



Setting up the IntelliBar Printer Driver on Windows 2003 Server.

The IntelliBar driver was originally developed for Windows NT/2000 as a kernel mode driver. As such, it requires modified settings under 2003 Server or you will see the following message during normal printer driver installation:

"The printer driver is not compatible with a policy enabled on your computer that blocks Windows NT4.0 or Windows 2000 kernel-mode drivers."

To change the settings, take the following steps and then install the printer driver normally.

Open Group Policy Object Editor so that you can edit the local Group Policy object, click Start, click Run, type gpedit.msc, and then press ENTER.

Under Local Computer Policy, double-click Computer Configuration.

Double-click Administrative Templates, and then double-click Printers.

Right-click Disallow installation of printers using kernel mode drivers, and then click Properties.

On the Setting tab, click Disabled, and then click OK.

Notes:

This policy does not affect existing kernel-mode printer drivers. Kernel-mode printer drivers that were installed before you set this policy will not be disabled or removed. You can upgrade existing non-kernel-mode printer drivers whether you set this policy or not.

In Windows Server 2003, Standard Edition and Windows Server 2003, Enterprise Edition, installation of kernel-mode drivers is blocked by default. In Windows XP Professional, installation of kernel-mode drivers is not blocked by default. You must click Enabled to block the installation of kernel-mode printer drivers. Clicking Not Configured or Disabled allows kernel-mode printer drivers to be installed.