


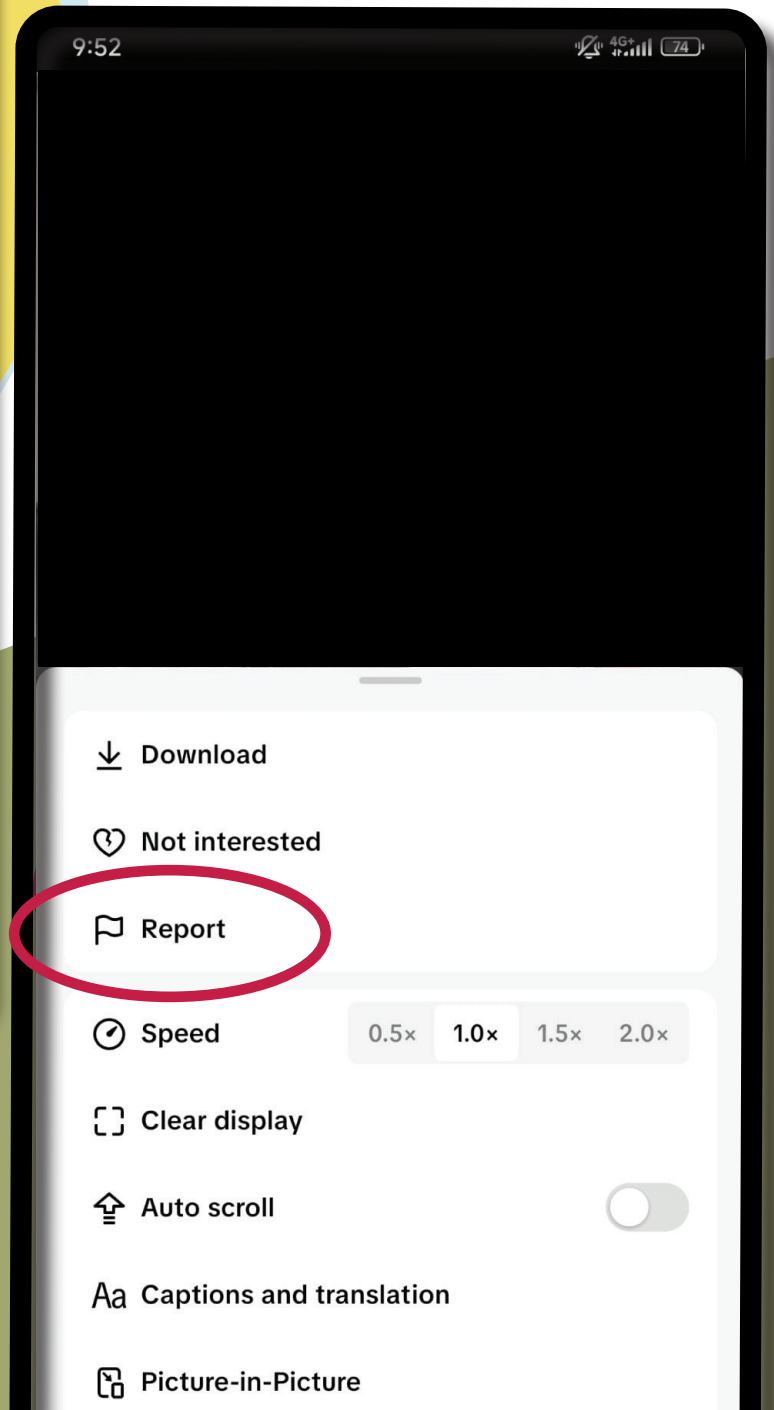
How to Report Illegal Content in Videos on the TikTok App



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When the menu opens, tap the flag labelled **Report**.



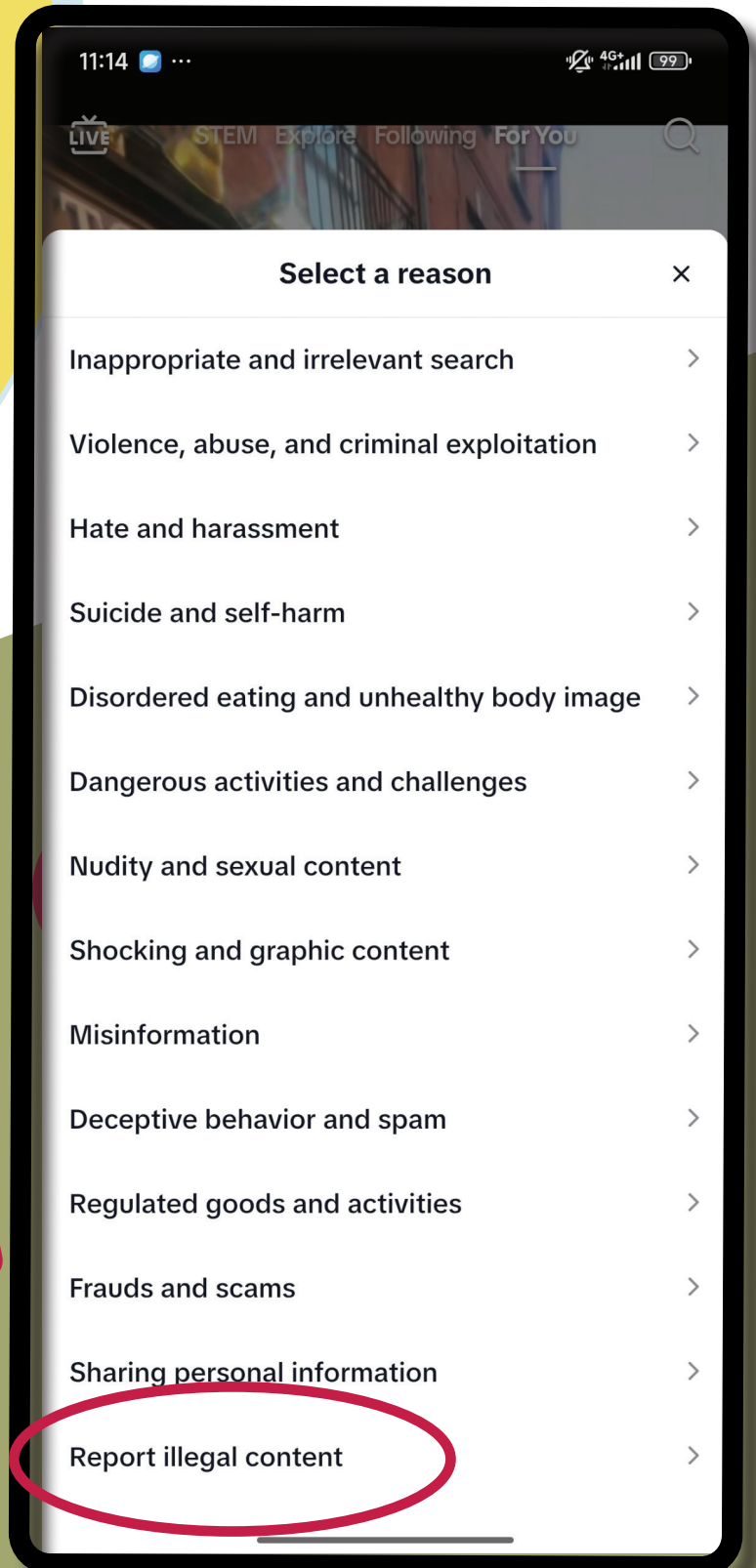
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Next, you'll be asked to select a reason for your report. Select **Report illegal content**. If you don't see it at first, try scrolling down to see all the available options.



