

Phoenix, AZ – April 7, 2021 – Aero Design & Manufacturing (“ADM”) was recently the target of a sophisticated ransomware attack. Ransomware is a computer virus that encrypts computer systems, holding those systems hostage with the goal of extorting money to decrypt the systems. ADM took immediate action to isolate the attack, investigate, and secure its IT environment. ADM also reported the attack to law enforcement. The investigation revealed that the personal information of current and former employees and those family members enrolled in its benefits programs or designated as beneficiaries may have been exposed to the attackers.

On February 22, 2021, ADM discovered that the attackers accessed personal information which could include one or more of the following data elements: name, address, date of birth, and Social Security number with direct deposit financial account information or protected health information associated with health benefit plans enrollment only for terminated employees and their beneficiaries. While ADM has no evidence that any information was viewed by the attackers, ADM is notifying you because it cannot conclusively rule out that possibility.

Notification letters mailed today include information about the incident and steps individuals can take to monitor and protect their personal information. ADM has also established a toll-free call center to answer questions about the incident and related concerns. The call center is available Monday through Friday from 7:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Mountain Time and can be reached at 1-855-722-0690.

ADM takes the security of personal information seriously and has taken measures to reduce the likelihood of a future cyber-attack, including increased network security measures and employee training to recognize external attacks. In addition, out of an abundance of caution, ADM is providing identity protection services at no cost to impacted individuals.

***The following information is provided to help individuals wanting more information on steps they can take to protect themselves:***

**How do I obtain a copy of my credit report?**

You can obtain a copy of your credit report, free of charge, directly from each of the three nationwide credit reporting agencies. To order your credit report, free of charge once every 12 months, please visit [www.annualcreditreport.com](http://www.annualcreditreport.com) or call toll free at 1-877-322-8228. Contact information for the three nationwide credit reporting agencies is included in the letter and is also listed at the bottom of this page.

**How do I put a fraud alert on my account?**

You may consider placing a fraud alert on your credit report. This fraud alert statement informs creditors to possible fraudulent activity within your report and requests that your creditor contact you prior to establishing any accounts in your name. To place a fraud alert on your credit report, contact Equifax, Experian or TransUnion and follow the Fraud Victims instructions. To place a fraud alert on your credit accounts, contact your financial institution or credit provider. Contact information for the three nationwide credit reporting agencies is included in the letter and is also listed at the bottom of this page.

**Contact information for the three nationwide credit reporting agencies is as follows:**

Equifax Security Freeze  
PO Box 105788  
Atlanta, GA 30348-5788  
1-800-525-6285

[www.equifax.com/personal/credit-report-services/](http://www.equifax.com/personal/credit-report-services/)

Experian Security Freeze  
PO Box 9554  
Allen, TX 75013-9544  
1-888-397-3742

[www.experian.com/help/](http://www.experian.com/help/)

TransUnion Security Freeze  
PO Box 2000  
Chester, PA 19014-0200  
1-800-680-7289

[www.transunion.com/credit-help](http://www.transunion.com/credit-help)