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Week #7: Sorry, Wrong Number

GOV. RELL: I'm Governor Jodi Rell inviting you to listen to today's "Informed Investor," with the Securities Division within the Department of Banking and AARP-Connecticut for the Campaign for Wise and Safe Investing.

ANNOUNCER: The most basic rule of investing is – if it sounds too good to be true, it probably is.

A scammer could leave a hot stock tip on your answering machine. It sounds like a wrong number and you're getting a tip that was meant for someone else. But it's really an attempt to get you and others to drive up the price of a stock so someone else can reap the rewards.

Beware of tips faxed or e-mailed to you that actually look like they're meant for someone else. And check out any investment with the Connecticut Securities Division.

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