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Enrollment Code: <<XXXXXXXXXX>>

To Enroll, Scan the QR Code Below:



Or Visit:

<https://app.idx.us/account-creation/protect>

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<<Address1>>  
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<<City>>, <<State>> <<Zip>>

August 11, 2023

### **NOTICE OF DATA BREACH**

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

We are writing to notify you of an issue that involves certain of your personal information.

#### **What Happened?**

We recently learned that, between May and June 2023, an unauthorized party accessed files from certain of our systems. Our investigation subsequently determined that the files contained some of your personal information.

#### **What Information Was Involved?**

Based on our investigation, the personal information may have included your name, date of birth, Social Security number or other government-issued identification number (such as driver's license number or passport number) and information related to your relationship with Paramount. The types of affected personal information varied by individual.

#### **What We Are Doing**

Promptly after learning of the issue, we took steps to secure the relevant systems and launched an investigation to determine the nature and scope of the issue. We retained a third-party cybersecurity expert to conduct an investigation and are coordinating with law enforcement. We also are implementing enhanced measures to help prevent this type of issue from reoccurring.

In addition, we have arranged to offer you identity protection and credit monitoring services for two years at no cost to you. The attached Reference Guide provides information on registration and recommendations by the U.S. Federal Trade Commission on the protection of personal information.

#### **What You Can Do**

We regret that this issue may affect you. Based on our investigation, we have no evidence to date that the personal information contained in the relevant files has been misused as a result of this issue. Nevertheless, we take our obligation to safeguard personal information very seriously and are alerting you about this issue so you can take steps to help protect yourself. You are entitled under U.S. law to one free credit report annually from each of the three nationwide consumer reporting agencies. To order your free credit report, visit [AnnualCreditReport.com](https://AnnualCreditReport.com) or call toll free at 1-877-322-8228. We encourage you to remain vigilant by reviewing your account statements and monitoring your free credit reports.

**For More Information**

We hope this information is useful to you. If you have any questions regarding this issue, please call 1-800-939-4170, Monday – Friday, 6:00 AM to 6:00 PM PST.

Sincerely,

*Brian Keane*

Brian Keane  
Executive Vice President Production & Operations, Nickelodeon Animation Studio  
Paramount Global

## Reference Guide

We encourage you to take the following steps:

**Register for Identity Protection and Credit Monitoring Services.** We have arranged with IDX to offer you identity protection and credit monitoring services for two years at no cost to you. The IDX services include credit and CyberScan monitoring, a \$1,000,000 insurance reimbursement policy, and fully managed ID theft recovery services.

To activate your membership, please follow the steps below:

- Enroll by: **November 11, 2023**
- Scan the QR code above or visit the IDX website to enroll: <https://app.idx.us/account-creation/protect>
- Provide your enrollment code: <<XXXXXXXXXX>>

If you have questions about the services, or would like an alternative to enrolling in the IDX identity protection services online, please contact IDX's customer service team at 1-800-939-4170 by **November 10, 2023**.

**Order Your Free Credit Report.** To order your free credit report, visit [www.annualcreditreport.com](http://www.annualcreditreport.com), call toll-free at 1-877-322-8228, or complete the Annual Credit Report Request Form on the U.S. Federal Trade Commission's ("FTC's") website at [www.consumer.ftc.gov](http://www.consumer.ftc.gov) and mail it to Annual Credit Report Request Service, P.O. Box 105281, Atlanta, GA 30348-5281. The three nationwide consumer reporting agencies provide free annual credit reports only through the website, toll-free number or request form.

When you receive your credit report, review it carefully. Look for accounts you did not open. Look in the "inquiries" section for names of creditors from whom you have not requested credit. Some companies bill under names other than their store or commercial names. The consumer reporting agency will be able to tell you when that is the case. Look in the "personal information" section for any inaccuracies in your information (such as home address and Social Security number). If you see anything you do not understand, call the consumer reporting agency at the telephone number on the report. Errors in this information may be a warning sign of possible identity theft. You should notify the consumer reporting agencies of any inaccuracies in your report, whether due to error or fraud, as soon as possible so the information can be investigated and, if found to be in error, corrected. If there are accounts or charges you did not authorize, immediately notify the appropriate consumer reporting agency by telephone and in writing. Consumer reporting agency staff will review your report with you. If the information cannot be explained, then you will need to call the creditors involved. Information that cannot be explained also should be reported to your local police or sheriff's office because it may signal criminal activity.

