



UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20580

Office of the Secretary

March 5, 2013

Mr. Elias Teklemariam
Commonwealth of Virginia

Re: In the Matter of Equifax Information Services LLC, File No. 1023252

Dear Mr. Teklemariam:

Thank you for your comment regarding the Federal Trade Commission's consent agreement in the above-entitled proceeding. The Commission has placed your comment on the public record pursuant to rule 4.9(b)(6)(ii) of the Commission's Rules of Practice, 16 C.F.R. § 4.9(b)(6)(ii), and has given it serious consideration.

The Commission is committed to protecting consumers in financial distress as well as safeguarding consumer privacy and believes that the proposed order with Equifax Information Services LLC will further this objective.

To the extent you believe that you have been a victim of identity theft, the Commission has numerous resources which can be found on our website at <http://consumer.ftc.gov/>. In addition, you may contact the FTC's Consumer Response Center at (877) 282-4357, or file a complaint online at www.ftccomplaintassistant.gov.

Having considered all of the facts of this case and all of the comments submitted in response to the proposed order, the Commission has determined that the public interest would best be served by issuing the Decision and Order in final form without any modifications. The final Decision and Order and other relevant materials are available from the Commission's website at <http://www.ftc.gov>. It helps the Commission's analysis to hear from a variety of sources in its work. The Commission thanks you again for your comment.

By direction of the Commission, Commissioners Leibowitz and Wright not participating.