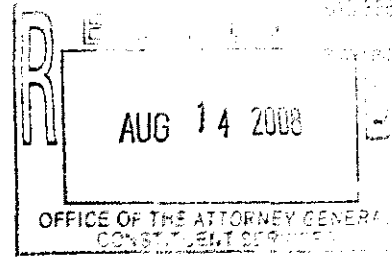




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RE: UPDATE on Potential Data Security Breach

Dear Attorney General McDonnell:

In May of this year, we advised you about a May 14, 2008 virus attack on the server that hosted Altman Weil's On-line Store. Following that attack, we retained, at our own expense, forensic investigators to conduct a full investigation to determine if credit card or other information was accessed.

That forensic investigation is now complete and we are delighted to report that the viral attack **did not take** any customer or credit card information.

On July 23, 2008, we notified all clients of the forensic findings via first class mail.

During the investigatory process, we learned that thousands of websites were attacked in May 2008 by the SQL virus. To provide complete protection to the data we had from our customers, we purged all information from our On-line Store database. In addition, our On-line Store was immediately disconnected from all Internet access in May and it remains disconnected.

While we are gratified that our customers' information was not taken from our On-line Store, in our letter to them we encouraged them to continue taking all precautions to protect their credit cards and to review all activity on their monthly statements to protect them from fraudulent transactions.

We are continuing to work with the appropriate law enforcement agencies to pursue those responsible for this attack. If you have any questions, please contact me at 610-886-2010, or via e-mail at pwoldow@altmanweil.com. Thank you.

Very truly yours,

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