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Sign on-line to change attitudes to CNP fraud

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Efforts to change the attitude of the government and the banking community to cardholder not present (CNP) fraud have been stepped up with the launch of an on-line petition for resellers to sign.

In conjunction with Early Warning, a database of fraudulent activities that dealers can tap into to avoid becoming

victims of fraudsters, *MicroScope* is aiming to encourage resellers that want to express their dissatisfaction with the current safeguards against CNP to sign the petition, which will be used to lobby the government and the banks.

Andrew Goodwill, managing director of Early Warning, said a large number of resellers had "had enough" and were putting their names to the petition.

"The comments we have got from companies are that they have had enough for far too long and it's about time something was done," he said.

Goodwill added that he had made contact with Nick Gibb, Conservative MP for Bognor Regis and Littlehampton, who had tabled questions in the House of Commons on the government and was hoping to put more pressure on the Home Office to deal with concerns over CNP.

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