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<<First Name>> <<Last Name>> <<Address1>> <<Address2>> <<City>>, <<State>> <<Zip>>

May 18, 2023

Re: Notice of Data <</ r>

Dear <</First Name>> <<Last Name>>,

We are writing to inform you of a data security incident that may have affected your personal information. At Timber Products Inspection, Inc ("TP"), we are committed to maintaining our employees' trust and demonstrating our commitment to the privacy and security of all information in our possession. That is why we are writing to notify you of this incident, to offer you complimentary credit monitoring and identity protection services, and to inform you about steps that can be taken to help safeguard your personal information.

What Happened: On March 16, 2023, TP became aware of a network disruption. Upon discovering this activity, we immediately began investigating this activity with the assistance of our third-party IT provider and external cybersecurity experts. The investigation concluded on May 1, 2023 and identified evidence of unauthorized access to TP's network. TP then identified individuals whose personal information could have been affected. Notably, we have no evidence that any personal information potentially impacted by this incident has been misused but are nonetheless providing notification out of an abundance of caution.

What We Are Doing: Upon discovering this matter, we immediately began investigating and secured our network to protect all employee and client information. We have also reported this incident to the Federal Bureau of Investigation and will cooperate with any resulting investigation into this matter.

In addition, we are offering you complimentary credit monitoring and identity protection services through IDX, a data breach and recovery services expert. IDX services include the following: 12 months of credit and CyberScan monitoring, fully managed identity recovery services, and \$1 million insurance reimbursement policy, and fully managed identity theft and protection services. If you have dependents listed on your tax return, they will be receiving a separate letter with separate enrollment instructions.

You can enroll in the free IDX services by calling 1-800-939-4170 or going to <u>https://app.idx.us/account-creation/protect</u> 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 August 18, 2023.

What You Can Do: We encourage you to activate your complimentary services using the enrollment code provided on the first page. We also recommend that you review the guidance included with this letter about how to protect your personal information.

For More Information: If you have questions or need assistance, please call 1-800-939-4170, Monday through Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. Eastern Time. IDX representatives are fully versed on this incident and can help answer questions you may have regarding the protection of your information.

TP takes your trust in us and this matter very seriously. Please accept our sincere apologies and know that we deeply regret any worry or inconvenience this may cause you.

Sincerely,

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Jay Moore President

Steps You Can Take to Protect Your Personal 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 <u>http://www.annualcreditreport.com/</u>, 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 also can contact one of the following three national credit reporting agencies:

Equifax	Experian	TransUnion
P.O. Box 105788	P.O. Box 9532	P.O. Box 1000
Atlanta, GA 30348	Allen, TX 75013	Chester, PA 19016
1-888-378-4329	1-800-831-5614	1-800-916-8800
www.equifax.com	www.experian.com	www.transunion.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 at least one 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 for up to one year at no cost. 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. 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 fraud alerts, security freezes, and 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.

Federal Trade Commission	Maryland Attorney General	New York Attorney General
600 Pennsylvania Ave, NW	St. Paul Plaza	Bureau of Internet and Technology
Washington, DC 20580	200 St. Paul Place	Resources
consumer.ftc.gov	Baltimore, MD 21202	28 Liberty Street
1-877-438-4338	marylandattorneygeneral.gov	New York, NY 10005
	1-888-743-0023	<u>ag.ny.gov</u>
		1-212-416-8433 / 1-800-771-7755
North Carolina Attorney General	Rhode Island Attorney General	Washington D.C. Attorney General
9001 Mail Service Center	150 South Main Street	400 S 6th Street, NW
Raleigh, NC 27699	Providence, RI 02903	Washington, DC 20001
ncdoj.gov	http://www.riag.ri.gov	oag.dc.gov
1-877-566-7226	riag.ri.gov	1-202-727-3400
	1-401-274-4400	

You also have certain rights under the Fair Credit Reporting Act (FCRA): These rights include 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 other rights. For more information about the FCRA, and your rights pursuant to the FCRA, please visit <u>https://files.consumerfinance.gov/f/201504_cfpb_summary_your-rights-under-fcra.pdf</u>