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March 24, 2015

Office of the Attorney General  
State of New Hampshire  
33 Capitol Street  
Concord, NH 03301

RE: Notification of Data Security Breach Incident

Dear Sir/Madame:

This letter is being sent in accordance with New Hampshire law on behalf of Bank of the West. Anthem Blue Cross acts as Bank of the West's HIPAA Business Associate in conjunction with the bank's employee health insurance plan. In that capacity, Anthem held information about some of the bank's current and former employees. Bank of the West was advised by Anthem that this information may have been impacted in the security breach suffered by Anthem and reported on February 6, 2015. Anthem previously reported this incident on February 6, 2015 to the New Hampshire Attorney General and enclosed a copy of the notice letter that it was intending to send to affected individuals in New Hampshire.

We write to inform your office that Bank of the West data held by Anthem, including possibly the name and Social Security Number of three New Hampshire residents, may have been impacted. Because the Anthem notification to you did not include the fact that Bank of the West data was impacted we are separately reporting on behalf of the bank to satisfy its statutory obligation. We understand from Anthem that it is in the process of mailing letters to impacted individuals. Anthem has offered to provide affected individuals with services of All Clear ID to monitor activity within the United States for 24 months at no cost to the individual.

Should you have any additional questions, you may contact Michael Sears, Bank of the West Vice President and Senior Counsel, directly at [REDACTED]

Very truly yours,

Pillsbury Winthrop Shaw Pittman LLP



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