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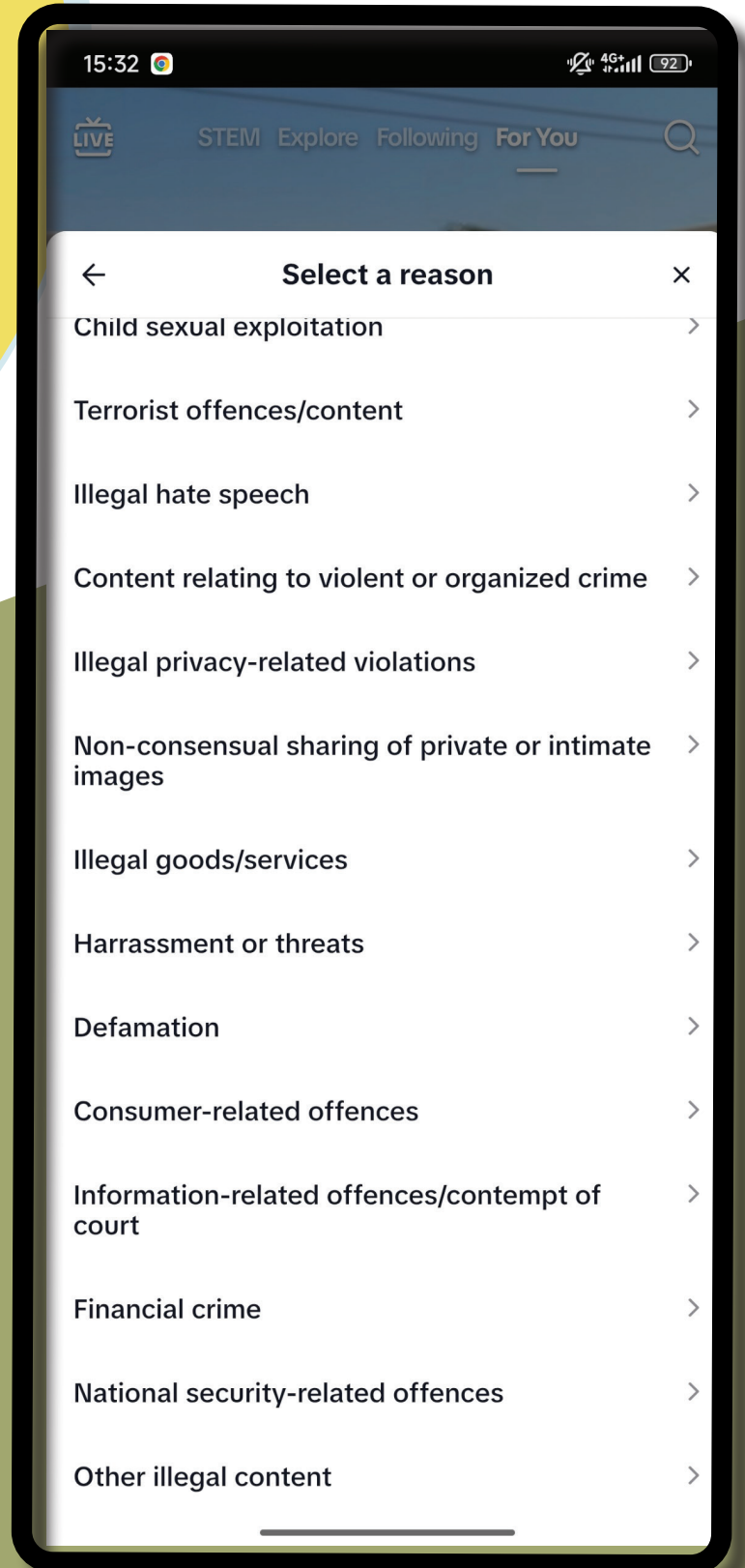


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You'll then see a list containing various categories of potentially illegal content.

Select the category that best fits the content you want to report, or, if you're not sure, select Other illegal content.

Depending on which category you choose, you may be asked to make some further selections, before reaching a reporting form.



