

Beware of Scam Calls Purportedly from China Internet Illegal Information Reporting Centre

提防偽冒內地
“中國互聯網違法和不良資訊舉報中心”
詐騙電話

你的註冊微信號被盜用，以發放售賣假藥…及干犯洗黑錢罪。
請提供有關個人資料、銀行賬戶號碼及密碼…

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如遇到有人自稱執法人員或政府機構職員，應提高警覺，主動查證及再三向相關機構核實來電者的身份

ADCC
Anti-Deception Coordination Centre
反詐騙協調中心

防騙易熱線
18222
www.adcc.gov.hk

Defrauding Tricks

Recently, members of the public have reported to the Police about receiving scam calls made in the form of pre-recorded message or by a real person. Posing as staff of the **China Internet Illegal Information Reporting Centre (CIIRC)**, the scammers spoke fluent Putonghua or Cantonese and claimed that the recipients' identity had been stolen for registration of WeChat accounts to publish messages selling counterfeit medicines and luring people to engage in fraudulent events in Southeast Asian countries. The scammers would also ask the recipients to report to the Mainland law enforcement agencies for clarification and then forward the call to another scammer impersonating Mainland law enforcement officer, who alleged that the recipients had committed money laundering offences and requested their

personal information, bank account number and password. They were even asked to remit money as guarantee or handling charges.

Our Advice

- Stay vigilant when receiving phone calls purportedly from the CIIRC;
- Do not believe strangers or disclose your personal information, bank account number and password;
- Even if the strangers are able to tell your personal information or send you legal documents with your photo, it does not necessarily mean that they are genuine law enforcement officers. Scammers can obtain the personal information of the public by unlawful means;
- If the callers claim themselves as officers of law enforcement agencies or government organizations, stay alert and contact corresponding offices to verify their identities;
- Remind your relatives and friends to stay vigilant against deception;
- If in doubt, please call the “Anti-Scam Helpline 18222” for enquiries.