



Identity Theft Worksheet

Developed to assist victim recovery, enhance investigation/prosecution, and inform community.

Contact a Credit Bureau

All three of the major credit bureaus have automated systems for reporting identity theft. Contact *one* of them and place an *initial* fraud alert on your credit files. The *initial* fraud alert informs potential creditors that you are a victim of identity theft. It may prevent any further fraudulent credit from being issued in your name. The credit bureau you contact will notify the other two credit bureaus. You will receive a free copy of your credit report from all three of the credit bureaus in a few days.

Equifax: 1-888-766-0008 or 1-800-525-6285

For more information, visit the Equifax website at: <http://www.equifax.com>

Experian: 1-888-397-3742 or 1-800-311-4769

For more information, visit the Experian website at: <http://www.experian.com>

TransUnion: 1-800-680-7289

For more information, visit the TransUnion website at: <http://www.transunion.com>

Other adults residing in your household should monitor their credit reports for suspect activity. As set forth in the Fair and Accurate Credit Transactions Act of 2003 (H.R.2622), all consumers have access to free annual credit bureau reports. The reports may be ordered by calling the toll-free number (1-877-322-8228) or visiting the Annual Credit Report website at <http://www.annualcreditreport.com>.

Name of the credit bureau I notified: _____

I contacted the above credit bureau on: _____
(Date)

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