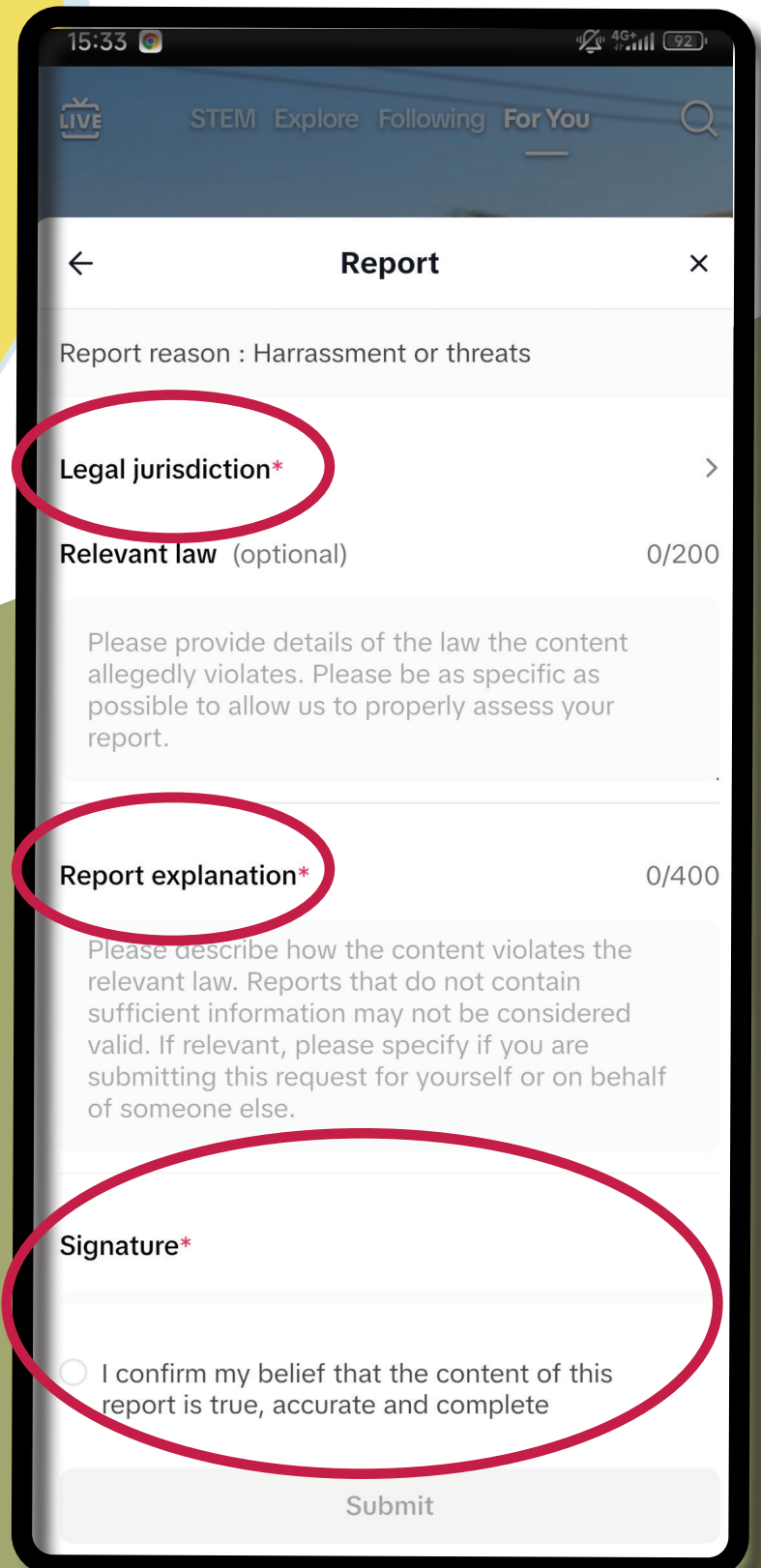
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On the form, complete all the required sections marked with a red asterisk (*), providing as much detail as you can, before submitting.

It is also helpful to provide details of the law you suspect the content may be breaking, if you know it, but this is optional.



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Report

Report reason : Harrassment or threats

Legal jurisdiction*

Relevant law (optional) 0/200

Please provide details of the law the content allegedly violates. Please be as specific as possible to allow us to properly assess your report.

Report explanation* 0/400

Please describe how the content violates the relevant law. Reports that do not contain sufficient information may not be considered valid. If relevant, please specify if you are submitting this request for yourself or on behalf of someone else.

Signature*

I confirm my belief that the content of this report is true, accurate and complete

