

## **Possible ADT Security Scam**

**From Raven Crime Watch Society**

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I had a call today that recorded as 416-765-1234, allegedly on behalf of ADT security, and allegedly promoting a special offer of free installation of a security system.

I gave my standard response to telephone solicitors of “not interested” and was in the process of hanging up when the caller started demanding to know why I was not interested, where I lived et cetera, at which point I terminated the call without divulging any information the caller was fishing for.

A Google search came up with multiple warnings of criminals using such a tactic to scope out potential targets, which I suspect was probable in this instance.

If you receive a call like this and are not sure whether it is authentic or not, better to err on the side of caution and hang up. If you want a security system, make the call yourself.

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