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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 McCormick Taylor, Inc. (“McCormick Taylor”) located at 1818 Market Street, 16th Floor, Philadelphia, PA 19103, and are writing to notify your office of an incident that may affect the security of certain personal information relating to seventy-seven (77) Maryland residents. This notice will be supplemented with any new significant facts learned subsequent to its submission. By providing this notice, McCormick Taylor 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

On December 25, 2024, McCormick Taylor was alerted to suspicious activity on certain computer systems within its network. McCormick Taylor immediately launched an investigation to determine the nature and scope of the activity. The investigation determined that an unauthorized actor gained access to certain files within McCormick Taylor’s network from December 16, 2024, to December 27, 2024, and may have acquired those files. Thereafter, McCormick Taylor undertook a comprehensive review of the potentially impacted files to determine what information was present and to whom it related. On February 6, 2025, McCormick Taylor finalized this review. To date, McCormick Taylor has not seen evidence of any fraudulent use of any of the data involved in this event.

The notified individuals are current or former employees of McCormick Taylor. The potentially impacted information was gathered as part of their employment with McCormick Taylor. If the

individual was hired before 2020, the potentially impacted information includes name and Social Security number. If the individual was hired from 2020 on, the potentially impacted information includes name, Social Security number, driver's license number, and health information.

Notice to Maryland Residents

On March 18, 2025, McCormick Taylor began providing written notice of this incident to seventy-seven (77) 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

Upon discovering the event, McCormick Taylor moved quickly to investigate and respond to the incident, assess the security of McCormick Taylor systems, and identify potentially affected individuals. McCormick Taylor is continuing to build upon its existing security protocols as part of its ongoing commitment to information security. McCormick Taylor is providing access to credit monitoring services for twenty-four (24) months through Experian, to individuals whose personal information was potentially affected by this incident, at no cost to these individuals.

Additionally, McCormick Taylor is providing impacted individuals with guidance on how to better protect against identity theft and fraud. McCormick Taylor is providing individuals with information on how to place a fraud alert and security freeze on one's 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.

McCormick Taylor is providing written notice of this incident to relevant state regulators, as necessary.

Contact Information

Should you have any questions regarding this notification or other aspects of the data security event, please contact us at (267) 930-2085.

Very truly yours,



Thomas Moran of
MULLEN COUGHLIN LLC

EXHIBIT A



Return Mail Processing
PO Box 999
Suwanee, GA 30024

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March 18, 2025

NOTICE OF [Extra1]

Dear Sample A. Sample:

McCormick Taylor, Inc. (“McCormick Taylor”) is writing to notify you of an incident that involved your personal information. This letter provides details of the incident, our response, and steps you may take to help protect against the possible misuse of your information should you feel it is appropriate to do so.

What Happened? On December 25, 2024, McCormick Taylor was alerted to suspicious activity on certain computer systems within its network. McCormick Taylor immediately launched an investigation to determine the nature and scope of the activity. The investigation determined that an unauthorized actor gained access to certain files within McCormick Taylor’s network from December 16, 2024, to December 27, 2024, and may have acquired those files. Thereafter, McCormick Taylor undertook a comprehensive review of the potentially impacted files to determine what information was present and to whom it related. On February 6, 2025, McCormick Taylor finalized this review and determined that information related to you was present in the data involved. To date, McCormick Taylor has not seen evidence of any fraudulent use of any of the data involved in this event.

What Information Was Involved? The impacted information was gathered as part of your employment with McCormick Taylor. If you were an employee hired before 2020, the potentially impacted information in this incident includes your name and Social Security number. If you were hired from 2020 on, the potentially impacted information includes your name, Social Security number, driver’s license number, and health information.

What We Are Doing. Upon discovery of the event, McCormick Taylor conducted a diligent investigation to confirm the full nature and scope of the incident, secured its network environment, and conducted a comprehensive review of the information potentially affected. McCormick Taylor is continuing to build upon its existing security protocols as part of its ongoing commitment to information security. In addition to notifying you, McCormick Taylor will be notifying applicable state regulators.