Submit

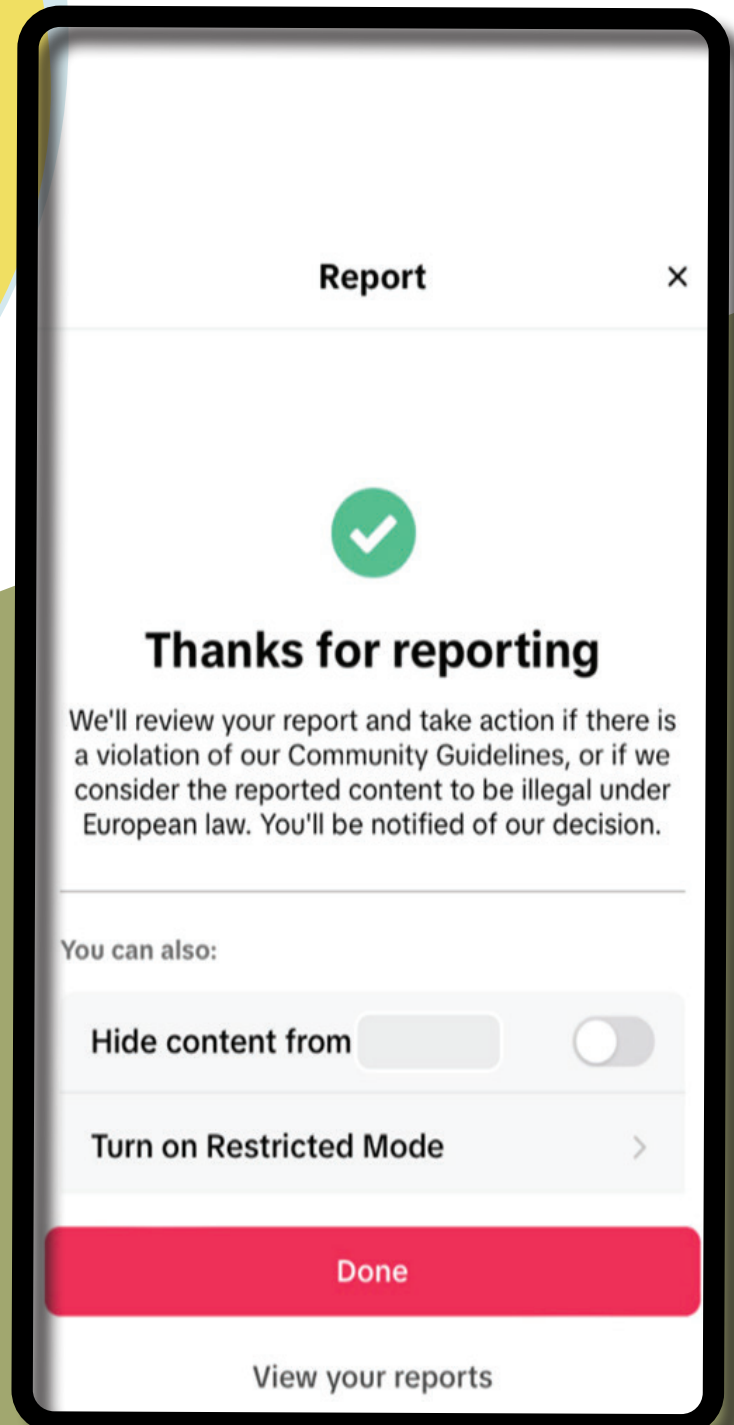
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Following submission, you should receive an automated notification, confirming that your report has been submitted.

It may also suggest some other actions you can take while you await the outcome of your report.



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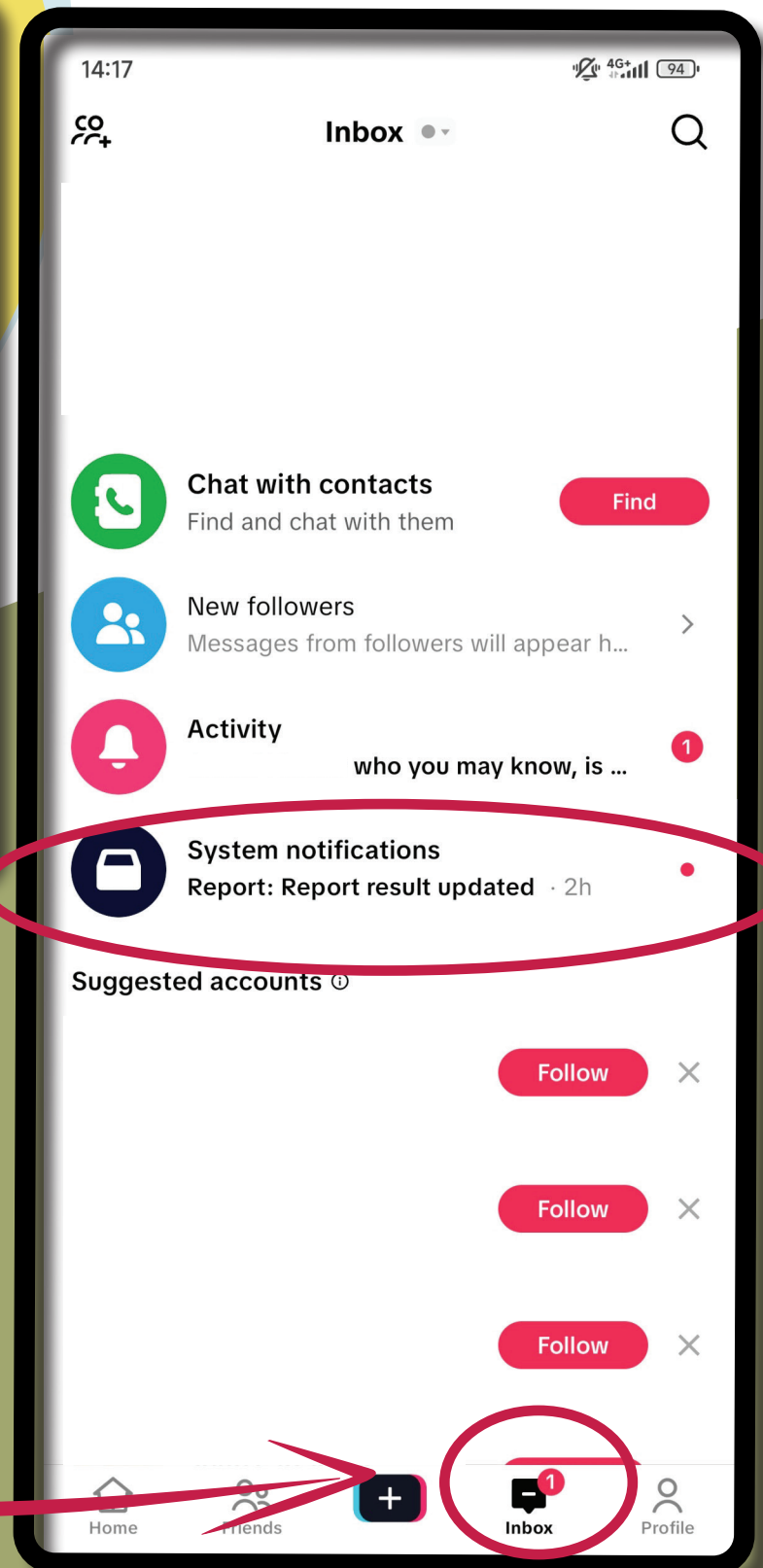


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Following TikTok's review, you should receive a notification of the outcome and any action that has been taken in respect of the reported content, as well as any options for appeal.

