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Via First-Class Mail

April 11, 2025

Notice of Data <<Variable Text 3: Variable Header>>>

Dear <<<First Name>> <<Last Name>>:

US Claims Capital, LLC ("US Claims") writes to inform you of a recent event that may impact some of your personal information. US Claims takes this event seriously and the privacy, security, and confidentiality of information in our care is among our highest priorities. While US Claims is not aware of any actual or attempted misuse of your information to perpetrate fraud, out of an abundance of caution, we are providing you with an overview of the event, our response, and resources to help further protect your information, should you feel it necessary to do so.

What Happened?

On or about January 7, 2025, US Claims became aware of suspicious activity within its network environment. Upon becoming aware, US Claims promptly began an investigation into the scope and nature of the suspicious activity and retained legal counsel and third-party forensic specialists to investigate the suspicious activity. US Claims then began a comprehensive review of the data set to determine what sensitive and/or personal information was impacted and to whom it related. On March 25, 2025, US Claims finished its review of the impacted information. That investigation revealed that certain information related to you may have been acquired by an unauthorized individual as part of the event.

What Information Was Involved?

As a result of the investigation, US Claims determined that the information related to you that may have been downloaded without authorization as a result of the event consists of your name and <<Variable Text: Consolidated PII & PHI>>.

What We Are Doing.

The confidentiality, privacy, and security of information in our care are among our highest priorities. Upon becoming aware of the event, we moved promptly to investigate and respond to the event 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. As an added precaution, we are providing you with access to identity theft protection services through IDX, the data breach and recovery services expert. IDX identity protection services include: <<12/24>>> months of credit and CyberScan monitoring, a \$1,000,000 insurance reimbursement policy, and fully managed ID theft recovery services. With this protection, IDX will help you resolve issues if your identity is compromised. While US Claims is covering the cost of these services, you will need to complete the activation process yourself.

What You Can Do.

You can learn more about how to help protect you against potential information misuse in the enclosed *Steps You Can Take To Help Protect Personal Information*. There, you will find instructions on how to activate in the complimentary credit monitoring. We also encourage you to remain vigilant against incidents of identity theft and fraud by reviewing your account statements and credits reports for suspicious activity, and to report any suspicious activity promptly to your bank, credit card company, or other applicable institution.

We encourage you to contact IDX with any questions and to enroll in the free identity protection services by calling 1-877-312-4807, going to <u>https://app.idx.us/account-creation/protect</u>, or scanning the QR image and using the Enrollment Code provided above. IDX representatives are available Monday through Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. Eastern Time. Please note the deadline to enroll is July 11, 2025.

The enrollment requires an internet connection and e-mail account. Once enrolled you will have <<12/24>> months of monitoring services. At the end of <<12/24>> months, the services will be deactivated. Please note that when signing up for monitoring services, you may be asked to verify personal information for your own protection to confirm your identity.

For More Information.

We understand that you may have questions about this event that are not addressed in this letter. If you have additional questions, please call the dedicated assistance line at 1-877-312-4807, Monday through Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. Eastern Time, excluding major U.S. holidays. Please have this letter ready if you call.

Sincerely,

US Claims Capital, LLC

Steps You Can Take To Help Protect Personal Information

Enroll in Monitoring Services

1. Website and Enrollment. Scan the QR image or go to <u>https://app.idx.us/account-creation/protect</u> and follow the instructions for enrollment using your Enrollment Code provided at the top of the letter.

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 1-877-312-4807 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 <u>www.annualcreditreport.com</u> 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 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/	https://www.experian.com/help/	https://www.transunion.com/credit-
credit-report-services/		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
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Equifax Credit Freeze, P.O. Box	Experian Credit Freeze,	TransUnion Credit Freeze, P.O. Box
105788 Atlanta, GA 30348-5788	P.O. Box 9554, Allen, TX 75013	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; <u>www.identitytheft.gov</u>; 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 Attorney General may be contacted at the Office of the Attorney General for the District of Columbia, 441 4th Street NW, Washington, DC 20001, 1-202-727-3400, <u>www.oag.dc.gov</u>.

For Maryland residents, you may also may also wish to review information provided by the Maryland Attorney General on how to avoid identity theft at <u>https://www.marylandattorneygeneral.gov/Pages/IdentityTheft/default.aspx</u>, or by sending an email to <u>idtheft@oag.state.md.us</u>, or calling 410-576-6491. US Claims Holdings is located at 4850 T-Rex Ave Suite 101, boca Raton, FL 33431 and can be reached at 866-252-3139.

For New Mexico residents, state law advises you to review personal account statements and credit reports, as applicable, to detect errors resulting from the security breach. You also have rights pursuant to the Fair Credit Reporting Act, such as the right to be told if information in your credit file has been used against you, the right to know what is in your credit file, the right to ask for your credit score, and the right to dispute incomplete or inaccurate information. Further, pursuant to the Fair Credit Reporting Act, the consumer reporting agencies must correct or delete inaccurate, incomplete, or unverifiable information; consumer reporting agencies may not report outdated negative information; access to your file is limited; you must give your consent for credit reports to be provided to employers; you may limit "prescreened" offers of credit and insurance you get based on information in your 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 at <u>www.consumerfinance.gov/f/201504_cfpb_summary_your-rights-under-fcra.pdf</u> 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, you may contact and obtain information from these state agencies: New York Department of State Division of Consumer Protection, One Commerce Plaza, 99 Washington Ave., Albany, NY 12231-0001, 518-474-8583 / 1-800-697-1220, <u>http://www.dos.ny.gov/consumerprotection</u>; and New York State Office of the Attorney General, The Capitol, Albany, NY 12224-0341, 1-800-771-7755, <u>https://ag.ny.gov</u>

For North Carolina residents, the Attorney General can be contacted at 9001 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, NC 27699-9001, 1-877-566-7226 or 1-919-716-6400, and www.ncdoj.gov. You may also obtain information about steps vou can take to prevent identify theft from the North Carolina Attorney General at https://ncdoj.gov/protecting-consumers/protecting-vour-identity/protect-vourself-from-id-theft/.

For Rhode Island residents, this data event involves 143 individuals in Rhode Island. Under Rhode Island law, you have the right to file and obtain a copy of a police report. You also have the right to request a security freeze, as described above. You may contact and obtain information from your state attorney general at: Rhode Island Attorney General's Office, 150 South Main Street, Providence, RI 02903, 1-401-274-4400, <u>www.riag.ri.gov</u>.

For Vermont Residents: If you do not have internet access but would like to learn more about how to place a security freeze on your credit report, contact the Vermont Attorney General's Office at 802-656-3183 (800-649-2424 toll free in Vermont only).