

# Re: Denying content types and HTTP redirections

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OK, I looked into a couple of specifics cases, and here's what's happening.  
When I use a web browser to fetch a URI that returns a 302 and the browser attempts a redirect, the deny rule works fine. When I do the same from Windows Media Player, however, the redirect goes through and the audio stream begins playing. So, ISA allows the connection in the second case, but does not in the first case. In both cases traffic is sent through HTTP, so I'm confused as to why the two cases produce different results.

Just a guess, but probably,...  
IE is running as a Web Proxy Client  
WMP is running as a Winsock Proxy [Firewall] Client

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