

SET PASSWORD

The SET PASSWORD command establishes a password that is required when sending messages to the *TCP/IP for VSE* partition.

Syntax: SET PASSWORD=*string*

Arguments: *string* - 1- to 8-character string, case insensitive

This password will be required when you issue the MSG command to the *TCP/IP for VSE* partition.

Example:

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IPN237I set password=wavv
msg f4
IPN223A Please enter password
wavv
IPN300A Enter TCP/IP Command
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- Notes:
- There is no response from this command and you cannot query the current password value.
 - If you place this command in your initialization deck, you can precede the command with a plus sign (+). This suppresses echo printing of the password.
 - To remove the password, issue the SET PASSWORD= command with no parameter.
 - The ability to enter commands using batch interface IPNETCMD is not affected by passwords. If security is an issue, ensure that IPNETCMD is not available to users.
 - See the security chapter in the *TCP/IP for VSE Installation Guide* for more information about using this facility.
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Related Commands: CONSOLE_HOLD - Maintain a console command prompt.
