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HSBC WARNS AGAINST PHISHING SMS AND FRAUDULENT WEBSITES

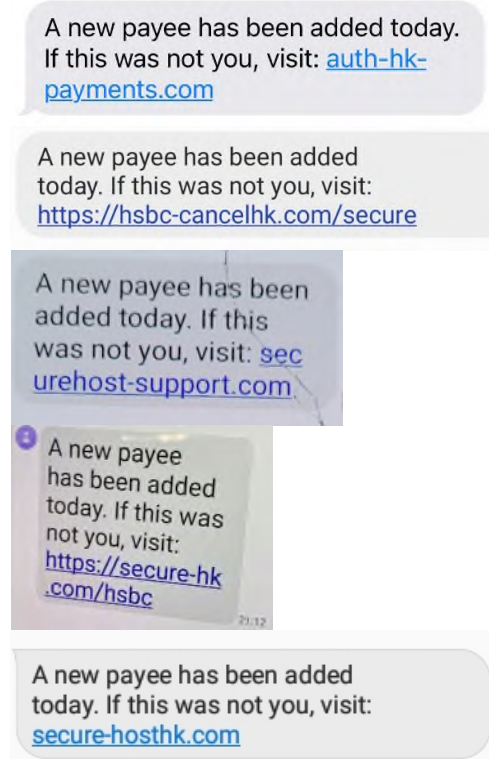
The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation Limited would like to alert its customers to phishing SMS and fraudulent websites which purported to be from HSBC.

The phishing SMS suggests that recipients may have added a new payee. If they haven't, they should click a link auth-hk-payments.com, <https://hsbc-cancelhk.com/secure>, securehost-support.com, <https://secure-hk.com/hsbc>, secure-hosthk.com or authorise-host-hk.com.

HSBC would like to remind its customers that it has no connection with the phishing SMS and fraudulent websites. Customers are advised not to click any link in the SMS or provide the websites with any personal information.

The above fraudulent websites are not accessible for now. Below are the screen captures of the phishing SMS and fraudulent website:

Phishing SMS



HSBC

A new payee has been added today. If this was not you, visit: authorise-host-hk.com

Fraudulent websites
secure-hosthk.com



Log on to Internet Banking



Please wait while we process your request. Due to high amounts of traffic, this may take a few minutes.

Do not navigate away from this page.

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authorise-host-hk.com



Log on to Internet Banking

Internet Banking

Please enter your username

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Customers are reminded to ensure they are connected to a valid HSBC site. The Bank's Hong Kong domain is <http://www.hsbc.com.hk>. Customers should access banking services by keying in the website address at the address bar of the browser.

HSBC is working with the relevant authorities to have the fraudulent sites shut down. If customers are concerned, they should call the HSBC Personal Customer service hotline at 2233 3000 or report to the Police.

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Note to editors:

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