

Employee Access

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This page is a summary of the updates within the RDS Employee Access Module. For more detailed information, go to the RDS website and download the Employee Access Handout - Session 9

Global Settings: There are two new settings on this page. One setting applies to employee contracts (not to contract worksheets). When checked, any extra duties with codes 90000-99999 will be combined into one line on employee contracts. The other setting will decide the format in which Locations, Pay Classes, and Jobs are displayed in drop down lists throughout the software (Number or Description).

Email Users: This feature is available on pages that provide a list of employees from search results. When "email users..." is pressed, a pop-up window will appear. This pop-up window provides the ability to send custom email messages to employees. Only the employees listed in the page's search results will be sent a message.

Employee Activation Codes - Print Letters: You can now use this function to export to Excel one or more activation code letters for distribution to employees. Letters will be generated for all employees included in the search results, and only for enabled activation codes. Click the "Export to Excel" button to get an Excel spreadsheet. The Excel file can then be used in a mail merge to send activation codes to multiple employees.

Additional Features - Contract Worksheet Setup: This page provides the setup of the Contract Worksheet feature. This feature is used to allow employees to review, and optionally approve or decline, their current contract worksheet.

Additional Features - Contract Worksheets: This page provides a report of employee contract worksheets, including the status of the contract worksheet (approved, declined, or not reviewed by the employee).

Additional Features - Employee Contract Setup: This page provides the setup of the Employee Contract feature. This feature is used to allow employees to review, and optionally approve or decline, their current contract.

Additional Features - Submitted Employee Contracts: This page provides a report of employee contracts, including the status of the contract (approved, declined, not reviewed by the employee, or archived).

Additional Features - Email Paycheck Notification: This page provides the ability to inform employees of new pay information via email. You can view and modify a list of employees who will or will not receive email notification, send email notification, and view information from the last email notification sent. Normally this feature would be used after payroll has been generated and verified.

Additional Features - Email Log: This page provides a report of the email messages sent using Employee Access.

Custom Forms: This additional feature will help eliminate paper by creating custom forms that can integrate with your software modules. Any form you create, can be viewed, filled out, and stored online with the use of the RDS Custom Forms. Certain forms will be interactive with your live data. This process will simplify any process that currently requires a form to be filled out.

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The following is the detail of the updates within the RDS Employee Access Module.

Global Settings: There are two new options on this page.

This setting applies to employee contracts (not to contract worksheets). When checked, any extra duties with codes 90000-99999 will be combined into one line on employee contracts.

On employee contracts, combine extra duties with "90000" series codes into one line

In drop down lists, display Locations / Pay Classes / Jobs in order by

The format in which Locations, Pay Classes, and Jobs are displayed in drop down lists throughout the software. When "Number" is selected, the number (code) for each of these items is displayed before the description, and the items are listed in order of number. When "Description" is selected, the numbers (codes) are not shown, and the items are listed in order of description.

Be sure to click "Save Settings" when complete.

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Email Users:

The screenshot displays the 'Employee Access' interface. It is divided into three main sections: 'Search Settings', 'Batch Functions', and 'Print Letters'. The 'Search Settings' section includes fields for Location, Pay Class, Job, Status, Employee Number, Name, and Activation Code, along with an 'Include Employees' dropdown and a 'Sort By' dropdown. A 'Search >>' button is at the bottom. The 'Batch Functions' section has buttons for 'Add One Activation Code', 'Delete Unused Activation Codes', and 'Delete Expired Activation Codes'. The 'Print Letters' section has a 'Message Format' dropdown, a 'Which Code(s)?' dropdown, and a 'Print Address' checkbox. A pop-up window titled 'Search Settings' is overlaid on the main interface, showing the same search settings as the main window. In this pop-up, an 'email users...' button is visible next to the 'Search >>' button. Arrows point from the 'Search >>' button in the main window to the pop-up window, and from the 'email users...' button in the pop-up to the text below.

Once the "search" button has been pressed, a new button "email users..." will appear on any page that generates a list.