**Report Incidents.** If you detect any unauthorized transactions in a financial account, promptly notify your payment card company or financial institution. If you detect any incident of identity theft or fraud, promptly report the incident to law enforcement, the FTC and your state Attorney General. If you believe your identity has been stolen, the FTC recommends that you take these steps:

- Close the accounts that you have confirmed or believe have been tampered with or opened fraudulently. For streamlined checklists and sample letters to help guide you through the recovery process, please visit <https://www.identitytheft.gov/>.
- File a local police report. Obtain a copy of the police report and submit it to your creditors and any others that may require proof of the identity theft crime.

You can contact the FTC to learn more about how to protect yourself from becoming a victim of identity theft and how to repair identity theft:

Federal Trade Commission  
Consumer Response Center  
600 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW  
Washington, DC 20580  
1-877-IDTHEFT (438-4338)  
[www.ftc.gov/idtheft/](http://www.ftc.gov/idtheft/)

**Consider Placing a Fraud Alert on Your Credit File.** To protect yourself from possible identity theft, consider placing a fraud alert on your credit file. A fraud alert helps protect you against the possibility of an identity thief opening new credit accounts in your name. When a merchant checks the credit history of someone applying for credit, the merchant gets a notice that the applicant may be the victim of identity theft. The alert notifies the merchant to take steps to verify the identity of the applicant. You can place a fraud alert on your credit report by calling any one of the toll-free numbers provided below. You will reach an automated telephone system that allows you to flag your file with a fraud alert at all three consumer reporting agencies. For more information on fraud alerts, you also may contact the FTC as described above.

Equifax	Equifax Information Services LLC P.O. Box 740241 Atlanta, GA 30374	1-800-525-6285	<a href="http://www.equifax.com">www.equifax.com</a>
Experian	Experian Inc. P.O. Box 9554 Allen, TX 75013	1-888-397-3742	<a href="http://www.experian.com">www.experian.com</a>
TransUnion	TransUnion LLC P.O. Box 2000 Chester, PA 19016	1-800-680-7289	<a href="http://www.transunion.com">www.transunion.com</a>

**Consider Placing a Security Freeze on Your Credit File.** You may wish to place a “security freeze” (also known as a “credit freeze”) on your credit file. A security freeze is designed to prevent potential creditors from accessing your credit file at the consumer reporting agencies without your consent. *Unlike a fraud alert, you must place a security freeze on your credit file at each consumer reporting agency individually.* There is no charge to place or lift a security freeze. For more information on security freezes, you may contact the three nationwide consumer reporting agencies or the FTC as described above. As the instructions for establishing a security freeze differ from state to state, please contact the three nationwide consumer reporting agencies to find out more information.

The consumer reporting agencies may require proper identification prior to honoring your request. For example, you may be asked to provide:

- Your full name with middle initial and generation (such as Jr., Sr., II, III)
- Your Social Security number
- Your date of birth
- Addresses where you have lived over the past five years
- A legible copy of a government-issued identification card (such as a state driver’s license or military ID card)
- Proof of your current residential address (such as a current utility bill or account statement)

**For Maryland Residents.** You can obtain information from the Maryland Office of the Attorney General about steps you can take to avoid identity theft. You may contact the Maryland Attorney General at:

Maryland Office of the Attorney General  
Consumer Protection Division  
200 St. Paul Place Baltimore, MD 21202  
(888) 743-0023 (toll-free in Maryland)  
(410) 576-6300  
[www.marylandattorneygeneral.gov](http://www.marylandattorneygeneral.gov)

**For Massachusetts Residents.** You have the right to obtain a police report and request a security freeze as described above. The consumer reporting agencies may require that you provide certain personal information (such as your name, Social Security number, date of birth, and address) and proper identification (such as a copy of a government-issued ID card and a bill or statement) prior to honoring your request to place a security freeze on your account.

**For New York Residents.** You can obtain information from the New York State Office of the Attorney General about how to protect yourself from identity theft and tips on how to protect your privacy online. You can contact the New York State Office of the Attorney General at:

Office of the Attorney General  
The Capitol  
Albany, NY 12224-0341  
1-800-771-7755 (toll-free)  
1-800-788-9898 (TDD/TTY toll-free line)  
<https://ag.ny.gov/>

Bureau of Internet and Technology (BIT)  
28 Liberty Street  
New York, NY 10005  
Phone: (212) 416-8433  
<https://ag.ny.gov/internet/resource-center>