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VIA E-MAIL (ATTORNEYGENERAL@DOJ.NH.GOV) AND FEDERAL EXPRESS

Attorney General Gordon J. MacDonald Office of the Attorney General Attn: Security Incident Notification 33 Capitol Street Concord, NH 03301

Re: Notification of a Computer Security Incident Involving Personal

Information Pursuant to N.H. Rev. Stat. § 359-C:20

Dear Attorney General MacDonald:

We represent Milestones Financial Planning, LLC d/b/a Fox & Company Wealth Management ("Fox & Company") in connection with an incident that involved the personal information of one (1) New Hampshire resident, and provide this notice on behalf of Fox & Company pursuant to N.H. Rev. Stat. § 359-C:20(I)(b). This notice will be supplemented, if necessary, with any new significant facts discovered subsequent to its submission. While Fox & Company is notifying you of this incident, Fox & Company does not waive any rights or defenses relating to the incident or this notice, or the applicability of New Hampshire law on personal jurisdiction.

NATURE OF THE SECURITY INCIDENT OR UNAUTHORIZED ACCESS

Fox & Company recently learned that an unauthorized third party gained access to certain employees' email accounts from March 5, 2020 until March 9, 2020. Fox & Company is not aware of any fraud or identity theft to any individual as a result of this incident. Nevertheless, because there were two (2) email accounts that may have been accessed, and Fox & Company cannot confirm exactly what, if any, information may have been obtained by the third party, Fox & Company searched the impacted accounts to determine if they contained any personal information. Fox & Company determined that the email accounts contained certain personal information, including the New Hampshire resident's name and Social Security number.

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NUMBER OF NEW HAMPSHIRE RESIDENTS AFFECTED

On May 1, 2020, Fox & Company confirmed that the incident may have impacted one (1) New Hampshire resident. Fox & Company is notifying the impacted resident of the situation by letter today, May 27, 2020, via first-class, United States mail. The notification letter includes an offer for one (1) year of complimentary credit monitoring and identity theft protection. Enclosed is sample of the notice letter that is being sent to the impacted New Hampshire resident.

STEPS TAKEN RELATING TO THE INCIDENT

Upon learning of the incident, Fox & Company promptly contained the incident by securing the email accounts to prevent further access. It also engaged a forensic security firm to investigate and confirm the security of its email and computer systems. Fox & Company is undertaking efforts to reduce the risk of a similar incident occurring in the future, including retraining employees and implementing multi-factor authentication. Finally, as discussed above, Fox & Company is notifying impacted individuals and providing them with information on how they can protect themselves against fraudulent activity and identity theft.

CONTACT INFORMATION

Please contact me if you have any questions or if I can provide you with any further information concerning this matter.

Very truly yours,

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Enclosure





May 27, 2020

Dear

Fox & Company Wealth Management ("Fox & Company") values and respects the privacy of your information, which is why we are writing to advise you of a recent incident that may have involved some of your personal information. We have no reason to believe that your personal information has been misused for the purpose of committing fraud or identity theft or that any of your personal information was actually viewed or acquired by any unauthorized party. Nonetheless, we are writing to advise you about the incident and to provide you with guidance on what you can do to protect yourself, should you feel it is appropriate to do so.

We recently learned that an unauthorized third party gained access to certain Fox & Company employees' email accounts that contained some of your personal information. Upon learning of the incident, we promptly contained the incident by securing the email accounts to prevent further access. We also engaged a forensic security firm to investigate and confirm the security of our email and computer systems. On May 1, 2020, we confirmed that the accounts contained personal information that included your name and Social Security number.

Although we are not aware of any instances of fraud or identity theft, we are offering a complimentary one-year membership of Experian IdentityWorksSM Credit 3B. This product helps detect possible misuse of your personal information and provides you with identity protection services focused on immediate identification and resolution of identity theft. IdentityWorks Credit 3B is completely free to you, and enrolling in this program will not hurt your credit score. For more information on identity theft prevention and IdentityWorks Credit 3B, including instructions on how to activate your complimentary one-year membership, please see the additional information provided in this letter.

We value the trust you place in us to protect your privacy and take our responsibility to safeguard personal information seriously, and apologize for any inconvenience or concern this incident might cause. For further information and assistance, please call (866) 229-4157 from Monday – Friday, 9:00am – 7:00pm EDT.

Sincerely,

Michelle Neiswender, MBA, CFP Partner and Financial Planner

Fox & Company Wealth Management

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To help protect your identity, we are offering a **complimentary** one-year membership of Experian IdentityWorks Credit 3B. This product helps detect possible misuse of your personal information and provides you with superior identity protection support focused on immediate identification and resolution of identity theft.

Activate IdentityWorks Credit 3B Now in Three Easy Steps

- 1. ENROLL by: August 17, 2020 (Your code will not work after this date.)
- 2. VISIT the Experian Identity Works website to enroll: https://www.experianidworks.com/3bcredit
- 3. PROVIDE the Activation Code:

If you have questions about the product, need assistance with identity restoration or would like an alternative to enrolling in Experian IdentityWorks online, please contact Experian's customer care team at 877-288-8057. Be prepared to provide engagement number as proof of eligibility for the identity restoration services by Experian.

ADDITIONAL DETAILS REGARDING YOUR 12-MONTH EXPERIAN IDENTITYWORKS CREDIT 3B MEMBERSHIP:

A credit card is **not** required for enrollment in Experian IdentityWorks Credit 3B.

You can contact Experian immediately without needing to enroll in the product regarding any fraud issues. Identity Restoration specialists are available to help you address credit and non-credit related fraud.

