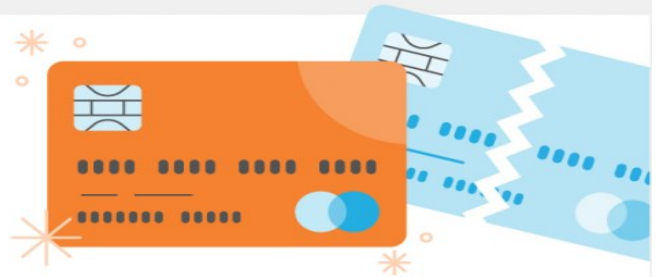


THINGS TO AVOID AFTER APPLYING FOR A MORTGAGE

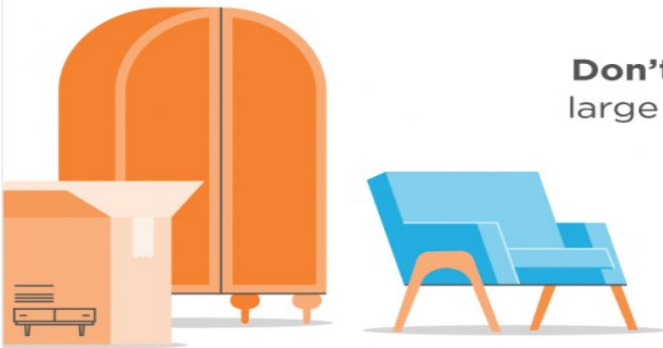
Consistency is the name of the game after applying for a mortgage. Be sure to discuss any changes in income, assets, or credit with your lender, so you don't jeopardize your application.



Don't change bank accounts.



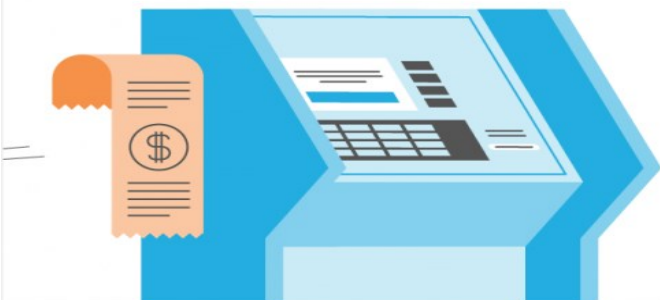
Don't apply for new credit or close any credit accounts.



Don't make any large purchases.



Don't deposit cash into your bank accounts before speaking with your bank or lender.



Don't co-sign other loans for anyone.



The best plan is to fully disclose and discuss your intentions with your lender before you do anything financial in nature.