# pfSense Packages - Feature #6785

# Allow setting of suricata's meta-field-limt libhtp parameter

09/13/2016 03:30 PM - Orion Poplawski

Status: Resolved Start date: 09/13/2016 **Priority:** Due date: Low Assignee: % Done: 0% **Estimated time:** Category: Suricata 0.00 hour Target version: **Plus Target Version:** 

### **Description**

# meta-field-limit: Hard size limit for request and response size
limits. Applies to request line and headers,
response line and headers. Does not apply to
request or response bodies. Default is 18k.
If this limit is reached an event is raised.

The default setting was triggering "SURICATA HTTP request field too long" alerts (apparently changed to "SURICATA HTTP request buffer too long" in suricata 3.1.2). I was able to change this manually by editing /usr/local/pkg/suricata/suricata\_yaml\_template.inc and adding it directly:

```
# Configure libhtp.
libhtp:
    default-config:
          {$http_hosts_default_policy}
          meta-field-limit: 30000
```

### History

#### #1 - 09/25/2019 02:40 PM - Bill Meeks

This issue can be closed as RESOLVED. The requested change has been added to the Suricata GUI package in this pull request: <a href="https://github.com/pfsense/FreeBSD-ports/pull/677">https://github.com/pfsense/FreeBSD-ports/pull/677</a>.

### #2 - 09/25/2019 02:42 PM - Jim Pingle

- Status changed from New to Resolved

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