

Re: Policy for My Network Places

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Chris White wrote:

Yikes 8o)

Looks can be deceiving. It's really much simpler than it seems, but good reading (and a nice safe test lab) are very helpful.

<http://support.microsoft.com/kb/810739/en-us>

Lot's of help with GPOs in the microsoft.public.windows.server.group_policy newsgroup too for just these kinds of queries.

Perhaps I better grab a book or something more in depth on Group Policy before incorporating such stuff. All looks a bit daunting and scary at the moment.

I'm also struggling in how to make Remote Access VPN / Wireless clients pickup a new copy of the Group Policy. I'm not sure how it works in that sense, i.e. does a client who connects to the VPN successfully pickup a new copy of the GP's, does a Wireless client who enters into the range of the Wireless and connects successfully pickup a new copy of the GP, even though that laptop is already logged in prior to wireless connection.

Thanks for all the help.

Chris White wrote:

I looked at the policies for Folder Re-direction and there isn't a facility to add my own folders for re-direction?

The only folders I can re-direct via Group Policy are App Data,

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Desktop, My Docs and Start Menu apparently.

(GPO>User Config>Windows Settings>Folder
Redirection>...)

Any clues how I could accomplish the copying of the
Network Places
to Nethood like you suggested KJ?

Cheers.

To redirect you'd need a custom ADM file or a .reg mod like;

The registry settings to redirect special folders are in this key:
HKEY_CURRENT_USER\Software\Microsoft\Windows\CurrentVersion\Explorer\User
Shell Folders

CATEGORY "Custom Folder Redirection"
KEYNAME "Software\Microsoft\Windows\CurrentVe