Example

Complete example using capability checks, data validation, secure input, secure output and nonces:

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/**
 * Generate a Delete link based on the homepage url.
 *
 * @param string $content   Existing content.
 *
 * @return string|null
 */
function wporg_generate_delete_link( $content ) {
    // Run only for single post page.
    if ( is_single() && in_the_loop() && is_main_query() ) {
        // Add query arguments: action, post, nonce
        $url = add_query_arg(
            [
                'action' => 'wporg_frontend_delete',
                'post'   => get_the_ID(),
                'nonce'  => wp_create_nonce( 'wporg_frontend_delete' ),
            ], home_url()
        );

        return $content . ' <a href="' . esc_url( $url ) . '">' . esc_html__( 'Delete Post',
'wporg' ) . '</a>';
    }

    return null;
}



/**
 * Request handler
 */
function wporg_delete_post() {
    if ( isset( $_GET['action'] )
         && isset( $_GET['nonce'] )
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         && 'wporg_frontend_delete' === $_GET['action']
         && wp_verify_nonce( $_GET['nonce'], 'wporg_frontend_delete' ) ) {

        // Verify we have a post id.
        $post_id = ( isset( $_GET['post'] ) ) ? ( $_GET['post'] ) : ( null );

        // Verify there is a post with such a number.
        $post = get_post( (int) $post_id );
        if ( empty( $post ) ) {
            return;
        }

        // Delete the post.
        wp_trash_post( $post_id );

        // Redirect to admin page.
        $redirect = admin_url( 'edit.php' );
        wp_safe_redirect( $redirect );

        // We are done.
        die;
    }
}



/**
 * Add delete post ability
 */
add_action('plugins_loaded', 'wporg_add_delete_post_ability');

function wporg_add_delete_post_ability() {
    if ( current_user_can( 'edit_others_posts' ) ) {
        /**
         * Add the delete link to the end of the post content.
         */
        add_filter( 'the_content', 'wporg_generate_delete_link' );

        /**
         * Register our request handler with the init hook.
         */
        add_action( 'init', 'wporg_delete_post' );
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    }
}
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