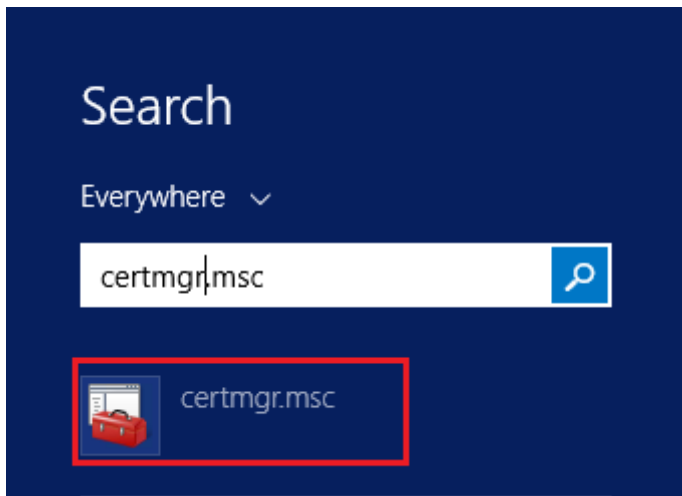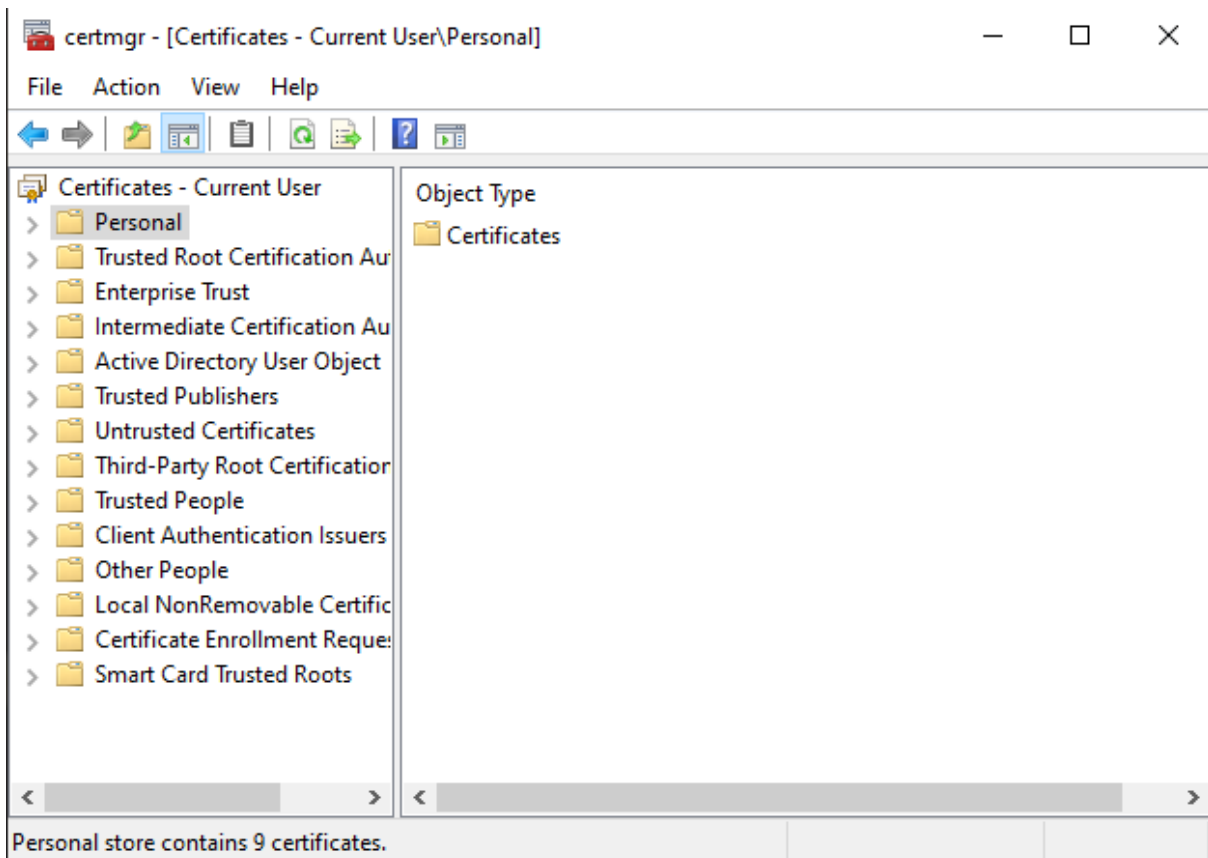# Backup of the certificate with private key in Windows 8
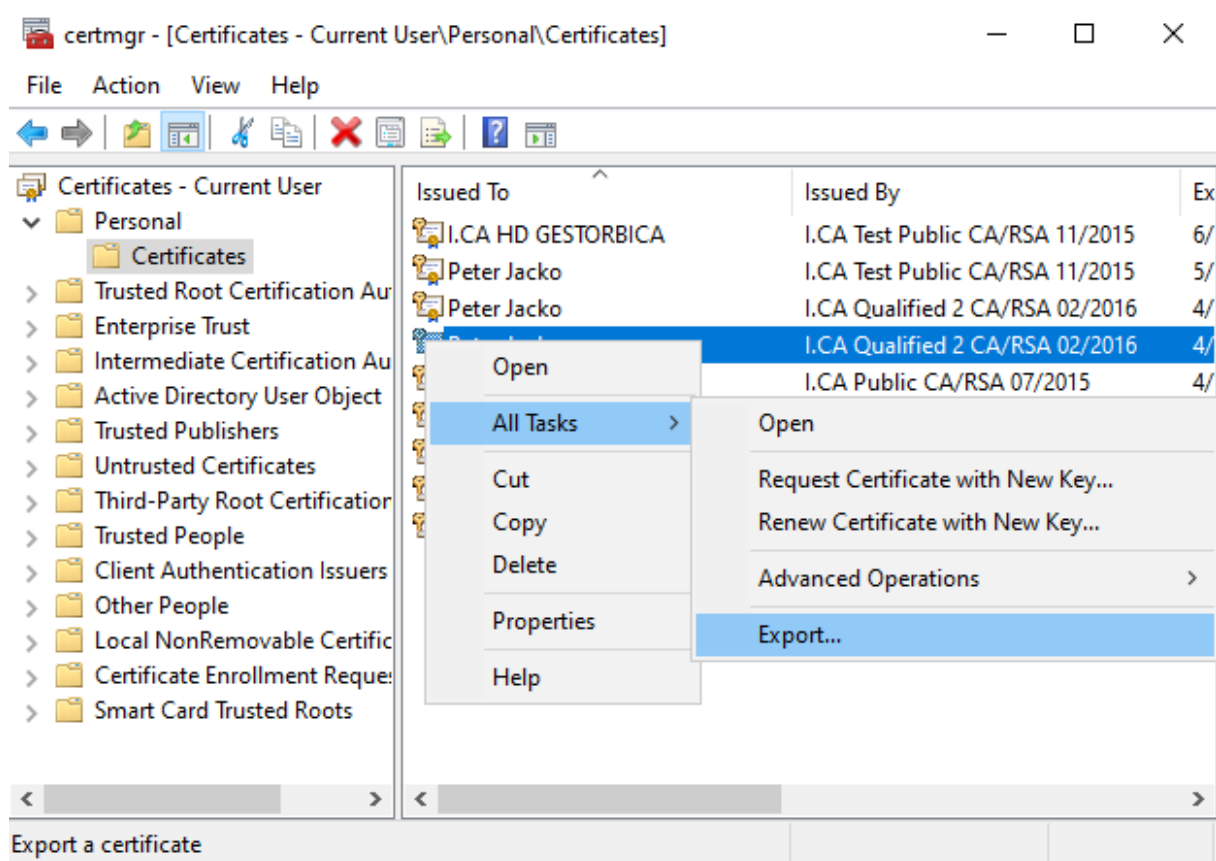
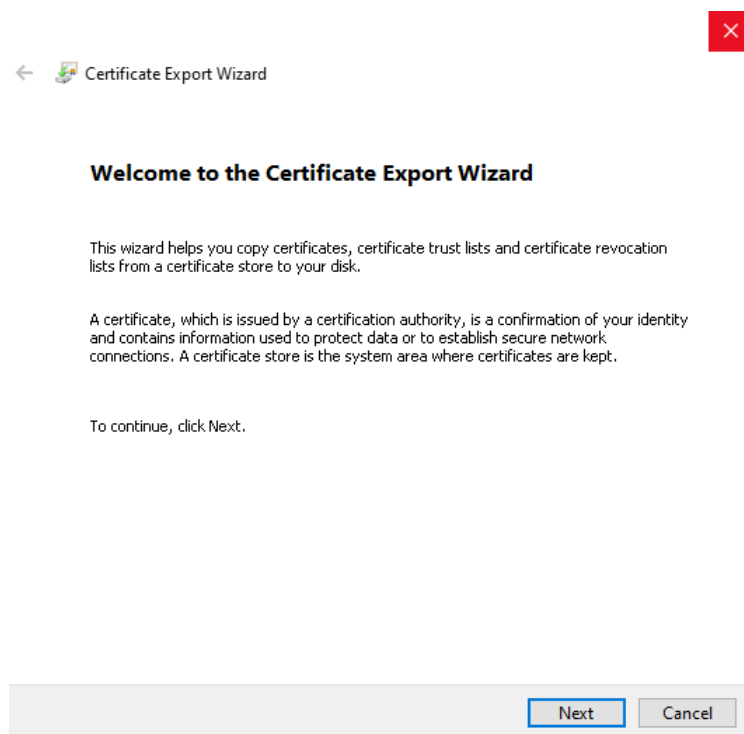Click