

## **Forum Rules**

This is not the place for the airing of personal vendettas with neighbors, the naming of neighbors you may have an ongoing disagreement with or the identification of those neighbors by inference.

Legal actions can be taken against you by anyone named or referred to in this way.

You also agree not to post any copyrighted material unless the copyright is owned by you or you have consent from the owner of the copyrighted material.

Spam, flooding, advertisements, chain letters, pyramid schemes, personal business dealings and commercial promotions are not allowed on the forum.

People are not encouraged to express their political and religious points of view in the forum, and pushing and promoting a religious or political doctrine is not allowed.

Similarly, campaigning on other non-local issues and solicitations are also inappropriate to this DPS Technical Forum.

The Forum's internal messaging system also comes under the terms of this agreement.

Note that it is impossible for the DPS Technical Forum to confirm the validity of posts on this forum. Please remember that the messages are not monitor before they are posted and the DPS Technical Forum is not responsible for the content of the messages.

This forum does not encourage software reviews because of the risk or danger of people abusing the facility to either promote or rubbish reputation for commercial reasons. Please do not offer or ask for opinions on any services. If you have a complaint with a business please take it up with the respective owner, but please do not post about it here or it will be removed.

The site does not warrant the accuracy, completeness or usefulness of any information presented. The messages express the views of the author, not necessarily the views of the DPS Technical Forum.

Anyone who feels that a posted message is objectionable is encouraged to message the editor through the forum's internal message system as soon as possible. The DPS Technical Forum has the right to remove objectionable content, within a reasonable time frame, if it is thought that removal is necessary. This is a manual process however, so please realize that we may not be able to remove or edit particular messages immediately. This policy goes for member profile information as well.

You remain solely responsible for the content of your messages, and you agree to indemnify and hold harmless this forum, and any related websites to this forum. The DPS Technical Forum also reserves the right to reveal your identity (or any information we have about you) in the event of a complaint or legal action arising from any information posted by you.

You have the ability, as you register, to choose your username. We advise that you keep the name appropriate. With this user account you are about to register, you agree to never give your password out to another member, for your protection and for validity reasons. You also agree to NEVER use another member's account to post messages or browse this forum.



After you register your application will have to be approved before you are allowed to log on to the DPS Technical forum. This is to prevent spammers abusing the system.

You will then be able to fill out a detailed profile. It is your responsibility to present clean and accurate information. Any information we deem inaccurate or vulgar will be removed.

Please note that with each post, your IP address is recorded, in the event that you need to be banned from this DPS Technical Forum or your ISP contacted. This will only happen in the event of a major violation of this agreement.

All forum users need to accept that online communications systems are liable to be attacked by spammers.

Since then we have tightened security, but there is always the chance that a spammer will get round these blocks. If at any time you want your forum membership deleted, along with all your private details, we will be happy to do so. Simply message us through the feedback form on the front page.

At times we might notify the forum membership about updated information about the site. If you don't want to receive these updates, please let us know and we will make sure you are not included in the update.

The forum will not tolerate spamming, trolling, and flaming. All three are explained below.

**Spamming** is repeatedly posting the same link, or message on multiple boards, or trying to get people to go to another site to buy something.

Trolling is going onto a board for the sole purpose of starting trouble or instigating an argument.

**Flaming** is going onto a board and insulting people because of their beliefs, sexual preference, gender, ethnicity or any number of things.

Thank you for agreeing to these terms and joining the DPS Technical Forum.

The site's editorial team reserves the right to amend this forum agreement and will always post to the forum when doing so to ensure that all existing forum members are aware of any changes.