

**Teresa Jennings**

From: Jonathan Lazarus  
To: Paul Maritz  
Subject: RE: Undocumented Win NT APIs  
Date: Wednesday, January 26, 1994 2:14PM

How much of the stuff is in the DDK?

From: Paul Maritz  
To: Doug Henrich; Jonathan Lazarus  
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I would still point Stuart to the DDK. It is the right thing to do .

From: Doug Henrich  
To: Jonathan Lazarus; Paul Maritz  
Subject: RE: Undocumented Win NT APIs  
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No ISVs need this (and we would never want them to use them - unless as part of DDK work). I have asked Markcl about this already. If I remember correctly, we were going to document (i.e. list them, not really spend a lot of cycles to document in the real sense) them and stick them in the MSDN cd or something.

We did promise to document them about 15 months ago.

From: Paul Maritz  
To: Jonathan Lazarus  
Cc: Doug Henrich  
Subject: RE: Undocumented Win NT APIs  
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But which ISV in the world has asked for this? Even if we said something different in the past, we should say that our policy is provide all API's that ISVs need, and that we have done. Wrt kernel API's, we should say that those developers that need this information are device driver writers, and we have documented the need calls in the DDK.

From: Jonathan Lazarus  
To: Paul Maritz  
Cc: Doug Henrich  
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We committed to do this and unfortunately we will have to.

From: Paul Maritz  
To: Doug Henrich; Jonathan Lazarus; Erin Holland  
Cc: Jim Allchin; Richard Tong; WinNT PR; Ray Berardinelli  
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We should say that ISVs have all the API's they need - that applications do not get written to the kernel API's.

From: Jonathan Lazarus  
To: Doug Henrich; Erin Holland  
Cc: Jim Allchin; Paul Maritz; Richard Tong; WinNT PR; Ray Berardinelli  
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This were the kernel subsystem APIs...

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Not sure if you two recall, but back in the fall of 1992 Cameron told Infoworld that MS was planning to document the undocumented Win NT APIs. Stuart Johnston (now at Computerworld) is following up on Cameron's statement and wants to know if we have documented all Win NT APIs.

We need to get back to Stuart tomorrow with proof that all the APIs in Win NT have been documented. Do either of you know if we can give this information to Stuart? Who is the authority who can speak on this one?

Let's squish his story now or make it a positive one by letting him know that developers have all the info they need today.

Let us know - this will require short turnaround on our part.

Thanks,  
Erin