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# IE Bonds – Central Bank of Ireland Issues Warning on Unauthorised Firm

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Warning	Unauthorised Investment Firm / Unauthorised Investment Business firm
Unauthorised Firm Name	IE Bonds
Website	<a href="https://iebonds.com/">https://iebonds.com/</a>
Email address used	info@ierates.com
Authorisation in Ireland	<b>IE Bonds is <u>not authorised</u></b> to provide investment services in Ireland.
Additional Information	<p>This investment scam is an example of a "comparison website scam", where fraudsters set up a website purporting to help consumers find and compare different investment or savings products. Consumers looking to make an investment enter their details (i.e. contact information, amount to invest, ideal rate of return) into an online form and are later contacted by the fraudsters via phone or email.</p> <p>These fraudsters claim to be from well-known banks or investment firms, and offer investment opportunities in fake investments/scams.</p> <p>The fraudsters will often share official-looking brochures using the name and branding of these well-known banks or investment firms.</p>
Further information	<p>The scam entity is connected to other fraudulent entities, similarly purporting to offer investment services under the names:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• IE Rates</li> <li>• Goldman Sachs Asset Management Fund Services Limited (Clone)</li> </ul>

#### Notes:

1. Any person wishing to contact the Central Bank with information regarding such firms / persons may telephone (01) 224 5800.
2. For more information on how to protect yourself from financial scams, please visit [www.centralbank.ie/financialscams](http://www.centralbank.ie/financialscams)
3. The name of the above firm is published under section 53 of the Central Bank (Supervision and Enforcement) Act 2013