

CYBER CRIME

DETECTION

UNSOLICITED CONTACT

Be wary of unexpected emails, calls, text messages asking for personal information. Hang up and contact the organization directly if unsure.





TOO GOOD TO BE TRUE

Scammers often promise free gifts or money. Avoid offers that require payment upfront or seem unrealistic.

PRESSURE TACTICS

Scammers may try to create urgency. Legitimate organizations won't pressure you. Take your time to verify information.



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PREVENTION



USE STRONG PASSWORDS

Create unique, strong passwords and enable two-factor authentication for



PROTECT PERSONAL INFO

Never share your SIN, credit card or bank info unless you initiated contact.



REPORT PROMPTLY

If you suspect a scam, report it to your local police or consumer protection agency.

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