

**Topic:** Shortcut Allows Locking a Blade Connected to an I/Port Running XPe  
**Component(s) Affected:** PC Blade, XPe I/Port  
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## OVERVIEW / ENVIRONMENT

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When the **Ctrl-Alt-Delete** key sequence is used to access Windows Security on a PC Blade connected to an I/Port running XPe, the key sequence is intercepted and processed at the I/Port, not at the Blade. In this situation, the I/Port is locked, but the Blade is not, and its session with the I/Port remains open. This may represent a security risk.

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## RESOLUTION

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ClearCube has developed a desktop shortcut that allows locking the PC Blade. This shortcut is available for download on the ClearCube support website as `Lock_My_Workstation.zip`. This file contains the following:

- The shortcut, named **Lock My Workstation**
- This Technical Bulletin

The shortcut, named **Lock My Workstation**, can be copied to the desktop and double-clicked from there. When executed, it locks the PC Blade, requiring a user or administrator password to unlock. The functionality is identical to Windows Security operating on a desktop system.

While this shortcut was intended primarily for use on Blades connected to I/Ports, it also works on Blades connected to C/Ports, and directly from the Windows desktop (e.g., on “white box” PCs).

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