

PROTECT YOURSELF AGAINST IDENTITY THEFT

If you have filed a South Carolina tax return since 1998 to the present, the State is offering you the opportunity to register with two services free of charge for one year.

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your business

IF YOU HAVE A BUSINESS...

The State is offering two (2) services to help protect your business:

BUSINESSES

1. Dun & Bradstreet ~~Credibility~~ Corporation

- Sign up online
- * Go to www.DandB.com/SC to initiate the registration process.
- Call Dun & Bradstreet ~~Credibility~~ Corporation Call Center.
- * Call **1-800-279-9881** to complete the process with a live agent.

or →

~~Dun & Bradstreet Credibility Corp.~~ Call Center Hours:

Monday – Friday:

8:00a.m. – 8:00p.m. EST *← BOLD*

2. Experian® Business Credit AdvantageSM

~~How to enroll.~~

- 1) Go to www.SmartBusinessReports.com/SouthCarolina.
- 2) Register to get an Experian® business credit monitoring access code.
- 3) An instant email is sent to the user's email address with the access code.
- 4) Follow instructions on the email to redeem the access code at the web address provided.

HELPFUL HINTS

- Never give out your Social Security Number, FEI Number, or other identifying information to people you do not know or who contact you.
- There are no fees charged to the enrolled to register with Dun & Bradstreet ~~Credibility~~ Corporation or Experian® Business Credit AdvantageSM for the first year.
- Every individual with a Social Security Number should register with Experian® ProtectMyID™ separately, because credit histories are tied to individual's Social Security Numbers.
- While the investigation is still ongoing, South Carolina taxpayer's Social Security Numbers, debit card numbers, credit card numbers, and information that would be found on the front of a check like bank account and routing numbers may have been exposed.

Businesses, Non-Profits, and Churches should enroll for the Identity protection

credit card information

enroll

January 31, 2013 is the deadline to register for one year of identity theft protection with ProtectMyID™.

For more information be sure to visit our website at www.sctax.org.

Please also go to www.consumer.sc.gov and click on the "Identity Theft Resources" link, or call 1-800-922-1594 to find out more about protecting yourself.

Dun & Bradstreet and Experian® Business Credit AdvantageSM.

