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Subject: Firewall problems(I think)

Posted by [terminator 101](#) on Thu, 18 Jan 2007 16:56:24 GMT

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Subject: Re: Firewall problems(I think)

Posted by [Caveman](#) on Thu, 18 Jan 2007 17:38:19 GMT

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I can't see why or how someone would be hacking you to make you turn off your firewall then back on again. However to make someone forcefully turn off there firewall, it would have to come from an EXP'd hacker not some random script kiddie. My point is why would a good hacker want to hack you? They're much more interested in big companys, banks and whatnot.

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Subject: Re: Firewall problems(I think)

Posted by [Zion](#) on Thu, 18 Jan 2007 18:00:59 GMT

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Sometimes i get those results, but there's nothing on my system. I don't know if it's ZA or my ISP (bulldog ftl ) but it happens now and again.

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Subject: Re: Firewall problems(I think)

Posted by [terminator 101](#) on Thu, 18 Jan 2007 19:18:10 GMT

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Well, it is probably problem with ZoneAlarm. I see no reason why anyone would want to hack me,

and why they have not fixed this yet.

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Subject: Re: Firewall problems(I think)  
Posted by [Zion](#) on Thu, 18 Jan 2007 20:35:47 GMT  
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Report it to them, but, before you shut it down make sure you're behind a router or a DHCP for security reasons.

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Subject: Re: Firewall problems(I think)  
Posted by [Dave Mason](#) on Thu, 18 Jan 2007 20:39:09 GMT  
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I get the same, sometimes I can only use the Internet if zonealarm is off or if I reboot my PC.

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Subject: Re: Firewall problems(I think)  
Posted by [cmatt42](#) on Fri, 19 Jan 2007 00:07:29 GMT  
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Subject: Re: Firewall problems(I think)  
Posted by [icedog90](#) on Fri, 19 Jan 2007 01:54:26 GMT  
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Sorry, but ZoneAlarm does that.

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Subject: Re: Firewall problems(I think)  
Posted by [terminator 101](#) on Fri, 19 Jan 2007 03:32:59 GMT  
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What keywords words do you think I should search for?

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Posted by [cmatt42](#) on Sat, 20 Jan 2007 00:07:11 GMT

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This fix doesn't seem like the one I used, but give it a shot:

<http://forum.zonelabs.org/zone/abs/board/message?board.id=cfg&message.id=425> 68

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Subject: Re: Firewall problems(I think)

Posted by [terminator 101](#) on Sat, 20 Jan 2007 01:44:01 GMT

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Thanks, I will try it and see how it goes.

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