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Employee Permissions - RPE



There is a large number of permissions that can be configured in Employee Maintenance. Refer to the document entitled "Creating Employees" (found on http://faq.pcamerica.com) if you do not know how to configure these permissions.

This document will explain what actions are allowed or denied in Restaurant Pro Express by individual permissions.

Hot buttons are mentioned throughout this document. Refer to the document entitled "Creating a Hot Button" (located on http://faq.pcamerica.com) if you do not know how to create these buttons.

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Functionality - Setup Screen Page 1

Invoice Discounts determines whether or not the employee can apply discounts to invoices.

There are several methods of applying discounts and thus triggering this permission, all of them starting on the invoicing screen:

- 1. Select Manager, Invoice Properties, and then Discount.
- 2. Select Manager, Invoice Properties, and then Desired Grand Total.
- 3. Select **Line Discount** after selecting an item on the invoice.
- 4. Select EDITS and then DISCOUNT.
- Select a "closed discount" hot button.

Invoice Price Changes determines whether or not the employee can select the "price change" hot button on the invoicing screen.

Delete Items determines whether or not the employee can select **DELETE** after selecting an item on an invoice.

Void Invoices determines whether or not the employee can void an invoice.

There are several methods of voiding invoices and thus triggering this permission, all of them starting on the invoicing screen:

- Select EDITS and then VOID INVOICE.
- Select the "void" hot button.

Allow Exit determines whether or not the employee can exit from the invoicing screen by selecting Exit.

To apply this permission to exiting the program itself, follow these steps:

- 1. Select **Manager** from the login screen.
- 2. Provide the requested credentials.
- 3. Select Setup.
- 4. Select Setup Screen.
- 5. Select the **System Access** tab.
- 6. Check Check Exit Permission when Exiting from Login Screen.
- 7. Select **Update**.

Returns determines whether or not the employee can process returns.

There are several methods of processing returns and thus triggering this permission, all of them starting on the invoicing screen:

- Scanning or entering the bar code printed on receipts and selecting **Return Items** on the window that pops up.
 - This is assuming that Print Bar Code on "Complete" Receipts is checked in the Receipt tab of Setup Screen.
- Selecting the "return next item" hot button.

End Transactions determines whether or not the employee can press PAY on the invoicing screen.

Open Cash Drawer determines whether or not the employee can open the cash drawer without making a sale first.

There are several methods of opening the cash drawer and thus triggering this permission, all of them starting on the invoicing screen:

- Select Manager and then Open Drawer.
- Select the "open cash drawer" hot button.

Sell Non-Inventory determines whether or not the employee can modify the price of an item by selecting it on an invoice and then selecting **MODIFY**.

Tax Exempt Invoice determines whether or not the employee can make an invoice or items on an invoice tax-exempt.

There are several methods of making invoices or items on them tax-exempt and thus triggering this permission, all of them starting on the invoicing screen:

- Select Manager, Invoice Properties, and then either Tax Exempt Invoice or Tax Exempt Additional Items.
- Select the "tax exempt" hot button.

Sell Gift Cards determines whether or not the employee can sell gift cards.

There are several methods of selling gift cards and thus triggering this permission, all of them starting on the invoicing screen:

- Select NONE and then Gift Card (both are displayed on the touchscreen by default).
- Select the "gift card" hot button.

Redeem Gift Cards determines whether or not the employee can redeem gift cards.

There are several methods of redeeming gift cards and thus triggering this permission, all of them starting on the invoicing screen:

- Swipe a gift card.
- Select PAY and then Gift Card.

Sell Special Items determines whether or not the employee can sell items marked as "special" within Inventory Maintenance.

To mark an item as "special", follow these steps:

- Select **Manager** from the login screen.
- Provide the requested credentials.
- Select Inventory Maintenance.
- Navigate to an item.
- Check **Special Permission**.

Select Save.

Vendor Payouts determines whether or not the employee can select **Vendor Payouts** after selecting **Manager** and **Tools**.

Force Credit Cards determines whether or not the employee can force a credit card transaction by selecting **PAY** from the invoicing screen, **Credit Card**, **Force**, entering appropriate information, and selecting **OK**.

