

Packages - Packaging request #1203

[Yakyak] add package to PCR

2017-01-29 07:07 PM - sebasped

Status: not-a-bug	% Done: 0%
Priority: feature	
Assignee:	
Category:	
Description Add package https://github.com/yakyak/yakyak Although not quiet sure about license. Sorry far from expert.	
Related issues: Related to Packages - Freedom issue #1167: [chromium][qt5-webengine][electron... confirmed	

History

#1 - 2017-03-14 11:33 PM - g4jc

- Status changed from open to not-a-bug

Requires non-free sever + service to work.

<https://www.gnu.org/philosophy/who-does-that-server-really-serve.en.html>

<http://bgr.com/2015/05/12/google-hangouts-encryption-privacy-security/>

Closing, invalid.

#2 - 2017-03-15 12:21 AM - isacdaavid

If added, it would certainly also need to be blocked by your-privacy on behalf of [nonprism] users.

The fact that it is useless without Google Hangouts puts it on similar grounds to Firefox Hello, or many libre videogame emulators for which no libre games exist; and I think the community consensus on those matters is that a user may simply want to install, study and even run such programs in a way that doesn't imply going for the bad stuff such programs are primarily intended to fulfill. (Think of someone using this Yakyak thingie offline, for the sake of exploring its user interface or something).

That said, YakYak depends on [electron](#), which in turn embeds Chromium as was pointed out today by someone on #parabola. electron is going away as part of the great Chromium/QtWebEngine purge, so there's no point in considering adding a package that hard-dependes on it.

#3 - 2017-03-15 12:21 AM - isacdaavid

- Subject changed from Yakyak to [Yakyak] add package to PCR

#4 - 2017-03-15 02:17 PM - sebasped

Thanks a lot for the bothering in the explanations.

#5 - 2017-11-06 09:19 AM - bill-auger

- Related to Freedom issue #1167: [chromium][qt5-webengine][electron] QTWebgine/Electron embeds "entire Chromium platform" added