When "email users..." is pressed, a pop-up window will appear. This pop-up window provides the ability to send custom email messages to employees. Only the employees listed in the page's search results will be sent a message. This feature is available on pages that provide a list of employees.

Enter the following settings, then click "Release Messages". Click "Cancel" to close the popup window without sending messages. A log of any messages sent is available on the Email Log page.

Send Email Message

To send an email message to every person in the current search results, enter the following information and click "Release Messages".

The 'Send Email Message' pop-up window contains the following fields and controls:

- Email Address:** A dropdown menu with the option 'Use Employee Access Email' selected.
- Send Date/time (leave blank to send now):** A date field showing '3/4/2011', a time field showing '9:00', and an AM/PM selector.
- Message Subject:** A text field containing 'Thank you for using Employee Access'.
- Message Text:** A large text area containing the message 'We appreciate you making the transition to the web.'.
- Buttons:** 'release messages' and 'Cancel' buttons at the bottom.

Once the emails have been sent, you can view them on the email log page under additional features.

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Employee Activation Codes - Print Letters:

Use this function to print one or more activation codes in the form of letters for distribution to employees. Letters are generated in Acrobat (PDF) format. To print letters, enter some or all search settings, then click Search. Next, select print options, then click **"Print"**. Letters will be generated for all employees included in the search results, and only for enabled activation codes. You can also click the **"Export to Excel"** button to get an Excel spreadsheet displaying the Employee ID, Name, Activation Code, Location #, Class #, and Email Address (from the iSeries). The Excel file can then be used in a mail merge to send activation codes to multiple employees.

Search Settings	Batch Functions	Print Letters
<p>Search for one or more employees to manage their activation codes. Your search may include any or all of the information below.</p> <p>Location: <input type="text" value="Any location"/></p> <p>Pay Class: <input type="text" value="Any pay class"/></p> <p>Job: <input type="text" value="Any job"/></p> <p>Status: <input type="text" value="Any status"/></p> <p>Employee Number (all or part): <input type="text"/></p> <p>Name (last, first): <input type="text"/></p>	<p>For the selected location/pay class/status</p> <p>Add One Activation Code: <input type="button" value="Add"/></p> <p>Delete Unused Activation Codes: <input type="button" value="Delete"/></p> <p>Delete Expired Activation Codes: <input type="button" value="Delete"/></p> <p>Enable All Activation Codes: <input type="button" value="Enable"/></p> <p>Disable All Activation Codes: <input type="button" value="Disable"/></p>	<p>For the current search results</p> <p>Message Format: <input type="text" value="Message 2"/></p> <p>Which Code(s)?: <input type="text" value="All enabled codes"/></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Print Address</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Print Address on a separate page</p> <p>Letters will print for Enabled codes only.</p> <p><input type="button" value="Print"/> <input type="button" value="Export to Excel"/></p>

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Additional Features - Contract Worksheet Setup:

This page provides setup of the Contract Worksheet feature. This feature is used to allow employees to review, and optionally approve or decline, their current contract worksheet.

Setup parameters are saved in a **Configuration**. Configurations are used to organize and describe the list of employees that will be affected. For instance, you may create a configuration for Teachers, one for Administrators, etc. An unlimited number of configurations can be created. Each configuration has its own settings, and can be applied to any combination of Locations, Pay Classes, and/or Jobs.

To create a new configuration, select "New configuration". Enter the settings described below, and click Save. To modify an existing configuration, select the configuration from the list, enter settings, and click Save. To delete a configuration, select the configuration from the list, and click Delete.

RDS employee access > contract worksheet setup

Configuration New configuration

Config Name Save

Start Date End Date Save

Type Codes (one or more one-letter contract type codes, separated by commas)

Enable Worksheet Approval

Message

Location(s)

Pay Class(es)

Job(s)

The **Config Name** is the name of the configuration. It is only displayed on this page. The name should describe the employees who will be affected by this configuration.

The **Start Date** and **End Date** are the beginning and ending dates during which employees will be able to view their contract worksheet. During this time period, employees will see a link labeled "REVIEW CONTRACT WORKSHEET" under their name on the left side of their Employee Access home page. This link displays the Contract Worksheet page. In order to turn off the Contract Worksheet feature, select a date range that does not include today's date.