on key **Start,** and write **certmgr.msc** and then click on searched icon

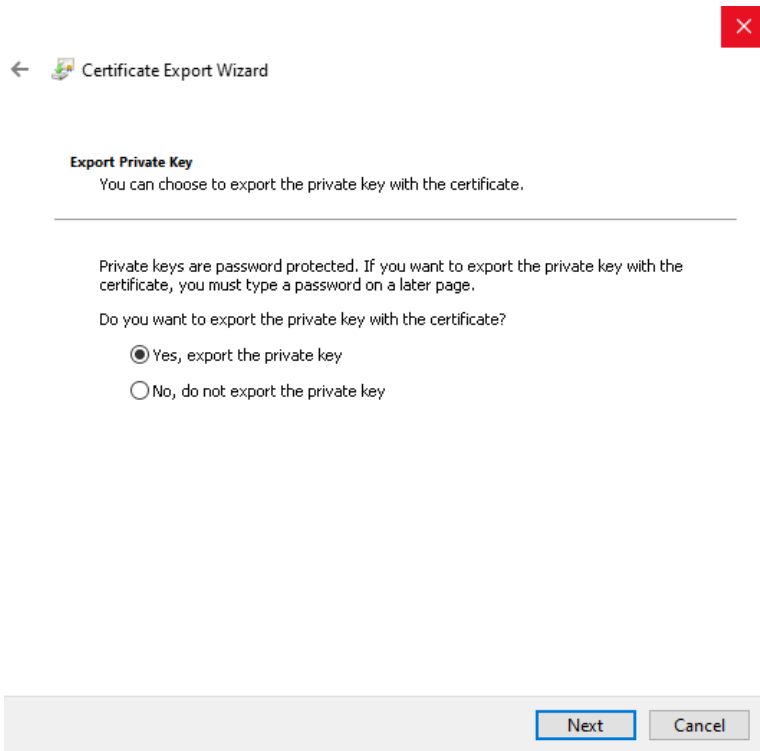**In certmgr click on Personal/Certificates**

Then mark the certificate you want to backup, right