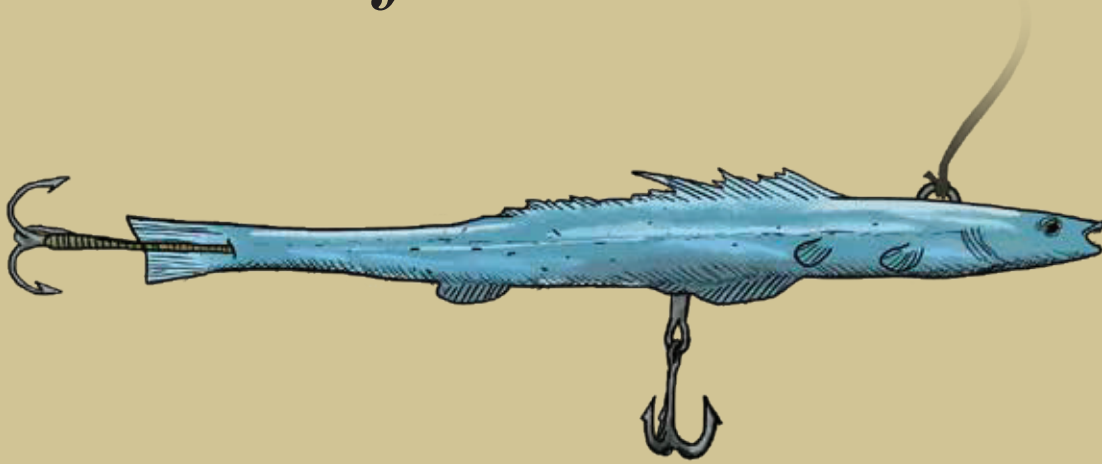


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The Password Request

THIS LURE comes in the form of an urgent email from (what looks like) your university, your bank, or a business you have an account with. The email asks you to confirm your password because your account is “compromised”, “over quota”, or “suspended due to inactivity.”

REMEMBER, you’ll never be asked via a sudden email from a reputable organization or business for your password, SSN, or other private identifying information. If someone makes this kind of request of you in an email, report the sender to abuse.byu.edu.

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