

## re: startpage.dz

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rainy wrote:

> *in trouble deep?*  
> *I had avg virus application...find a virus called*  
> *Startpage.DZ...which stated it could not rid me of this virus...and*  
> *said it is in the 'file' called Winlogon.exe..... stupid me...i*  
> *deleted this winlogon.exe file in folder documents and*  
> *settings/administrator/all users/programs/startup..... what's going*  
> *on.. my computer...keeps shutting off and restarting*  
> *itself...sometimes it stays on for 5 minutes..after loading windows in*  
> *its entirty....mostly doesn't load windows anymore...and when it*  
> *does...if i load...IE the computer shutdown again... so... same with*  
> *safe mode and safe mode with command prompt...no luck.. ..... even*  
> *tried installing windows update--service pack from feb/2004...and it*  
> *didn't work either... umm..i downloaded another antivirus*  
> *application...from this service package....but the computer shutdown*  
> *before the c:/ drive is finished being scanned.....so. then i tried*  
> *scanning the computer one folder at a time.... aaa there must be an*  
> *easier way?? reformat the harddrive..? rainy*

Please see my answer to your original post. The bottom line is that you must get your computer cleaned up. If you can't do it yourself or don't have the time or inclination, take it to a professional. There is no way around this. From your description above, I would say that you would get the best results by taking the machine to someone.

Good luck,

Malke

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