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##
# @package Joomla
# @copyright Copyright (C) 2005 — 2010 Open Source Matters. All rights reserved.
# @license http://www.gnu.org/copyleft/gpl.html GNU/GPL
# Joomla! is Free Software
##
READ THIS COMPLETELY IF YOU CHOOSE TO USE THIS FILE
# The line just below this section: 'Options +FollowSymLinks' may cause problems
# with some server configurations. It is required for use of mod_rewrite, but may already
# be set by your server administrator in a way that dissallows changing it in
# your .htaccess file.  If using it causes your server to error out, comment it out (add #
to
# beginning of line), reload your site in your browser and test your sef url's.  If they
# it has been set by your server administrator and you do not need it set here.
## Can be commented out if causes errors, see notes above,
Options +FollowSymLinks
  mod rewrite in use
RewriteEngine On
######## Begin – Rewrite rules to block out some common exploits
## If you experience problems on your site block out the operations listed below
## This attempts to block the most common type of exploit `attempts` to Joomla!
## Deny access to extension xml files (uncomment out to activate)
#<Files ~ "\.xml$">
#Order allow, deny
#Deny from all
#Satisfy all
#</Files>
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## End of deny access to extension xml files
RewriteCond %CQUERY_STRING> mosConfig_[a-zA-Z_]{1,21}(=|\%3D) [OR]
# Block out any script trying to base64_encode crap to send via URL
RewriteCond %(QUERY_STRING) base64_encode. *\(.*\) [OR]
# Block out any script that includes a <script> tag in URL
RewriteCond %(QUERY_STRING) (\<|%3C). *script. *(\>|%3E) [NC,OR]
# Block out any script trying to set a PHP GLOBALS variable via URL
RewriteCond %(OUERY STRING) GLOBALS(=|\[|\%L0-9A-Z](0.2)) [OR]
# Block out any script trying to modify a _REQUEST variable via URL
RewriteCond %(QUERY_STRING) _REQUEST(=L\[L\%[0-9A-Z](0,2))
# Send all blocked request to homepage with 403 Forbidden error!
RewriteRule ^(.*)$ index.php [F,L]
######### End – Rewrite rules to block out some common exploits
# Uncomment following line if your webserver's URL
# is not directly related to physical file paths.
# Update Your Joomla! Directory (just / for root)
# RewriteBase /
######### Begin - Joomla! core SEF Section
RewriteCond %(REQUEST_FILENAME) !-f
RewriteCond %(REQUEST_FILENAME) !-d
RewriteCond %(REQUEST_URI) ! ^/index.php
RewriteCond %(REQUEST_URI) (/IN. phpl N. html N. feedl N. pdfl N. rawl /[^.]*)$ [NC]
RewriteRule (.*) index.php
#RewriteRule .* - [E=HTTP AUTHORIZATION: %CHTTP: Authorization).Ll
#RewriteRule ^greendominion.com$ %(HTTP_HOST)\?%(QUERY_STRING)
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