

My Advice here??

Apparently from PayPal!

Don't DO anything, just push it into your spam bin and leave it!

FW: Mike Finding your credit card is about to expire

I get asked quite a lot about this type of thing.

It is what is known as a “phishing” email designed to catch the card details of the unwary

You can quite understand this being a bit worrying for someone who may not know some of the ways that spammers can work!

ANY thing you are not sure about dump it!

The screenshot shows a phishing email from PayPal. The email body contains the following text:

- add a debit or credit card
- Follow the instructions to add your chosen card

If you don't register your new card with PayPal, you may not be able to successfully make PayPal transactions.

To find out more on adding a new card to your PayPal account, view our [video tutorial](#).

UPDATE YOUR DETAILS NOW

Hover the mouse over the link and see the pop up info below

account does not have an expiry date which means it will not need updating on PayPal. All you r to do is complete our bank confirmation process to pay with your bank account via PayPal. To fir more about adding your bank account, watch our [video tutorial](#) or see our [guide](#).

Yours sincerely,
PayPal

The screenshot also shows a sidebar with the following information:

- PayPal balance: £0.00 GBP
- Add or Remove Card
- Add or Edit Address
- My recent activity: Last seven days (27 Jul 2009-3 Aug 2009) | Last updated 3 August 2009 3:31 p.m. BST
- Payments received | Payments sent
- Table with columns: Action, Date, Type, Name/Email, Payment status, Details, Order status.

Some may say that's a bit hasty. I say better safe than sorry.