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October 19, 2023

VIA E-MAIL

Office of the Attorney General
Attn: Security Breach Notification
200 St. Paul Place
Baltimore, MD 21202
E-mail: idtheft@oag.state.md.us

Re: Notice of Data Event

To Whom It May Concern:

We represent Great Companions, located at 1700 Albany Place SE, Orange City, IA 51041, and are writing to notify your office of a third-party event that may affect the security of certain personal information relating to approximately ninety-four (94) Maryland residents. This notice may be supplemented with any new significant facts learned subsequent to its submission. By providing this notice, Great Companions does not waive any rights or defenses regarding the applicability of Maryland law, the applicability of the Maryland data event notification statute, or personal jurisdiction.

Nature of the Data Event

CommerceV3 serves as the e-commerce platform host provider for Great Companions' website. On June 7, 2023, CommerceV3 informed Great Companions that between November 24, 2021 and December 14, 2022, an unauthorized actor gained access to CommerceV3's systems and may have acquired certain information, including information provided by Great Companions customers when placing an order on Great Companions' website during that time period.

Upon becoming aware of the CommerceV3 event, Great Companions launched an investigation into the nature and scope of the event. Great Companions also worked with CommerceV3 to confirm the extent and scope of the information potentially impacted and identify the individuals to whom such information relates. Great Companions completed this process on August 23, 2023, and then moved as quickly as possible to notify potentially affected individuals. The information

that could have been subject to unauthorized access or acquisition includes the following: name, billing address, payment card number, payment card CVV code, and payment card expiration date.

Notice to Maryland Residents

On October 19, 2023, Great Companions provided written notice of this event to potentially impacted individuals, including approximately ninety-four (94) Maryland residents. Written notice is being provided in substantially the same form as the letter attached here as ***Exhibit A***.

Other Steps Taken and To Be Taken

This event did not involve Great Companions' systems, computer environment, or any information stored or maintain by Great Companions. Rather this event only involved unauthorized access to CommerceV3's systems. Nonetheless, upon becoming aware of the event, Great Companions moved quickly to investigate and respond to the event, confirm the information reported by CommerceV3, and notify potentially impacted individuals. Great Companions also is providing access to credit monitoring services for twelve (12) months, through IDX, to individuals whose personal information was potentially affected by this event, at no cost to these individuals.

Additionally, Great Companions is providing impacted individuals with guidance on how to better protect against identity theft and fraud, including advising individuals to report any suspected incidents of identity theft or fraud to their credit card company and/or bank. Great Companions also is providing individuals with information on how to place fraud alerts and credit freezes on their credit file, the contact details for the national consumer reporting agencies, information on how to obtain a free credit report, a reminder to remain vigilant for incidents of fraud and identity theft by reviewing account statements and monitoring free credit reports, and encouragement to contact the Federal Trade Commission, their state Attorney General, and law enforcement to report attempted or actual identity theft and fraud.

Great Companions is providing written notice of this event to relevant state regulators, as necessary, and to the three major credit reporting agencies, Equifax, Experian, and TransUnion.

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Contact Information

Should you have any questions regarding this notification or other aspects of the data security event, please contact us at (267) 930-2303.

Very truly yours,

Lynda Jensen of
MULLEN COUGHLIN LLC

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Enclosure

EXHIBIT A



PO Box 480149
Niles, IL 60714

<<Full Name>>
<<Address 1>>
<<Address 2>>
<<City>>, <<State>> <<Zip>>
<<Country>>

Enrollment Code: <<XXXXXXXX>>

To Enroll, Scan the QR Code Below:



Or Visit:

<https://response.idx.us/RAHandGC>

October 19, 2023

<<Variable 4 (Notice of Security Incident/Data Breach)>>

Dear <<Full Name>>:

Great Companions is writing to inform you of an event that impacted our third-party e-commerce platform host provider, CommerceV3. As you may know, Revival Animal Health acquired Great Companions in March of 2007.

Our records reflect that you placed an order through Great Companions' e-commerce website between November 24, 2021 and December 14, 2022. Accordingly, you are receiving this notice because your information may have been impacted by the CommerceV3 event. This notice provides information about the event, our response, and resources available to you to help protect your information from possible misuse, should you feel it is necessary to do so.