Once you enroll in Experian IdentityWorks, you will have access to the following additional features:

- Experian credit report at signup: See what information is associated with your credit file. Daily credit reports are available for online members only.*
- Credit Monitoring: Actively monitors Experian, Equifax and Transunion files for indicators of fraud.
- Experian IdentityWorks ExtendCARETM: You receive the same high-level of Identity Restoration support even after your Experian IdentityWorks membership has expired.
- Up to \$1 Million Identity Theft Insurance**: Provides coverage for certain costs and unauthorized electronic fund transfers.

Activate your membership today at https://www.experianidworks.com/3bcredit or call 877-288-8057 to register with the activation code above.

What you can do to protect your information: There are additional actions you can consider taking to reduce the chances of identity theft or fraud on your account(s). Please refer to www.ExperianIDWorks.com/restoration for this information. If you have any questions about IdentityWorks, need help understanding something on your credit report or suspect that an item on your credit report may be fraudulent, please contact Experian's customer care team at 877-288-8057.

^{*} Offline members will be eligible to call for additional reports quarterly after enrolling.

^{**} Identity theft insurance is underwritten by insurance company subsidiaries or affiliates of American International Group, Inc. (AIG). The description herein is a summary and intended for informational purposes only and does not include all terms, conditions and exclusions of the policies described. Please refer to the actual policies for terms, conditions, and exclusions of coverage. Coverage may not be available in all jurisdictions.

Additional Important Information

As a precautionary measure, we recommend that you remain vigilant to protect against potential fraud and/or identity theft by, among other things, reviewing your account statements and monitoring 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 should also promptly report any fraudulent activity or any suspected incidents of identity theft to proper law enforcement authorities, including the police and your state's attorney general, as well as the Federal Trade Commission ("FTC").

You may wish to review the tips provided by the FTC on fraud alerts, security/credit freezes and steps you can take to avoid identity theft. For more information and to contact the FTC, please visit www.ftc.gov/idtheft or call 1-877-ID-THEFT (1-877-438-4338). You may also contact the FTC at Federal Trade Commission, 600 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20580.

<u>Credit Reports</u>: You may obtain a free copy of your credit report once every 12 months from each of the three national credit reporting agencies by visiting <u>www.annualcreditreport.com</u>, by calling toll-free 1-877-322-8228, 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 a copy of the request form at https://www.annualcreditreport.com/manualRequestForm.action.

Alternatively, you may elect to purchase a copy of your credit report by contacting one of the three national credit reporting agencies. Contact information for the three national credit reporting agencies for the purpose of requesting a copy of your credit report or for general inquiries is as follows:

Equifax	Experian	TransUnion
1-866-349-5191	1-888-397-3742	1-800-888-4213
www.equifax.com	www.experian.com	www.transunion.com
P.O. Box 740241	P.O. Box 9554	P.O. Box 1000
Atlanta, GA 30374	Allen, TX 75013	Chester, PA 19016

Fraud Alerts: You may want to consider placing a fraud alert on your credit report. A fraud alert is free and will stay on your credit report 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 new accounts in your name. To place a fraud alert on your credit report, contact any of the three national credit reporting agencies using the contact information listed above. Additional information is available at www.annualcreditreport.com.

<u>Credit and Security Freezes</u>: You may have the right to place a credit freeze, also known as a security freeze, on your credit file, so that no new credit can be opened in your name without the use of a PIN number that is issued to you when you initiate the freeze. A credit freeze is designed to prevent potential credit grantors from accessing your credit report without your consent. If you place a credit freeze, potential creditors and other third parties will not be able to get access to your credit report unless you temporarily lift the freeze. Therefore, using a credit freeze may delay your ability to obtain credit. Unlike a fraud alert, you must separately place a credit freeze on your credit file at each credit reporting company. Since the instructions for how to establish a credit freeze differ from state to state, please contact the three major credit reporting companies as specified below to find out more information:

Equifax Security Freeze 1-888-298-0045	Experian Security Freeze 1-888-397-3742	TransUnion Security Freeze 1-888-909-8872
www.equifax.com P.O. Box 105788	www.experian.com P.O. Box 9554	www.transunion.com P.O. Box 160
Atlanta, GA 30348	Allen, TX 75013	Woodlyn, PA 19094

Individuals interacting with credit reporting agencies have rights under the Fair Credit Reporting Act. We encourage you to review your rights under the Fair Credit Reporting Act by visiting www.consumerfinance.gov/f/201504_cfpb_summary_vour-rights-under-fcra.pdf, or by requesting information in writing from the Consumer Response Center, Room 130-A, Federal Trade Commission, 600 Pennsylvania Ave. NW, Washington, DC 20580.

Maryland Residents: Maryland residents can contact the Office of the Attorney General to obtain information about steps you can take to avoid identity theft from the Maryland Attorney General's office at: Office of the Attorney General, 200 St. Paul Place, Baltimore, MD 21202, (888) 743-0023, http://www.marylandattorneygeneral.gov/.

North Carolina Residents: North Carolina residents can obtain information about preventing identity theft from the North Carolina Attorney General's Office at: North Carolina Attorney General's Office, Consumer Protection Division, 9001 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, NC 27699-9001; 877-5-NO-SCAM (Toll-free within North Carolina); 919-716-6000; www.ncdoj.gov.

New York State Residents: New York residents can obtain information about preventing identity theft from the New York Attorney General's Office at: Office of the Attorney General for the State of New York, Bureau of Consumer Frauds & Protection, The Capitol, Albany, New York 12224-0341; https://ag.ny.gov/consumer-frauds/identity-theft; (800) 771-7755.