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Re: Notice of Data Security Incident

Dear <<first_name>> <<middle_name>> <<last_name>> <<suffix>>,

I am writing to inform you of a data security incident experienced by Ranch and Home Supply, LLC dba Murdoch's Ranch & Home Supply ("MRHS") that may have affected your personal information. MRHS takes the privacy and security of all information within its possession very seriously. That is why we are writing to inform you of this incident, to offer you complimentary identity monitoring services, and to provide you with information about steps that can be taken to help further protect your personal information.

What Happened? On October 29, 2019, we detected unusual activity in an MRHS employee email account. Upon discovering this activity, we immediately took steps to secure the account and launched an investigation. In connection therewith, we engaged a leading, independent forensics firm to determine what happened and whether sensitive information was accessed or acquired without authorization as a result. As a result of this investigation, we learned that an unauthorized individual gained access to certain MRHS employee email accounts. We then conducted a review of the accounts likely to contain sensitive information and, on February 11, 2020, learned that the MRHS email accounts accessed without authorization contained some of your personal information which may have been viewed or downloaded by the unauthorized individual. We then worked diligently to identify address information necessary for notification.

Please note that this unauthorized access was limited to information transmitted via email and did not affect any other information systems. Moreover, please note that we are not aware of the misuse of any of your personal information.

What Information Was Involved? The following information may have been impacted: <<b2b_text_1(ImpactedData/ClientStatement)>><<b2b_text_2(ImpactedData/ClientStatement)>>.

What Are We Doing? As soon as we discovered this incident, we took the measures referenced above. We also implemented enhanced security measures to our email system in order to better safeguard all personal information in our possession and to help prevent a similar incident from occurring in the future. Finally, out of an abundance of caution, we are now offering you complimentary identity monitoring services for one year through Kroll, a global leader in risk mitigation and response. These services include Credit Monitoring, \$1 Million Identity Fraud Loss Reimbursement, Fraud Consultation, and Identity Theft Restoration.

What Can You Do? We recommend that you activate your complimentary Kroll services. Activation instructions and a description of the services being provided are included with this letter. We also recommend that you review the guidance included with this letter about how to help protect your personal information.

For More Information. Further information and resources regarding the protection of your personal information appear on the following page. If you have questions or need assistance, please contact Kroll at [1-800-368-8777](tel:1-800-368-8777), Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Central Time, excluding major US holidays. Kroll representatives are fully versed on this incident and can answer any questions you may have regarding the safeguarding of your personal information.

Our customers and employees are like family to us. That's why we take the privacy and security of your personal information so seriously. Please accept our sincerest apologies for any worry or inconvenience that this incident may cause you, and rest assured that we are working to make it better.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Rick Ungersma". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "R".

Rick Ungersma
President - CEO
Murdoch's Ranch and Home Supply

STEPS YOU CAN TAKE TO FURTHER PROTECT YOUR INFORMATION

Review Your Account Statements and Notify Law Enforcement of Suspicious Activity: As a precautionary measure, we recommend that you remain vigilant by reviewing your account statements and credit reports closely. If you detect any suspicious activity on an account, you should promptly notify the financial institution or company with which the account is maintained. You also should promptly report any fraudulent activity or any suspected incidence of identity theft to proper law enforcement authorities, your state attorney general, and/or the Federal Trade Commission (FTC).

Copy of Credit Report: You may obtain a free copy of your credit report from each of the three major credit reporting agencies once every 12 months by visiting <http://www.annualcreditreport.com/>, calling toll-free 877-322-8228, or by completing an Annual Credit Report Request Form and mailing it to Annual Credit Report Request Service, P.O. Box 105281, Atlanta, GA 30348. You can print this form at <https://www.annualcreditreport.com/cra/requestformfinal.pdf>. You also can contact one of the following three national credit reporting agencies:

| TransUnion | Experian | Equifax | Free Annual Report |
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| P.O. Box 1000 | P.O. Box 9532 | P.O. Box 105851 | P.O. Box 105281 |
| Chester, PA 19016 | Allen, TX 75013 | Atlanta, GA 30348 | Atlanta, GA 30348 |
| 1-877-322-8228 | 1-888-397-3742 | 1-800-525-6285 | 1-877-322-8228 |
| www.transunion.com | www.experian.com | www.equifax.com | annualcreditreport.com |

Fraud Alert: You may want to consider placing a fraud alert on your credit report. An initial fraud alert is free and will stay on your credit file for one (1) year. The alert informs creditors of possible fraudulent activity within your report and requests that the creditor contact you prior to establishing any accounts in your name. To place a fraud alert on your credit report, contact any of the three credit reporting agencies identified above. Additional information is available at <http://www.annualcreditreport.com>.