As an added precaution, McCormick Taylor is providing you with access to credit monitoring services for twenty-four months at no cost to you through Experian. Information on these services, and instructions on how to activate them, may be found in the enclosed *Steps You Can Take to Help Protect Your Personal Information*. Please note that you must complete the enrollment process as we are not permitted to enroll you in these services.

What You Can Do. We encourage you to remain vigilant against incidents of identity theft and fraud by reviewing your account statements and monitoring your free credit reports for suspicious activity and to detect errors. You may also review the information contained in the enclosed *Steps You Can Take to Help Protect Your Personal Information*. There you will also find more information on the complimentary credit monitoring and identity theft protection services we are making available to you.

For More Information. We understand you may have questions about the incident that are not addressed in this letter. If you have questions, please call 833-918-6034 Monday through Friday from 9 am – 9 pm Eastern time, excluding holidays. You may also write to McCormick Taylor at 1818 Market Street, 16th Floor, Philadelphia, PA 19103.

Sincerely,

Patrick J. Guise

STEPS YOU CAN TAKE TO HELP PROTECT YOUR PERSONAL INFORMATION

Enroll in Monitoring Services

To help protect your identity, we are offering complimentary access to Experian IdentityWorksSM for twenty-four months.

If you believe there was fraudulent use of your information as a result of this event and would like to discuss how you may be able to resolve those issues, please reach out to an Experian agent. If, after discussing your situation with an agent, it is determined that identity restoration support is needed then an Experian Identity Restoration agent is available to work with you to investigate and resolve each incident of fraud that occurred from the date of the event (including, as appropriate, helping you with contacting credit grantors to dispute charges and close accounts; assisting you in placing a freeze on your credit file with the three major credit bureaus; and assisting you with contacting government agencies to help restore your identity to its proper condition).

Please note that Identity Restoration is available to you for twenty-four months from the date of this letter and does not require any action on your part at this time. The Terms and Conditions for this offer are located at www.ExperianIDWorks.com/restoration.

While identity restoration assistance is immediately available to you, we also encourage you to activate the fraud detection tools available through Experian IdentityWorksSM as a complimentary twenty-for month membership. This product provides you with superior identity detection and resolution of identity theft. To start monitoring your personal information, please follow the steps below:

- Ensure that you **enroll by June 30, 2025** (Your code will not work after this date.)
- **Visit** the Experian IdentityWorksSM website to enroll: www.experianidworks.com/credit
- Provide your **activation code**: ABCDEFGHI

If you have questions about the product, need assistance with Identity Restoration that arose as a result of this event, or would like an alternative to enrolling in Experian IdentityWorksSM online, please contact Experian's customer care team at 833-918-6034 by June 30, 2025. Be prepared to provide engagement number B142223 as proof of eligibility for the Identity Restoration services by Experian.

Additional Details Regarding Your 24-Month Experian Identity Works Membership

A credit card is not required for enrollment in Experian IdentityWorksSM. You can contact Experian immediately regarding any fraud issues, and have access to the following features once you enroll in Experian IdentityWorksSM:

- **Experian credit report at signup:** See what information is associated with your credit file. Daily credit reports are available for online members only.¹
- **Credit Monitoring:** Actively monitors Experian file for indicators of fraud.
- **Identity Restoration:** Identity Restoration specialists are immediately available to help you address credit and non-credit related fraud.
- **Experian IdentityWorksSM ExtendCARETM:** You receive the same high-level of Identity Restoration support even after your Experian IdentityWorksSM membership has expired.
- **\$1 Million Identity Theft Insurance²:** Provides coverage for certain costs and unauthorized electronic fund transfers.

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.

¹ Offline members will be eligible to call for additional reports quarterly after enrolling.

² The Identity Theft Insurance is underwritten and administered by American Bankers Insurance Company of Florida, an Assurant company. Please refer to the actual policies for terms, conditions, and exclusions of coverage. Coverage may not be available in all jurisdictions.

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 1-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 credit freeze or fraud alert, 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	1-833-799-5355
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, DC 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 Maryland residents, the Maryland Attorney General may be contacted at: 200 St. Paul Place, 16th Floor, Baltimore, MD 21202; 1-410-576-6300 or 1-888-743-0023; and <https://www.marylandattorneygeneral.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.