If you edit the BULLETPROOF .48 >>>>>> SECURE .HTACCESS text above # you will see error messages on the BPS Security Status page # BPS is reading the version number in the htaccess file to validate checks # If you would like to change what is displayed above you # will need to edit the BPS /includes/functions.php file to match your changes # If you update your WordPress Permalinks the code between BEGIN WordPress and # END WordPress is replaced by WP htaccess code. # BEGIN WordPress <IfModule mod_rewrite.c> RewriteEngine On RewriteBase /wordpress/ RewriteRule ^index\.php\$ - [L] RewriteCond %(REQUEST_FILENAME) ! - f RewriteCond %(REQUEST_FILENAME) !-d RewriteRule . /wordpress/index.php [L] </If Module>

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This removes all of the BPS security code and replaces it with just the default WP htaccess code # To restore this file use BPS Restore or activate BulletProof Mode for your Root folder again.

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BLOCK HOTLINKING TO IMAGES
To Test that your Hotlinking protection is working visit
http://altlab.com/htaccess_tutorial.html
#RewriteEngine On
#RewriteCond %(HTTP_REFERER) ! ^https?://(www\.)?add-your-domain-here\.com [NC]
#RewriteCond %(HTTP_REFERER) ! ^\$
#RewriteRule .*\.(jpeg! jpg! gif! bmp! png)\$ = [F]

FORBID COMMENT SPAMMERS ACCESS TO YOUR wp-comments-post.php FILE
This is a better approach to blocking Comment Spammers so that you do not
accidentally block good traffic to your website. You can add additional

Comment Spammer IP addresses on a case by case basis below. # Searchable Database of known Comment Spammers http://www.stopforumspam.com/

<FilesMatch "^(wp-comments-post\.php)"> Order Allow, Deny Deny from 46, 119, 35, Deny from 46,119,45. Deny from 91, 236, 74. Deny from 93, 182, 147. Deny from 93, 182, 187. Deny from 94.27.72. Deny from 94.27.75. Deny from 94, 27, 76. Deny from 193, 105, 210. Deny from 195, 43, 128. Deny from 198, 144, 105. Deny from 199.15.234. Allow from all </FilesMatch>

BLOCK MORE BAD BOTS RIPPERS AND OFFLINE BROWSERS
If you would like to block more bad bots you can get a blacklist from
http://perishablepress.com/press/2007/06/28/ultimate-htaccess-blacklist/
You should monitor your site very closely for at least a week if you add a bad bots list
to see if any website traffic problems or other problems occur.
Copy and paste your bad bots user agent code list directly below.