Forum terms and conditions

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- spamming or commercial solicitation
- inflaming other members with the apparent intent of inciting or perpetuating a conflict or argument
- bombing forums or individual threads with repetitive, pointless posts
- posting personal email or chat dialogues
- posting objectionable material

- impersonating other individuals or false representation
- discussion of illegal activity, or posting links to other websites that deal with such activities
- posts made under secondary usernames or other aliases
- posts which are completely unrelated to the forum in which they are posted
- excessive cross-posting (this is considered spam)
- posts which breach another member's privacy, i.e. containing phone numbers, addresses or other personal information
- copyright violations

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