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Additional Features - Contract Worksheet Setup (Continued):

When **Enable Contract Approval** is checked, employees will be presented with links to approve or decline all or part of their contract worksheet when they view their Contract Worksheet page.

The **Message** will be displayed to employees at the top of the Contract Worksheet page. Valid HTML tags can be included.

The **Type Code** is the one-letter iSeries contract type codes to be included in this configuration. Only contracts of this type will be displayed to employees. If you enter more than one type code, separate each one with a comma (,).

RDS employee access > contract worksheet setup

Configuration: Everyone Worksheet

Config Name: Everyone Worksheet [Save] [Delete]

Start Date: 01/01/2011 End Date: 02/28/2011

Type Codes: R, A, T (one or more one-letter contract type codes, separated by commas)

Enable Worksheet Approval

Message: Please review your contract worksheet.

Location(s): 1 EISENHOWER, 2 LAKE STREET, 3 MACARTHUR, 4 SOLON ROBINSON, 5 TIMOTHY BALL, 6 WINFIELD, 7 TAFT MIDDLE SCHOOL, 8 CROWN POINT HIGH SCHOOL, 9 JERRY ROSS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, 10 CENTRAL OFFICE

Pay Class(es): 1 PRE-2008 CERT ADMINISTRATORS, 3 PRE-2008 NON-CERTIFIED ADMIN, 4 TEACHER SUMMER SCHOOL CONTRACT, 5 24 PAY TEACHERS, 6 24 PAY TEACH AFT 8-20-02, 7 23 PAY TEACHERS, 8 TEACH LEAVE/W/BENEFITS, 9 TEACHER SUBS, 10 FT REMEDIATION TEACHER (TEMP), 11 EMERGENCY TEACHER SUBS

Job(s): 1 SUB-CALLER CLERK/TRANS SECT, 2 SUBSTITUTE TEACHER W/PENSION, 3 SUBSTITUTE TEACHER WO/PENSION, 4 BUILDING SECRETARY, 5 FACILITATOR, 6 BUS DRIVER, 7 VAN DRIVER, 8 FULL TIME NURSES, 9 PART TIME NURSES, 10 INSTRUCTIONAL AIDES

Employees at the selected **Location(s)** will have this configuration applied to them. Select one or more Locations using Shift+Click or Control+Click. Deselect an item using Ctrl+Click. You can select more than one Location, Pay Class, or Job. The configuration applies only to employees matching all three items. At the minimum, you must select one Location, Pay Class, or Job for each configuration.

Employees in the selected **Pay Class(es)** will have this configuration applied to them. Select one or more Pay Classes using Shift+Click or Control+Click. Deselect an item using Ctrl+Click. You can select more than one Location, Pay Class, or Job. The configuration applies only to employees matching all three items. At the minimum, you must select one Location, Pay Class, or Job for each configuration.

Employees with the selected **Job(s)** will have this configuration applied to them. Select one or more Jobs using Shift+Click or Control+Click. Deselect an item using Ctrl+Click. You can select more than one Location, Pay Class, or Job. The configuration applies only to employees matching all three items. At the minimum, you must select one Location, Pay Class, or Job for each configuration.

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Additional Features - Contract Worksheets:

This page provides a report of employee contract worksheets, including the status of the contract worksheet (approved, declined, or not reviewed by the employee).

Enter report settings, and then click View Report. After the report is generated, click Printable Version to view an Acrobat (PDF) version of the report; click Excel version to view an Excel (XLS) version of the report.

This report displays contracts that exist in the iSeries table specified on the Global Settings page. Employees without contracts are not included in this report. Contracts are listed separately when an employee has more than one contract, or has extra duty contracts.

There are several options to limit your search. Such as the **Location** (pay location of employees), the **Pay Class, Job, Status** (All Contract Worksheets, Approved Contract Worksheets, Declined Contract Worksheets, or Contract Worksheets Not Reviewed (neither approved nor declined)), **Employee Number, Name** (The name of the employee, starting with the last name. You can enter part of a name; for instance, searching for "John" will list employees with the last name "John" or the last name "Johnson." This field is not case-sensitive.), or **Contract Type** (The one-letter contract type is displayed at the beginning of each contract type.).

