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Desktop PrintMonitor: Cannot Disable Manual Feed Dialog (6/96)

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TOPIC -----

I have recently installed the software for my Apple StyleWriter 1200 Printer with its new Desktop Printer software components. Is there a way for me to turn off the dialog warning that appears when I start a manual feed print job like I was able to do in previous versions of PrintMonitor?

DISCUSSION -----

The desktop printing software is included with the LaserWriter 8.3 driver. The software is also included in the original disk sets of the StyleWriter 1200, 1500, and 2xxx printers.

The version of Desktop Printing software you are using will determine how you turn this manual alert feature off. The latest version of the Desktop Printer software is available from online services.

If you have Desktop Printing software prior to version 1.0.3, you must use an older version of the PrintMonitor. First you must turn off the Desktop PrintMonitor through the Extensions manager or remove the desktop printer software. To remove the desktop printer software, refer to the Read Me file for your printer. The ReadMe file will also define the steps necessary to use the older PrintMonitor.

If you have Desktop Printing Software version 1.0.3 or later, it is set up to notify you about manually feeding paper the same way your PrintMonitor was set. For example, if you turned off notification for manual feeding in your PrintMonitor, the Desktop PrintMonitor will also have manual feed notification turned off.

You can change how the Desktop PrintMonitor notifies you about manual feeding, by following this procedure:

Step 1

Hold down the Shift key and restart your computer, keeping the Shift key depressed until the message "Extensions off" or your normal desktop appears.

Step 2

Open your System Folder and then open your Extensions folder.

Step 3

Double-click the PrintMonitor application.

Step 4

Choose Preferences from the File menu.

Step 5

Select your manual feed option and click OK.

Step 6

Close the PrintMonitor.

Step 7

Restart your computer.

These articles can help you locate the software update mentioned here:

- "Where To Find Apple Software Updates" - Lists online services for free Apple software updates.
- "Obtaining Apple Product Support in the USA" - Lists 800 numbers and online services for software updates, Apple support information, and a subset of the Apple Tech Info Library.

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