QGIS Application - Feature request #17011
Rename "Polygon from layer extent"

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Status:	Closed		
Priority:	Normal		
Assignee:	Victor Olaya		
Category:	Processing/Core		
Pull Request or Patch supplied:	No	**Resolution:**	fixed/implemented
Easy fix?:	Yes	**Copied to github as #:**	24910

Description

I just searched for a tool that would let me generate a bounding box polygon for each feature of my layer. I quickly disregarded the "Polygon from layer extent" tool because that name implies generating ONE polygon of the LAYER extents. Only later I discovered that it has a checkbox to calculate a polygon for each separate feature.

Please rename the tool so that it is more discoverable. Maybe "Polygon(s) from extent(s)" or something like that?

History

#1 - 2017-08-11 07:06 PM - Nyall Dawson

- Resolution set to fixed/implemented

- Status changed from Open to Closed

There's a separate "boundung boxes" alg which should be used instead. In 3 the checkbox will be removed from the "polygon from layer extent" alg, so that alga will ONLY create a single polygon.