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- If you're suspicious about a caller, don't respond. Call back later on a number you obtain for the company yourself. Use a different phone if you can.
- Never disclose personal or bank details to a caller such as your address, PIN, passwords or authorisation codes. Hang up.
- If you feel pressured by a caller, hang up.
- After a suspicious call, ask a trusted friend or relative for help. You can call your bank on the number below if you're worried about your bank account.

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