
Subject: CleanMail 4.0.2.3

Posted by [mhcomp](#) on Thu, 13 Aug 2009 08:33:41 GMT

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I have upgraded to CleanMail 4.0.2.3 and I'm still having problems with blatantly obvious spam emails getting through CleanMail safe.

The following email scored 2.9 and we have the threshold score set to 3.0

I am Mr. Mark Howard From Harlsden, North West London, here in England. I work for Natwest Bank Corporation London. I am writing you about a business poposal that will be of an imense benefit to both of us. In my department, being the assistant manager Greater London Regional

Million Great British Pounds Sterling) in an account that belongs to one of our foreign customers Late Mr. Terry Ryan, an American citizen who unfortunately lost his life in the plane crash of Alaska Airlines Flight 261 which crashed on January 31 2000, including his wife and children.

The choice of contacting you is aroused from the geograpgical nature of where you live, particularly due to the sensivity of the transaction and the confidentiality herein. Now our bank has been waiting for any of the relatives to come-up for the claim but nobody has done that. I personally has been unsuccessful in locating the relatives for 2 years now, I seek your consent to present you as the next of kin/Will Beneficiary to the deceased so that the proceeds of this account valued at 15 Million Pounds can be paid to you.

This will be disbursed or shared in these percentages, 60% to me and 40% to you. I have secured all necessary legal documents that can be used to back up this claim we are making. All i need is to fill in your names to the documents and legalise it in the court here to prove you as the legitimate beneficiary. All I require now is your honest Co-operation, Confidentiality and Trust to enable us see this transaction through. I guarantee you that this will be executed under a legitimate arrangement that will protect you from any breach of the law.

Please, provide me the following, as we have 7 days to run it through. This is very very URGENT PLEASE.

1. Full Name.
2. Your Direct Mobile Number.
3. Your Contact Address.

Having gone through a methodical search, I decided to contact you hoping that you will find this proposal interesting. Please on your confirmation of this message and indicating your interest will furnish you with more information. Endeavor to let me know your decision rather than keep me waiting.

Regards,
Mr. Mark Howard

The Internet Header for this email is ...

Microsoft Mail Internet Headers Version 2.0

Received: from snt0-omc2-s9.snt0.hotmail.com ([127.0.0.1]) by watchdogs.ltd.uk with Microsoft

SMTPSVC(6.0.3790.3959);
Wed, 12 Aug 2009 09:28:36 +0100
X-Spam-Checker-Version: SpamAssassin 3.2.4 (2008-01-01) on
server.watchdogs.local
X-Spam-Level: **
X-Spam-Status: No, score=2.9 required=3.0 tests=ADVANCE_FEE_2,ADVANCE_FEE_3,
ADVANCE_FEE_4,BAYES_00,HTML_MESSAGE,MISSING_HEADERS,NIX_SPAM,SPF_PASS
autolearn=no version=3.2.4
Received: from snt0-omc2-s9.snt0.hotmail.com ([65.55.90.84])
by server ([192.168.1.5], envelope-sender=)
with SMTP (CleanMail 4.0.2.3); Wed, 12 Aug 2009 09:28:06 +0100
Received: from SNT111-W51 ([65.55.90.71]) by snt0-omc2-s9.snt0.hotmail.com with Microsoft
SMTPSVC(6.0.3790.3959);
Wed, 12 Aug 2009 01:28:05 -0700
Message-ID:
Return-Path: markho3@msn.com
Content-Type: multipart/alternative;
boundary="_effb5be7-dca6-45df-849c-9bfd3b2015a6_"
X-Originating-IP: [83.138.172.72]

I have 2 other similar emails which got through. What I can't get to the bottom of is why they got through !!

Subject: Re: CleanMail 4.0.2.3
Posted by [support](#) on Fri, 14 Aug 2009 10:58:00 GMT
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Quote:X-Spam-Status: No, score=2.9 required=3.0 tests=ADVANCE_FEE_2,ADVANCE_FEE_3,
ADVANCE_FEE_4,BAYES_00,HTML_MESSAGE,MISSING_HEADERS,NIX_SPAM
,SPF_PASS

The Bayes DB of SpamAssassin still has this message as non-spam. It would help to learn these messages as spam, with time the Bayes probability should be in the range of 90% plus and contribute several additional points to the score.

You can learn messages as spam from the report tab of CleanMail Admin, but you need to have a mail storage filter for it to work.