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Ms. Lauranell Harrison Bunch
11 Wickerhsham Drive
Durham, NC 27713

RE: File No. 0704406, Glenn Hagele
8543 Everglade Drive, Sacramento, CA 95826

Dear Ms. Bunch:

The Consumer Protection Division has received the attached request for assistance regarding your website, LasikDisaster.com. As you will see in his complaint, Mr. Hagele is alleging that your website has published his personal and financial information, including his social security number.

The Office of the Attorney General works hard to prevent identity theft, and we helped pass legislation making it a violation to "intentionally communicate or otherwise make available to the general public an individual's social security number." Please see N.C.G.S. § 75-62, which is enclosed. This office has concerns that your website is making Mr. Hagele's social security number publicly available and requests that it be removed from your website. If you wish to publish public records, you can redact the personal and financial information before republishing this information on your website.

Please provide a written confirmation that you have removed and redacted this information from public viewing on your website within the next ten (10) business days. Please refer to the above file number in all future correspondence. Thank you for your cooperation.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "N. McConn".

Nicole McConn
Consumer Protection Specialist
CONSUMER PROTECTION DIVISION

Enclosure
cc Glenn Hagele