click on it and choose **All Tasks/Export**
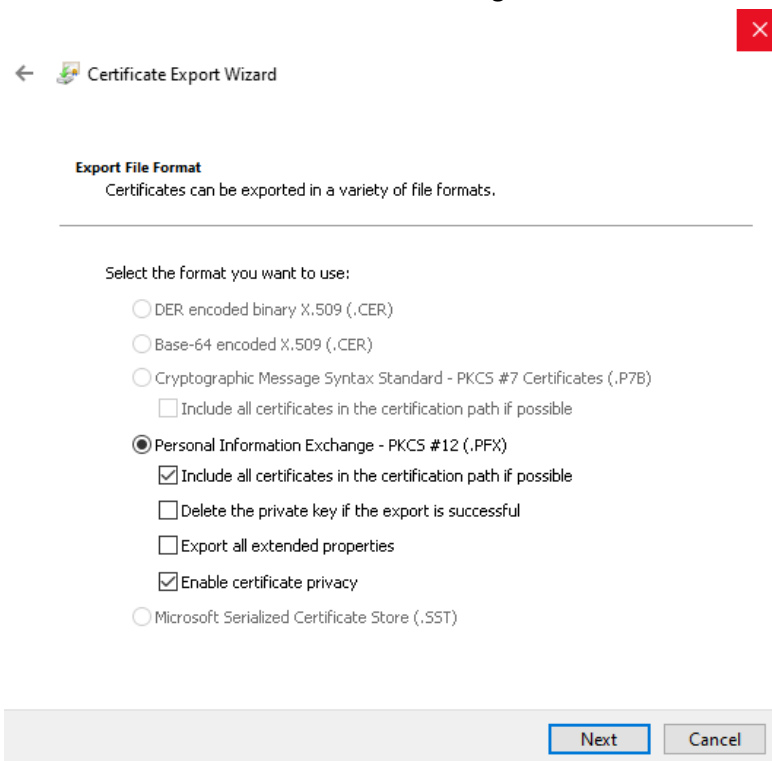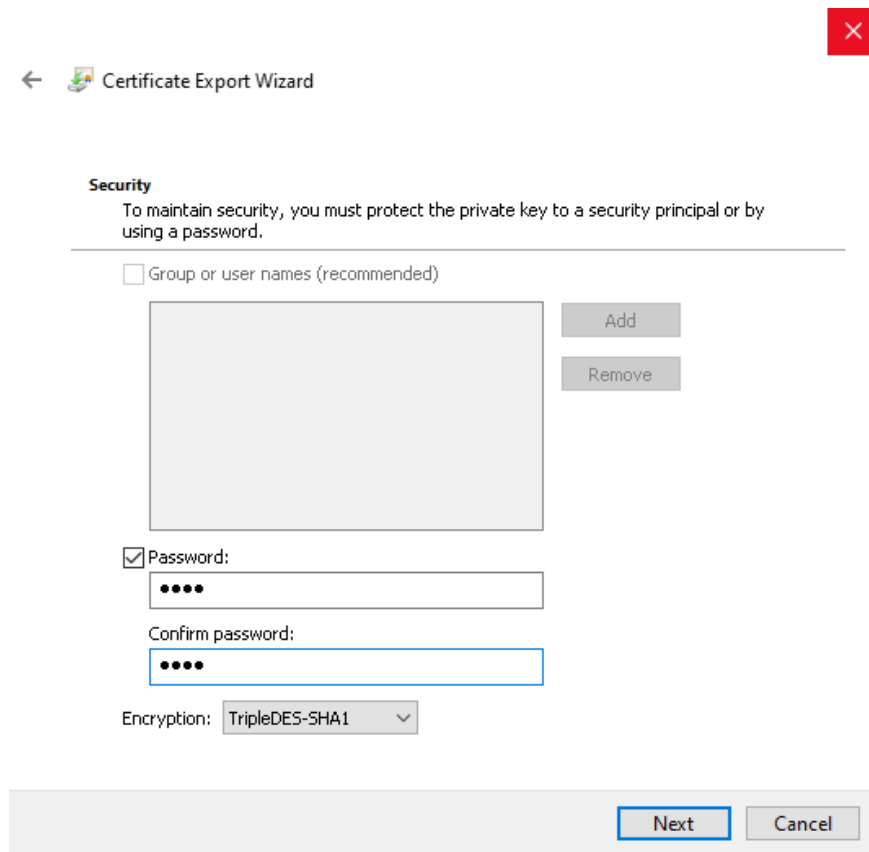

in the **Export wizard** choose **Next**

mark option „**Yes, export the private key**" and then **Next**