What Happened. CommerceV3 recently informed Great Companions that between November 24, 2021 and December 14, 2022, an unauthorized actor gained access to CommerceV3's systems and may have acquired certain information, including information provided by Great Companions customers when placing an order on our website. Upon becoming aware of the event, Great Companions launched an investigation into the nature and scope of the event. Great Companions also worked with CommerceV3 to confirm the extent and scope of the information potentially impacted and identify the individuals to whom such information relates. Great Companions completed this process on August 23, 2023, and then moved as quickly as possible to notify potentially affected individuals.

What Information Was Involved. CommerceV3 identified your name, billing address, payment card number, payment card CVV code, and payment card expiration date as potentially impacted.

What We Are Doing. This event did not involve Great Companions systems, computer environment, or any information stored or maintained by Great Companions. Rather, this event only involved unauthorized access to CommerceV3's systems.

Nonetheless, the confidentiality, privacy, and security of our customers' information are among our highest priorities. Accordingly, upon becoming aware of the CommerceV3 event, we moved quickly to investigate and respond to the event, confirm the information reported by CommerceV3, and notify potentially affected individuals. We are notifying potentially affected individuals, including you, so that you may take further steps to best protect your information, should you feel it is necessary to do so. We regret any inconvenience or concern this event may cause. As an added precaution, we are offering credit and identity monitoring services through IDX, a ZeroFox Company, for twelve (12) months, at no cost to you.

What You Can Do. We encourage you to remain vigilant against incidents of identity theft and fraud by reviewing your account statements and credit reports for suspicious activity and to report any suspicious activity promptly to your bank or financial institution. Additional information and resources are included in the enclosed *Steps You Can Take To Protect Personal Information*. You may also enroll in the complimentary credit and identity monitoring services available to you. Enrollment instructions are attached to this letter.

For More Information. We understand that you may have questions about the CommerceV3 event that are not addressed in this letter. If you have additional questions, please call the dedicated assistance line at 1-888-867-2124, Monday through Friday from 9 am to 9 pm Eastern Time, excluding major U.S. holidays. Please have this letter ready if you call. Again, we take the privacy and security of our customers' information very seriously and sincerely regret any inconvenience or concern this event may cause you.

Sincerely,

Lynn Snodgrass
President and Chief Executive Officer
Revival Animal Health

STEPS YOU CAN TAKE TO PROTECT PERSONAL INFORMATION

Enroll in Monitoring Services

1. Website and Enrollment. Scan the QR image or go to <https://response.idx.us/RAHandGC> and follow the instructions for enrollment using your Enrollment Code provided at the top of the letter. Please note the deadline to enroll in services is January 19, 2024.

2. Activate the credit monitoring provided as part of your IDX identity protection membership. The monitoring included in the membership must be activated to be effective. Note: You must have established credit and access to a computer and the internet to use this service. If you need assistance, IDX will be able to assist you.

3. Telephone. Contact IDX at 1-888-867-2124 to gain additional information about this event and speak with knowledgeable representatives about the appropriate steps to take to protect your credit identity.

Monitor Your Accounts

Under U.S. law, a consumer is entitled to one free credit report annually from each of the three major credit reporting bureaus, Equifax, Experian, and TransUnion. To order a free credit report, visit www.annualcreditreport.com or call, toll-free, 1-877-322-8228. Consumers may also directly contact the three major credit reporting bureaus listed below to request a free copy of their credit report.

Consumers have the right to place an initial or extended “fraud alert” on a credit file at no cost. An initial fraud alert is a one-year alert that is placed on a consumer’s credit file. Upon seeing a fraud alert display on a consumer’s credit file, a business is required to take steps to verify the consumer’s identity before extending new credit. If consumers are the victim of identity theft, they are entitled to an extended fraud alert, which is a fraud alert lasting seven years. Should consumers wish to place a fraud alert, please contact any of the three major credit reporting bureaus listed below.

As an alternative to a fraud alert, consumers have the right to place a “credit freeze” on a credit report, which will prohibit a credit bureau from releasing information in the credit report without the consumer’s express authorization. The credit freeze is designed to prevent credit, loans, and services from being approved in a consumer’s name without consent. However, consumers should be aware that using a credit freeze to take control over who gets access to the personal and financial information in their credit report may delay, interfere with, or prohibit the timely approval of any subsequent request or application they make regarding a new loan, credit, mortgage, or any other account involving the extension of credit. Pursuant to federal law, consumers cannot be charged to place or lift a credit freeze on their credit report. To request a credit freeze, individuals may need to provide some or all of the following information:

1. Full name (including middle initial, as well as Jr., Sr., II, III, etc.);
2. Social Security number;
3. Date of birth;
4. Addresses for the prior two to five years;
5. Proof of current address, such as a current utility bill or telephone bill;
6. A legible photocopy of a government-issued identification card (state driver’s license or ID card, etc.); and
7. A copy of either the police report, investigative report, or complaint to a law enforcement agency concerning identity theft if they are a victim of identity theft.

