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Spyware and adware is not free speech!!! Companies that make adware and spyware have no rights in this regard; I never agreed to be spied on, I never agreed to the cookies they left on my computer and I literally read every word of every online agreement I ever agreed to! COMPUTER-WISE, THEY ARE TRESPASSING ON MY PROPERTY AND SETTING UP ILLEGAL SURVEILANCE AND ADVERTISING THAT VIOLATES MY RIGHT TO CONTROL MY OWN PROPERTY!!! More action is needed on the federal level, legislative action that makes this punishable by law. Do you know how intimidating it is for a new internet user to know that that everything they do online could potentially be recorded? That every password, credit card number, personal info, and keystroke could be recorded and used maliciously? It makes sceptical people like my mother afraid to check her email, much less shop online. Overkill? Of course, but the only way to deal with current and future ad and! spyware threats is ZERO TOLERANCE!

Thank You.
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