
Subject: Need to bring this to BHS's attention
Posted by [flyingfox](#) on Wed, 30 Nov 2005 23:16:41 GMT
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Could I direct you over to http://www.renegadeforums.com/index.php?t=msg&goto=180916&rid=127#msg_180916 on page three and my reply..

Quote:IF your name is on the ignore file for a server, the SERVER will say you are using renguard REGARDLESS of whether you are or not.

Hence, you could be NOT using renguard, USING cheats, with your name on the ignore list for the server, and STILL have the server report that you are using renguard...BECAUSE you are on the ignore list.

From the discussion that went on in that topic, and then the long demonstration caveman made, this seems to be the case. If so I thought I should point this out - it means that anyone can circumvent the system and fool everyone into thinking they're running renguard, when they aren't -- the server owner has just put them on the ignore list. And how many people would really be bothered going to the IRC server and using !rglocate after the server telling them the player is using RG?

Subject: Re: Need to bring this to BHS's attention
Posted by [Kanezor](#) on Thu, 01 Dec 2005 04:33:34 GMT
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The ignore list is there for players whom are on the same network as the server while both are behind NAT -- if such an occurrence happens, the player would not be considered as running RenGuard even though they are, because they would connect to the gameserver using a different IP than RenGuard sees them on. If the gameserver administrators abuse this file, that is their prerogative, really.

Subject: Re: Need to bring this to BHS's attention
Posted by [Caveman](#) on Thu, 01 Dec 2005 11:45:36 GMT
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Ive already had this discussion with some of the RenGuard Team. I was told that they will remove that feature with the new RG.

Which sucks for people that are using the file for good but then it stops serveradmin's abusing it.

If you think someone is cheating while using RG just quickly goto www.renguard.com goto the locator it does the something as !rglocate in IRC

Subject: Re: Need to bring this to BHS's attention
Posted by [luv2pb](#) on Thu, 01 Dec 2005 18:35:29 GMT
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If you own the server you can do what ever you damn well please on it. If you want to "fool" RG then so be it. You wont have anyone to play with on your server but you have every right.

Subject: Re: Need to bring this to BHS's attention
Posted by [light](#) on Thu, 01 Dec 2005 23:43:33 GMT
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I know some servers use the ignore list for legitimate players suffering from 'Buffer Overrun' and other RenGuard troubles.

Removing it would be a mistake.

Subject: Re: Need to bring this to BHS's attention
Posted by [Sniper_De7](#) on Fri, 02 Dec 2005 00:55:30 GMT
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Since when do they get a right to make it that everyone has to use RG except themselves and even go beyond that and cheat if they so pleased; especially one that isn't so obvious. It's one thing if you say that you're going to cheat and you say it; it's another to endorse RG and then stab everyone in the back by not using it. Just because you own a server doesn't give you the right to be a jackass about things. (yes, i know technically you can be a jackass; but it doesn't make it any more right, does it?)

Subject: Re: Need to bring this to BHS's attention
Posted by [Kanezor](#) on Fri, 02 Dec 2005 02:26:02 GMT
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Being right and having a right are two different things. Don't forget that.

Subject: Re: Need to bring this to BHS's attention
Posted by [Goztow](#) on Fri, 02 Dec 2005 09:24:21 GMT
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Well, one thing is sure: it's bad for RG's reputation... Imagine someone is clearly cheating (a server owner) and you do !lrg xxx and it says he has RG...

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Posted by [light](#) on Fri, 02 Dec 2005 09:31:18 GMT
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Posted by [Kanezor](#) on Fri, 02 Dec 2005 20:46:06 GMT
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Goztow wrote on Fri, 02 December 2005 22:24Well, one thing is sure: it's bad for RG's reputation... Imagine someone is clearly cheating (a server owner) and you do !lrg xxx and it says he has RG...Really, RenGuard's reputation is already in the black, in my opinion. 1.04 will change that, however.

Subject: Re: Need to bring this to BHS's attention
Posted by [Dave Mason](#) on Sun, 04 Dec 2005 00:03:56 GMT
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Posted by [light](#) on Sun, 04 Dec 2005 00:34:10 GMT
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Posted by [Ma1kel](#) on Sun, 04 Dec 2005 15:13:26 GMT
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"Your user permissions do not allow you to perform the action you are attempting."

Subject: Re: Need to bring this to BHS's attention
Posted by [Goztow](#) on Mon, 05 Dec 2005 07:47:03 GMT
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Ma1kel wrote on Sun, 04 December 2005 10:13"Your user permissions do not allow you to perform the action you are attempting."
That's a forum for server owners only. Not very smart to give a link to that .

Subject: Re: Need to bring this to BHS's attention
Posted by [light](#) on Mon, 05 Dec 2005 09:32:42 GMT
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Nothing wrong with linking to the server owners forum.

How else am I supposed to show him the page? Describe it? Quote it?

Subject: Re: Need to bring this to BHS's attention
Posted by [Caveman](#) on Mon, 05 Dec 2005 11:01:03 GMT
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You could quote it but i dont think the server owner or whoever are going to like it / allow it

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Posted by [Dave Mason](#) on Tue, 06 Dec 2005 16:09:59 GMT
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Fair enough.

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Posted by [flyingfox](#) on Mon, 19 Dec 2005 01:53:09 GMT
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Let me say this again, this was not intended to discuss whether or not there should be an ignore list...it was just to point out that when joe bloggs is on the ignore list, the SERVER will report that joe bloggs is using renguard, even if he isn't.

So don't remove the ignore list; instead, reprogram the SSC code to tell the player whether or not they're using it, followed by something like "but does not require it"...well that's what I would do.
