Infrastructure - Task #3467
Possibility to get 130+ karma removing offensive posts at Ask
2021-02-19 06:38 - Mike Kaganski

Status: Closed
Priority: Normal
Assignee: Sophie Gautier
Category:
Target version:
Tags:

Start date: 
Due date: 
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URL: 

Description
Look at https://ask.libreoffice.org/en/users/91483/amarawatt/?sort=reputation. This user had posted something that was marked offensive by several long-time contributors. As a result, the karma had not changed, since it was minimal. However, when the post was deleted by the user, the negative marks were incorrectly "reverted", and user got more than 130 points karma because of that.

Recently cloph had to revert a similar benefit in https://ask.libreoffice.org/en/users/30545/ronzalez/?sort=reputation, so this is an actually exploited and rather bad bug.

History
#1 - 2021-02-19 06:41 - Mike Kaganski
And it seems that the user who exploits the bug may delete the offending post to get the karma, then undelete, and have a "clean" post, as happened likely in case of https://ask.libreoffice.org/en/question/288607/automated-office-365-migration/, also not shown in recent posts, thus not drawing attention of those who may act.

#2 - 2021-02-19 10:45 - Sophie Gautier
- Assignee set to Sophie Gautier

Thanks for reporting this issue Mike. I've deleted the post and blocked the user. I'll search if there is a way to block a user as soon as his publication has been marked as offensive.

#3 - 2021-06-29 14:08 - Sophie Gautier
- Status changed from New to Closed

Closing this one as we are migrating to Discourse soon now