Release Notes - Enterprise Keyboard v1.6

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Introduction

Thank you for selecting Zebra Technologies Corp as your mobility solution tool provider. Enterprise Keyboard is designed to provide the most productive means possible of inputting data into Zebra devices. Building on the stock Android keyboard, Enterprise Keyboard adds programmable keys, switches quickly between languages and key layouts, and has the ability to scan data directly into an application.

Enterprise Keyboard also makes use of Android's Personal dictionary for spelling suggestions and corrections, permitting customers and partners to populate the device with industry-specific terms to help improve the speed and accuracy of keyboard input. A Personal dictionary can be populated and mass-deployed through Zebra's Mobility Extensions (MX).

For Enterprise Keyboard documentation and discussions, please visit the Techdocs web site at:

http://techdocs.zebra.com/enterprise-keyboard

For information on Zebra products, please visit the Products Web site at: https://www.zebra.com/gb/en/products.html

Description

1. Tab configuration.
2. Navigation.

Tab configuration

- To access, Launch EKB -> Preferences -> Tab configuration.
- A user (or administrator) can now enable or disable any key-layout tab (numeric, alphanumeric, symbol, scan). For Example, disabling the symbol tab hides the symbol-key layout tab and prevents navigation to that layout.
- At least one tab must be enabled at all times. EKB will not permit all tabs to be disabled.
- One tab can be selected as the default, to appear when EKB is launched (default tab must be enabled).

Navigation

- To access, Launch EKB -> Preferences -> Navigation.
- Two options are presented: Tabs (Tab-based navigation) and Keys (Key-based navigation).

1. **Tab-based Navigation**

    - Only tabs can be used to switch between key layouts. Key-based navigation is disabled (as in earlier releases).

2. **Key-based Navigation**

    - Allows keys to be used to switch between key layouts. These special keys are usually in the lower-left cover of the layout.

Device Compatibility

Please refer to the online user guide http://techdocs.zebra.com/enterprise-keyboard/1-6/download/ for device and operating system compatibility.

Installation

- Connect the Zebra Android device to the PC.
- Copy EnterpriseKeyboard_v1.6.0.0.apk to SDCard on device.
- Tap the .apk to install.
- Set Enterprise Keyboard as the default input device. Details: http://techdocs.zebra.com/enterprise-keyboard/1-6/guide/setup/#manualactivation
- Enterprise Keyboard also can be installed remotely using StageNow, EMDK or a compatible MDM. For details, please refer to the Enterprise Keyboard User Guide http://techdocs.zebra.com/enterprise-keyboard/

Usage Notes

- Tab configuration and Navigation options require MX 7.1.0.4 or higher.

Known Issues

- Autocapitalization doesn't work if you navigate away from the alpha keyboard prior to typing.
- Keyboard popups disappear entirely if you swipe to symbols and back to alpha.
- The current keyboard layout (non QWERTY) does not persist when moving from portrait to landscape (or vice versa). The keyboard always returns to the QWERTY layout after a screen rotation event.

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