Redmine - Feature #9121

New statuses not available for use

2011-08-25 06:51 - Yehuda Katz

Status:	New		**Start date:**	2011-08-25
Priority:	Normal		**Due date:**	
Assignee:			**% Done:**	0%
Category:	Issues workflow		**Estimated time:**	0.00 hour
Target version:				
Resolution:				

Description

This issue is mentioned in the **FAQ** along with the way to fix it.
The trouble is: We have 7 roles, 6 trackers and 9 statuses and updating each one when we added each new status was a major pain. We are talking about adding another status, but we are not doing it because the process to have it work is too long and complicated.

After all that background: the feature we would like to see is some way to easily add a new issue status to all roles at once. We can go back later and remove it from the ones who should not have it.

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About your application's environment
Ruby version              1.8.7 (i386-mingw32)
RubyGems version          1.7.2
Rack version              1.1.2
Rails version             2.3.11
Active Record version     2.3.11
Active Resource version   2.3.11
Action Mailer version     2.3.11
Active Support version    2.3.11
Edge Rails revision       unknown
Application root          c:/Web/redmine
Environment               production
Database adapter          mysql
Database schema version   20110511000000


About your Redmine plugins
Redmine Doodles plugin          0.5.1
Redmine Light Box plugin        0.0.1
Redmine Attach Screenshot plugin   0.0.4
Redmine ChangeAuthor plugin     0.0.2
CAS Authentication              0.0.3
Redmine Whining plugin          0.0.4
Redmine Time Tracker plugin     0.4
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Related issues:

Has duplicate Redmine - Feature #9226: Add new issue status to all workflows ...	**New**	**2011-09-11**

History

#1 - 2011-08-31 08:23 - Jean-Baptiste Barth

My personal opinion is: "if it's too long and complicated, then you probably don't really *need* this new issue status".

Anyway, if you want such a feature to be included in a future release, you could help us specify how it could work, it would save developers a lot of time: think about what it could be, what links or buttons or options we should have, how it should behave in standard cases, edge cases, etc. If you have some ideas about the design, build a mock (balsamiq is perfect for that for instance).

#2 - 2011-09-04 22:52 - Yehuda Katz

I can't comment on the number of issue statuses other than to say it is sometimes best to let management do what they want.
I will see if I can mock up something in the next few days.

#3 - 2011-09-12 09:07 - Etienne Massip

See #9226 for patch.

#4 - 2011-09-12 17:39 - Yehuda Katz

I will try out that patch...

#5 - 2011-09-13 09:46 - Jan from Planio www.plan.io

Looking forward to your feedback.

#6 - 2011-09-21 03:19 - Yehuda Katz

The patch works for me.
My only comment is that it appears that the built-in workflows leave the diagonal line of status->itself unchecked. Not sure if that really matters.

#7 - 2011-09-21 10:39 - Jan from Planio www.plan.io

Somebody please close this issue. Discussion and patch solving it are in [#9226](#9226)

#8 - 2011-09-21 11:03 - Etienne Massip

Actually we use to close duplicates, not duplicated, that's why I let it open.
And I don't close duplicate [#9226](#9226) because of the patch.

#9 - 2011-09-21 11:11 - Jan from Planio www.plan.io

okay - sorry about that. I'll keep it in mind for next time.