

Re: What are these system files ?

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- *From:* "Phil Weldon" <notdiscosed@xxxxxxxxxxxx>
 - *Date:* Tue, 30 Jan 2007 04:00:13 GMT
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'Poprivet' wrote, in part:

| Wrong: The sites may violate the law by distributing them. The poster does

| not violate the law simply by listening to them for his own pleasure:

Your post is wrong or irrelevant in every statement except for your recommendation:

| I recommend some research on the subject of the reality of copyrights,
| intellectual rights and trademarks, and how relevant they are or are not.

Follow it.

Phil Weldon

"Poprivet" <poprivet@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message
news:ecZWSXBRHHA.1908@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx

| Phil Weldon wrote:

| > 'Pete' wrote, in part:

| >> Thanks Phil...what does the sentence before this mean (did you mean
| >> to say "your present method involves multiple risks", and what did
| >> you mean by that).

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| > By 'multiple risks' I mean exposure to malware and spam as well as
| > prosecution for violation of copyright law.

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| > 'Pete' wrote, in part:

| >> You indicate that all free music downloads are illegal. If they are
| >> illegal, how can the people who own the websites, publicly and
| >> blatantly do it over the Internet without getting prosecuted.
| >> Please explain.

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| > I indicate that 'free' downloads of COPYRIGHTED music such as you
| > describe are illegal. The sites violate the law. You violate the
| > law when you use them.

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| > "Pete" <pete@xxxxxxxx> wrote in message
| > news:ep1ssm0bci@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
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| >> Thanks Phil...what does the sentence before this mean (did you mean
| >> to say "your present method involves multiple risks", and what did
| >> you mean by that).
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| >> I just downloaded WMP 11 and I notice it puts in the little AlbumArt
| >> pictures I mentioned in my post – now it makes more sense – version
| >> 10 didn't have that feature.
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| >> I never downloaded music before and am a little confused about the
| >> so called "free downloads". I know it used to be illegal (law
| >> suits, etc) years ago, but I thought there were such things as "free
| >> downloads" currently. You indicate that all free music downloads
| >> are illegal. If they are illegal, how can the people who own the
| >> websites, publicly and blatantly do it over the Internet without
| >> getting prosecuted. Please explain.
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| >> Thanks...Pete
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| Wrong: The sites may violate the law by distributing them. The poster
| does
| not violate the law simply by listening to them for his own pleasure:
| Else
| anyone who ever listened to a streamed media would be doing something
| illegal – since they're stored in the temporary internet files in their
| hard
| drive. It's distribution and transport, when you follow all the lingo
| down
| to the nitty gritty that's illegal, whether it's for money or not. On top
| of that, you have no way of knowing whether the poster was using an
| illegal
| site or not; you're simply making noise over a question that wasn't asked.
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| ON one more note, there are millions of songs on the 'net that WERE
| copyrighted but which are not any longer. They are then called 'in the
| public domain'. Copyrights expire, believe it or not, and it's not
| unusual.
| It's not just a matter of once having put a copyright notice on something.
| I recommend some research on the subject of the reality of copyrights,
| intellectual rights and trademarks, and how relevant they are or are not.
| It's not a simple subject, especially the way you're treating it.
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