

BE ON THE LOOKOUT FOR:

Bank ATM's Converted to Steal IDs of Bank Customers:

Organized criminals can install equipment on legitimate bank ATM's which allows them access to both your ATM card number and PIN. Teams of criminals will remain close by [in vehicles, restaurants or stores] while they receive your information transmitted to them wirelessly. This is especially rampant over weekends and evenings.



What the illegal equipment looks like.

If you see an attachment like this, do not use the ATM. Please report immediately to the bank, using the 0800 or phone number displayed on the front of the ATM. The equipment used to capture your ATM card and PIN numbers is cleverly disguised to look like normal ATM equipment.

A "skimmer" is mounted to the front of the normal ATM card slot that reads the ATM card number and transmits it to the criminals remaining close by. A wireless camera, disguised to look like a leaflet holder, is mounted in a position to view ATM PIN entries.

The thieves then copy your card and use your PIN number to withdraw thousands from your account in a very short time. This takes place directly from a bank ATM.



Installed in front of the existing bank card slot. PIN reading camera being installed.