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Policy change notice

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APPROVAL BY
IT lead Muster AG, by reply to this notice

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policy	devices affected	rings	risk

When you receive this document: Before every change to a policy; we change only with your approval.

Summary

What changes: the security baseline for Windows 11 is updated from version 24H2 to 25H2. For whom: all Windows devices, the pilot ring first. From when: pilot on 16 January, broad ring on 22 January after your approval. Why: Microsoft has updated the baseline version; four settings are new, none of the existing ones is relaxed.

New settings

SETTING	NEW VALUE	EFFECT FOR USERS
LSA protection (RunAsPPL)	Enabled	None visible
Printer drivers by administrators only	Enabled	New printers are added by the helpdesk
SMB client signing	Required	None; IT checks the basement NAS beforehand
Credentials in Credential Guard	Enabled	None

Risk and rollback

- Risk low: the new settings concern system services; an older printer driver in sales is checked beforehand.
- Rollback: remove the assignment of the new baseline, reassign the old one; effective after the next device check-in.

Next steps

With your approval by 15 January the pilot ring starts on 16 January. Without approval the current baseline stays active.

Every name, system and number in this document is invented. Your report contains your environment on the day of the check.