

# Re: Can't delete from Work menu

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- *From:* Clive Huggan <REMOVETHISoffice@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx>
  - *Date:* Sat, 25 Aug 2007 11:29:12 +1000
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On 25/8/07 2:46 AM, in article  
1187973967.815809.122270@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx, "Jack"  
<jayankeney@xxxxxxx> wrote:

On Aug 23, 4:55 pm, Clive Huggan  
<REMOVETHISoff...@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote:

On 24/8/07 2:17 AM, in article  
1187885820.503634.45...@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx, "Jack"

<jayanke...@xxxxxxx> wrote:

<snip>

I get a warning message about macros and whether I  
should enable them or not.

Can you give me a hint how to answer that? I'm sure you  
would not have  
included anything dangerous, so why that warning message?

Hello Jack,

A less poetic response than m'learned colleague E. Roper (who lives in the  
wind-and-rain-lashed hills that so inspired Wordsworth et al -- it rubs off,  
even after all these years), but just to mention what in "Bend Word to Your  
Will" triggers the warning if you have the setting enabled:

If a document has ever had a macro, or -- I've been told -- has ever been  
attached to a template other than the Normal template (which this one has),  
it will trigger this warning if you have set your preferences to be  
notified. (This is discussed on page 36 of "Bend Word to Your Will", by the  
way -- but it's not much use there if you need to resolve the question

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before you open it, which prompts me to add an explanation to that effect on the web page; thanks for triggering that!)

The warning can be useful, since a macro may or may not contain a macro virus. All it checks for is to see if the container that might hold customizations exists in the document; if so, the alert appears. The trigger could simply be a customised keystroke, or there may be no customizations at all.

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