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## Hello,

A backdoor in an encryption method will make the encrytion completely useless. If you have a backdoor in encryption, it's better to not encrypt at all, since it provides no security, but only lags performance.

And you know how dangerous no encryption is.