leave the current **PKCS #12** format setting

enter **password**, which will protect this backup and select **Next**
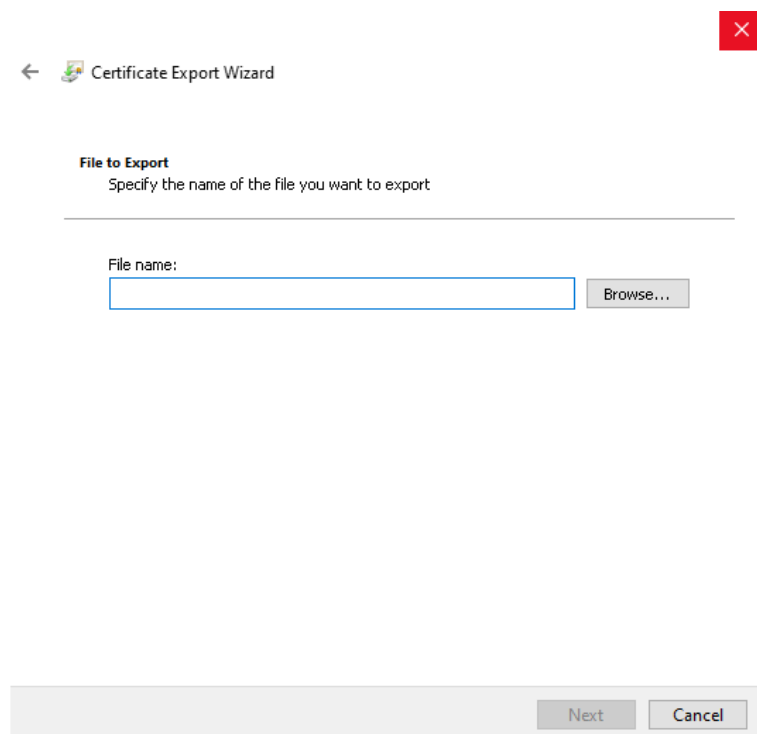
choose location, where will be your backup stored with option **Browse**

