

# Would the Government of Canada *really* ask you to **pay with gift cards?**

Many scammers will say you owe money and demand immediate payment with gift cards or bitcoin.

Here's what you can do to **be scam smart:**

- ✓ Ask yourself:
  - Do I owe the government money?
  - Why is the person pressuring me to act **right now?**
- ✓ Learn what payment methods the Government of Canada accepts.

Visit [Canada.ca/be-scam-smart](https://Canada.ca/be-scam-smart) to learn more.



**LISTEN TO YOUR  
VOICE OF REASON  
BEFORE YOU ACT.**

