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The number of permutations of a set with a given number of nontrivial cycles with restricted length is defined as *the alternative multi-restricted numbers of the first kind*, which can be extended to *the Stirling numbers of the first kind* by disregarding the restriction on the length of each cycle. In this talk, a generating function for the alternative multi-restricted numbers of the first kind will be introduced, and its correlation with the generating function for the original multi-restricted numbers of the first kind will be examined. (Received September 23, 2005)