
Applix TM1 Technical Bulletin

Applix Statement on Daylight Savings Time Changes in 2007

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Relevant TM1 Versions: All

The United States Congress, in August, 2005 passed the Energy Policy Act. This act, which goes into effect in 2007, adjusts the dates of both the start and the end of daylight saving time (DST) for most jurisdictions in the United States. Canada, following suit, will also observe these changes. DST will now start three weeks earlier than in prior years - 2:00 A.M. on the second Sunday in March; DST will end one week later than in prior years - 2:00 A.M. on the first Sunday in November.

Applix TM1 software is not directly affected by these DST date changes. TM1 administrators, as standard practice, must continue to adjust TM1 chore execution times bi-annually when DST begins and ends.

For more information about DST, see
http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Daylight_saving_time.

NOTE: Customers should enquire with their hardware and operating system vendors for information about the affect DST date changes will have on the platforms on which they run TM1. Some hardware and operating system platforms may need to be patched. The links below, which describe the DST data change policies of major vendors, are provided as a convenience.

Microsoft

<http://www.microsoft.com/windows/timezone/dst2007.msp>

Hewlett-Packard

http://www.hp.com/products1/unix/java/DST-US.html?jumpid=reg_R1002_USEN

Sun

<http://sunsolve.sun.com/search/document.do?assetkey=1-26-102775-1>