Security Freeze: You have the right to put a security freeze on your credit file. This will prevent new credit from being opened in your name without the use of a PIN number that is issued to you when you initiate the freeze. A security freeze is designed to prevent potential creditors from accessing your credit report without your consent. As a result, using a security freeze may interfere with or delay your ability to obtain credit. You must separately place a security freeze on your credit file with each credit reporting agency. There is no charge to place, lift or remove the security freeze. In order to place a security freeze, you may be required to provide the consumer reporting agency with information that identifies you including your full name, Social Security number, date of birth, current and previous addresses, a copy of your state-issued identification card, and a recent utility bill, bank statement or insurance statement.

Additional Free Resources: You can obtain information from the consumer reporting agencies, the FTC or from your respective state Attorney General about steps you can take toward preventing identity theft. You may report suspected identity theft to local law enforcement, including to the FTC or to the Attorney General in your state. Residents of Maryland, North Carolina, and Rhode Island can obtain more information from their Attorneys General using the contact information below.

Federal Trade Commission
600 Pennsylvania Ave, NW
Washington, DC 20580
consumer.ftc.gov, and
www.ftc.gov/idtheft
1-877-438-4338

You also have certain rights under the Fair Credit Reporting Act (FCRA), including: to know what is in your file; to dispute incomplete or inaccurate information; to have consumer reporting agencies correct or delete inaccurate, incomplete, or unverifiable information, as well as others. For more information about the FCRA, and your rights pursuant to the FCRA, please visit http://files.consumerfinance.gov/f/201504_cfpb_summary_your-rights-under-fcra.pdf.

As referenced above, we have secured the services of Kroll to provide credit monitoring and identity theft restoration services at no cost to you. Kroll is a global leader in risk mitigation and response, and the Kroll team has extensive experience helping people who have sustained an unintentional exposure of confidential data. Your services¹ include Credit Monitoring, \$1 Million Identity Fraud Loss Reimbursement, Fraud Consultation, and Identity Theft Restoration.

How to Activate Your Services

Visit [https://\[IDMonitoringURL\]](https://[IDMonitoringURL]) to activate and take advantage of your identity monitoring services.

You have until [\[Date\]](#) to activate your identity monitoring services.

Membership Number: <<Member ID>>

If you have questions, please call 1-???-???-????, Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Central Time, excluding major U.S. holidays.

Take Advantage of Your Services

You've been provided with access to the following services from Kroll:

Single Bureau Credit Monitoring

You will receive alerts when there are changes to your credit data—for instance, when a new line of credit is applied for in your name. If you do not recognize the activity, you'll have the option to call a Kroll fraud specialist, who can help you determine if it's an indicator of identity theft.

\$1 Million Identity Fraud Loss Reimbursement

Reimburses you for out-of-pocket expenses totaling up to \$1 million in covered legal costs and expenses for any one stolen identity event. All coverage is subject to the conditions and exclusions in the policy.

Fraud Consultation

You have unlimited access to consultation with a Kroll fraud specialist. Support includes showing you the most effective ways to protect your identity, explaining your rights and protections under the law, assistance with fraud alerts, and interpreting how personal information is accessed and used, including investigating suspicious activity that could be tied to an identity theft event.

Identity Theft Restoration

If you become a victim of identity theft, an experienced Kroll licensed investigator will work on your behalf to resolve related issues. You will have access to a dedicated investigator who understands your issues and can do most of the work for you. Your investigator can dig deep to uncover the scope of the identity theft, and then work to resolve it.

¹ Kroll's activation website is only compatible with the current version or one version earlier of Chrome, Firefox, Safari and Edge. To receive credit services, you must be over the age of 18 and have established credit in the U.S., have a Social Security number in your name, and have a U.S. residential address associated with your credit file.