

IDES (Illinois Department of Employment Security) - Identity Theft

- 1) **If you receive an unsolicited debit card from IDES or KeyBank –DO NOT ACTIVATE IT!**
- 2) **If you receive a bank debit card from KeyBank or any other bank, contact that bank's fraud department and have the account closed**
- 3) **Notify IDES of the fraud**
https://www2.illinois.gov/ides/Pages/UI_Fraud_by_Individuals.aspx (bottom of the page)
- 4) **Make notifications to the following:**
 - Federal Trade Commission:
<https://www.ftc.gov/faq/consumer-protection/submit-consumer-complaint-ftc>
 - Internal Revenue Service:
<https://www.irs.gov/identity-theft-fraud-scams/employment-related-identity-theft>
 - Illinois Department of Revenue (email):
REV.IdentityTheftAffidavit@Illinois.gov
- 5) **Contact one of the three credit bureaus and put a fraud alert on your credit report**
 - TransUnion 1-800-916-8800 www.Transunion.com
 - Equifax 1-800-685-1111 www.Equifax.com
 - Experian 1-888-397-3742 www.Experian.com
- 6) **Regularly check your bank balances and credit card balances for fraudulent activity**
- 7) **Keep all information until tax time in the event there is an issue with filing your State or Federal taxes**
- 8) **More information on identity theft can be found at:**
<https://identitytheft.gov/databreach>