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Subject: Re: Postscript output mods

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David Fanning wrote:

>  
> Reimar Bauer (R.Bauer@fz-juelich.de) writes:  
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>>>> Our experience with ms word users and postscript is that's ms  
>>>> word is very bad in handling embedded postscript files.  
>>>> (This depends on the type of images, some of our postscriptfiles  
>>>> are 12MB)  
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>>>  
>>> Drifting off the original topic here, but: Bad in what way?  
>  
> I find that Microsoft Word also likes to put the printer  
> into "bankruptcy mode" in which image files are represented  
> by special characters (e.g., \$%@), two to a page, for  
> hundreds upon hundreds of pages.  
>  
> By the time you realize what is going on, you  
> have to make another trip to the office supply  
> store for another case of paper. :-(

you have a fireplace? (everyone in CO has one, right?) make paper mache logs from the wasted paper (smush 'em down good and hard). The kids'll have a ball and once they've dried out they'll burn a long time. Hopefully you use organically whitened recycled paper and soy ink to avoid any dioxins/heavy metals poisoning the family/neighbourhood/city (ehem...that \_can\_ be a downside :o\

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p.s. Don't do this if you mistakenly selected the transparency tray....

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