

Security Role Privileges

Privileges allow you to assign additional rights (or privileges) to roles. Privileges are a way of protecting sensitive data within the system by masking Global AlertLink fields and custom fields and assigning additional functionality to the system by granting users in those roles the ability to be a Global Administrator, Send Messages, or Design Custom Forms.

By default, all privileges are available to every role except:

- Global Administrator
- Send Message
- View Support Passphrase
- Custom Form Designer

The screenshot displays the 'System Management' interface, divided into two main sections: 'Structure' and 'Role Details'.

Structure Panel: Shows a hierarchical tree of folders and roles. The 'Roles' folder is expanded, showing a list of roles including '8.0 Edge Division', '8.0 IE Department', '8.0 IE Location', '8.0 Location', '8.0 Release Department', '8.0 Release Location', 'Backups', 'Business Group', 'Duane's Domain', 'Enterprise Data', 'Enterprise DR Exercise', 'Kevin World', 'New Org', 'NYDOH', 'SMS Testing', 'WF Sample', and 'Ztesters'. A 'Browse' button and 'Filter - Results' text are visible at the bottom of this panel.

Role Details Panel: Shows the configuration for a role named 'Roles'. The 'Parent' is set to 'Corporate'. The 'Privileges' section contains a grid of checkboxes for various permissions:

Privilege	Privilege	Privilege
<input type="checkbox"/> Global Administrator	<input type="checkbox"/> Send Message	<input type="checkbox"/> View Prefix Name
<input type="checkbox"/> View First Name	<input type="checkbox"/> View Middle Initial	<input type="checkbox"/> View Last Name
<input type="checkbox"/> View Suffix Name	<input type="checkbox"/> View Full Name	<input type="checkbox"/> View Site
<input type="checkbox"/> View Department	<input type="checkbox"/> View Title	<input type="checkbox"/> View Organization
<input type="checkbox"/> View Address Line 1	<input type="checkbox"/> View Address Line 2	<input type="checkbox"/> View City
<input type="checkbox"/> View State	<input type="checkbox"/> View Zipcode	<input type="checkbox"/> View Country
<input type="checkbox"/> View Notes	<input type="checkbox"/> View Alt-Contact Name	<input type="checkbox"/> View Alt-Contact Phone
<input type="checkbox"/> View Alt-Contact Relation	<input type="checkbox"/> View Contact Method	<input type="checkbox"/> View Support Passphrase
<input type="checkbox"/> Custom Form Designer	<input type="checkbox"/> Latitude/Longitude	<input type="checkbox"/> View Customer ID
<input type="checkbox"/> View Dept ID	<input type="checkbox"/> View Reports To	<input type="checkbox"/> View Time Zone
<input type="checkbox"/> View Business Unit ID	<input type="checkbox"/> Edit GIS Layer	<input type="checkbox"/> Delete GIS Layer

Privileges are different than permissions. Privileges determine which fields you can view in a report or form and if you can send messages or design a form. Permissions determine which organizations and folders you have access to and what you can do to the Global AlertLink objects in those folders.

By default, no privileges are available to a new role.

By contrast, the system-supplied Everyone role has all privileges except Global Administrator, Send Message, View Support Passphrase, Custom Form Designer, View Latitude/Longitude and View any system-wide custom fields.