
New "98" line parameter in tab 16: need better documentation

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Description:

I see that there is a new "98" line parameter in tab 16, which is supposed to allow limits for an entire sublibraries group. In the v.19 Configuration Guide, it doesn't mention this new "98" line parameter, only the previously existing "99" line parameter. The table header itself has a better explanation. Could this explanation be added to the v.19 Configuration Guide documentation for tab 16? Following is the explanation from the table header:

```
!  
! Item status 99 and 98.  
! These statuses define limits for the total number  
! of loans/holds/bookings, with no item status check.  
! You can use ## in col.4 (patron status) to denote all patron statuses  
! or enter a specific patron status in col.4 (patron status) if you  
! want to define the global loan/hold/booking limit per patron status.  
!  
! Where 99 is used the total check is for every sublibrary that relates  
! to the group ID. The limit that is set in the 99 line means that a single  
! library that belongs to that group may not have more than that number or  
! loans/holds/bookings.  
! Where 98 is used the total check is for the entire group that relates  
! to the group ID. The limit that is set in the 98 line means that the total number  
! of loans/holds/bookings in the entire group may not exceed this limit.  
!  
! It is possible to define a total check for the entire ADM library.  
! Define a separate line with a different group ID for the ADM library and use the 99  
! item status.  
! Enter this group ID in column 7 in tab_sub_library.lng in the line that  
! defines the ADM library.  
! This must be the LAST line in every group ID.
```

Also, check_circ_4_d was added to tab_check_circ to make these 98 lines be used:

```
! 4_d: check patron loan limits (98 line)
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Resolution:

The v19 Configuration Guide has been updated to include this.

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