

Before you send or book.

Seven questions / One decision / No email required

1. The action and deadline

What exact payment, booking or promise am I deciding on, and by when?

2. Confirmed information

What have I directly confirmed? What only comes from a statement?

3. The useful unknown

Which missing answer would change my next action?

4. New exposure

What would I commit now, in what currency, and what is reversible?

5. The pause

What happens if I pause this commitment? How will I say that respectfully?

6. My independent plan

What remains under my control if the meeting or relationship plan changes?

7. The next review point

GO, WAIT or STOP for which action, under which conditions, until what date?

Use aliases. Keep this sheet private. This tool does not establish anyone's intentions. For someone you have never met, the FTC advises against sending money or gifts. Suspected fraud: contact the payment provider promptly; do not wait for a paid review.

Source: consumer.ftc.gov/articles/what-know-about-romance-scams
Method and full example: [before-further.vercel.app/method](#) · /example