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On Tue, 2007-06-12 at 13:02 -0400, BSumrall wrote:

The purpose for register\_globals is for testing and functionality purposes only.  
Every single example on the internet is for register\_globals = on.

That's no excuse... and you're wrong.

I am very aware of the security risk of it.

Ok... and magic\_quotes? You don't seem to be escaping your data that goes into the query either. You don't seem very "aware of the security risk".

Get it working and then change it back. There is plenty of literature on how to edit existing working code once you disable it.

Why do it twice? Why risk forgetting something after the fact? Coding securely requires that you practice coding securely and not just hope you can apply a coat of armor afterwards.

Just working with the tools I have!

The same tools I have, if not then you have more.

As far as \_tbl instead of table, I picked that one up in the military, just a preference.

As far as the brackets, I tried with or without;  
price\_range='[\$select1]';

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price_range='$select1';  
price_range=select1";
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All the same miserable error!

Any suggestions on how to get select1 -> price\_range= would truly be appreciated, and if your suggestion it more secure than what I am working with. This would be the icing on the cake!

I gave you an example at the bottom of my post. Are you passing the \$query string directly to the mysql\_query() function? Maybe do the following just before running the query:

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echo $query."\n";
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Then check it to see that it's what you expect.

Cheers,  
Rob.

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| such as forms, properties, sessions, and caches. InterJinn |  
| also provides an extremely flexible architecture for |  
| creating re-usable components quickly and easily. |  
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