ID	Name	Contract Date	Code	Contract Type	Status	
		8/17/10 - 6/02/11	E 3188	Elementary Evening Music Prog	APPROVED 06/22/09	clear
		8/17/10 - 6/02/11	R 1	Regular Teacher	APPROVED 06/19/09	clear
		8/17/10 - 6/02/11	D 1	Teacher Leader	NOT REVIEWED	
		8/17/10 - 6/02/11	E 2226	MS Health Department Chair	NOT REVIEWED	
		8/17/10 - 6/02/11	R 1	Regular Teacher	NOT REVIEWED	
		8/19/10 - 6/01/11	B 1	Bus/Van Driver Contract	DECLINED 06/22/09	clear
				<i>I need an additional adult to be on the bus with me to monitor the students. Can this be added as an addendum to my contract?</i>		
		7/01/10 - 6/30/12	A 9	High School Athletic Director	NOT REVIEWED	

The color-coded **status** of the contract worksheet; can be Approved, Declined, or Not Reviewed (neither approved nor declined by the employee). If the status is Declined, a note typed by the employee will appear on a second line for this contract.

Contracts that have been approved or declined have a "clear" link. Click this link to reset the status of the contract worksheet to "Not Reviewed," and delete any notes typed by employees. This can be used after a contract has been changed, and requires a second approval by the employee.

Click "email users..." to open a popup window that will provide the ability to send custom email messages to employees. Only the employees listed in the page's search results will be sent a message.

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Additional Features - Employee Contract Setup:

This page provides setup of the Employee Contract feature. This feature is used to allow employees to review, and optionally approve or decline, their current contract.

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To create a new configuration, select "New configuration". Enter the settings described below, and click Save. To modify an existing configuration, select the configuration from the list, enter settings, and click Save. To delete a configuration, select the configuration from the list, and click Delete.

RDS employee access > employee contract setup

Configuration New configuration ▾

Config Name Save

Start Date End Date

Contract Form (none) ▾

Type Codes (one or more one-letter contract type codes, separated by commas)

Message

Location(s) 1 EISENHOWER
2 LAKE STREET
3 MACARTHUR
4 SOLON ROBINSON
5 TIMOTHY BALL
6 WINFIELD
7 TAFT MIDDLE SCHOOL
8 CROWN POINT HIGH SCHOOL
9 JERRY ROSS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
10 CENTRAL OFFICE ▾

Pay Class(es) 1 PRE-2008 CERT ADMINISTRATORS
2 PRE-2008 NON-CERTIFIED ADMIN
3 TEACHER SUMMER SCHOOL CONTRACT
4 24 PAY TEACHERS
5 24 PAY TEACHERS
6 24 PAY TEACH AFT 8-20-02
7 23 PAY TEACHERS
8 TEACH LEAVE/BENEFITS
9 TEACHER SUBS
10 PT REMEDIATION TEACHER (TEMP)
11 EMERGENCY TEACHER SUBS ▾

Job(s) 1 SUB-CALLER CLERK/TRANS SECT
2 SUBSTITUTE TEACHER W/PENSION
3 SUBSTITUTE TEACHER W/O PENSION
4 BUILDING SECRETARY
5 FACILITATOR
6 BUS DRIVER
7 VAN DRIVER
8 FULL TIME NURSES
9 PART TIME NURSES
10 INSTRUCTIONAL AIDES ▾

The **Config Name** is the name of the configuration. It is only displayed on this page. The name should describe the employees who will be affected by this configuration.

The **Start Date** and **End Date** are the beginning and ending dates during which employees will be able to view their contract. During this time period, employees will see a link labeled "REVIEW CONTRACT" under their name on the left side of their Employee Access home page. This link displays the Employee Contract page. In order to turn off the Employee Contract feature, select a date range that does not include today's date.

