

Re: Problem with latest security update kb891781 (dhtmlmed.ocx update)

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<http://www.microsoft.com/technet/security/bulletin/ms05-013.msp>

>From the "General Information" section:

What is the Local Machine zone lockdown?

In Windows XP Service Pack 2, all local files and content that are processed by Internet Explorer has additional security applied to it in the Local Machine zone. This feature restricts HTML in the Local Machine zone. This feature also restricts HTML that is hosted in Internet Explorer. These restrictions help mitigate attacks where the Local Machine zone is used as an attack vector to load malicious HTML code.

Because of this change, ActiveX script in local HTML pages that are viewed inside Internet Explorer will not run. Also, script in local HTML pages that are viewed inside Internet Explorer prompts the user for permission to run.

For how to change the local machine zone security settings, see this article:

How to strengthen the security settings for the Local Machine zone in Internet Explorer

<http://support.microsoft.com/default.aspx?scid=kb:en-us:833633>

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"genX" <genX@discussions.microsoft.com> wrote in message news:ED177C04-C595-49E7-A2D7-4B3622741F51@microsoft.com...

> Hi,

> today I've installed latest security update kb891781, which caused, that
> our

> application for web content management that uses MSHTML editing ActiveX
> control dhtmlmed.ocx, stops work. Our application is developed in Delphi
> and

> uses this component for content managing.

> I found the problem (after tracing some debug info)- the application
> couldn't get access to the DOM (IHTMLEditDocument2 interface) through
> IHTMLEdit interface, so it raised the exception "Unknown interface".

> I didn't find any workaround than uninstall this security fix. Then

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> everything was OK as before. Of course, I spent some time with security
> settings in IE - I enabled almost everything, but nothing helped.
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> I tried to find whether some other has the same problem and I found some
> polish application based on this component having the same trouble.
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> Does anybody has any idea where the problem is?
> Thanx.