Take A Stand Against Internet Scams

The internet gives easy access to criminals to scam consumers out of money. Be online savvy and protect yourself.



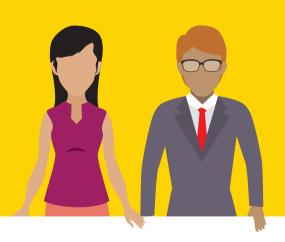
## **Top 5 Tips To Take A Stand Against Internet Scams**

- 1. Be wary of emails from unknown sources asking you for personal details.
- 2. Set up a junk mail filter to stop unwanted emails entering your account.
- 3. Always go to a bank's official website to get information, don't follow links within emails.
- 4. Make sure your payments online are secure, look for the padlock symbol in the address bar.
- 5. Say no to strangers offering to put money in your account, this could be illegal.



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Remember if you're not sure, get advice and always report a scam



For advice on scams call

Citizens Advice Consumer Helpline: 03454 04 05 06

To report scams contact

Action Fraud: 0300 123 2040



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