# 8. TRANSFERRING FLOATING NETWORK SERVER LICENSE USING MANUAL METHOD

The need to transfer your active *CAMWorks* license from one machine to another usually comes up when you upgrade your hardware or Windows systems.
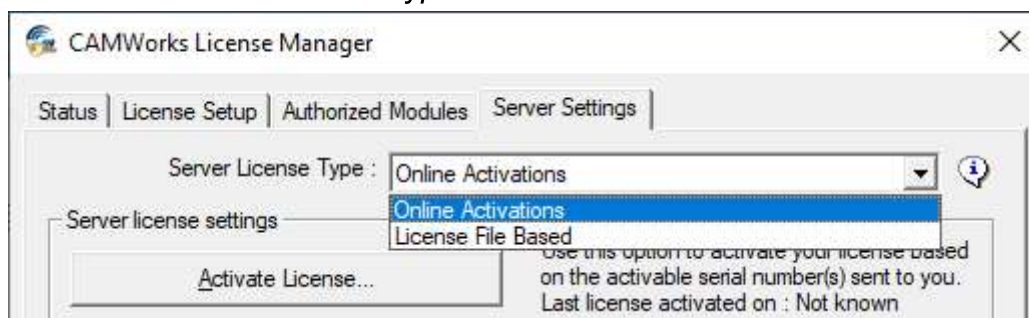
The *Online Deactivation/Activation* options provided within the CAMWorks License Manager program allow you to deactivate your active *Floating Network License* on your current License Server and then transfer and activate that license on another system that you intend to designate as your new *CAMWorks License Server*.

**This chapter covers the Manual Method of License Deactivation.**

(This chapter covers all the steps involved in transferring your CAMWorks Floating Network Server license from your current License Server to another system you intend to designate as your new CAMWorks License Server using the *Manual* Method of Online Deactivation/Activation.)

## Manual Method of License Deactivation and Activation

i. On the machine designated as the CAMWorks License Server, launch the CAMWorks License Manager program.

ii. The *CAMWorks License Manager* dialog box will be displayed.

iii. Switch to the *Server Settings* tab. Under this tab, ensure *Online Activations* is selected as the *Server License Type*.
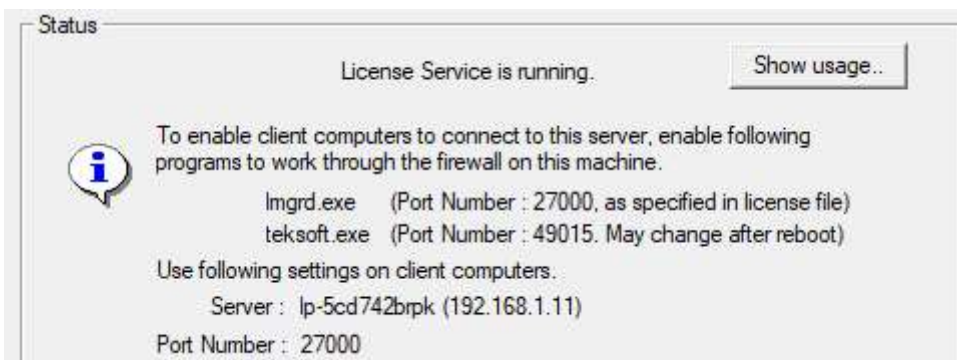


**Select the 'Online Activations' Option for Server License Type**

iv. Observe that the *Status* group box indicates that the CAMWorks License Service is running.
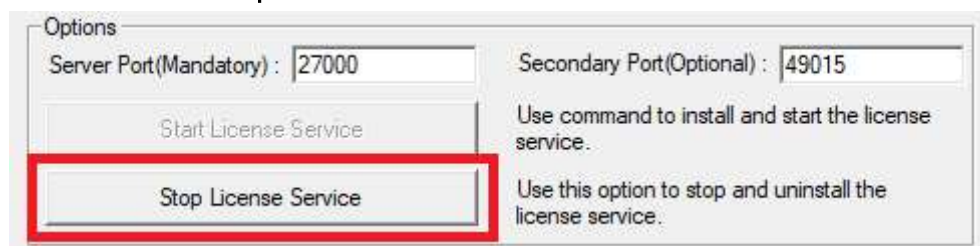
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**Message displayed in the Status Group Box when License Service is running successfully**

v.  Click on the *Stop License Service* button within the *Options* group box of this
    tab. This action will stop and uninstall the active CAMWorks License Service.



**Click on the 'Stop License Service' Button within Options group box**

vi.  A modal window stating that the *License Service* has been marked for
     removal and requesting you to close the License Manager for complete
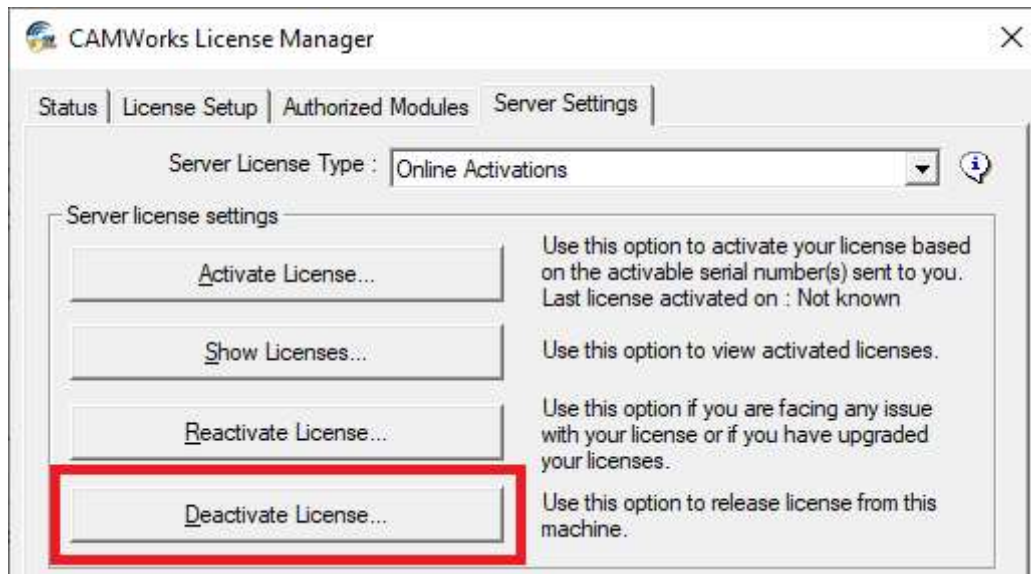     removal of the license service will be displayed.



**Modal Window Displayed once the Comman to Stop the License Service is Executed**

vii.  Once you click the *OK* button within this modal window, the user interface
      will revert to the *Server Settings* tab. Observe that the *Stop License Service*
      button is now disabled. Close the *CAMWorks License Manager* dialog box.

viii.  Launch the CAMWorks License Manager program again. Switch to the *Server
       Settings* tab.

ix. Observe that the **Deactivate License...** button is now enabled. Click on this button.



**Click on the 'Deactivate License…' Button under Server Settings Tab**

x. The *CAMWorks Product Deactivation* dialog box will be displayed. Select the **Manually via E-Mail** option.

xi. All the currently activated Activation ID(s) on the system will be displayed in the *List of Products activated* list box.

xii. Place a check in the **I have read the HCL Technologies Privacy Policy and agree to its terms and conditions** check box.

xiii. Placing a check in this check box activates the **Deactivate My Products...** button at the bottom of the dialog box. Click on this button.

xiv. The **CAMWorks Product Deactivation - Manual Method Wizard** will be displayed. Provide your username and email ID and click the **Save** button.
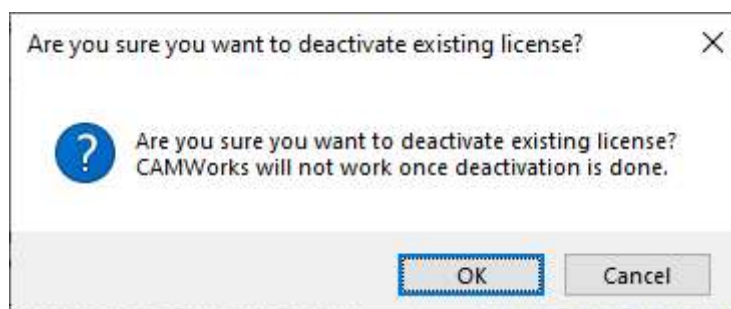
**CAMWorks Product Deactivation – Manual Method Wizard**

