channel 0: open failed: administratively prohibited: open failed

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How to solve "channel 0: open failed: administratively prohibited: open failed" error got while trying to SSH?

Overview: This article helps gateway users to resolve the error "**channel 0: open failed: administratively prohibited: open failed**" encountered while trying to SSH.




```
:~# ssh -J bastion_host_server remote_host_server

channel 0: open failed: administratively prohibited: open failed

stdio forwarding failed

kex_exchange_identification: Connection closed by remote host
```

The above error occurred because **AllowTcpForwarding** is set to "**No**" in the **/etc/ssh/sshd_config** file of the Ezeelogin gateway server for security reasons. This setting is recommended for enhanced security.

```
#$ /etc/ssh/sshd_config

AllowTcpForwarding no
```