How to Create a New Reporting Database and Run the Overnight Job

This document explains how to create a Reporting Database from scratch.

1. Create a blank database and make sure that you have a user called dbo with administrative rights.

2. Drop the 'Update_DB.bat' batch file into the table scripts folder. Open the batch file in Notepad and change the server name (ASC-JOHNKU) to yours and the db name (ASC_REPORT) to the name of your new Reporting Database. Save the batch file. Double click on the batch file to run it. You must check your database to make sure that the tables are implemented.

3. Repeat step 2 for the Stored Procedures scripts folder.

4. The Overnight job is now run from a DOS batch file (Overnight_Job.bat). Again, edit the file to include your server and your database. There is an accompanying script file called StoredProcedures.txt which must be in the same location as the Overnight_Job.bat file.

5. Double click on the Overnight_Job.bat file to run the overnight job. The batch file will create a log.txt file which tells you whether or not the run is successful for each procedure.

6. Good Luck!