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Hi Wes. Thanks for responding.

The correct one is opened by right clicking on my computer and selecting manage. This one does not have author privileges. The problem one without the tree opens if I right click on the services.msc file and select author. There are two services.msc files, one in system32 and the other I saved in my documents so as to differentiate them. That seems to mean that I can't save the one I want, and selecting author brings up the one I don't want. The wrong one retains its author privileges through a restart. I am scared to delete anything in case I end up with no services management.

David

Wesley Vogel wrote:

- > How are you opening these two Consoles?
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- > Wes
- > MS-MVP Windows Shell/User
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- > In [news:uwE0bJSPFHA.3076@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx](mailto:news:uwE0bJSPFHA.3076@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx),
- > David Kelsey <[david\\_kelseyNO@xxxxxxxxxxxxx](mailto:david_kelseyNO@xxxxxxxxxxxxx)> hunted and pecked:
- >> Does anyone know how to repair the Management Console? Somehow, I
- >> have two versions, one of which does not show the tree, (the column
- >> is empty and headed 'Local Services') but does allow 'author'
- >> saving; the other shows the tree, but if I try to set author, it
- >> brings up the one without the tree, so I can't save the one I want.
- >> If I could identify which is which, maybe I could delete the one
- >> without the tree, so only one is left, which should then permit the
- >> author setting. I can't use Sysytem Restore, because that is one of
- >> the disabled services, which deletes all restore points when
- >> switched off, for some unbelievable reason, but I did use Last Known
- >> Good, which is where the second MMC came from.
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- >> The problem arises because my services are almost all disabled from
- >> time to time by some unknown cause, possibly a trojan trying to
- >> disable Norton Antivirus. There are no other symptoms apart from
- >> disabled services, but Norton has reported one exploit two days ago,

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>> and an attempted trojan placing yesterday. I can reset the services  
>> manually, but this is tedious, and I can't figure out how to use the  
>> saved version to restore the settings.  
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>> All solutions gratefully received!  
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>> David Kelsey

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