Subject: Re: personal license problem
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"David Fanning" <news@dfanning.com> wrote in message news:MPG.2050d19527d08b3e989e9d@news.frii.com...

> R.G. Stockwell writes:

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- >> It seems like, under windows, the personal use license is really
- >> just 3 node-locked licenses.

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- > I don't think so. At least I've never had any trouble.
- > I've traveled with various laptops over the years and I
- > always just install IDL on the laptop and copy the personal use
- > license file over from my office machine and off I go. Never
- > a minute's trouble.

Really? Hmmmm. That exact thing did not work for me. I have two distinct license files on my two computers (desktop and laptop). Both have "personal use licenses". Both are win xp and idl 6.3. Very odd. In fact, I don't want to go into details, but I have a very specific hardware related item in my license.

Perhaps they have changed the way they handle personal use licenses now that ITTVIS is in charge, so one license does not give "unlimited" use. And perhaps you are grandfathered in with the old style license.

I have no problem with needing to request a new installation with the IDL folks, but if i remember correctly, it is limited to 3 total licenses. Which is kind of a bummer since I personally have 4 computers (2 desktops 2 laptops).

Cheers, bob