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FRAUD ALERT

Fraud Using Online MyPBA Accounts

The Office of Inspector General is alerting pension recipients about scams involving individuals creating new online MyPBA accounts or using existing MyPBA accounts to steal pension funds from recipients. To avoid becoming a victim of this type of fraud, protect your payments by taking the following precautions:

- Check your bank account frequently to ensure your pension payment has been deposited into your account. If you receive a monthly paper check from PBGC, ensure that you make the deposit as soon as possible.
- If you notice a missing payment, contact PBGC immediately to report it at 1-800-400-7242.
- Never share your MyPBA login information or bank account information with anyone else.
- Periodically check MyPBA to verify that your email, phone, and home address have not been changed.

If you believe you have been a victim of fraud please contact the PBGC Office of Inspector General HOTLINE at (800) 303-9737, TTY/TDD (800) 877-8339, https://oig.pbgc.gov/hotline.html

