

Hi all,

It's been brought to my attention that a scammer has recently been operating on MG Buy Swap Sell. Going by the name of 'Mike', and using an email address beginning with m.pike04l, he had the following ads listed on the site:

MGB seats and passenger side

1967 MGB 1800cc motor

MG TC 19" wire wheels and tyres

These ads, along with his account, have now been removed.

Unfortunately, several users have already sent him money, with some paying for the exact same item. I urge you not to send any money to a 'Greater Bank' account under the name 'Lucila Pike', and also to end any communications with him.

If you have been in contact with 'Mike', or have sent money, then please contact me. You are also welcome to report this scam to your local police, liaise with your financial institution in order to retrieve funds, and also report this online to the Australian Cybercrime Online Reporting Network ([www.acorn.gov.au](http://www.acorn.gov.au)), which I too will be doing.

I do my best to ensure all users receive a fair and just service through MG Buy Swap Sell, but it is unfortunate that people like 'Mike' are out there, trying to take advantage of others. To help reduce the likelihood of this type of scam re-occurring in the future, all ads placed on MG Buy Swap Sell must now have a valid Australia phone number listed, along with an email address.

In the meantime, if you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me.

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