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Additional Features - Employee Contract Setup (Continued):

The **Contract Form** is a list of contracts from RDS Forms Builder database. Contact RDS if you need an additional form created. You must select a form from this list in order to save settings.

The **Type Code** is the one-letter iSeries contract type code to be included in this configuration. Only contracts of this type will be displayed to employees. If you enter more than one type code, separate each one with a comma (,).

This is the **message** that will be displayed to employees at the top of the Employee Contract page. Valid HTML tags can be included.

The screenshot shows the 'RDS employee access > employee contract setup' configuration page. It includes a 'Configuration' section with a 'New configuration' dropdown. The form contains the following fields and options:

- Config Name:** A text input field with a 'Save' button to its right.
- Start Date:** A date picker.
- End Date:** A date picker.
- Contract Form:** A dropdown menu currently set to '(none)'. An arrow points to this field from the text above.
- Type Codes:** A text input field with a placeholder '(one or more one-letter contract type codes, separated by commas)'. An arrow points to this field from the text above.
- Message:** A large text area for entering a message. An arrow points to this area from the text above.
- Location(s):** A dropdown menu with 10 options: 1 EISENHOWER, 2 LAKE STREET, 3 MACARTHUR, 4 SOLON ROBINSON, 5 TIMOTHY BALL, 6 WINFIELD, 7 TAFT MIDDLE SCHOOL, 8 CROWN POINT HIGH SCHOOL, 9 JERRY ROSS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, 10 CENTRAL OFFICE. An arrow points to this dropdown from the text below.
- Pay Class(es):** A dropdown menu with 11 options: 1 PRE-2008 CERT ADMINISTRATORS, 2 PRE-2008 NON-CERTIFIED ADMIN, 3 TEACHER SUMMER SCHOOL CONTRACT, 4 24 PAY TEACHERS, 5 24 PAY TEACH AFT 8-20-02, 6 23 PAY TEACHERS, 7 TEACH LEAVE/BENEFITS, 8 TEACHER SUBS, 9 FT REMEDIATION TEACHER (TEMP), 11 EMERGENCY TEACHER SUBS. An arrow points to this dropdown from the text below.
- Job(s):** A dropdown menu with 10 options: 1 SUB-CALLER CLERK/TRANS SECT, 2 SUBSTITUTE TEACHER W/PENSION, 3 SUBSTITUTE TEACHER W/OPENING, 4 BUILDING SECRETARY, 5 FACILITATOR, 6 BUS DRIVER, 7 VAN DRIVER, 8 FULL TIME NURSES, 9 PART TIME NURSES, 10 INSTRUCTIONAL AIDES. An arrow points to this dropdown from the text below.

Employees at the selected **Location(s)** will have this configuration applied to them. Select one or more Locations using Shift+Click or Control+Click. Deselect an item using Ctrl+Click. You can select more than one Location, Pay Class, or Job. The configuration applies only to employees matching all three items. At the minimum, you must select one Location, Pay Class, or Job for each configuration.

Employees in the selected **Pay Class(es)** will have this configuration applied to them. Select one or more Pay Classes using Shift+Click or Control+Click. Deselect an item using Ctrl+Click. You can select more than one Location, Pay Class, or Job. The configuration applies only to employees matching all three items. At the minimum, you must select one Location, Pay Class, or Job for each configuration.

Employees with the selected **Job(s)** will have this configuration applied to them. Select one or more Jobs using Shift+Click or Control+Click. Deselect an item using Ctrl+Click. You can select more than one Location, Pay Class, or Job. The configuration applies only to employees matching all three items. At the minimum, you must select one Location, Pay Class, or Job for each configuration.

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Additional Features - Submitted Employee Contracts:

This page provides a report of employee contracts, including the status of the contract (approved, declined, not reviewed by the employee, or archived).

Enter report settings, and then click View Report.

After the report is generated, click Printable Version to view an Acrobat (PDF) version of the report; click Excel version to view an Excel (XLS) version of the report. (The Excel version can only be viewed if your computer has software capable of opening Excel files.)

This report displays contracts that exist in the iSeries table specified on the Global Settings page. Employees without contracts are not included in this report. Contracts are listed separately when an employee has more than one contract, or has extra duty contracts.

