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Via Email: consumer_protection@ag.idaho.gov

Attorney General Raul Labrador Office of the Idaho Attorney General Consumer Protection Division 954 W. Jefferson, 2nd Floor Boise, ID 83720

Re: Notice of Data Security Incident

Dear Attorney General Labrador:

This notice is provided on behalf of our client, Cottonwood School District #242 ("Cottonwood"). Cottonwood received notification from its third-party vendor, PowerSchool, regarding a cybersecurity incident that impacted Cottonwood data maintained in PowerSchool. PowerSchool provides Student Information Systems to Cottonwood, which is used to manage education information related to students and staff. Upon learning about this incident, Cottonwood began an investigation with the assistance of legal counsel and a nationally recognized cyber security and digital forensics firm. On March 10, 2025, the cyber security firm working with Cottonwood confirmed that the data affected by the PowerSchool incident included personal information as defined in Idaho Code § 28-51-104(5). The personal information affected included Idaho residents' names and Social Security numbers. Therefore, Cottonwood is reporting a breach of the security of the system, pursuant to Idaho Code § 28-51-105(1), resulting from the cybersecurity incident impacting PowerSchool.

PowerSchool has provided notice to impacted individuals on behalf of the Cottonwood, together with an offer of complimentary credit monitoring.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

/s/ Matthew H. Meade, Esq.