

Additional 20268

NOTICE OF DATA BREACH – ADDITIONAL NOTIFICATION – ALL INDIVIDUAL CLIENTS

This letter is an update to the initial letter you received in April regarding notification of a data breach.

New Information:

We have not received any additional facts from our tax software company regarding the data breach. We have been in contact with the Massachusetts Attorney General's Office and are providing you with this additional notification.

Right to Obtain Police Report:

Pursuant to Massachusetts General Law Chapter 93H, Section 3(b), you have a right to obtain a police report. Cozby & Company filed a police report, which did not include any client names, with the Plymouth Police Department.

Credit Freeze Request Details:

Pursuant to Massachusetts General Law Chapter 93H, Section 3(b), you may request a security freeze by contacting the credit agencies with your personal information (social security number, name, address). Under Massachusetts and Federal law, there is no charge for a security freeze or to lift or remove the freeze. The credit agencies were provided in the first notification and are here again for your reference. If you already obtained a security freeze, you do not need to do it again.

Equifax

P.O. Box 740241
Atlanta, GA 30374
1-800-525-6285

https://www.alerts.equifax.com/AutoFraud_Online/jsp/fraudAlert.jsp

Experian

P.O. Box 2104
Allen, TX 75013
1-888-397-3742

<https://www.experian.com/fraud/center.html>

TransUnion

P.O. Box 2000
Chester, PA 19022
1-800-680-7289

<https://fraud.transunion.com/fa/fraudAlert/landingPage.jsp>

Credit Monitoring:

Pursuant to Massachusetts General Law, as amended c. 93H, entities that experience an incident in which a Massachusetts resident's Social Security number has been disclosed or is reasonably believed to have been disclosed must provide credit monitoring services to each affected resident at no cost for a minimum of 18 months. A credit monitoring service tracks changes in borrower behavior to notify consumers of potential fraud, as well as changes to their creditworthiness.

Cozby & Company is contracting with the vendor Sontiq – IdentityForce RapidResponse Plus Credit Monitoring to provide credit monitoring pursuant to Massachusetts General Law.

To obtain the service:

- 1) Send an email to accounting@cozbycpa.com, in memo enter "Credit Monitoring"
- 2) In body of email, list the names of the individuals from your 2020 return you would like the monitoring service provided for.
- 3) Please provide your email to us by June 25th.
- 4) We will email you the vendor code for you to obtain your free service by approximately July 7th.
- 5) Your 18-month free credit monitoring will begin when you enter your code. You will have 12 months to enter the code to begin the service.