



Illinois Department of Transportation

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VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL: reports@ilga.gov

Honorable Tim Anderson
Secretary of the Senate
Illinois Senate
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Springfield, IL 62706-1150

Honorable John W. Hollman
Clerk of the House
House of Representatives
Capitol Building Room 300
Springfield, IL 62706-1150

Dear Messrs. Anderson & Hollman

In accordance with the Personal Information Protection Act (the "Act"), the Illinois Department of Transportation ("Department") is submitting notice to the Illinois General Assembly regarding a recent breach of personal information, as defined by the Act. 815 ILCS 530/25.

On April 14, 2022, the Department became aware that a file with the personal information of Department employees was viewable on the Department's internal website. The information was immediately removed from the intranet and an ongoing investigation is being conducted, in cooperation with the Department of Innovation and Technology, to determine the extent and the cause of the access. The Department will notify the affected individuals in writing of the breach as soon as its internal investigation is complete, which will be finalized as quickly as possible.

Because the Department's investigation is ongoing, it will supplement this notice with specific corrective measures once the investigation is completed and the appropriate actions have been identified. The Department is also working to ensure compliance with all notice and other requirements of the Act.

If you have any questions regarding this notice, please feel free to contact me at 217.524.4686 or yangsu.kim2@illinois.gov. IDOT believes the protection of personal information is vitally important and will strive to make its operations as secure as possible.

Very Truly Yours,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Yangsu Kim', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Yangsu Kim
Chief Counsel