xv. A modal window prompting you to confirm whether you are sure about deactivating the license will be displayed. Click the *OK* button within this modal window.
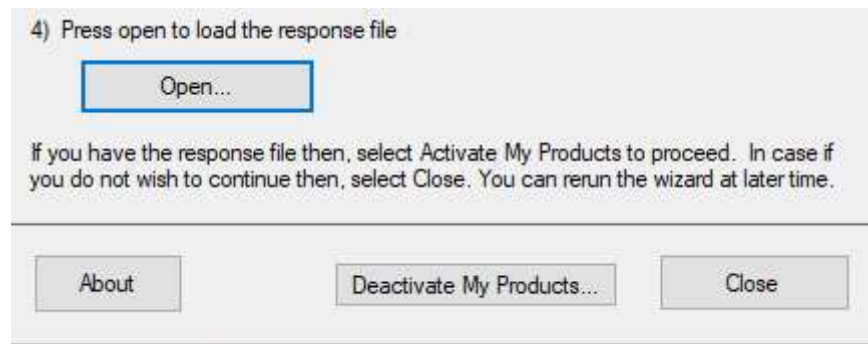


**Modal Window Prompting Confirmation for Deactivating CAMWorks License**

xvi. Once you click the *OK* button of the previous, the license manager mechanism will generate a request file (in zip format) containing the Activation ID(s) to be deactivated. After successful generation of this file, a modal window indicating successful generation of the request file for deactivating the license will be displayed.

xvii. Email this license request file to Register@camworks.com.

xviii. You will receive a *CAMWorks Response File (*.cwlic)* file modal window via email within maximum one business day. Save this file on the machine on which you intend to deactivate the license.
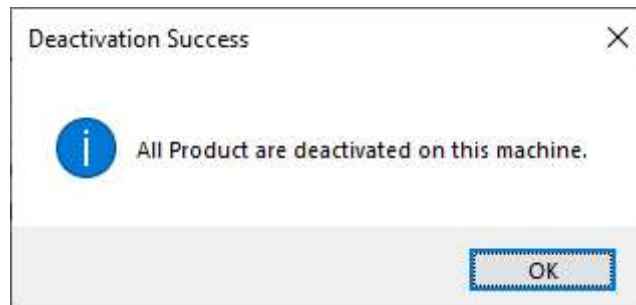
xix. Click on the *Deactivate My Products...* command button in the *CAMWorks Product Deactivation* dialog box again to invoke the *CAMWorks Product Deactivation - Manual Method Wizard*.

xx. Click on the **Open...** button in this wizard to browse and select this CAMWorks Response file.

xxi. Once this file is selected, click on the *Deactivate My Products...* button at the bottom of the wizard.



4) Press open to load the response file

Open...

If you have the response file then, select Activate My Products to proceed. In case if you do not wish to continue then, select Close. You can rerun the wizard at later time.

About          Deactivate My Products...          Close

**Click 'Open' button to load the Response File and Deactivate the License**

xxii. Once successfully deactivated, the **Deactivation Success** modal window will be displayed. Click on the OK button of this modal window to close it.



Deactivation Success          ✕

ℹ  All Product are deactivated on this machine.

OK

**Modal Window indicating Deactivation Success**

xxiii. The user interface will revert to the *CAMWorks Product Deactivation - Manual Method Wizard*. Click on the Close button within this wizard.

xxiv. The user interface will now revert to the *CAMWorks Product Deactivation* dialog box. Click on the *Close* button within this dialog box.

xxv. The user interface will revert to the *Server Settings* tab. Close the *CAMWorks License Manager* dialog box.

xxvi. Your *CAMWorks* license is now successfully deactivated.

You can now shift the Floating Network Server License to another machine of your choice by activating the license on that machine. This activation can be done automatically or manually.

Based on your preferences, refer the following topics:

- Activating Floating Network Server License on License Server using Automatic Method
- Activating Floating Network Server License on License Server using Manual Method

Once your *Floating Network Server License* is active and the *License Service* successfully running on your new *CAMWorks License Server*, you need to enable client machines to access the license service. The steps involved are identical to the those for activating access on new installations. For details, refer the topic: Activating Floating Network Server License on Client Computers.