**Manual installation of the Visual Basic Runtime files on W7 64 bits.**

Starting with satellites I would like to use software from Mike DK3WN.

The file itself was downloaded in second, getting it to work took a bit longer.

For Mike’s software written in Visual Basic 6 you will need some runtime library files.

Usually the installer will work but sometimes it won’t, in my case it didn’t work.

I had to install the ocx files manually before I had success.

The major problem was a rights issue, even in the DOS box I didn’t have enough rights to install these files.

Mike has the files needed available for download on his website.

I installed all the files I might need now or in the future.

At the end it appears to be rather simple as you can see.

It’s a Dutch Windows version but will be clear enough.

**These are the files to be installed:**

COMDLG32.OCX

mschrt20.ocx

mscomm32.ocx

mswinsck.ocx

richtx32.ocx

TABCTL32.OCX

I’ve put these files in a subdirectory called c:\tmp as you can see later.

**The installation of the files:**

Go to your command line.



And type cmd.



Go to the command thumbnail in the upper part of the window.



Right click on your mouse and select “Run as administrator”.

You’ll get a DOS box.

Use the command regsvr32 followed by the directory and the file you want to install.

For example **regsvr32 c:\tmp\COMDLG32.OCX** followed by hitting enter.



You’ll get a message that the file is successful installed.



Now you can continue with the next file.

At the end you’ve installed all the ocx files and it should work!