

Re: Disallow blank passwords

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In article <ED2177E9-42A6-4721-B371-EE77F9E0384D@xxxxxxxxxxxx>, in the microsoft.public.win2000.security news group, =?Utf-8?B?c3RldmUwMTE3?=<steve0117@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> says...

I
have two Windows 2000 DC's with the Domain Controller Policy set with a minimum password length of 8 characters.
Is there something I'm missing?
How are the users still allowed to enter blank passwords?

You're setting the password policy in the wrong place, it needs to be set at the domain level, not at the domain controller level. You want the Default Domain Policy GPO.

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It all began with Adam. He was the first man to tell a joke—or a lie. How lucky Adam was. He knew when he said a good thing, nobody had said it before. Adam was not alone in the Garden of Eden, however, and does not deserve all the credit; much is due to Eve, the first woman, and Satan, the first consultant." – Mark Twain