FLAW IN WINDOWS MEDIA PLAYER

An anti-piracy feature in the Microsoft program could allow an intruder to seize control of a user's machine. Windows Media Player erroneously discloses the location of the user's temporary file cache in Internet Explorer. That information could be used to bypass security in Internet Explorer.

A file of the intruder's choice could be run on the computer, allowing the intruder to control the computer. More information and the patch to fix this problem can be found here: http://www.microsoft.com/technet/security/bulletin/MS02-032.asp

AND MEANWHILE-- NEW MICROSOFT SECURITY PROTOCOL Microsoft is planning a fundamental change in PC architecture to improve security. The change is called Palladium.

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