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Cash Alert Override determines whether or not the employee can press **Override This Sale** when the cash lockup level is exceeded and they are prompted to remove cash.

To turn on cash alerts, follow these steps:

- 1. Select Manager from the login screen.
- 2. Provide the requested credentials.
- 3. Select **Setup**.
- 4. Select Setup Screen.
- 5. Select the **Quick Invoicing & Alerts** tab.
- 6. Check Use Cash Alerts.
- 7. Select **Update**.
- **8.** Additionally, the employee's job code must have **Cash Bank** checked.

Cash Pickups determines whether or not the employee can select **Cash Pullout** after selecting **Manager** and **Tools** or in response to a cash alert.

Issue Credit Slip determines whether or not the employee can issue a credit slip.

To issue credit slips for all returns, follow these steps:

- 1. Select Manager from the login screen.
- 2. Provide the requested credentials.
- 3. Select **Setup**.
- 4. Select Setup Screen.
- 5. Select **Invoice Settings**.
- 6. Select "Print Store Credit Slip" under "Return Media".
- 7. Select **Update**.

Redeem Credit Slip determines whether or not the employee can redeem a credit slip by scanning the barcode on it.

Override Refund determines whether or not the employee can override gift card refunds when returning items.

Automatic refunds to gift cards must be set up by following these steps:

- 1. Select Manager from the login screen.
- 2. Provide the requested credentials.
- 3. Select Setup.
- 4. Select Setup Screen.
- 5. Select Invoice Settings.
- 6. Select "Gift Card Only" under "Return Media".
- 7. Select **Update**.

Allow Large Purchases determines whether or not the employee can sell an item flagged as a "large purchase". To specify the amount that flags an item as a "large purchase", follow these steps.

- 1. Select Manager from the login screen.
- 2. Provide the requested credentials.
- 3. Select Setup.
- 4. Select **Setup Screen**.
- 5. Select the **Invoice Settings** tab.
- 6. Select **Page 2**.
- 7. Fill in the "Amount That Flags Item as a Large Purchase" field.
- 8. Select **Update**.

Approve Cash Count determines whether or not the employee can approve their own cash count when they log out. They won't be required to perform a cash count unless their job code has **Cash Bank** and **Require Cash Count Screen on Clockout** both checked.

Allow Old Returns determines whether or not the employee can override the "Valid Return Window," which is set by following these steps:

- 1. Select **Manager** from the login screen.
- 2. Provide the requested credentials.
- 3. Select Setup.
- 4. Select **Setup Screen**.
- 5. Select the **Invoice Settings** tab.
- 6. Fill in the "Valid Return Window" field.
- 7. Select **Update**.

Approve Emergency Clockout determines whether or not the employee can clock out other employees in an emergency by selecting the clock icon (located on the login screen), entering their credentials or swiping their card, and selecting **Emergency Clockout**. Note that this button will not appear if this Permission is set to "No".

Pullback Invoice determines whether or not the employee can pull back, or reopen, an invoice by selecting **Manager** from the invoicing screen and then **Pullback Invoice**.

Timeclock Management determines whether or not the employee can access the Timeclock Management screen. There are two ways to access this screen:

- Select Manager, Administrative, and then Time Clock Management.
- Select Manager, Administrative, Employee Maintenance, and then Time Clock Management.

Edit Your Own Time determines whether or not the employee can press **Delete Clock-Out**, **Delete Entry**, or **Modify Closeout** when accessing their own times in Time Clock Management.

Discounts Below % determines whether or not the employee can apply a discount greater than the "Invoice Discount Security Level," which is set up by following these steps:

- 1. Select Manager from the login screen.
- 2. Provide the requested credentials.
- 3. Select **Setup**.
- 4. Select Setup Screen.
- 5. Select the **Invoice Settings** tab.
- 6. Select Page 2.
- 7. Fill in the "Invoice Discount Security Level" field.
- 8. Select **Update**.

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Delete Sent Items determines whether or not the employee can send an item to a table, call up the invoice for that table, select the item, and then select **DELETE**.

End Cash Transactions determines whether or not the employee can select **Cash** after selecting **PAY** from the invoicing screen.

