

# BEWARE OF BUSINESS EMAIL COMPROMISE

Business Email Compromise (BEC) is a cyberattack where attackers impersonate trusted individuals or organizations through emails to deceive victims into taking actions, such as transferring funds or sharing sensitive information.

## RECOGNIZING A BEC ATTACK

### ✘ Poor spelling, grammar and punctuation

BEC attempts often contain errors in language usage.

### ✘ Unusual formatting, appearance or domain

Be cautious of messages that look different from the sender's typical style or come from random domains.

### ✘ Non-official email address

Messages not originating from official email addresses or domains may indicate a BEC attack.

### ✘ Improper greeting or signature

Unusual greetings, signatures or contact information could suggest phishing attempts and BEC attacks.

### ✘ Unusual fund requests

Payment requests to uncommon addresses through unusual methods should be treated cautiously.

### ✘ Email-only communication

If the sender avoids other channels of communication, it's suspicious.

### ✘ Urgency & rushed transactions

BEC attackers create a sense of urgency to manipulate victims into acting hastily.

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## ACT NOW TO PROTECT YOUR INBOX

We help you combat advanced cyberattacks with ongoing awareness training.

