

## Re: Windows 2000 logon

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- > ...wife uses VPN to connect to network from home to work.
- > Logon was changed [yikes!] to 2 panel WORKGROUP logon but
- > I need to get back to 3 panel DOMAIN logon. When logging
- > in she is only connected to Internet but no network. I
- > cannot change logon to a DOMAIN since there is no network
- > to authenticate her. Is there a way to force a DOMAIN
- > logon without authentication? ...or use the cached login
- > profiles in registry? help!
- > HKLM\Software\Microsoft\WindowsNT\CurrentVersion\winlogon

If the PC still has the domain logon selection then she can  
log in with her usual account/password. The system will  
accept her credentials based on cached [cached?] information.

If somebody removed the domain login facility by placing  
the machine into a workgroup environment then she will  
have to ask her network administrator to re-register the  
machine on the domain.