



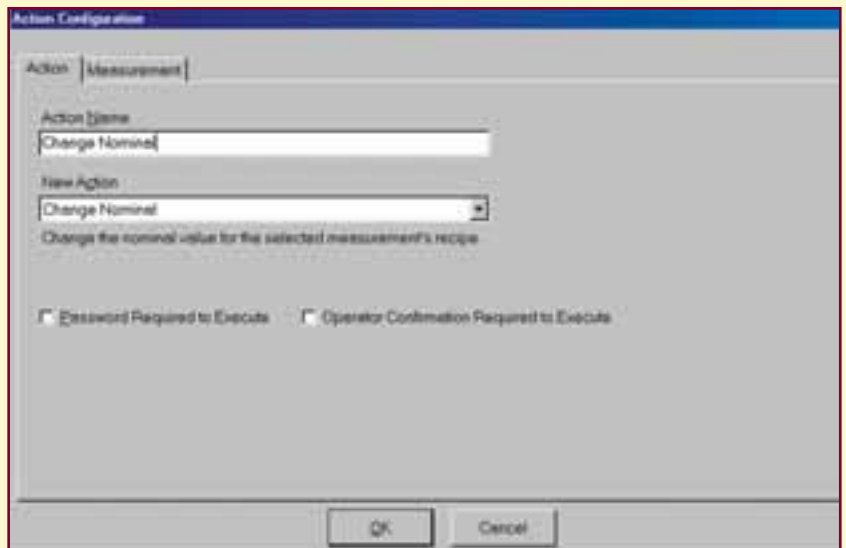
## Tips & Tricks

### *Placing a Change Nominal button for a measurement on the Total Vu Software desktop*

Total Vu Software provides many shortcuts for accessing and changing parameters. If you have limited an operator's access to recipes by checking the box for Hide Recipe Management Buttons, but would like to allow the operator to change the nominal value if necessary, you can add a button to the Total Vu Software desktop.

To get started:

- Open Total Vu Software.
- Go to the Configure drop-down menu.
- Select Full Configuration.  
You will see a screen with various control panel icons.
- Double-click the Actions icon to open the Actions configuration panel.  
In the window you will see an icon for Add Action and any previously-defined actions. (The Action Configuration panel is shown below.)  
You will see an edit box for Action Name and a dropdown list for New Action; beneath these are checkboxes for Password Required to Execute and Operator Confirmation Required to Execute.
  - From the dropdown list, choose Change Nominal.  
The Measurements tab will appear.
  - In the Action Name box, enter a name.  
The name can be the same as the name of the action you chose (in this case Change Nominal), or the name can be something specific for the product involved, such as Change Nominal-4mm Hose.
- If you want to require password protection or operator confirmation, check the box(es).
- Select the Measurement tab.
  - Choose the measurement to which you will apply the action.
  - Click OK.
  - Close the Actions panel.
- Next, open the Display icon.  
The Display Configuration panel will open.  
There are three tabs: Buttons, Options,



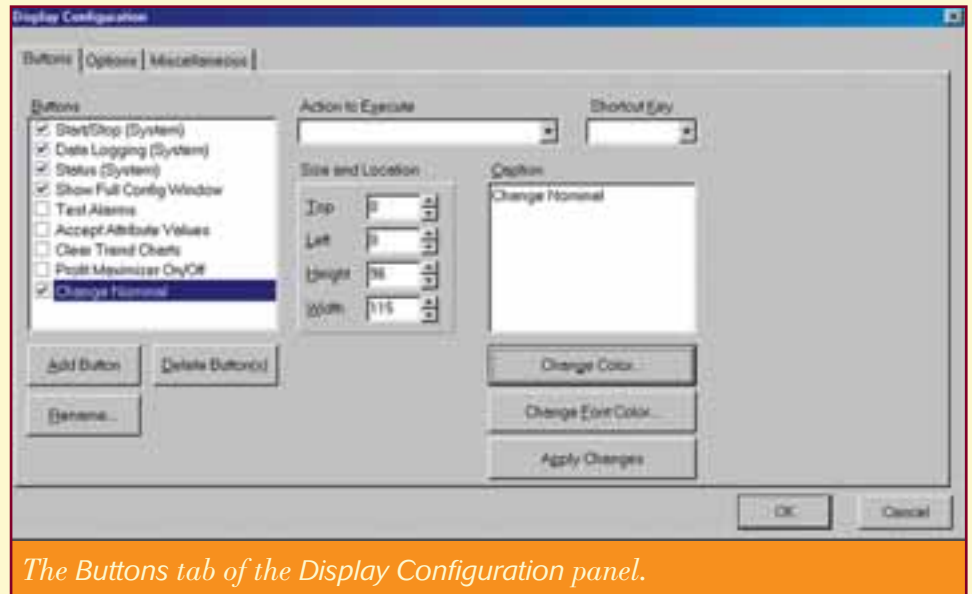
*Detail of the Action Configuration panel with Change Nominal selected and Measurements tab showing; note options for enabling password and confirmation.*



and Miscellaneous. Everything you need for setting up your button is on the Buttons tab.

- Click the Add Button button. A panel will open with a blank form for entering the name of the button.
  - Enter the name (in this case, Change Nominal).
- From the drop-down list of actions to execute, select Change Nominal.
- In the Size and Location area, use the up/down arrows or the Page Up/Page Down keys in the boxes for Top and Left to move the button to its desired location. The button will move across the screen as you adjust its position.
- If you wish to change the default size of the button, use the up/down arrows or the Page Up/Page Down keys in the boxes for Height and Width.
- You can change the caption by moving the cursor into the Caption box.
- Use the Change Color.../Change Font Color... buttons to modify the button's appearance. The Change Color... button and the button's label will assume the new colors.
- To assign an optional shortcut key, use the drop-down list to select.
- To view the button, click the Apply Changes button.
- Click OK.
- Close the Display panel.
- Close the Full Configuration panel.
- Click the button to change the nominal value.

**Note: This action can only be used on the recipe that is currently loaded.**



*The Buttons tab of the Display Configuration panel.*



*Detail of the Total Vu Software desktop showing the Change Nominal button.*