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- *From:* "Bruce Hagen" <[Nospam@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx](mailto:Nospam@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx)>
  - *Date:* Sat, 2 Dec 2006 17:26:30 -0800
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Is this a standard mailing list? AKA, does it always get sent to the same people? If this is the case, then create a template.

Create a group, ( Instructions to follow). Then, create a Template. In a new message window, per the instructions below, either enter the group name, or your own address in the To field, and the Group, or the addresses, in the BCC field. Now, File | Save As and Save it to the Desktop.

You will have an icon on your Desktop now with, depending on how you set it up, that when clicked on will open a new message window with the To and BCC fields already filled in. Just enter the new message and send.

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Bruce Hagen  
MS-MVP Outlook Express  
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"WSS Dave" <[WSSDave@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx](mailto:WSSDave@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx)> wrote in message [news:BC4B35DF-38A3-4170-8147-4A55E729C845@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx](mailto:news:BC4B35DF-38A3-4170-8147-4A55E729C845@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx)

Thank you Michael. I was afraid that would be the case. Most of our recipients don't want their email address made available to others. This was a serious hardship for us when one of our conscientious employees, inadvertently, selected CC: instead of BCC:, the resulting emails contain the names and address of all of the recipients. Hence, the request for a method to "eliminate" the option of CC: completely. We set up our email with a To: "Our Valued customer"... with our own email address. We then BCC the recipients. (With one exception in the last 4 years... the reason for this request. It was very costly to us. Our clients were not happy.)

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"Michael Santovec" wrote:

I don't believe that there is any way to disable CC in OE.

Since CC is functionally the same as TO, you'd also have to disable TO

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and I don't think you'd want to do that.

Potentially, something could be done at your SMTP mail server, assuming that you have an in-house mail server. It would need to check the TO and CC headers and reject the message if there are multiple e-mail addresses or even strip or truncate the headers. Or possibly