

Re: Limiting Ability to Join Domain

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You have to enable it though?!?! I just looked at mine and it is not defined and there are no groups in it. The article also states this applies to NT4 but that is certainly not true without giving the user right to add workstations to the domain. It states "When this privilege is enabled" it gives the Authenticated Users the right but I don't think it will work without it being enabled. I'll have to try it....

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"Miha Pihler" <mihap-news@atlantis.si> wrote in message

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> Hi Scott,

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> this is by design since Windows 2000. They can add maximum 10 workstations
> by default.

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> Windows 2000 grants the "Add workstations to domain" privilege to the
> Authenticated Users group by default. When this privilege is enabled,
> authenticated users can bypass the access control list (ACL) check for up
to

> a predefined maximum value. To prevent misuse, the maximum number of
machine

> accounts any authenticated user can join is 10 by default.

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> <http://support.microsoft.com/default.aspx?scid=kb;en-us;251335&Product=win2000>

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> news:uhkZ288fEHA.3536@TK2MSFTNGP12.phx.gbl...

> > A regular Domain User should not have the ability to Add Computers to a
> > Domain?!?! Do you give them any group membership that is too elevated?

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