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myID Scam Email - don't be fooled!



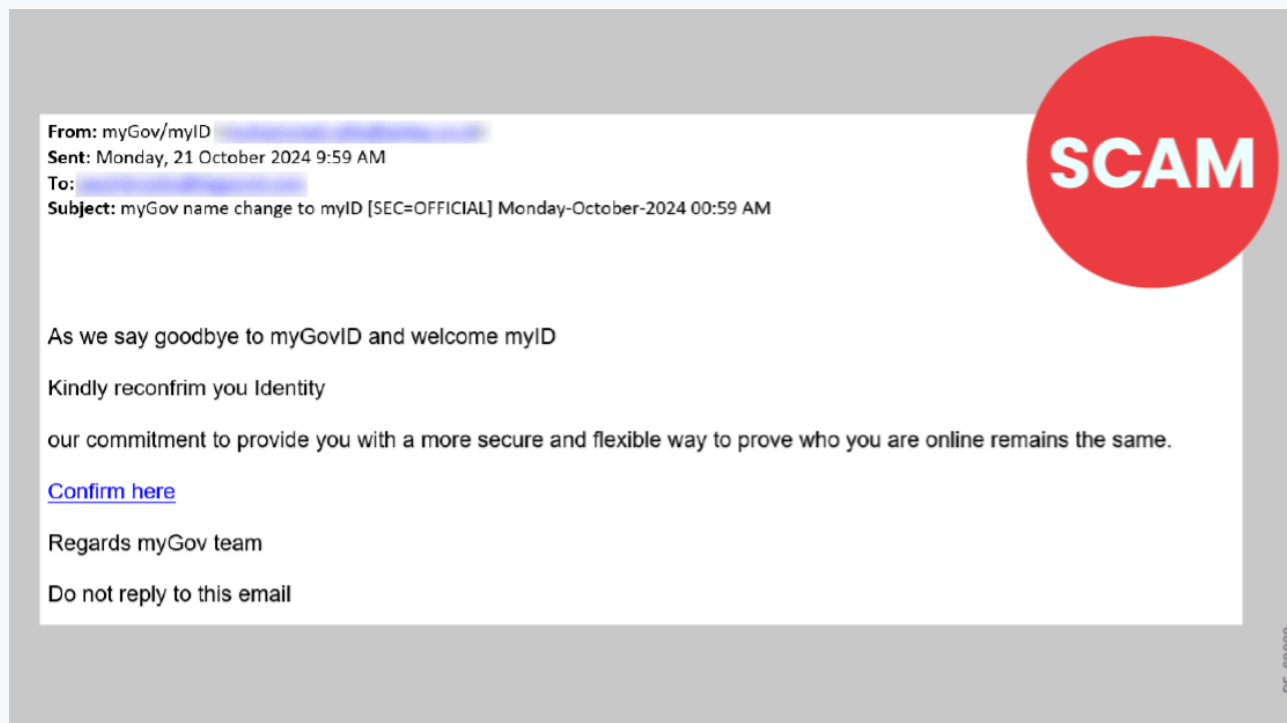
The Australian Taxation Office (ATO) is seeing an increase in scams relating to the [change of myGovID to myID](#).

myID is a new name and will have a new look – but it will [still be used the same way](#).

You do not need to do anything to prepare for this change. You do not need to set up a new myID or reconfirm your details as part of this change. If you are asked to do this, **it is a scam.** An example of an email doing the rounds at the moment, which asks for confirmation of your identity can be seen below. Be aware and be careful - again, you do not have to do anything in regards to the change of name of the app to myID - the changes happen in the background and do not affect the way the app works.

Please note, this will be the last newsletter for 2024. The next newsletter will be sent 20th January 2025.

From my family to yours, have a very merry Christmas and a restful break!



In Other Bookkeeping_BAS News...

Can I Claim the GST on That page updated: Some new items have been updated in relation to food, beverage and health products. A new checklist to help calculate food-related GST has also been added.

MyGovID changing to MyID: [myGovID will be changing to myID](#). The app will have a new name and new look, but you'll continue to use it in the same way.

Remission of ATO Interest Charges: The ATO has listened to your feedback on the GIC remission application form and made some changes to improve its functionality. [Download the new version of the form](#) and delete any previous copies you've saved. [See more details here.](#)

Updated Fair Work Information Statements: The Fair Work Information Statements have been updated recently. Download your copies [here](#).

Next BAS due date: The next quarterly BAS for **Oct to Dec 2024**, is due by **28th February 2024**. This date applies to all tax payers.

Next IAS due date: The November 2024 Business Activity Statement is due by **23rd December 2024**.

Next Super due date: The Q2 2024-25 SG is due **by 28th January 2025**.

Casual Employment Changes: Changes to casual employment rules started on 26th August 2024. Read more on the [Fair Work website](#).

Xero Classic Invoicing Retirement: Xero will [retire classic invoicing](#) by **27th February 2025**.

Online Payment Plan Amount Increase: The amount for which you can make an [ATO Payment Plan](#) has increased from \$100K to \$200K.

Engaging a New Registered Agent: [Learn what to do to be well prepared before engaging a new registered agent](#).

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