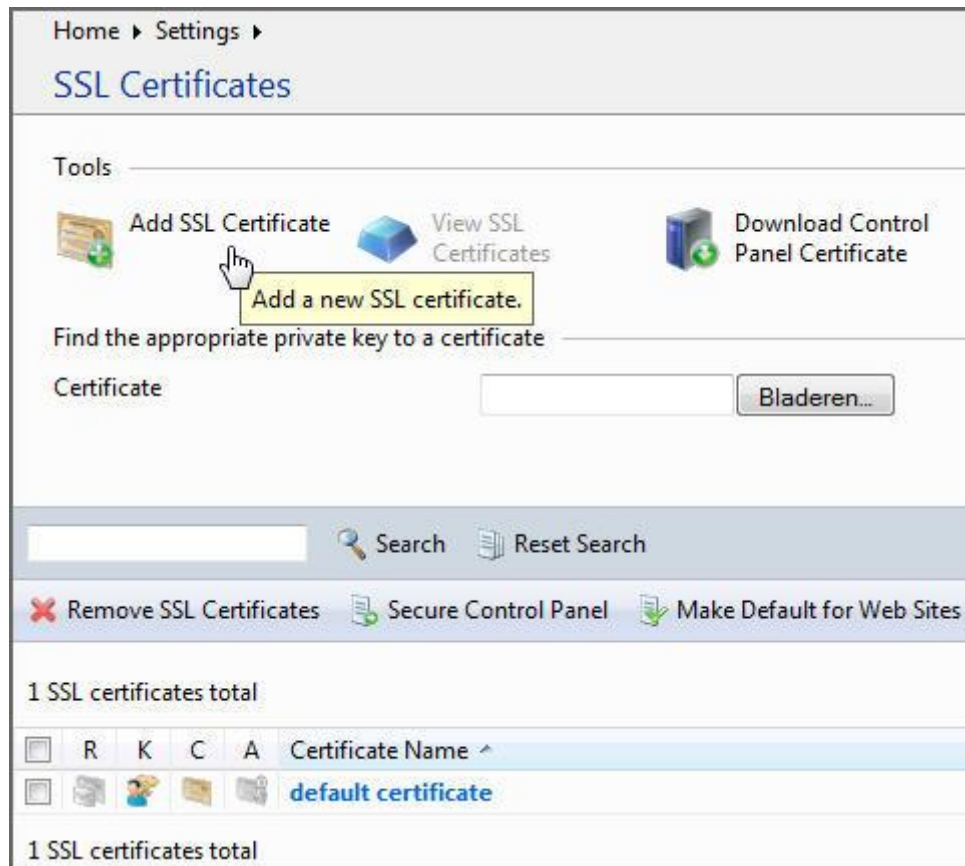


## Generating a CSR with Plesk Panel

### Logon to the Plesk Panel

1. Go to **Domains > Domain name > SSL Certificates**. A list of SSL certificates that you have in your repository will be displayed.
2. Click **Add SSL Certificate**.



3. Specify the Certificate **properties**:
4. Enter a Certificate name, this will help you identify this certificate in the repository.
5. Enter the requested information:
  - Bits = encryption level. Choose the encryption level of your SSL certificate. We recommend a value equal or more than 2048 bit.
  - Country, State/Province, Location = official address of your company or organization
  - Organization = the name of your company or organization

- Organization department = optional field for the name of the responsible department or division
- Domain name (Common Name) = the domain name for which the SSL certificate will be used, like mail.youdomain.com

**Add SSL Certificate** Favorites Visited Pages Up Level

Certificate

Certificate name \* testcert

Preferences

Bits 2048

Country Netherlands

State or province \* NH

Location (City) \* Amsterdam

Organization name (company) \* Networking4all

Organization department/division name ICT

Domain name \* secure.networking4all.com

E-mail \* ict@networking4all.com

Request Buy SSL Certificate Self-Signed

Upload certificate files

Private key \* Bladeren...

Certificate \* Bladeren...

CA certificate Bladeren...

Send File

Enter certificate parameters and click to generate a CSR.

**Make sure that all the provided information is correct and accurate, as it will be used to generate your private key.**

6. Click **Request**. Your private key and certificate signing request will be generated and stored in the repository.
7. In the list of certificates, click the name of the certificate you need. A page showing the certificate properties opens.
8. Locate the CSR section on the page and copy the text that starts with the line -----BEGIN CERTIFICATE REQUEST----- and ends with the line -----END CERTIFICATE REQUEST----- to the clipboard. (See example below)

-----BEGIN CERTIFICATE REQUEST-----

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-----END CERTIFICATE REQUEST-----