000		1,000				259,000
188,000		1,000				189,000
3,909,000		126,000		(10,000)		4,025,000
(928,000)	(3	816,000)		2,000		(1,742,000)
2,981,000	\$ (6	690,000)	\$	(8,000)	\$	2,283,000
	866,000 366,000 200,000 865,000 307,000 859,000 258,000 188,000 3,909,000 (928,000)	866,000 \$ 366,000 200,000 865,000 307,000 859,000 258,000 188,000 3,909,000 (928,000) (	866,000       \$ 7,000         366,000       18,000         200,000       80,000         865,000       80,000         307,000       19,000         258,000       1,000         188,000       1,000         3,909,000       126,000         (928,000)       (816,000)	866,000       \$ 7,000       \$         366,000       18,000         200,000       80,000         865,000       80,000         307,000       19,000         258,000       1,000         188,000       1,000         3,909,000       126,000         (928,000)       (816,000)	866,000       \$ 7,000       \$         366,000       18,000       (9,000)         200,000       80,000         307,000       80,000         859,000       19,000       (1,000)         258,000       1,000         188,000       1,000         3,909,000       126,000       (10,000)         (928,000)       (816,000)       2,000	866,000       \$ 7,000       \$       \$         366,000       18,000       (9,000)         200,000       80,000       (9,000)         865,000       80,000       (1,000)         859,000       19,000       (1,000)         258,000       1,000       (10,000)         188,000       1,000       (10,000)         (928,000)       (816,000)       2,000

Capital assets consisted of the following as of June 30, 2005:

В	Beginn	ing Balance	Increases	Decreases	End	ding Balance
Furniture and fixtures	\$	85,000	\$ 797,000	\$ (16,000)	\$	866,000
Computer equipment		273,000	96,000	(3,000)		366,000
Vehicles		200,000				200,000
High Mileage Vehicles - Vans		684,000	198,000	(17,000)		865,000
Leasehold improvements		260,000	47,000			307,000
Communication equipment		677,000	182,000			859,000
Software		243,000	15,000			258,000
Gaming equipment		58,000	130,000			188,000
Total capital assets		2,480,000	1,465,000	(36,000)		3,909,000
Less accumulated depreciation		(166,000)	(769,000)	7,000		(928,000)
Total capital assets, net	\$	2,314,000	\$ 696,000	\$ (29,000)	\$	2,981,000



#### (5) LEASING ARRANGEMENTS

The TEL's leasing arrangements consist of non-cancelable operating leases for office space, outdoor advertising billboards, and related equipment that expire at various dates through 2014. Certain of these leases contain provisions for scheduled rental increases and are renewable at the option of the TEL. No lease renewal options were exercised as of the year ended June 30, 2006.

In addition, the TEL subleases office space to three of its vendors, GTECH, SGI, and Gish, Sherwood & Friends, under operating leases expiring through 2014. These subleases contain provisions for scheduled rental increases and are subordinate to the related lease agreement held by TEL.

The following is a schedule by years of future minimum rental payments required of TEL under all non-cancelable operating leases with original terms of one year or more as of June 30:

2006	2005	
\$	\$ 2,225,000	
2,024,000	1,762,000	
1,845,000	1,746,000	
1,737,000	1,653,000	
1,264,000	1,228,000	
1,178,000	1,178,000	
3,141,000	3,140,000	
\$ 11,189,000	\$ 12,932,000	
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Minimum rental payments at June 30, 2006 and 2005, have not been reduced by minimum sublease rentals of \$1.53 million and \$1.72 million, respectively, due in future years under non-cancelable subleases.

The following is a schedule by years of future minimum sublease rental payments due to TEL under all non-cancelable operating leases with original terms of one year or more as of June 30:

Year Ending June 30:	2006	2005
2006	\$	\$ 188,000
2007	188,000	188,000
2008	188,000	188,000
2009	194,000	194,000
2010	206,000	206,000
2011	206,000	206,000
2012-2014	550,000	550,000
Total minimum lease payments	\$ 1,532,000	\$ 1,720,000



The following schedule shows the composition of total rental expense, net of deferred rent expense and income, for all operating leases for the years ended June 30:

		2006	2005
Minimum rentals	9	1,356,858	\$ 997,852
Less: Sublease rentals		188,000	125,200
Total minimum rentals	C	1,168,858	\$ 872,652

#### (6) DEFERRED RENT

As an incentive for entering into certain lease agreements, the TEL received rent abatements approximating \$667,000 from landlords. In accordance with Financial Accounting Standards 13 (FAS 13), Accounting for Leases, and Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement No. 13, Accounting for Operating Leases with Scheduled Rent Increases, the TEL defers rent incentives over the entire lease term on a straight-line basis. Additionally, where lease agreements stipulate escalation of rental payments over the term of the lease, the TEL recognizes related rental expense on a straight-line basis over the entire term of the lease.

At June 30, 2006, total deferred rent of \$951,000 consisted of \$487,000 related to rent abatements and \$464,000 to the straight-lining of rental expense over the life of the related lease terms.

