

Bogus Callers and Rogue Traders

are operating in this area



Police advice on dealing with salesmen and other strangers calling at your door.

Keeping People Safe



Police advice on distraction burglars:

- Always look, use the door chain and **ask for ID**.
- Call **Quickcheck 0800 013 2290** if you want to check if a caller is genuine.
- Don't be conned or tricked into letting them into your home.
- If in doubt, **keep them out**.
- **Remember what they look like**: appearance, clothing, vehicle etc.
- **Report** suspicious person or persons **to Police** immediately.

Trading Standards offer this advice:

- **Do not agree** to any cold caller doing work for you.
- Always **use reputable companies** and get written quotes from at least 2 or 3.
- Friends and family may be able to recommend companies that they have used and are pleased with.
- **Never accept an offer to drive you** to withdraw money.
- **Don't accept an offer to be driven** from anyone you don't know or trust.
- If you feel that you are being pressurised to hand over money, keep your door closed and **dial 999**.
- Call **Trading Standards** on **0300 123 62 62**

Or call any of the numbers below ...