RDS employee access > submitted employee contracts

View contract information for

Location: Any location Employee Number: [] Archive All

Pay Class: Any pay class Name (last, first): []

Job: Any job Configuration: Any configuration

Status: All Contracts

View Report email users...

Printable Version Excel Version

388 contract(s) four

Employee ID	Name	Contract Type	Approve/Decline Date	Status
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Assist to Middle Sch Principal		NOT REVIEWED
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Regular Teacher		NOT REVIEWED
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Regular Teacher	02/02/2011 10:49:16	ARCHIVED view form
1	DOE0000001, JOHN	Regular Teacher	02/02/2011 10:35:58	ARCHIVED view form
22	DOE0000013, JOHN	Regular Teacher		NOT REVIEWED
23	DOE0000014, JOHN	Regular Teacher	02/03/2011 15:31:15	DECLINED view form
26	DOE0000017, JOHN	Regular Teacher	02/03/2011 15:27:12	APPROVED view form clear archive

You forgot my extra duty for detention.

Employee ID number, Employee Name, and Contract Type are all displayed.

The **Approve/Decline Date** will display the date and time the employee approved or declined the contract. This will be blank if the contract was not reviewed by the employee. The original approve/decline date will still display for archived contracts.

The color-coded **Status** of the contract; can be Approved, Declined, Not Reviewed (neither approved nor declined by the employee), or Archived (approved by the employee but still available to be viewed). If the status is Declined, a note typed by the employee will appear on a second line for this contract.

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Additional Features - Submitted Employee Contracts (Continued):

Click the **view form** link to view a PDF copy of the employee's contract

Contracts that have been approved or declined have a **clear** link. Click this link to reset the status of the contract to "Not Reviewed," and delete any notes typed by employees. This can be used after a contract has been declined, then changed, and requires a second approval by the employee; it can also be used during testing.

The screenshot shows the RDS employee access interface for submitted employee contracts. At the top, there is a navigation bar with the text "RDS employee access > submitted employee contracts". Below this is a search section titled "View contract information for" with several filters: Location (Any location), Pay Class (Any pay class), Job (Any job), Status (All Contracts), Employee Number, Name (last, first), and Configuration (Any configuration). There are buttons for "View Report" and "email users...". An "Archive All" button is visible on the right. Below the search filters, it says "388 contract(s) found." and there are links for "Printable Version" and "Excel Version". A table of contracts is displayed with columns: Employee ID, Name, Contract Type, Approve/Decline Date, Status, and Action links. The table contains 7 rows of data. The first row has status "NOT REVIEWED". The second row has status "NOT REVIEWED". The third row has status "ARCHIVED" and a "view form" link. The fourth row has status "ARCHIVED" and a "view form" link. The fifth row has status "NOT REVIEWED". The sixth row has status "DECLINED" and a "view form" link, with a note "You forgot my extra duty for detention." below it. The seventh row has status "APPROVED" and links for "view form", "clear", and "archive".

Employee ID	Name	Contract Type	Approve/Decline Date	Status	Action
5099	ADAMS, DONNA L	Assist to Middle Sch Principal		NOT REVIEWED	
5099	ADAMS, DONNA L	Regular Teacher		NOT REVIEWED	
5101	ALLISS, AMANDA M	Regular Teacher	02/02/2011 10:49:16	ARCHIVED	view form
1	DOE0000001, JOHN	Regular Teacher	02/02/2011 10:35:58	ARCHIVED	view form
22	DOE0000013, JOHN	Regular Teacher		NOT REVIEWED	
23	DOE0000014, JOHN	Regular Teacher	02/03/2011 15:31:15	DECLINED	view form
26	DOE0000017, JOHN	Regular Teacher	02/03/2011 15:27:12	APPROVED	view form clear archive

Contracts that have been approved have an **archive** link. Click this link to set the status of the contract to "Archived". Archived contracts can be viewed but can no longer be approved or declined. Use this feature when the employee has a new contract, but you would like to save the current contract to be viewed at a later time.

