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Thread: ['Account Compromised' in Rep. Is it reputation Abuse?](#)

Theo™ - March 17, 2017, 3:48 am

Hello everyone,

This is my personal account and I have full control over it. But a member has just changed his positive rep to 'Account Compromised' on my profile even though it is not. Is it reputation abuse? Kindly help as it really gives the bad impression on my profile.

Quinck - March 17, 2017, 3:50 am

Have you PM'd the member about this to try and resolve it?

J?son - March 17, 2017, 3:50 am

What is reputation abuse?

Reputation abuse can be very complicated subject matter. Here is a list of the following ways reputation can be viewed as abuse.

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- Reputation as a currency: We do not allow the buying or selling of reputations.
- Gang Rep: The act of coordination with other members to raise or lower a member's reputation is not allowed.
- Rep Coercion: Using intimidation, threats, or blackmail to get reps added or removed.
- Rep Requesting: You cannot give hints, tips, or request reputations.
- Scammer Reputation: You're required to leave a link to a Deal Dispute thread you have created to infer someone is a scammer (ie: scammer, scams, chargebacks, scamming). Please note that a Deal Dispute link must be your own thread you've created. It cannot be a thread opened by another member.
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J?son - March 17, 2017, 3:57 am

(Mar 17, 2017 03:54 AM)Theo™ Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) He was once a good friend of mine, but he seems pissed for no reason. Is there a way i can send PM to Staff to look into this issue?
No.

Millimeter Peter - March 17, 2017, 3:58 am

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DO NOT PM staff about this. Try to message him once again and get it resolved, if not, you are stuck with the negative and just have to deal with it unfortunately.

Theo™ - March 17, 2017, 3:59 am

(Mar 17, 2017 03:57 AM)Jas?n Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) No.

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J?son - March 17, 2017, 3:59 am

(Mar 17, 2017 03:59 AM)Theo™ Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) So, i should just ignore this rep. Right buddy?

Yes. Just ignore and move on.

(Mar 17, 2017 03:58 AM)WeWantS3 Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Tryhard? Def not.

Shitpost? Def.

Theo™ - March 17, 2017, 4:00 am

(Mar 17, 2017 03:58 AM)Quinck Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) DO NOT PM staff about this. Try to message him once again and get it resolved, if not, you are stuck with the negative and just have to deal with it unfortunately.

Yea, messaging him won't help as he is pissed off. He was once a good friend. However i will try sending a PM to him. If he doesn't respond, probably i will have to live with this :/

Leroy Jethro Gibbs - March 17, 2017, 4:01 am

That type of rep is not rep abuse. Omni posts that rep on peoples shit all the time when they are under investigation and the rep is usually never removed.

Theo™ - March 17, 2017, 4:02 am

(Mar 17, 2017 04:01 AM)Leroy Jethro Gibbs Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) That type of rep is not rep abuse. Omni posts that rep on peoples shit all the time when they are under investigation and the rep is usually never removed.

Yea i just read Reputation Abuse policy again. Looks like ignoring the shitty rep is the only choice left.

Thanks everyone, for taking your time to help me in this. ?

Closing Thread.

Mr Kewl - *March 17, 2017, 4:06 am*

Not reputation abuse. PM the member and politely talk it out.