End Account Transactions determines whether or not the employee can select **On Account** after selecting **PAY** from the invoicing screen.

Override ID Scan determines whether or not the employee can press **Skip** when prompted to enter a birthday or scan an ID before selling an item.

Manual Age Entry determines whether or not the employee can enter a birthday when prompted to scan an ID before selling an item.

Override Emp Schedule determines whether or not the employee can allow another employee to clock in at a time that is not scheduled or too early or late relative to their scheduled time. Refer to the document entitled "Labor Scheduler" on http://fag.pcamerica.com if you are unfamiliar with the labor scheduler.

Labor Scheduler determines whether or not the employee can create and modify employee schedules using the Labor Scheduler. Refer to the document entitled "Labor Scheduler" on http://faq.pcamerica.com if you are unfamiliar with the labor scheduler.

Negative Price Changes determines whether or not the employee can select the **price change** hot button on the invoicing screen, and change the dollar amount to a negative value (i.e. **-\$20.00**).

Close Shift determines whether or not this employee can close an open shift through

Reprint Receipt determines whether or not this employee can use the **Print Last Receipt** button in the Options screen under Cashier. Or if they can use the **Re-Print** button after recalling an invoice.

Inventory

Add Inventory/Kits determines whether or not the employee can add inventory or kits.

There are several methods of adding inventory or kits and thus triggering this permission, all of them starting on the invoicing screen:

- Select **Add Item** or **Duplicate** in Inventory Maintenance.
- Select Manager, Administrative, and then Styles Matrix.
- Select **Add** or **Duplicate** in Kit Maintenance.

Edit Inventory/Kits determines whether or not the employee can edit inventory or kits.

There are several methods of editing inventory or kits and thus triggering this permission, all of them starting on the invoicing screen:

- Select **Save** in Inventory Maintenance.
- Select Manager, Administrative, and then Mix 'N Match Pricing.
- Select **Update** in Kit Maintenance.

Add Vendor determines whether or not the employee can select Add in Vendor Maintenance.

Update Vendor determines whether or not the employee can select Save Changes in Vendor Maintenance.

Add Department determines whether or not the employee can select Add Department in Department Maintenance.

Edit Department determines whether or not the employee can select Save Changes in Department Maintenance.

Create POs determines whether or not the employee can select **Add** after selecting **Manager**, **Administrative**, and **Purchase Orders**.

PO Receive Items determines whether or not the employee can select **Receive Item** or **Receive All** after selecting **Manager**, **Administrative**, and **Purchase Orders**.

Instant PO determines whether or not the employee can select **Instant PO** in Inventory Maintenance.

View Inventory determines whether or not the employee can access Inventory Maintenance even if he or she does not have the permissions "Add Inventory/Kits", "Edit Inventory/Kits", and "Add Coupons".

View Inventory Costs determines whether or not the employee can see the costs of items in Inventory Maintenance.

Negative Instant POs determines whether or not the employee can enter a negative number after selecting **Instant PO** in Inventory Maintenance.

Modify Price Promos (Existing) determines whether or not the employee can edit an item's **Special Pricing** tab in Inventory Maintenance.

Limited Edit Lockdown determines whether or not the employee who has the "Edit Inventory/Kits" permission also has permission to change the department of an item or change an item's description.

Delete Inventory/Kits determines whether or not the employee can select **Delete** in Inventory Maintenance or Kit Maintenance.

Add Coupons determines whether or not the employee can select **Coupon** after selecting **Add** in Inventory Maintenance.

Global Pricing determines whether or not the employee can select **Global Price Changes** after selecting **Manager** and **Administrative**.

Customers

Add Customers determines whether or not the employee can select Add in Customer Maintenance.

Edit Customers determines whether or not the employee can select Update in Customer Maintenance.

Display Balances determines whether or not the employee can view a customer's A/R balance in Customer Maintenance.

Edit Charge at Cost determines whether or not an employee can select the **Charge at Cost** option in Customer Maintenance.

Reports

Display Reports determines whether or not the employee can:

- Select **Display** after selecting **Manager**, **Administrative**, and **Reporting**.
- Select **Display On Hold IDs** after selecting **Manager** and **Cashier**.