Should consumers wish to place a fraud alert and a credit freeze, please contact the three major credit reporting bureaus listed below:

Equifax	Experian	TransUnion
https://www.equifax.com/personal/credit-report-services/	https://www.experian.com/help/	https://www.transunion.com/credit-help
1-888-298-0045	1-888-397-3742	1-800-916-8800
Equifax Fraud Alert, P.O. Box 105069 Atlanta, GA 30348-5069	Experian Fraud Alert, P.O. Box 9554, Allen, TX 75013	TransUnion Fraud Alert, P.O. Box 2000, Chester, PA 19016
Equifax Credit Freeze, P.O. Box 105788 Atlanta, GA 30348-5788	Experian Credit Freeze, P.O. Box 9554, Allen, TX 75013	TransUnion Credit Freeze, P.O. Box 160, Woodlyn, PA 19094

Additional Information

Consumers may further educate themselves regarding identity theft, fraud alerts, credit freezes, and the steps they can take to protect your personal information by contacting the consumer reporting bureaus, the Federal Trade Commission, or their state Attorney General. The Federal Trade Commission may be reached at: 600 Pennsylvania Avenue NW, Washington, D.C. 20580; www.identitytheft.gov; 1-877-ID-THEFT (1-877-438-4338); and TTY: 1-866-653-4261. The Federal Trade Commission also encourages those who discover that their information has been misused to file a complaint with them. Consumers can obtain further information on how to file such a complaint by way of the contact information listed above. Consumers have the right to file a police report if they ever experience identity theft or fraud. Please note that in order to file a report with law enforcement for identity theft, consumers will likely need to provide some proof that they have been a victim. Instances of known or suspected identity theft should also be reported to law enforcement and the relevant state Attorney General. This notice has not been delayed by law enforcement.

For District of Columbia residents, the District of Columbia Attorney General may be contacted at: 400 6th Street, NW, Washington, D.C. 20001; 1-202-727-3400; and oag.dc.gov.

For Maryland residents, the Maryland Attorney General may be contacted at: 200 St. Paul Place, 16th Floor, Baltimore, MD 21202; 1-410-528-8662 or 1-888-743-0023; and <https://www.marylandattorneygeneral.gov/>.

For New Mexico residents, consumers have rights pursuant to the Fair Credit Reporting Act, such as the right to be told if information in their credit file has been used against them, the right to know what is in their credit file, the right to ask for their credit score, and the right to dispute incomplete or inaccurate information. Further, pursuant to the Fair Credit Reporting Act, the consumer reporting bureaus must correct or delete inaccurate, incomplete, or unverifiable information; consumer reporting agencies may not report outdated negative information; access to consumers' files is limited; consumers must give consent for credit reports to be provided to employers; consumers may limit "prescreened" offers of credit and insurance based on information in their credit report; and consumers may seek damages from violators. Consumers may have additional rights under the Fair Credit Reporting Act not summarized here. Identity theft victims and active-duty military personnel have specific additional rights pursuant to the Fair Credit Reporting Act. We encourage consumers to review their rights pursuant to the Fair Credit Reporting Act by visiting www.consumerfinance.gov/f/201504_cfpb_summary_your-rights-under-fcra.pdf, or by writing Consumer Response Center, Room 130-A, Federal Trade Commission, 600 Pennsylvania Ave. N.W., Washington, D.C. 20580.

For New York residents, the New York Attorney General may be contacted at: Office of the Attorney General, The Capitol, Albany, NY 12224-0341; 1-800-771-7755; or <https://ag.ny.gov>.

For North Carolina residents, the North Carolina Attorney General may be contacted at: 9001 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, NC 27699-9001; 1-877-566-7226 or 1-919-716-6000; and www.ncdoj.gov.

For Rhode Island residents, the Rhode Island Attorney General may be reached at: 150 South Main Street, Providence, RI 02903; 1-401-274-4400; and www.riag.ri.gov. Under Rhode Island law, individuals have the right to obtain any police report filed in regard to this event. There are approximately <<#>> Rhode Island residents that may be impacted by this event.