Depending on the outcome, it may be determined that no further action is necessary, or it may be considered appropriate to restrict or remove the content.

Your report details and notifications will usually be found in the **System notifications** section of your TikTok app **inbox**.



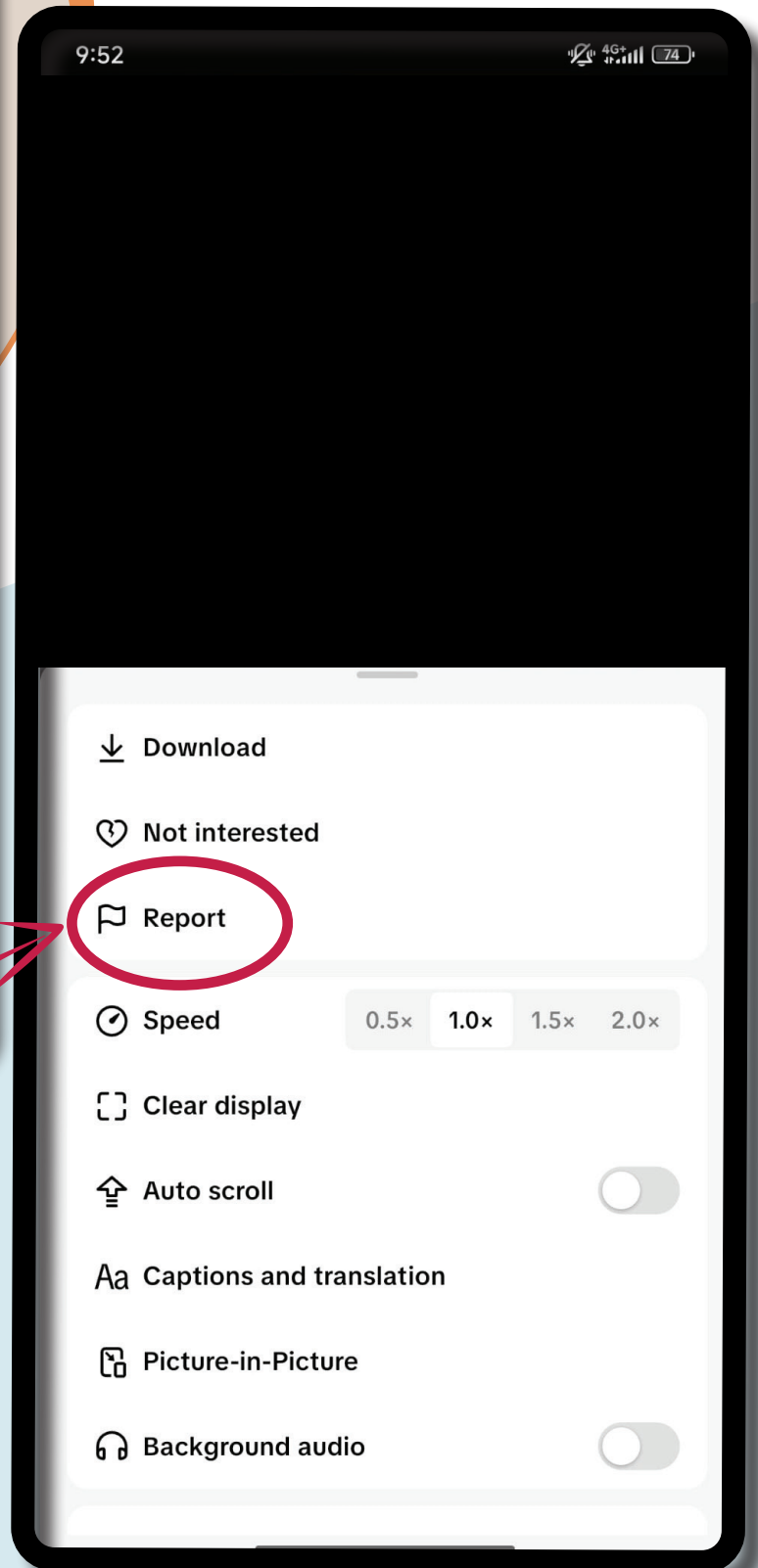
How to Report Harmful Content in Videos on the TikTok App



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If you spot potentially harmful content, or content which may violate TikTok's Community Guidelines or terms and conditions, and you would like to report it, **press and hold on the content**, or tap the **Share**  button on the right-hand side of the screen, to open a small pop-up menu – this may vary depending on whether you are using an Android device or an iPhone.

