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RE: Important Security Notification
Please read this entire letter.

Dear Sample A. Sample:

We are contacting you regarding a data security incident that has recently occurred at Embree Capital Markets Group, Inc. Embree recently discovered that its information system was attacked by malware that prohibited access to certain files. Upon discovery, Embree immediately notified the Federal Bureau of Investigation and began its own investigation, which included working with third-party forensic investigators, to determine the full nature and scope of the incident and to further secure Embree's network. The attackers sent a list of files they allegedly downloaded from Embree's network and demanded a large ransom payment to restore the network and release the files. Because of robust backups, Embree quickly restored all of its systems to secure, full functionality.

There is no evidence that any personal information on Embree's network was actually accessed or retrieved by the attackers. In fact, the list of files sent to Embree by the attackers as proof of what was allegedly taken did not contain any files with personal information. It is, however, remotely possible that some personal information located elsewhere on Embree's network may have been accessible to the hackers. Again, this notice is sent out of an extreme abundance of caution—there is no indication that any of your personal information was actually accessed or retrieved by the attackers.

You may be affected as a current or former investor with Embree. The data that may have been exposed includes tax or financial documents that may have personal identifiable information, such as social security numbers or bank routing numbers. Embree has taken every step necessary to address the incident. It is guarding against future attacks with tightened security and increased monitoring, including requiring multi-factor authentication for all logins and moving sensitive information to a secure cloud storage solution with limited access.

What we are doing to protect your information:

To help protect your identity, we are offering a complimentary 24-month membership of Experian's® IdentityWorksSM. This product provides you with superior identity detection and resolution of identity theft. To activate your membership and start monitoring your personal information please follow the steps below:

- Ensure that you **enroll by: February 28, 2022** (Your code will not work after this date.)
- **Visit** the Experian IdentityWorks website to enroll: <https://www.experianidworks.com/credit>
- Provide your **activation code: ABCDEFGHI**

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 (888) 451-6562 by **February 28, 2022**. Be prepared to provide engagement number **B021656** as proof of eligibility for the identity restoration services by Experian.

ADDITIONAL DETAILS REGARDING YOUR 24-MONTH EXPERIAN IDENTITYWORKS MEMBERSHIP:

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

You can contact Experian **immediately** regarding any fraud issues, and have access to the following features once you enroll in Experian IdentityWorks:

- **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 file for indicators of fraud.
- **Identity Restoration:** Identity Restoration agents are immediately available to help you address credit and non-credit related fraud.
- **Experian IdentityWorks ExtendCARE™:** 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.

If you believe there was fraudulent use of your information and would like to discuss how you may be able to resolve those issues, please reach out to an Experian agent at (888) 451-6562. 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 (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 this Identity Restoration support is available to you for 24 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. You will also find self-help tips and information about identity protection at this site.

We sincerely apologize for this incident and regret any inconvenience it may cause you. Should you have questions or concerns regarding this matter, please do not hesitate to contact us at (888) 451-6562.

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

** 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.