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Re: FCP-3 SPC-3 return check condition when FCP DL too small

When an FCP data transfer is cut short due to incorrect setting of FCP_DL, the application client often is not informed of the error.

To solve this problem, I propose the following changes to FCP-3 and SPC-3.

Changes to FCP-3

In clause 9.3.2, replace the first paragraph, last sentence:

The command is completed normally except that data beyond the FCP_DL count shall not be transferred and that the appropriate overrun condition is presented (see 9.4.7).

With the following text:

The command shall return Check Condition with a sense key of ILLEGAL REQUEST and an ASC/ASCQ of DATA TRANFER PROHIBITED BY TRANSPORT LAYER. Data beyond the FCP_DL count shall not be transferred and the appropriate overrun condition shall be presented (see 9.4.7).

Changes to SPC-3

Add a new ASC/ASCQ for DATA TRANFER PROHIBITED BY TRANSPORT LAYER.