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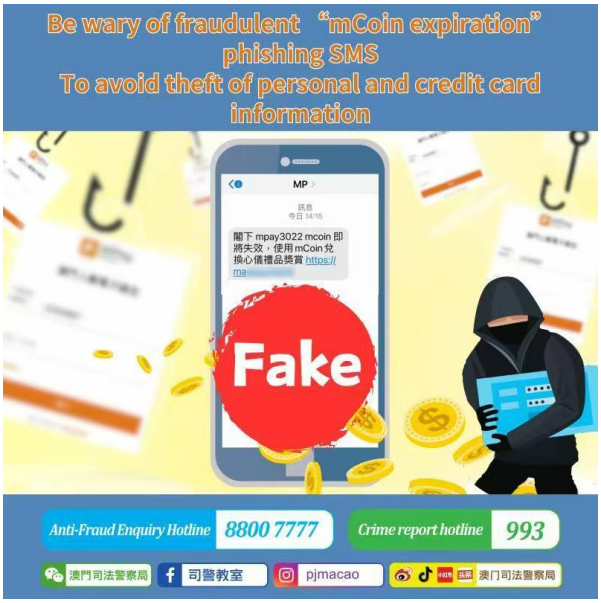
Be wary of fraudulent “mCoin expiration” phishing SMS



The Judiciary Police (PJ) recently discovered that scammers have been taking advantage of the imminent expiration of bonus points on the electronic payment platform MPay. Fraudsters send residents SMS containing phishing links, which falsely claim that their “mCoin is about to expire”. Residents will need to log in to their accounts and use "mCoin" points, as well as pay a small amount, to redeem gifts. Scammers lure residents into entering their credit card details, which they later use to carry out unauthorised large transactions.

The Judiciary Police Anti-Fraud Coordination Centre urges the public to be on high alert against the recent surge in phishing SMS:

1. Regardless of the sender, if you receive an SMS claiming that your points are expiring, please proactively contact the relevant institution or use the official app. Do not click on any unknown link embedded in the message.
2. Under no circumstances should you enter personal, bank account, or credit card information online without first verifying the authenticity of the website.
3. If you suspect fraud, use the Judiciary Police’s anti-fraud app to check the risk index, or call the Judiciary Police anti-fraud enquiry hotline at 88007777 or the crime report hotline at 993 for assistance.