

Ref 43 Lunn Poly £950.00

Method of identification & investigation

Cheque returned by bank and traced back to original ledger postings which showed it had been given the narrative: “RFD 1134” & “Rfd 58 Hutchings 1134”

Factors causing suspicion

There is no Hutchings or property 58 associated with account 1134.

The cheque in all respects was computer printed save for the payee which was handwritten afterwards.

The cheque is amended and signed by Helen Armstrong and yet the posting is suffixed with the reference “RR”. This would be interpreted as Richard Robinson.

The cheque is made out to a travel company, Lunn Poly, with whom Wren has no account or business dealings.

The reverse is marked with a holiday booking reference “Rw 012354 08 July Armstrong”. The date 8/7/00 corresponds with the office holiday chart which shows Conrad and Helen Armstrong were on holiday on this date and for the following two weeks.

Conclusion

Cheque payment with a false narrative and taken from a company balance sheet account which is difficult to audit.

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Pay the sum of pounds					To the order of
Hundreds of Thousands	Tens of Thousands	Thousands	Hundreds	Tens	Units
ZERO	ZERO	ZERO	NINE	FIVE	ZERO
Pence as in figures: 00					<i>Laura Poy</i>

Date 17/05/00

£ 950.00

For and on behalf of
WREN PROPERTIES LTD.

Helen [Signature]

Rw. 012354
08 July
Armstrong

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BARCLAYS BANK PLC
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