

Re: Changing Machine Name and effect on IUSR account

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Have you considered backing up the web content on the server and simply uninstalling and reinstalling IIS? This should do the job of resetting the *_IUSR account name and password...

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"A troubleshooter's best tool is the Event Viewer and understanding the events and messages contained therein."

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"Joel Zinn" <jwzinn@aep.com> wrote in message

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> I have a Win2k3 server that has IIS on it. Our network Group needed to

> change the name on the box. Of course, when they did, the IUSR account

did

> not change. Is it a good practice to change the name of the IUSR account

to

> match the new box name? I tried this, but could not get IIS to "control

the

> password".

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> Does anyone have any thoughts on this?

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