

Re: Counterfeit Windows question

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On Thursday 29 June 2006 04:43 am, °Alias° had this to say in microsoft.public.windowsxp.general:

Briana wrote:

OK...this is weird...I have been using my computer everyday for the past three years. Purchased from DELL with software on it... I come home today to find this weird message saying my Windows Software is not genuine and I can not make critical updates to it??? Please note that this is not a virus either because when i checked it on Microsoft.com, it told me that the software is not valid. How did this happen...what can I do? What the heck is this about?? Anyone?

Call Dell. Apparently a lot of Dell computers have been flagged as not "genuine". Hopefully, Dell will sue Microsoft and this spyware/malware will be discontinued.

Alias

That isn't going far enough. These computer manufacturers should stop bundling this toy operating system with their computers or at the very least give the consumer a CHOICE as to what o/s they want installed on their new box.

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The ULTIMATE Windoze Fanboy:

<http://video.google.com/videoplay?docid=-2370205018226686613>

A 3D Linux Desktop (video) ...

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DUSn-jBA3CE>

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<http://shots.osdir.com/>

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