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## XSS bypass by using prototype pollution #4

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Affected versions: v1.1.2 and earlier

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solved here: #5



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## Development

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