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Hi,

I hope that this is the correct newsgroup to post this question.

My question is about remote admin of an Exchange 2000 server from a Windows XP desktop. I would like the XP desktop user to be able to administer the users, contacts and DLs in the GAL on the Exchange server, but not anything else.

Our network has a Windows 2K domain controller using AD. I have added this user to the Account Operators in the AD. I have enabled remote access to the Exchange Server.

I have installed the Windows .Net Server Administration Tools Pack on the user's XP desktop and set up the remote desktop tool. When that user tries to connect to the Exchange server via the remote desktop they receive the message "You do not have access to this session".

I have configured this user to allow remote control. I checked the "enable remote control" box on the Remote Control tab on the user's properties form. I left the "require user's permission" box unchecked and the Level Control at "View the user's session"

I have tried to add the user on the local exchange server but there is no Account Operators group on this server only in the AD. It seems that I am missing something in the user permissions somewhere.

Any help would be greatly appreciated!

Cheers, Neal...