



DEVSERV QLIB command

The syntax and parameter explanations for the **DEVSERV QLIB** command are explained in this appendix.

For more information about these commands with examples, see *z/OS MVS System Commands*, SA22-7627.

The **DEVSERV QLIB** command can be used to complete the following tasks:

- ▶ Request a list of tape library subsystems that are defined to the host. The libraries are listed by library-id.
- ▶ Request a list of devices within a library. The devices are listed by device number and the library port for each device is displayed.
- ▶ Request a list of the outstanding library mount orders (MOUNT, DEMOUNT, EJECT, and AUDIT).
- ▶ Display or change the list of categories currently in use by the host.
- ▶ Validate the connection status of devices in a library to the host.
- ▶ Delete an incorrectly defined library control block in preparation for an input/output definition file (IODF) activation.
- ▶ Issue a diagnostic **state save** to a library when requested by the IBM Support Center.

Important: Do not use this **state save** command for testing purposes. It affects the performance of your IBM Virtual Tape Server (VTS) automated tape library (ATL) because it takes time to get the memory dump in the hardware.

When using the **DEVSERV QLIB** command to display the subsystems (port-IDs) and drives associated with the specified Library-ID, if the Library-ID specified is for a composite library, the command also displays the distributed Library-IDs associated with the composite library. If the Library-ID specified is for a distributed library, the command also displays the composite Library-ID that is associated with the distributed library.