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>From Help topic "*Windows Keyboard Shortcuts Overview*:"

a.. You must associate a password with your user account to secure it from unauthorized access. If you do not have a password associated with your user account, pressing Windows+L will not prevent other users from accessing your account information.

If you've made any changes in the Accessibility Wizard you probably have to run the wizard again and undo them.

Bill

"Gabriel Martin" <GabrielMartin@discussions.microsoft.com> wrote in message news:C2BFE409-1BA0-4098-BC48-EF30E075E858@microsoft.com...
Hi newsgroup

I have a strange problem. It seems that the Win + L combination does not lock my computer anymore. Just nothing happens. If I lock my computer instead
by ctrl-alt-del it works.

According to other sources Win + L can either mean "lock the computer" as well as launch a utility to enhance visibility. I've been using this tool recently just to see what it is. How can I configure Windows XP to interpret Win + L as a command to lock the computer?

Any input is highly appreciated.

Kind regards
Gabriel

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