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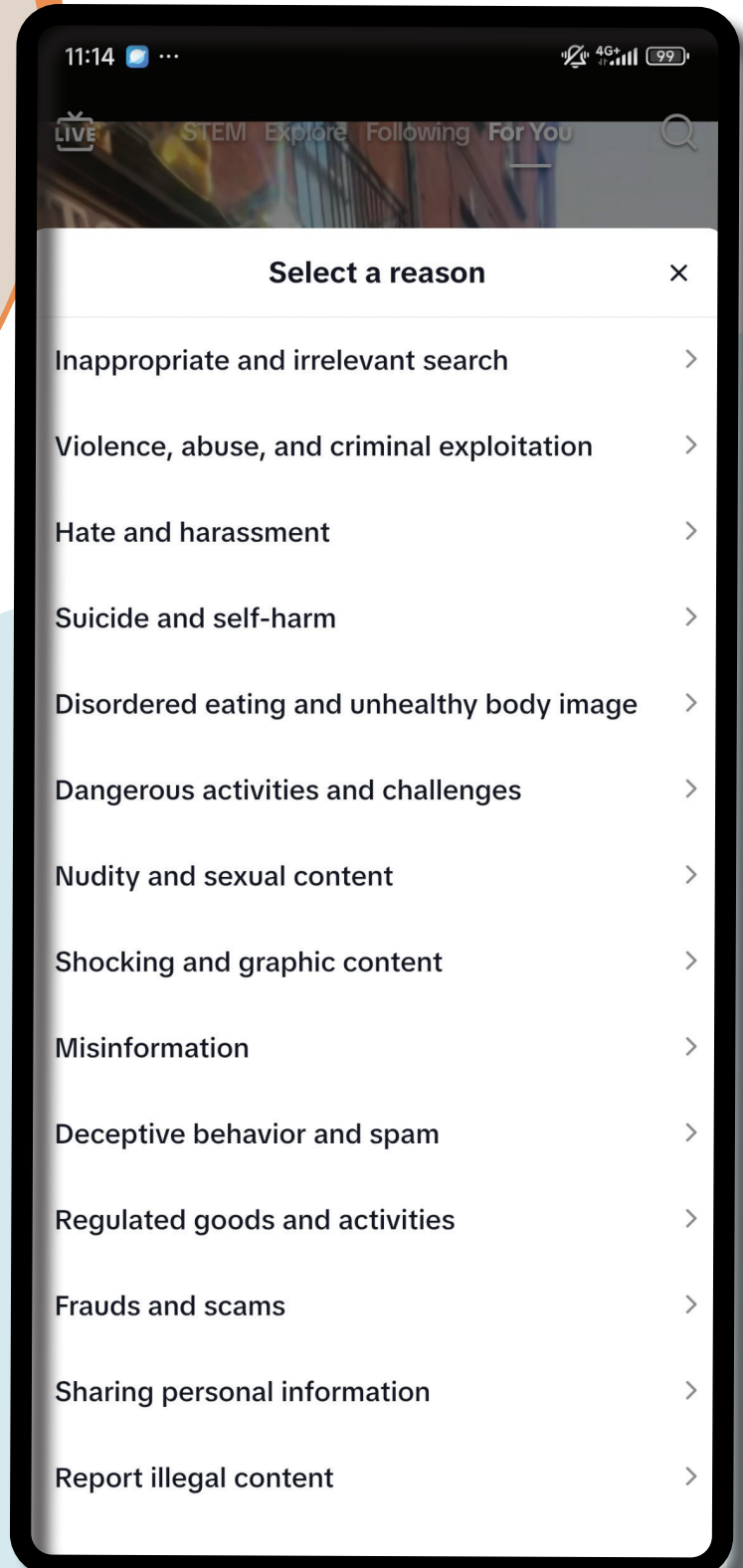
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You'll see a list of categories representing different types of potentially harmful content.

Select the category that best fits the content you want to report, or, if you're not sure, select Other.

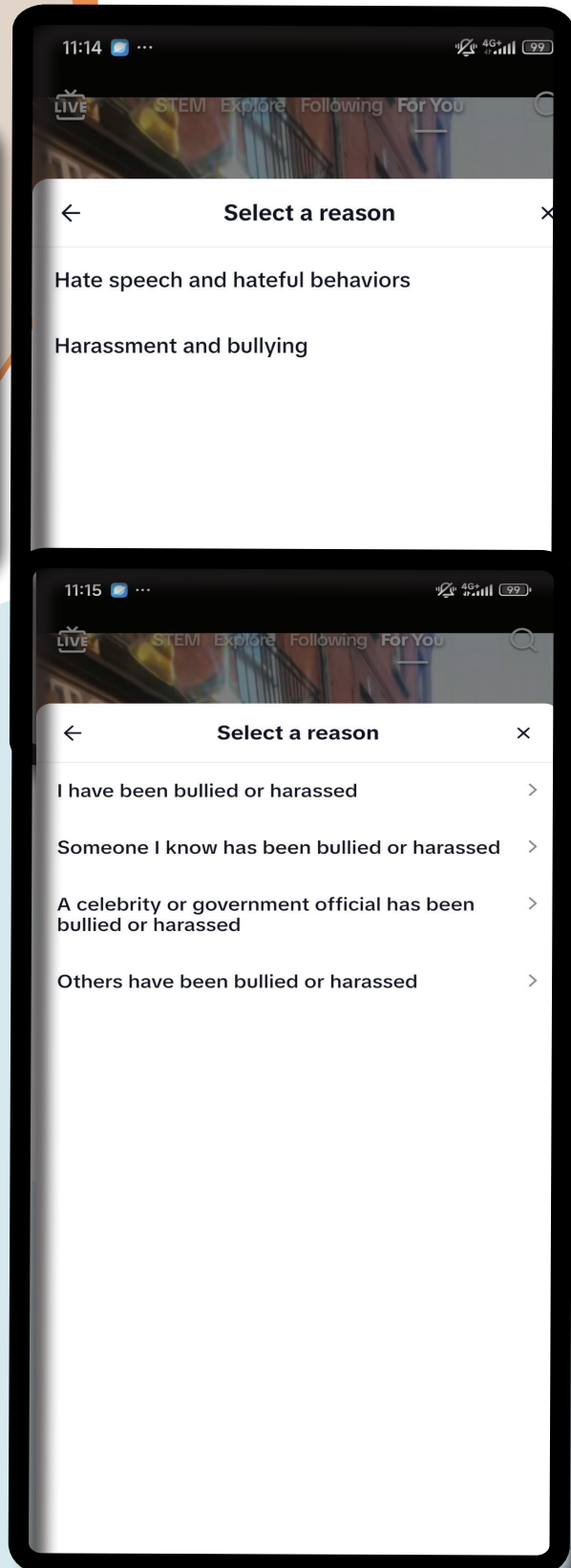


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For some categories, you may be asked to make some further selections, like these, before reaching the submission page.

