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#### NOTICE OF DATA BREACH

Dear <<first name>> <<middle name>> <<last name>> <<suffix>>,

We are writing to inform you of a recent incident involving unauthorized access to a few of our employees' email accounts. While we have no indication that your personal information has been misused, some of your information was stored in an email account accessed during this incident. We are writing to make you aware of our current understanding of what happened, measures that have been taken, and to provide you with some steps you can take to help protect your personal information.

<u>What happened?</u> On December 14, 2023, Coleman Professional Services, Inc. learned that an unauthorized user gained access to a few of our employees' email accounts that contained personal information. Based on our investigation, we learned that unauthorized connections were made to the email accounts between September 18, 2023, and October 31, 2023. We were unable to confirm whether any specific emails or attachments stored within the affected email accounts were accessed or obtained as a result of this incident. Out of an abundance of caution, we reviewed the emails stored in the affected email accounts to determine whether any of those emails contained personal information.

What information was involved? While we were unable to determine whether any personal information was obtained, the following personal information was present in an affected email account when this incident occurred, including your name<<br/>b2b\_text\_1(data elements)>>>. To date, we are unaware of any actual or attempted misuse of your personal information as a result of this incident.

What we are doing. As soon as we learned of this situation, we immediately launched an investigation. We took steps to block unauthorized users from connecting to the affected email accounts, reset the relevant passwords, reviewed the contents of the emails in the affected email accounts to determine whether they contained personal information, and took additional measures to prevent unauthorized users from accessing employees' email accounts in the future.

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What you can do. Although we do not have any evidence that your information has been misused, we recommend that you review the information provided in the enclosed "Further Information and Steps You Can Take." The enclosure identifies some steps you can take to guard against the misuse of your personal information. Never provide personal information in response to an electronic communication about a data security incident.

**For more information.** We regret and apologize for any inconvenience this may cause you. If you have any questions, please call TFN, Monday through Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. Eastern Time, excluding major U.S. holidays.

Sincerely,

Judy Bermudez

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VP of Human Resources & Compliance

Enclosure: Further Information and Steps You Can Take

## Further Information and Steps You Can Take

# Filing a Police Report for Suspicious Activity

We encourage you to remain vigilant of identity theft or fraud. You should review account statements, explanation of benefits, and credit reports and report any suspicious activity or suspected identity theft. You have the right to file a police report if you experience identity theft or fraud. If you do find suspicious activity of identity theft or fraud, call your local police or sheriff's office and file a police report of identity theft. Get a copy of the police report. You may need to give copies of the police report to creditors to clear up your records. In addition, you should report identity theft to your state's Attorney General and to the Federal Trade Commission ("FTC"). This notice has not been delayed by law enforcement.

### **Monitoring Your Accounts**

You may obtain a free copy of your credit report from each of the credit bureaus once a year by visiting <a href="http://www.annualcreditreport.com">http://www.annualcreditreport.com</a>, or calling 877-322-8228. Hearing impaired consumers can access TDD service at 877-730-4104. You may contact the nationwide credit bureaus at:

**Equifax**, 866-349-5191, P.O. Box 740241, Atlanta, GA 30374, www.equifax.com/FCRA.

**Experian**, 888-397-3742, P.O. Box 9701, Allen, TX 75013, www.experian.com.

TransUnion, 800-916-8800, P.O. Box 2000, Chester, PA 19022, www.transunion.com.

You may also place a fraud alert or security freeze on your credit report at no cost. A fraud alert is a notice that can be placed on a consumer's credit report that alerts companies who may extend credit that the consumer may have been a victim of identity theft or fraud. When a fraud alert is displayed on a consumer's credit file, a business is required to take steps to verify the consumer's identity before extending new credit. There are two types of fraud alerts: an "initial" fraud alert that lasts for one year, and an "extended" fraud alert for victims of identity theft or fraud that lasts seven years. A fraud alert should not affect your ability to get a loan or credit, but it may cause some delay if you are applying for credit. To place a fraud alert, please contact one of the credit reporting agencies at:

Equifax, 888-836-6351, P.O. Box 105069, Atlanta, GA 30348, www.equifax.com/personal/credit-report-services.

Experian, 888-397-3742, P.O. Box 9554, Allen, TX 75013, www.experian.com/fraud/center.html.

TransUnion, 800-680-7289, P.O. Box 2000, Chester, PA 19016, www.transunion.com/fraud-alerts.

Alternatively, you may place a security freeze on your file. Security freezes will prevent new credit from being opened in your name without the use of a personal identification number or password that will be issued by the credit reporting agencies after you initiate the freeze. In order to place a security freeze, you may be required to provide the credit reporting agencies with information that identifies you. A security freeze can make it more difficult for someone to get credit in your name, but it also may delay your ability to obtain credit. The credit reporting agencies may not charge a fee to place a freeze or remove a freeze. To place a security freeze, please contact one of the agencies at:

Equifax, 888-298-0045, P.O. Box 105788, Atlanta, GA 30348, www.equifax.com/personal/credit-report-services.

Experian, 888-397-3742, P.O. Box 9554, Allen, TX 75013, www.experian.com/freeze/center.html.

TransUnion, 888-909-8872, P.O. Box 160, Woodlyn, PA 19094, www.transunion.com/credit-freeze.

### **Additional Information**

You may find additional information about fraud alerts, security freezes, and suggestions you can take to protect yourself from identity theft or fraud by contacting the FTC or your state Attorney General.

The FTC provides suggestions for actions you may take in the event of identity theft at www.consumer.ftc.gov/features/feature-0014-identity-theft. You may also call the FTC for more information at 1-877-ID-THEFT (438-4338) (TTY: 1-866-653-4261), or write Identity Theft Clearinghouse, Federal Trade Commission, 600 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20580.

You may also review helpful sites to learn more about medical identity theft. Helpful information may be found in the Federal Trade Commission's What to Know About Medical Identity Theft Article for consumers, which can be found at https://consumer.ftc.gov/articles/what-know-about-medical-identity-theft.

**For California Residents**: Visit the California Privacy Protection Agency at www.cppa.ca.gov for additional information on protection against identity theft.

**For Maryland Residents**: You can find more information regarding steps to avoid identity theft from the Maryland Attorney General's Office: The Maryland Office of the Attorney General, Consumer Protection Division, 200 St. Paul Place, Baltimore, MD 21202, 1-888-743-0023, www.marylandattorneygeneral.gov.

**For North Carolina Residents**: The North Carolina Attorney General can be contacted at 9001 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, NC 27699-9001, 1-877-566-7226 or 1-919-716-6400, www.ncdoj.gov.

For New Mexico Residents: You have rights under the federal Fair Credit Reporting Act ("FCRA"), which include among other things, the right to know what is in your file, to dispute incomplete or inaccurate information, and to have consumer bureaus correct or delete inaccurate, incomplete, or unverifiable information. For further information about the FCRA, visit: http://files.consumerfinance.gov/f/201410 cfpb summary your-rights-under-fcra.pdf.

**For New York Residents**: The Attorney General may be contacted at: Office of the Attorney General, The Capitol, Albany, NY 12224-0341; 1-800-771-7755; www.ag.ny.gov.

**For Oregon Residents**: You can report suspected identity theft to the Oregon Attorney General at (877) 877-9392, (503) 378-4400, Oregon Department of Justice, 1162 Court Street NE, Salem, OR 97301-4096, or at www.doj.state.or.us.