At June 30, 2005, total deferred rent of \$1,011,000 consisted of \$554,000 related to rent abatements and \$457,000 to the straight-lining of rental expense over the life of the related lease terms.

#### (7) DUE TO LOTTERY FOR EDUCATION ACCOUNT

In accordance with the Act, all net proceeds of the TEL are due to the Lottery for Education Account. "Net proceeds" is defined under the Act as "all revenue derived from the sale of lottery tickets or shares and all other monies derived from lottery games less operating expenses. "Operating expenses" are defined under the Act as "all costs of doing business, including, but not limited to, prizes, commissions, and other compensation paid to lottery retailers, advertising and marketing costs, rental fees, personnel costs, capital costs, depreciation of property and equipment, amounts held in or paid from a fidelity fund, and all other operating costs." All other expenses are considered non-operating.

Net proceeds and operating expenses for the years ended June 30, 2006 and June 30, 2005 is summarized as follows:

	2006	2005
Operating revenues:		
Ticket sales (Net)	\$995,845,000	\$844,319,000
Less instant tickets provided as prizes	(68,263,000)	(60,620,000)
Net ticket sales	927,582,000	783,699,000
Service fees and other revenue	3,438,000	3,610,000
Total lottery proceeds	931,020,000	787,309,000
Operating expenses, as defined:		
Gaming	648,045,000	544,966,000
Operating	15,109,000	15,634,000
Total operating expenses, as defined	663,154,000	560,600,000
Net proceeds before distribution of unrestricted net assets	267,866,000	226,709,000
Non-operating revenue and expenses		
Interest income	1,996,000	714,000
Total non-operating revenue and expenses	1,996,000	714,000
Net proceeds subject to transfer	269,862,000	227,423,000
Amount due to Lottery for Education Account for year	269,862,000	227,423,000
Amount paid during year	(207,389,000)	(168,334,000)
Amount due to Lottery for Education Account, end of year	\$62,473,000	\$59,089,000

All amounts due at the end of each fiscal year were transferred to the Lottery for Education Account in July of the subsequent fiscal year.

#### (8) DUE TO AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAMS ACCOUNT

On June 20, 2006, the Tennessee Education Lottery Implementation Law (the "Act"), Tennessee Code Annotated §§ 4-51-111(f)1 was revised to require 100% of any unclaimed prize monies be deposited in the After School Programs special account created in accordance with §§ 4-51-111; provided however, if such unclaimed prizes in any fiscal year total more than \$18,000,000, then such excess shall accrue to the fund balance of the lottery for education account. The revision was effective for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2006. Prior to the statute change, 50% of monies constituting unclaimed prizes were required to be transferred to the After School Programs special account.

The Tennessee Education Lottery Corporation (TEL) records, for accounting purposes, unclaimed prizes in the period when revenues and related prize expense is recognized. Revenue recognition for instant games occurs upon pack activation by the retailer, and on the day of the drawing for online games.





For instant games, players have 90 days after the announced game-end date to claim a prize. For online games, players have 180 days after the related draw has occurred to claim a prize.

For fiscal year 2006, unclaimed prizes were \$14,783,000, of which \$5,518,000 was current and payable to the After School Programs special account at June 30, 2006, resulting from closed instant games or expired online draws.

The deferred portion of unclaimed prizes was \$9,265,000 at June 30, 2006. These funds will be due and payable to the After School Programs special account after the applicable claim periods have expired.

A summary of the \$5,518,000 due at June 30, 2006 is as follows:

Fiscal Year	Unclaimed Prizes from closed games and draw	Due to After School
2004	\$	\$ 0
2005	5,581,000	2,791,000
2006	\$ 11,649,000	11,649,000
Amount due to After School	14,440,000	
Amounts transferred as of	lune 30, 2006:	
Fiscal Year		Amount
2004		2,049,000
2005		6,873,000
Total Amounts transferred,	since inception	8,922,000
Current amount due to Aft	er School Programs Account, end of year	\$ 5,518,000

All amounts due at the end of each fiscal year were transferred to the Lottery for Education Account in July of the subsequent fiscal year.

#### (9) EMPLOYEE BENEFITS

**A. Deferred Compensation** Effective September 22, 2003, the TEL provided its employees with a deferred compensation plan created in accordance with Internal Revenue Code Section 457 (the "457 Plan"). The 457 Plan is available to all eligible employees at their option and permits participants to defer a portion of their salary until future years. The deferred compensation is not available to participants until termination, retirement, death, or unforeseeable emergency. During the years ended June 30, 2006 and 2005, employees contributed approximately \$390,000 and \$344,000, respectively, to the 457 Plan.

The aggregate fair value of the plan's assets was approximately \$1,151,000 and \$666,000, net of forfeitures and administrative fees, as of June 30, 2006 and 2005, respectively.