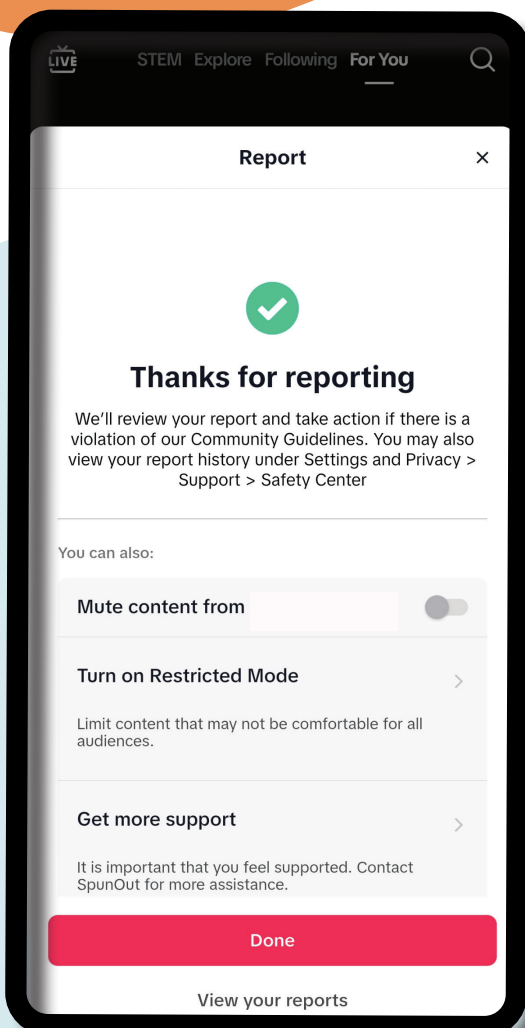
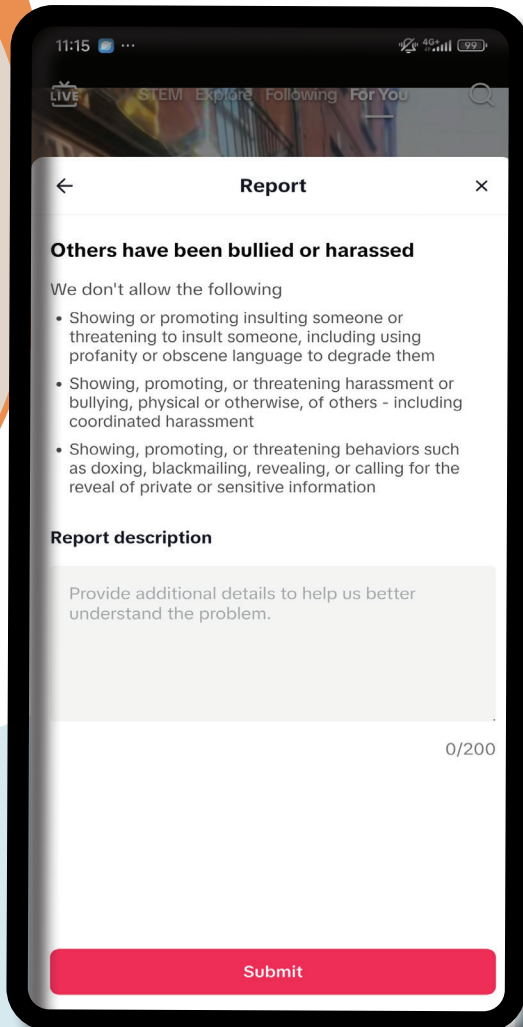


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Depending on the reason for your report, you may be provided with a summary of the relevant Community Guidelines or terms and conditions, or prompted to provide additional detail, before pressing **Submit**.