Print Reports determines whether or not the employee can select **Print** after selecting **Manager**, **Administrative**, and **Reporting**.

Print DDR determines whether or not the employee can:

Select "Detailed Daily Report" in the reporting screen and select **Display**, regardless of his or her "Display Reports" and "Print Reports" permission.

• Select **File** and then **Detailed Daily Report** from the login screen.

Perform End of Day determines whether or not the employee can:

- Select Manager, Tools, and then End of Day.
- Select **File** and then **End of Day** from the login screen.

View Historical Reports determines whether or not the employee can display or print reports beyond the "Viewable Report History," which is set up by following these steps.

- Select **Manager** from the login screen.
- Provide the requested credentials.
- Select Setup.
- Select **Setup Screen**.
- Select Reports.
- Modify the "Viewable Report History" field. Note that the unit of time is days.
- Select Update.

Setup

Company Info determines whether or not the employee can:

- Select Manager, Setup, and then Setup Screen.
- Select Manager, Setup, and then Friendly Printer Setup.

Tax Rates determines whether or not the employee can select Manager, Setup, and then Tax Rates.

Bonus Plan determines whether or not the employee can select Manager, Setup, and then Customer Loyalty.

Price Levels determines whether or not the employee can select Manager, Setup, and then Price Levels.

Display Settings determines whether or not the employee can select **Manager**, **Setup**, and then **Display Setup**.

Accounting Interface determines whether or not the employee can select Manager, Setup, and then Quick Books Sales Pass.

Touchscreen Config determines whether or not the employee can select **Manager**, **Setup**, and then **Touch Screen Configuration**.

Backup Database determines whether or not the employee has the credentials to back up the database by selecting **File, Database Maintenance**, and then **Backup Database** from the login screen.

Settle Credit Cards determines whether or not the employee can select **Settle** after selecting **Manager**, **Administrative**, and **Credit Card Settlements**.

Configure Receipt Notes determines whether or not the employee can select **Manager**, **Setup**, and then **General Invoice Notes**.

Add Employees determines whether or not the employee can select **Add Employee** or **Duplicate** in Employee Maintenance.

Modify Employees determines whether or not the employee can select Save Changes in Employee Maintenance.

Restaurant

Access Others Tables determines whether or not the employee can, after logging in, select a red table (one belonging to another server) and access that table.

Add CC Tips determines whether or not the employee can select Manager, Administrative, and then Credit Card Settlement.

Transfer Tables determines whether or not the employee can:

Select **EDITS** and then **Transfer\Combine** from the invoicing screen.

Select the "server mass transfer" hot button.

Split Checks determines whether or not the employee can select **EDITS** and then **SPLIT CHECK** from the invoicing screen.

Apply Gratuity – Edit determines whether or not the employee can select **EDITS** and then **APPLY GRATUITY** from the invoicing screen.

Open Tabs determines whether or not the employee can, in fine dining mode, select Quick Tab after logging in.

Take Out Orders determines whether or not the employee can, in fine dining mode, select Takeout after logging in.

Delivery Orders determines whether or not the employee can, in fine dining mode, select **Delivery** after logging in.

Comp Items – Edit determines whether or not the employee can select **EDITS** and then **COMP** from the invoicing screen.

Transfer Servers determines whether or not the employee can select **EDITS** and then **TRANSFER SERVER** from the invoicing screen.

Reprint Kitchen Printout determines whether or not the employee can select **EDITS** and then **RESEND TO KITCH** from the invoicing screen.

Handheld

Note that these permissions apply to employees who are using Pocket Inventory on a handheld device.

Create Purchase Orders determines whether or not the employee can select Purchase Orders and then Create PO.
Create DSD determines whether or not the employee can select Purchase Orders and then Create DSD.
Create DSD Credit determines whether or not the employee can select Purchase Orders and then Create DSD Credit.
Receive POs determines whether or not the employee can select Purchase Orders and then Receive PO.
Inventory Edit determines whether or not the employee can select Edit.
Inventory Adjust determines whether or not the employee can select Adjust.
Inventory Count determines whether or not the employee can select Count.
Setup determines whether or not the employee can select Menu and then Setup.