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Subject: Just a question concerning custom models...  
Posted by [IAmFenix](#) on Wed, 15 Apr 2009 22:26:08 GMT  
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When the patch it released, is it going to stop any custom models?

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Subject: Re: Just a question concerning custom models...  
Posted by [Ghostshaw](#) on Thu, 16 Apr 2009 09:25:02 GMT  
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Posted by [Veyrdite](#) on Mon, 20 Apr 2009 06:16:05 GMT  
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Posted by [Goztow](#) on Mon, 20 Apr 2009 06:17:31 GMT  
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Subject: Re: Just a question concerning custom models...  
Posted by [Veyrdite](#) on Mon, 20 Apr 2009 06:21:41 GMT  
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Thanks - that's a better solution than what Renguard enforced on clients trying to join 'pure' servers.

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Subject: Re: Just a question concerning custom models...  
Posted by [TORN](#) on Tue, 21 Apr 2009 12:56:13 GMT  
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THANK YOU!

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Subject: Re: Just a question concerning custom models...  
Posted by [Muad Dib15](#) on Sun, 26 Apr 2009 22:07:07 GMT  
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So, what we'd do is have the server owners start a topic for custom models that we'd like to use ingame and have the owners approve them?

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Subject: Re: Just a question concerning custom models...  
Posted by [Ghostshaw](#) on Sun, 26 Apr 2009 23:47:00 GMT  
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Posted by [slosha](#) on Mon, 27 Apr 2009 03:27:53 GMT  
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Subject: Re: Just a question concerning custom models...  
Posted by [Di3HardNL](#) on Mon, 27 Apr 2009 06:40:38 GMT  
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I think I would leave renegade if there were no more modified models allowed. But this sounds allright

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Posted by [saberhawk](#) on Mon, 27 Apr 2009 07:53:40 GMT  
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Posted by [Scrin](#) on Mon, 27 Apr 2009 08:05:58 GMT  
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humans are cruel!

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Subject: Re: Just a question concerning custom models...  
Posted by [Ghostshaw](#) on Mon, 27 Apr 2009 10:30:44 GMT  
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Only blocking certain models is alot easier to bypass then blocking all models but a few exceptions.

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Subject: Re: Just a question concerning custom models...

Posted by [slosha](#) on Fri, 01 May 2009 21:29:56 GMT

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Posted by [saberhawk](#) on Fri, 01 May 2009 22:44:49 GMT

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There definitely is, but don't you think we'd block that?

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Subject: Re: Just a question concerning custom models...

Posted by [rrutk](#) on Fri, 08 May 2009 11:50:35 GMT

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(JOKE!)

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Subject: Re: Just a question concerning custom models...

Posted by [Carrierll](#) on Sun, 10 May 2009 10:19:10 GMT

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These are clearly fair.