Change how long permanently deleted items are kept for an Exchange Server 2019

I am running hybrid exchange 2019 mail server at home lab. The deleted items are available for 14 days when you want to recover within outlook. I want to change this setting to 365 days. You can change to any # of days you want with this command.

Login to Exchange Server
Open Exchange Management Shell

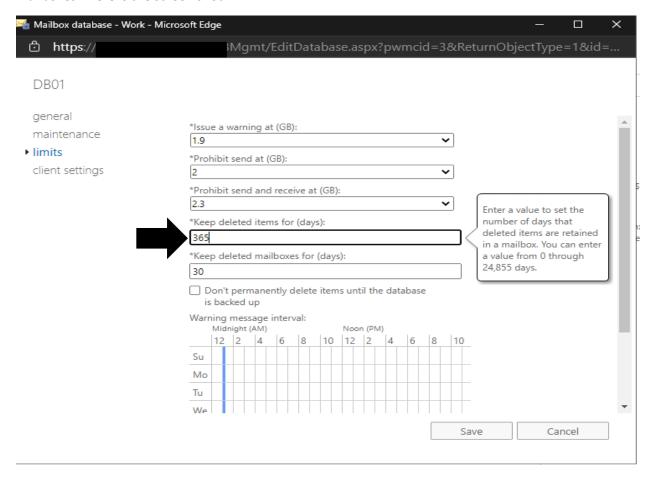
Type this command for individual mailbox or for all mailboxes

Set-Mailbox -Identity "Administrator" -RetainDeletedItemsFor 365 -RetainDeletedItemsUntilBackup Strue

Get-Mailbox -ResultSize unlimited -Filter "RecipientTypeDetails -eq 'UserMailbox'" | Set-Mailbox - RetainDeletedItemsFor 365

Run this command to check the change was successful or not Get-Mailbox -ResultSize unlimited -Filter "RecipientTypeDetails -eq 'UserMailbox'" | Format-List Name,RetainDeletedItemsFor

You can also make same change to mail database which is more convenient. This setting will apply for all mailboxes. Here is the screen shot.



Thanks

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