you can choose to save it on Desktop and then select option **Save**
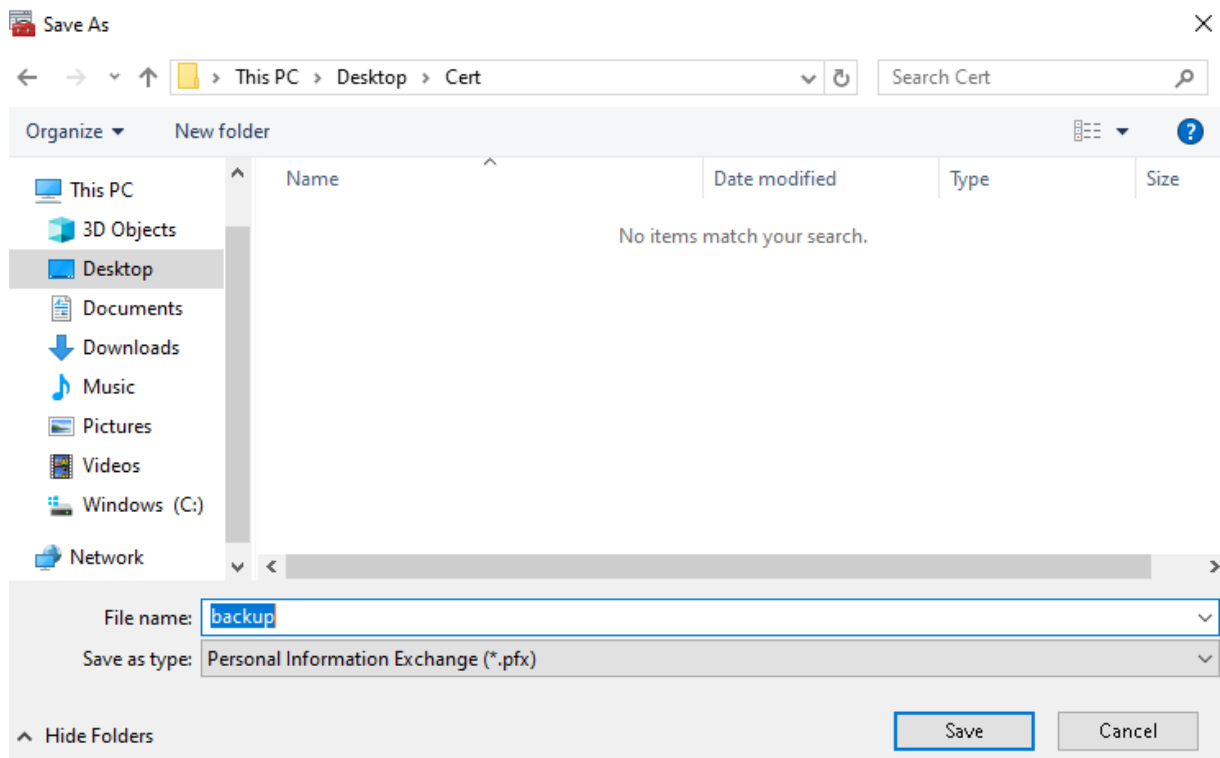
proceed with button **Next**
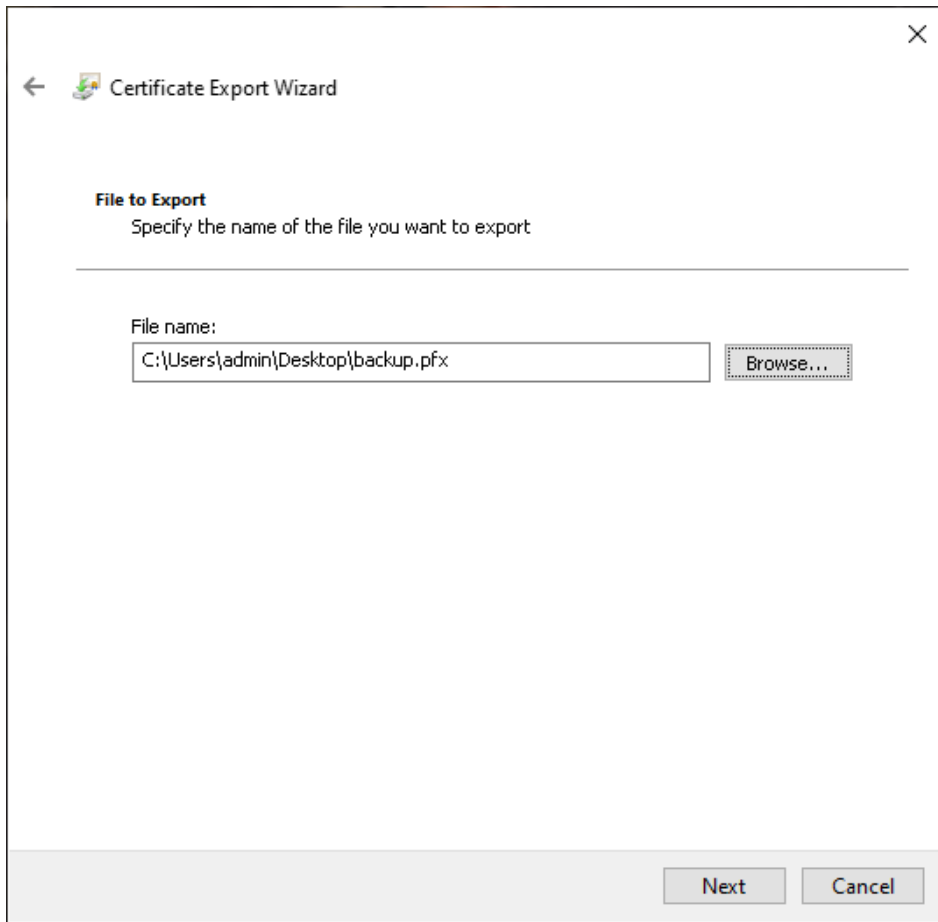
