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TB-DECO and Vista

To date, TB-DECO is fully supported on Windows 2000 and XP Professional operating systems which are widespread on the market.

For the past few months Windows new operating system, Vista, has been expanding on the market, mainly on new PCs.

A new operating system means new functionalities and sometimes changes in operation or incompatibilities. Thus, we have tested our TB-DECO on this operating system.

Windows Vista version supported: **VISTA BUSINESS & VISTA ULTIMATE**

TB-DECO V6.16

No problem has been reported to date.

This product has not been distributed since 1.1.2008. Moreover, it has no longer been kept for several years, so no adaptation can be made to it. For this reason Tornos SA cannot recommend its use on Windows Vista. Use of this version with Vista is the user's sole responsibility.

TB-DECO 2007 & TB-DECO 2007 ADV

All of the versions of TB-DECO or TB-DECO ADV prior to TB-DECO 2007 (8.1.20) are not supported under Windows Vista.

The current version of TB-DECO 2007 (8.1.20) is officially supported under Windows Vista. Some functionalities not penalising for use of TB-DECO have been reported as non-functional. The functionalities listed below and which are not functional, are generally only used by workstation administrators, thus «standard» users are not bothered.

- Entering the ADV License No. in administrator
- Management of access rights is not possible
- Saving machine databases in administrator
- Menu «Option -> Configuration» Functionality «Parts and machines»: Change of machine database path or path for part programs.
- Menu «Option -> Configuration» Functionality «Others», all the options.

However, it is possible to get around these problems by following the procedure indicated below.



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Solution

Here is a procedure which allows you to use all of the above functionalities without any problem under Windows Vista.

Windows Vista has introduced a new security system : «UAC». This prevents running TB-DECO with all the necessary editing rights, even if you are in «administrator».

To give all the necessary rights to TB-DECO for it to operate correctly, the user must consciously give his authorization for executing TB-DECO with extended rights.

This is very simple to do, just deploy the TB-DECO application in the following manner:

- Ø Select the TB-DECO icon with the mouse.
- Ø Click the right mouse button -> the menu below will be displayed
- Ø Select the execution mode «Execute as administrator».
- Ø A confirmation window appears, confirm it.

