

Exploring Anti-Scam SMS Filtering Solution

IMDA is also working with Mobile Network Operators to explore the deployment of anti-scam SMS filtering solutions within their networks. Technology has now made it possible to identify and filter potential scam messages within the mobile network using machine reading technology. IMDA would like to seek views and comments from members of the public and the industry on the proposed implementation of anti-scam filter solution by the Mobile Network Operators.

Feedback: As Digital Architect of Singapore, IMDA this seems quite a delayed move as its been a nuisance for last 10 years.

Also not just anti-SMS, but also overseas call, to be auto blocked once a police case has been reported and confirmed its a scam call.

IMDA needs to also work with banks, insurance and property to not make phone number a mandatory input for registering a interest in product/services.

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