

## Re: DnsApi event id 11151

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<http://www.eventid.net/display.asp?eventid=11151&eventno=553&source=DnsApi&phase=1>

Set your workstation to use the Active Directory DNS server, usually the DC, not the ISP DNS.

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Regards,

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"Vic" <Vic@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message  
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>I wrote a batch file that needs to be run nightly. All has been fine until  
> the past week. The computer it runs on is Windows 2000 SP3. The batch  
> file  
> runs fine, and that kicks off another program purchased from a vendor.  
> The  
> vendor program makes a zip file. Last night I rec'd a 12002 error,  
> Internet  
> Timeout while the vendors program was running. That program should take  
> about 2-3 minutes. In the event log I saw a event id 11151, source  
> DnsApi.  
> The description was "the system failed to register network adapter with  
> settings' then the adapter name, host name, adapterspecific domain suffix,  
> DNS server list listing the ip addresses of our cable ISP. Then it says  
> "Sent update to server: None, lists the ip address of the workstation.  
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> It goes on to say 'the cause of this DNS registration failure was because  
> of  
> DNS server failure. This may be due to a zone transfer that has locked  
> the  
> DNS server for the applicable zone that your computer needs to register  
> itself with.  
>  
> (The applicable zone should typically correspond to the Adapter specific

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> Domain Suffix that was indicated above.) You can manually retry  
> registration  
> of the network adapter and its settings by typine ipconfig /registerdns'  
> at  
> the command prompt etc etc.  
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> Can anyone give me a clue as to what is causing this suddenly? We have a  
> windows 2000 domain. The workstation in question was installed by an  
> outside  
> vendor across the country, so we have no ability to restore this ourselves  
> which makes me a little nervous as this workstation sends customer files  
> to  
> an online banking website. Could anything go wrong if I run the ipconfig  
> /registerdns?  
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> Thanks for any help!  
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