

Group Policy processing aborted.

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Hello,

Im not sure if this a problem or not. I've done some research, and have been able to reduce the frequency of this error, but it still happens about every 10 minutes now. (Used to be every 5.) This is what I get from the log on a failure:

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USERENV(360.17c4) 13:07:28:437 ProcessGPOs:
USERENV(360.17c4) 13:07:28:437 ProcessGPOs:
USERENV(360.17c4) 13:07:28:437 ProcessGPOs: Starting computer Group Policy
(Background) processing...
USERENV(360.17c4) 13:07:28:437 ProcessGPOs:
USERENV(360.17c4) 13:07:28:437 ProcessGPOs:
USERENV(360.17c4) 13:07:28:437 EnterCriticalPolicySectionEx: Entering with
timeout 600000 and flags 0x0
USERENV(360.17c4) 13:07:28:437 EnterCriticalPolicySectionEx: Machine
critical section has been claimed. Handle = 0xa28
USERENV(360.17c4) 13:07:28:437 EnterCriticalPolicySectionEx: Leaving
successfully.
USERENV(360.17c4) 13:07:28:437 ProcessGPOs: Machine role is 3.
USERENV(360.17c4) 13:07:28:437 PingComputer: PingBufferSize set as 2048
USERENV(360.17c4) 13:07:28:437 PingComputer: Adapter speed 10000000 bps
USERENV(360.17c4) 13:07:28:437 PingComputer: First time: 85
USERENV(360.17c4) 13:07:28:437 PingComputer: Second time: 85
USERENV(360.17c4) 13:07:28:437 PingComputer: First and second times match.
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USERENV(360.17c4) 13:07:28:437 PingComputer: Second time: 85
USERENV(360.17c4) 13:07:28:437 PingComputer: First and second times match.
USERENV(360.17c4) 13:07:28:437 PingComputer: First time: -84
USERENV(360.17c4) 13:07:28:437 PingComputer: Second time: -84
USERENV(360.17c4) 13:07:28:437 PingComputer: First and second times match.
USERENV(360.17c4) 13:07:28:437 PingComputer: No data available
USERENV(360.17c4) 13:07:28:437 PingComputer: PingBufferSize set as 2048
USERENV(360.17c4) 13:07:28:437 PingComputer: Adapter speed 10000000 bps
USERENV(360.17c4) 13:07:28:437 PingComputer: First time: -84
USERENV(360.17c4) 13:07:28:437 PingComputer: Second time: -84
USERENV(360.17c4) 13:07:28:437 PingComputer: First and second times match.
USERENV(360.17c4) 13:07:28:437 PingComputer: First time: -84
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USERENV(360.17c4) 13:07:28:437 PingComputer: Second time: -84
USERENV(360.17c4) 13:07:28:437 PingComputer: First and second times match.
USERENV(360.17c4) 13:07:28:437 PingComputer: First time: -84
USERENV(360.17c4) 13:07:28:437 PingComputer: Second time: -84
USERENV(360.17c4) 13:07:28:437 PingComputer: First and second times match.
USERENV(360.17c4) 13:07:28:437 PingComputer: No data available
USERENV(360.17c4) 13:07:28:437 ProcessGPOs: DSGetDCName failed with 59.
USERENV(360.17c4) 13:07:28:437 ProcessGPOs: No WMI logging done in this policy cycle.
USERENV(360.17c4) 13:07:28:437 ProcessGPOs: Processing failed with error 59.
USERENV(360.17c4) 13:07:28:437 LeaveCriticalSection: Critical section 0xa28 has been released.
USERENV(360.17c4) 13:07:28:437 ProcessGPOs: Computer Group Policy has been applied.
USERENV(360.17c4) 13:07:28:437 ProcessGPOs: Leaving with 0.
USERENV(360.17c4) 13:07:28:437 EnterCriticalSectionEx: Entering with timeout 600000 and flags 0x0
USERENV(360.17c4) 13:07:28:437 EnterCriticalSectionEx: Machine critical section has been claimed. Handle = 0xa28
USERENV(360.17c4) 13:07:28:437 EnterCriticalSectionEx: Leaving successfully.
USERENV(360.17c4) 13:07:28:453 LeaveCriticalSection: Critical section 0xa28 has been released.
USERENV(360.17c4) 13:07:28:453 GPOThread: Next refresh will happen in 5 minutes

Is this an actual problem? Everything seems to be working, this has been going on since we moved to 2003 and no complaints. I should note that it does not always fail, it is about every other GP update now.

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