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Hello again CNRE,

This is a follow-up email about how RDP access will be changing on CNRE Windows based computers.

I will start pushing these new settings next Tuesday (December 8<sup>th</sup>) first thing in the morning. All CNRE Windows based computers connected to the network will start to receive the new settings within a few hours. However, from all my testing it appears that they will not go into effect until the next reboot of your computer. That is why I chose next Tuesday as that is Microsoft's Patch Tuesday so all computers should be rebooting on their own once they get the latest round of security patches from Microsoft.

An FAQ on what the changes are and what you need to do after they go into effect will be posted on our IT website later today. Thanks.

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Hello CNRE,

In the interest of increasing IT Security I will be implementing some new rules for Remote Desktop (RDP) on Windows based computers. If you do not know what RDP is then you don't need to read any further as it won't affect you. **If you are currently using RDP to connect to a CNRE computer you'll need to contact me ASAP.** I will be pushing out these new settings to all Windows based CNRE computers in the coming weeks (no date set yet) and once I do you will no longer be able to

connect again until I give you the new settings. I will send out a reminder once I have set the push date. Thanks.

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