

SCAM - IT'S A CRIME!





LOOK OUT FOR PEOPLE WHO...

- Receive a lot of junk mail asking them to send money
- Have a house full of cheap goods such as jewellery, health and food products
- Receive frequent calls from strangers
- Become secretive when discussing finances with you
- Ask you to buy lots of stamps and post letters for them
- Regularly have work done in their home or garden
- Ask you to take them to the bank

ADVISE THEM TO...

- Never give out their name, address, bank account details or any other personal information
- Never trust a letter or person that says they've won a prize
- Never send money to claim a prize or winnings
- Never open the door to strangers or allow uninvited callers into their home
- Never let somebody take them to the bank to get money
- Find reliable KCC Trading Standards approved traders at www.checkatrade.com



FRIENDS AGAINST SCAMS

We need to empower communities to take a stand against scams and provide more support to prevent vulnerable people from becoming a victim of scams. Join the fight against scams to make this a scam-free nation www.friendsagainstscams.org.uk

"Every year in Britain 3.2 million people hand over cash to scammers"

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GET SUPPORT FOR A SCAM VICTIM

If you are a carer, friend, visitor or relative of someone who is vulnerable, you might be the only person who can help.

Call Citizens Advice consumer service 03454 04 05 06.

The victim will receive the dedicated advice and support they need to stop the ongoing cycle of losing money to scams.