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Police are releasing CCTV images of a man they want to trace in connection with a fraud case where a woman in her 70s was conned into handing over hundreds of pounds.

The incident came to light after an alert member of staff at a bank in Leiston became suspicious after seeing the woman with someone dressed as a workman and the woman then tried to withdraw £1,000.

It was then found that other withdrawals had been made to pay for work at her Darsham home, however there was no evidence of any work being carried out.

Police are keen to trace the man in the images. Although his face is not clear, officers believe he may be recognised by his distinctive clothing and are asking anyone who can help to get in touch.

If you have any information about who the man is, or if you saw him in Leiston around 12noon – 1pm on Tuesday 19 May or have any information that may assist, please call PC James Hardy at Halesworth by dialling Suffolk Police on 101, quoting crime number LE/15/528.

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