New Monthly Repeating Rule : each last working day

Posted by SYS83 - 2010/06/30 03:31

I tried to create an event which is repeated each last working day of month, but I wasn't able to do that.
I only found your rule "Last Day of Month", but that is not fitting correctly.

In Germany, working days are from monday to friday (some firms have saturday or sunday for last working day).
It would be nice if there would be a rule, which calculates the date that way:

1) Get last Date of Month
2) Checking: Is that date a working day? Yes: return that date
2) No: return date of last {insert last working day-name here} before that date

Examples for working days monday to friday:
2010-06-30 (Wednesday)
2010-07-30 (Friday)
2010-08-31 (Tuesday)
2011-02-28 (Monday)

Examples for working days monday to saturday:
2010-06-30 (Wednesday)
2010-07-31 (Saturday)
2010-08-31 (Tuesday)
2011-02-28 (Monday)

For the cause "last working day is sunday", you can use your rule "Last Day of Month"

Is it possible to add such rule? Maybe it is necessary to add an option in the settings to store the last working day (and default value would be friday)?

Greetings,

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Re: New Monthly Repeating Rule : each last working day

Posted by Rainy - 2010/07/05 02:20

At least in theory that should be possible (assuming that the iCalendar standard supports such recurrence pattern).
However I would have to figure out some way to implement the support also for the 3rd party calendars (Outlook, Google, RTM) so adding new ways for the events to reoccur is not a trivial task.

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