- **B.** Defined Contribution Plan Effective September 22, 2003, the TEL Board of Directors established a defined contribution plan in accordance with Internal Revenue Code Section 401(a) (the "401(a) Plan"). Under the 401(a) Plan, all eligible employees receive compensation from the TEL in the form of non-voluntary deferrals to their individual 401(a) accounts as follows:
  - 1. Contribution of five percent (5%) of employee's compensation, and
  - 2. Matching contribution of seventy-five percent (75%) of the participant's contributions to the 401(a) Plan up to the first five (5) percent of the participant's compensation.

These contributions vest over a 4-year period at a rate of twenty-five percent (25%) per year and are not available to participants until termination, retirement, death, or unforeseeable emergency. The TEL contributed approximately \$611,000 and \$571,000 to the 401(a) Plan on behalf of its employees in the years ended June 30, 2006 and 2005, respectively. Of these contributions, approximately \$57,000 and \$40,000 was forfeited by separated employees as of June 30, 2006, and June 30, 2005, respectively.



In accordance with the 401(a) Plan, forfeitures of employer contributions may be used to offset plan administrative expenses and/or reduce future contribution costs. As of the years ended June 30, 2006 and 2005, forfeited amounts of approximately \$61,000 and \$36,000, respectively, were used to offset employer contributions and plan administrative expenses.

Section 1448 of the Small Business Job Protection Act of 1996 added Subsection (g) to Section 457 of the Internal Revenue Code to provide that all assets and income under a Section 457(b) plan that are maintained by a state or local government employer must be held in trust for the exclusive benefit of plan participants and their beneficiaries. The 457 Plan and 401(a) Plan assets are held in aggregate by John Hancock Financial, the plans' custodian.

The aggregate fair value of the plan's assets was approximately \$1,453,000 and \$825,000, net of forfeitures and administrative fees, as of June 30, 2006 and 2005, respectively.

**C.** Compensated Absences Vacation leave can be earned at various rates depending on the employee's position and years of service. Carryover of vacation leave is limited to the number of hours earned in the prior year. Employees must complete twelve months of service from the date of hire before they receive termination payment for any unused vacation hours. The current portion of the compensated absence liability, expected to be due within one year of the statement date, June 30, 2006, is estimated using historical trends. At June 30, 2006 and 2005, the estimated current portion of the compensated absences liability was \$172 thousand and \$188 thousand respectively.

Sick leave is earned at the end of each month at the rate of four hours per month for all employees. Sick leave may be carried over from year to year, but all such accrued sick leave is forfeited upon separation of employment.

**D. Employment Separation** Corporate officers accrue forty hours of severance pay for every year of employment with TEL. The TEL accrued \$69 thousand and \$36 thousand for employment separation obligations at June 30, 2006 and 2005, respectively.

#### (10) LONG-TERM LIABILITIES

Long-term liabilities consisted of the following as of June 30, 2006:

Beginning Balance		Increases	Decreases	Ending Balance Du	ue within one year
Due to After School Programs	\$ 6,873,000	\$ 14,783,000	\$ (6,873,000)	\$ 14,783,000	\$ 5,518,000
Prize Annuities Payable	-	2,573,000	-	2,573,000	156,000
Compensated Absences	414,000	411,000	(425,000)	400,000	172,000
Deferred Rent	1,011,000	8,000	(68,000)	951,000	68,000
Total long-term liabilities	\$ 8,298,000	\$ 17,775,000	\$ (7,366,000)	\$ 18,707,000	\$ 5,914,000

Long-term liabilities consisted of the following as of June 30, 2005:

	Beginning Balance		Increases	Decreases	Ending Balance Due	e within one year
Compensated Absences	\$	-	\$ 584,000	\$ (170,000)	\$ 414,000	\$ 188,000
Deferred Rent		983,000	96,000	(68,000)	1,011,000	68,000
Total long-term liabilities	\$	983,000	\$ 680,000	\$ (238,000)	\$ 1,425,000	\$ 256,000

Compensated absences presented within the noted schedules are included in accrued liabilities presented on the Statement of Net Assets.



#### (11) COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES

**Corvette Grand Prize Drawing**—The TEL has committed to conducting a drawing whereby prizes totaling \$100,000 will be awarded to one individual. The TEL anticipates completion of this drawing to occur during the fiscal year ending June 30, 2007.

**Hold 'Em Poker Second Chance Drawings**—The TEL has committed to conducting second chance drawings whereby prizes totaling approximately \$160,000 will be awarded to five winners. The TEL anticipates completion of these drawings to occur during the fiscal year ending June 30, 2007.

**Legal**—The TEL is subject to litigation in the ordinary course of its business. In the opinion of management and legal counsel, the outcome of such litigation will not have a material impact on the financial position or cash flows of the TEL in fiscal year 2007.

#### (12) SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

**Annuity Prize Investment Purchase**—In July 2006, the TEL purchased a single premium, sum certain lifetime annuity contract for \$739,000, to fund all future payments for the final, remaining Win for Life grand prize awarded.



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