

## **Investor Alert**

ALERT:	One Advance Refund
DATE:	November 8, 2023
WEBSITE OF SUBJECT:	https://one.advance-refund.info/

The Financial and Consumer Affairs Authority of Saskatchewan (FCAA) alerts investors One Advance Refund, an online asset recovery service that offers to help investors recover funds lost to online scammers, is improperly using the FCAA name and logo and falsely claiming that they are affiliated with the FCAA.

The same online asset recovery service is posing as, and using details from, a Saskatchewan company, Payback Construction Ltd. There is no affiliation between Payback Construction Ltd. and any online asset recovery service.

FCAA strongly cautions investors and consumers to be wary of sending money to online entities that purport to be affiliated in any way with the FCAA.

If you have encountered an asset recovery website that uses the FCAA logo or suggests that it is affiliated in any way with Payback Construction Ltd., or anyone who claims to be acting on their behalf, please contact the Securities Division, Enforcement Branch at 306-787-5936.

Tips to protect yourself:

- Always verify that the person or company is registered to sell or advise about securities or derivatives. To check registration, visit The Canadian Securities Administrators' National Registration Search.
- Know exactly what you are investing in or paying for. Make sure you understand how the investment, product, or service works.
- Get a second opinion and seek professional advice about the investment or financial service you are considering.
- Do not allow unknown or unverified individuals to remotely access your computer.