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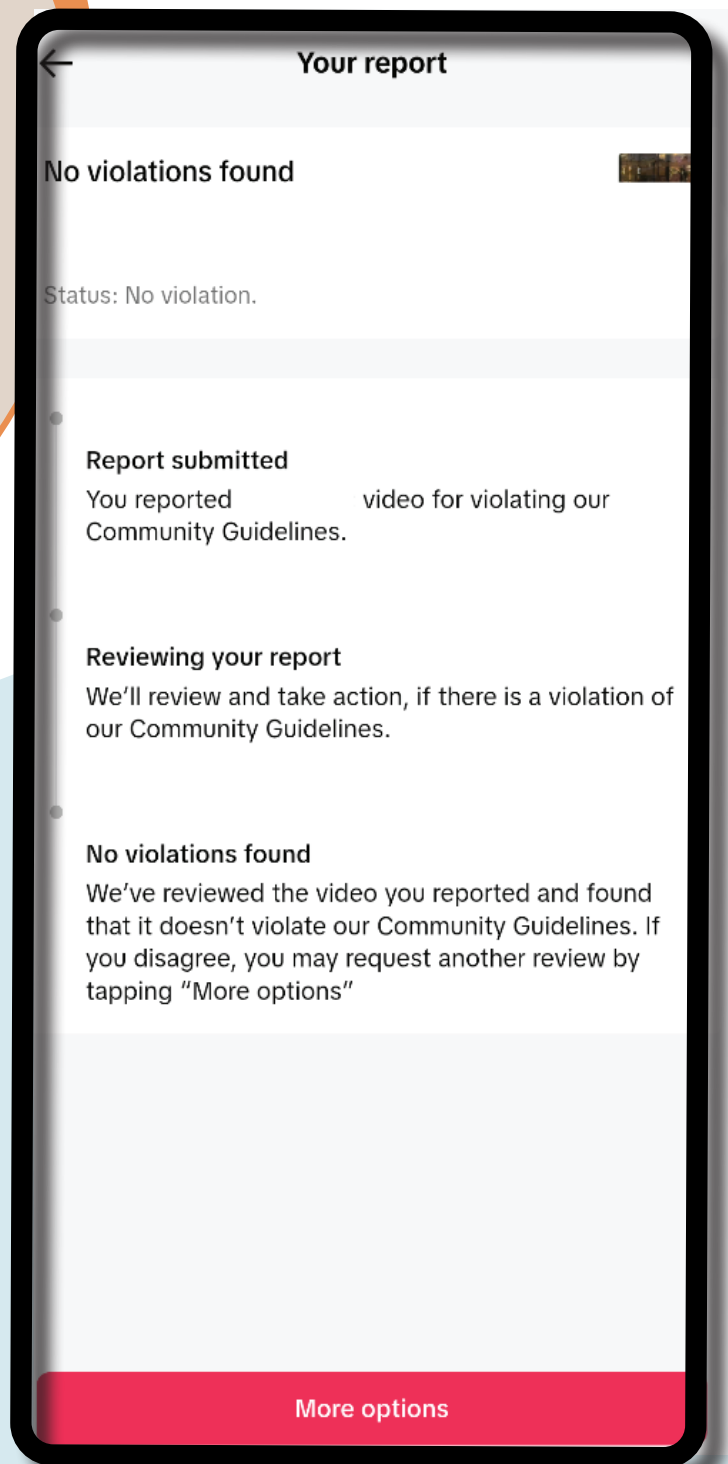
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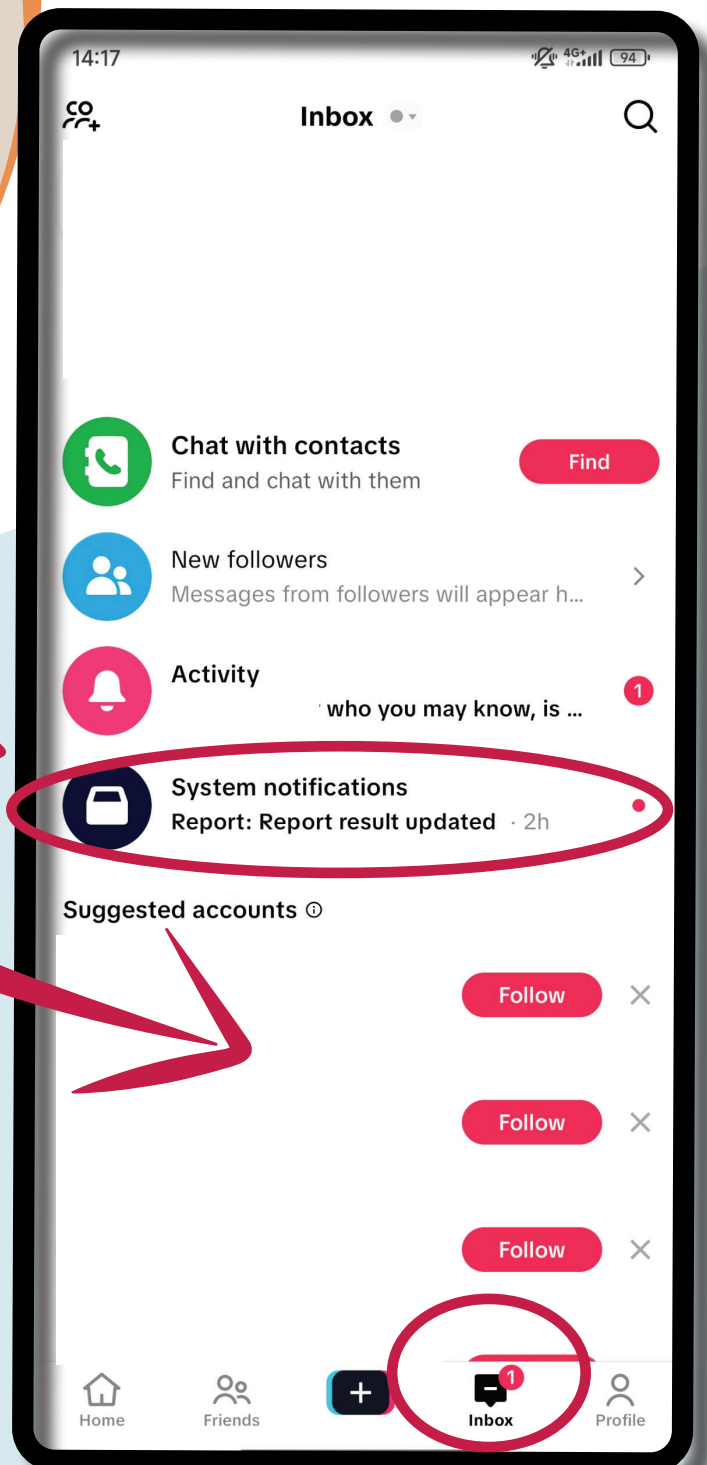


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Links to Further Resources

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TikTok supports

- For more information on TikTok's Community Guidelines, visit www.tiktok.com/community-guidelines/en/
- For more information on reporting illegal content on TikTok, visit www.tiktok.com/legal/page/global/reporting-illegal-content/en
- TikTok provides some additional information for users seeking to report [harmful](#) and [illegal](#) content via web browser

Coimisiún na Meán resources

- For a helpful table of laws in Ireland, go to www.cnam.ie/%20general-public/online-safety/what-is-illegal-content
- See our other guides at www.cnam.ie/general-public/guides-resources