The **Archive All** button appears when the search results contain one or more "approved" contracts. Click this button to set the status of all "approved" contracts to "archived". Only contracts in the current search results will be affected.

Click **"email users..."** to open a popup window that will provide the ability to send custom email messages to employees. Only the employees listed in the page's search results will be sent a message.

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Additional Features - Email Paycheck Notification (Continued):

Check or uncheck the check box to override the "Send?" status. Check boxes that have been overridden will have an OVERRIDE indicator; employees without an email address will have a NO ADDRESS indicator, and a grayed-out check box. NOTE: The OVERRIDE indicator will not appear after you click a check box; you must click "Refresh List" first.

Last notification CHECK DATE: 02/06/11 RELEASED: 01/21/2011 12:10:00 SENT: 01/21/2011 12:10:00 USER: rds MESSAGES SENT: 2 ERRORS: 0
BEFORE RELEASING EMAILS, BE SURE TO SET THE CUTOFF DATE TO INCLUDE THE CHECK DATES YOU WANT TO BE VIEWABLE BY EMPLOYEES..

Pending Email Notification (5 record(s) found)							Send date/time (leave blank to send now)	release messages
Email Address	Use Employee Access Email	Sort	Check Date	Check Date	02/06/11	refresh list		
Check Date	Check No	Emp No	Employee Name	User	Email	Send?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
02/06/11	1247	██████	DOE0000749, JOHN	Abbott, Joyce A	patti@regionaldata.com	<input type="checkbox"/>		
02/06/11	1247	██████	DOE0000749, JOHN	Vasaitis, Jenna	jenna@regionaldata.com	<input type="checkbox"/>		
02/06/11	1250	██████	DOE0001127, JOHN	Kapitan, Andy	andy@regionaldata.com	<input type="checkbox"/>	OVERRIDE	
02/06/11	1009	██████	DOE0002079, JOHN	Kapitan, Andy	andy@regionaldata.com	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
02/06/11	1281	██████	DOE0002278, JOHN	████████████████████	jenna@regionaldata.com	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
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When you have reviewed the list of employee access accounts, and have overridden email settings, you can release email messages to the email queue. **ONCE MESSAGES ARE RELEASED TO THE QUEUE, YOU CANNOT PREVENT THEM FROM BEING SENT.**

To send email messages immediately, click "Release Messages".

To schedule messages to be sent at a future time, select a "Send date/time" using the calendar and drop down boxes, then click "Release Messages." Email notification will only be processed for messages in the view.

After the "release messages" button has been clicked, there will be no email notification listed until the next payroll is generated. Payroll records on the iSeries for the most recent payroll will be updated with a status of S (email notification has been sent), N (notification was not sent due to a missing email address), D (email notification was declined by the employee), or M (notification was manually declined by an admin user clearing the employee's "Send?" checkbox).

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Additional Features - Email Log:

This page provides a report of the email messages sent using Employee Access.

Enter some or all of the report settings, then click View Report. After the report is generated, click the "Details..." button next to a message to view the following: the text of the email message; a list of email addresses to which the message was sent; and any errors that occurred when the message was sent.

The **"Date Added"** is the date range during which messages were released. Type dates, or click a "... " button to select a date from a popup calendar.

The **"Send Date"** is the date range during which messages were scheduled to be sent. Type dates, or click a "... " button to select a date from a popup calendar.

The **"Message Subject"** is the subject of messages to be included in the report. This field is not case sensitive, and can include only part of a subject. For example, entering "Thank" will include messages with the subjects "Thank" and "Thank you".

Date Added	Send Date	Subject	Recipients
03/03/2011 16:16:00	03/03/2011 16:16:00	yeeeeeehawwwwwwwww	4
03/03/2011 16:12:00	03/03/2011 16:12:00	Yooohooooo	1
03/03/2011 15:14:00	03/03/2011 15:14:00	Test from contract page	4
03/03/2011 11:58:00	03/03/2011 11:58:00	TestMessage	1

The **"Date Added"** is the date and time the message was added; specifically, the date and time the user clicked the "Release Messages" button.

