

## Re: Not able to allow skype

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2 week ago I saw in the monitoring that it's trying to go over port 33033. I've opened this port and skype worked but since last week it doesn't work anymore. Sometimes you are able to sign in to skype but not to call. I've read a lot of articles that skype goes through almost every firewall, it finds it's way, but not through isa2004 (and guess what, now there is a company policy to allow it).

I don't want to configure manually the proxy, it's now via wpad (dhcp) and automatically detect settings in IE (via gpo), because e.g. our laptop users will have trouble then connecting from home with a proxy filled in.

Can it be something to do with the webproxy filter which is on for http traffic rule?

Thx

"Phillip Windell" <[@.](mailto:@.)> wrote in message  
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Make sure you have the latest version of Skype. From the link you gave, here it the section that describes what you want:

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If the above is not possible, Skype versions 0.97 or later can use a HTTPS/SSL proxy. In order to do that, you have to configure the proxy address in Internet Explorer options. Then Skype will be able to use it as well.  
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The rest of their options are just insane. Whoever wrote that thing seemed to be trying to make the product as horribly insecure as they could possibly make it on purpose, or they were just incompetent.

ISA expects traffic to destination port 80 to be HTTP (to my knowledge)  
ISA restricts SSL traffic (HTTPS) to 443 and only 443  
Skype requesting outbound access for all ports from 1 to 65535 be allowed is just so silly that doesn't even deserve a response.  
They don't even tell you the IP#s of their Target Servers,...they expect

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the Rules that allow it to be for the whole External Network.

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Setup: ISA2004 Edge firewall SP2 running on Win2003 server

Client: Web Proxy (wpad via dhcp – IE on automatically detect settings)