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Dear Mr. Duncan,

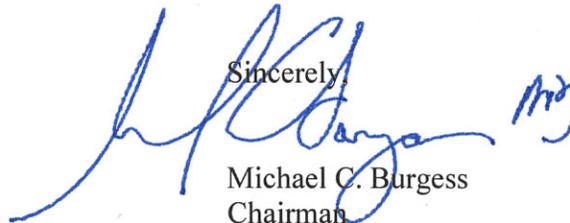
Thank you for appearing before the Subcommittee on Commerce, Manufacturing, and Trade on Wednesday, March 18, 2015, to testify at the hearing entitled "Discussion Draft of H.R. ____, Data Security and Breach Notification Act of 2015."

Pursuant to the Rules of the Committee on Energy and Commerce, the hearing record remains open for ten business days to permit Members to submit additional questions for the record, which are attached. The format of your responses to these questions should be as follows: (1) the name of the Member whose question you are addressing, (2) the complete text of the question you are addressing in bold, and (3) your answer to that question in plain text.

To facilitate the printing of the hearing record, please respond to these questions with a transmittal letter by the close of business on Monday, July 27, 2015. Your responses should be mailed to Kirby Howard, Legislative Clerk, Committee on Energy and Commerce, 2125 Rayburn House Office Building, Washington, D.C. 20515 and e-mailed in Word format to Kirby.Howard@mail.house.gov.

Thank you again for your time and effort preparing and delivering testimony before the Subcommittee.

Sincerely,



Michael C. Burgess
Chairman

Subcommittee on Commerce, Manufacturing, and Trade

cc: Jan Schakowsky, Ranking Member, Subcommittee on Commerce, Manufacturing, and Trade

Attachment

Additional Questions for the Record

The Honorable Gus Bilirakis

I appreciate your appearance at our Subcommittee hearing. It seems from your testimony that your support for federal legislation has a caveat; that such legislation would have to include financial institutions, which already are covered under Gramm-Leach-Bliley. Why would you not want to notify your customers that a breach involving their account has occurred? Isn't it good business to try to be helpful and responsible?