for completion choose **Finish**

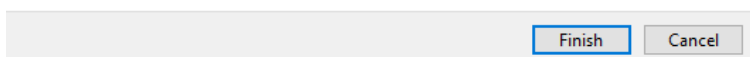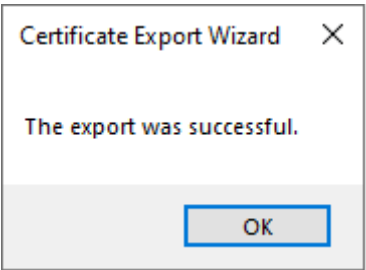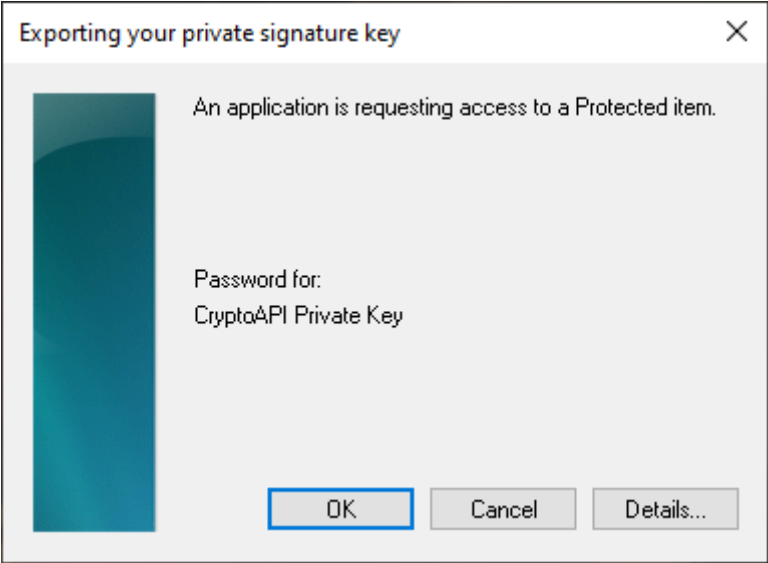file with backup which contains private key is saved in choosen location.