

## Safeguard Yourself Against Buyers' Remorse

**Research sellers before you buy.** Search online for the name of the seller and product, plus words like "complaint" and "scam." And read reviews about the seller and their products, too.

**Compare products.** Shop around to make sure you're getting the best deal. Comparison shop online, looking at prices, delivery dates, and even discounts or coupon codes.

**Pay by credit card.** Paying by credit card gives you more rights to dispute the charge if something goes wrong. Avoid merchants who ask you to pay by wire transfer, cryptocurrency, or by mailing cash. Many scammers ask for cash or alternative payment offers.

**Keep records.** Save copies of your receipts and order confirmations from online orders. Hold onto them until you get what you ordered and know you won't return things.