The **"Send Date"** is the date the message was scheduled to be sent. If no send date was selected at the time the message was created, this date would be the same as Date Added.

The **"Subject"** is the subject line of the message.

The **"Recipients"** column displays the number of recipients selected to receive the message.

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Additional Features - Email Log (Continued):

View Email Message Log

Date Added: ... through ...

Send Date: ... through ...

Message Subject:

34 message(s) found.

Date Added	Send Date	Subject	Recipients	
03/03/2011 16:16:00	03/03/2011 16:16:00	yeeeeeehawwwwwwwww	4	<input type="button" value="details..."/>
03/03/2011 16:12:00	03/03/2011 16:12:00	Yooohooooo	1	<input type="button" value="details..."/>
03/03/2011 15:14:00	03/03/2011 15:14:00	Test from contract page	4	<input type="button" value="details..."/>
03/03/2011 11:58:00	03/03/2011 11:58:00	Test Message	1	<input type="button" value="details..."/>

Click the "details" button to see the Email Message Details.

Email Message Details

Date Added 03/03/2011 16:16:00

Send Date 03/03/2011 16:16:00

Subject yeeeeeehawwwwwwwww

Message Text Thanks for using employee access

Date Sent	Email Address	Error Message
03/03/2011 16:20:32	jenna@regionaldata.com	no errors
03/03/2011 16:20:32	jenna@regionaldata.com	no errors
03/03/2011 16:20:33	jenna@regionaldata.com	no errors
03/03/2011 16:20:35	jenna@regionaldata.com	no errors

The "Date Added" is the date and time the message was added; specifically, the date and time the user clicked the "Release Messages" button.

The "Send Date" is the date the message was scheduled to be sent. If no send date was selected at the time the message was created, this date would be the same as Date Added.

The "Subject" is the subject line of the message.

The "Message Text" is the full text of the email message.

The "Date Sent" is the date and time the message was actually sent to the recipient. This can be blank if the Send Date is in the future.

The "Email Address" is the recipient's email address.

The "Error Message" displays any error message encountered when the message was sent.

Purging Log Entries - By default, log entries on this page are never deleted. The RDS email system can be configured to automatically purge log entries after a period of time. Contact RDS to configure this option.

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Custom Forms:

Helps you eliminate paper by creating custom forms that can integrate with your software modules. Any form you create, can be viewed, filled out, and stored online with the use of the RDS Custom Forms. Certain forms will be interactive with your live data. This process will simplify any process that currently requires a form to be filled out.

For example, employees can enter their leave requests via their Employee Access account. Give your HR department a hand by allowing new hire forms to be filled out online.

Features:

- Allows employees/students/parents to fill out forms via Employee Access/Parent Access, etc
- User will be notified that there is a form to fill out upon login
- View usage by unique users by date
- Administrators can review who has/hasn't filled out particular forms

Admin/Teacher/HR Advantages:

- Reduces printed paper, storage of forms and time spent filing
- Links any forms associated to an employee/student for easy lookup
- Reads data directly from existing iSeries payroll, personnel, contract, & student management system eliminating any data exporting
- All data is stored securely on the customer's existing iSeries & SQL Database
- Employees/students/parents can use existing logins to access new forms
- Forms are customizable by site
- Intuitive interface requires little or no training for employees
- Teachers and other Student Management staff can review stored forms in a secure environment

Employee/Student/Parent Advantages:

- 24-hour access to fill out forms
- View all forms in a centralized location (within each module)
- No need to contact a department to make personnel changes because employees can submit the change online
- PDF versions of all documents which can be printed, saved, or emailed

The image displays a collection of forms used in an HR system. On the left is the 'PERF Membership Record' form, which includes fields for member name, address, and contact information. In the center is the 'Form W-4 (2011)', a federal tax form for withholding allowances, with sections for personal information and a list of allowances. On the right is the 'Employee's Withholding Allowance Certificate (2011)', which includes a 'MEDICAL INFORMATION' section with checkboxes for allergies and asthma, and a section for 'Allergies' with checkboxes for active and allergic reactions. The forms are presented as a collage, showing their layout and content.