

RE: Streaming Video requires logon and password

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Hi,

Thanks Mike. That is a good idea. I figured out that it isn't the logon and password that is the issue. It seems to be ISA itself blocking all streaming even though there is no rule preventing it. I use the standard 8080 port for the Firewall Client on one network that Streaming Video/Audio doesn't work. In the other Domain it does work (after putting in password) but the Firewall client runs on port 80 and that is the only difference.

I like your suggestion to get around the logon. It should work and I will try it and let you know. I am actually fine with the logon and password as I want to log streaming. We only allow it for educational purposes.

Cheers,

Lara

"Mike Driest" wrote:

- > As far as I know with authentication enabled a username and password will be
- > required for streaming media. The only thing that comes to mind is an allow
- > rule for HTTP port 80 with only content types for streaming media that
- > applies to All Users. Again this is theory and I have not tested this.
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- > We were going to test this further but we decided that all streaming media
- > (audio and video) file extensions were to be blocked on our ISA Server.
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- > We currently have 100 users on (1) Full T1 line (working on bonding 3-4 T1s)
- > and don't need extra bandwidth consumed by this type of traffic.
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- > "lforbes" wrote:
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- >> Hi,
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- >> I have ISA 2004 in two different domains. I have authentication enabled. A
- >> user logon box pops up everytime a user tries to use Windows Media Player for
- >> streaming video or audio.
- >> Even after putting in the correct credentials the Media Player just sits on

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>> 'connecting' or 'buffering' for ever and never plays.
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>> It happens with XP or 2000 and with the newest Media Player and on multiple
>> machines and in both domains.
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>> 1> Is there a way to enable streaming Video/Audio through ISA 2004. It
>> should be possible.
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>> 2> Is there a way to stop the pop-up box without turning off authentication
>> (which is why I have ISA)
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>> Thanks
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>> Lara
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