

## NEOGOV Email Spam Alert

This is an important note about a recent wave of email spamming issues. Internet scams are on the rise, and this particular one is a well known job website email scam that has been circulating the Internet for several years. To make it appear legitimate, scam artists are referencing well-known job boards, such as GovernmentJobs.com, NEOGOV, Monster, Yahoo, and others by name. They have also carefully constructed a fake job description to make it appear more real. You can read more about it at the following blogs:

<http://exposingemailscams.blogspot.com/2010/10/international-product-dispatcher-job.html>

<http://emailinternetscams.com/2012/02/sharmaine-henriquez-job-scam.html>

Fortunately, none of the email scams reported to us included more dangerous components such phishing or malware. Spam email is such a common occurrence today with every Internet site that you may think you know what to look for. Our goal is to increase awareness and educate our customers and applicants not to open suspect emails and to be vigilant in guarding against email scams.

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