

1. I enabled Telnet Client on my Windows machine for verifying if the firewall rule we created is actually working.
2. As, the Telnet Client allows us to connect with other remote computers. I will use the Telnet Client which I enabled, to open a connection to my local machine itself. This will verify, whether the rule is working or not.

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C:\Users\makbo>telnet localhost 23
Connecting To localhost...Could not open connection to the host, on port 23: Connect failed

C:\Users\makbo>

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To test, I opened the command prompt and entered the command: `telnet localhost 23`  
The result can be verified in the above screenshot. The connection failed. This implies that the rule I created is working as intended.

3. Now, as stated in the task, I deleted the rule to restore to original state. For this, I opened the Windows Defender Firewall, navigated to inbound rules, clicked on the rule, and chose the Delete option under its tab and deleted it. The following screenshot shows it:

