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## **Chapter 1**

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## 1.2 bbsread.library/--background--

NOTES Since this library uses functions in the dos.library, only processes should open and use this library. All strings passed to functions in this library should use the standard Amiga character set (ISO). Use CharsetConvert() to convert the charset of strings which is not in ISO. The library uses two environment variables: o THOR/BBSDataPath - Path to where to store the database and configuration files. o THOR/THORPath - Path to where the Thor system is installed. This path \*must\* end with a ':' or a '/'. Progress Hooks: Several functions support call back progress hooks. The hook is called with a BRProgress structure as the object parameter. The BRProgress structure is describred in <libraries/bbsread.h>. The tags for progress hooks are global:

BR\_ProgressHook - Callback hook for progress report is pointed by

(struct Hook \*) ti\_Data. Returning non-zero from the callback hook will stopp the operation and in some cases make the function return failure. BR\_ProgressUpdates - The maximum number of calls to the callback hook for one pass is in (ULONG) ti\_Data. The default is 100. BR\_ProgressReturn - Pointer to a ULONG to store the return value from the progress hook is in (ULONG \*) ti\_Data. Common configuration tags: (Not supported by all configuration functions yet.) BRCFG\_Use - Don't store the changes done to the configuration if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. BRCFG\_LastSaved - Will retrive the configuration last saved before applying any changes.

## 1.3 bbsread.library/AppendPassiveConfList()

```
NAME
AppendPassiveConfList - Append to the passive conference list.
 SYNOPSIS
error = AppendPassiveConfList( bbs, passConfList )
                               Α0
D0
                                         Α1
BOOL AppendPassiveConfList( struct BBSListItem *, struct List * );
FUNCTION
Appends a list of struct PasssConfListItem to a passive conference
list. No checking for duplicates will be done. If you don't have the
internal number for the conference, pl_BBSConfNr must be initalized
to -1.
INPUTS
bbs - Pointer to the bbs which the list should be added to.
passConfList - Pointer to a list of struct PasssConfListItem.
RESULT
error - Boolean.
EXAMPLE
 NOTES
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## 1.4 bbsread.library/Archive()

NAME Archive -- Add files to an archive. SYNOPSIS error = Archive( arcitem, archive, tagitems ) D0 AΟ Α1 Α2 LONG Archive( struct ArcConfigItem \*, STRPTR, struct TagItem \* ); error = ArchiveTags( arcitem, archive, Tag1, ...) LONG ArchiveTags(struct ArcConfigItem \*, STRPTR, ULONG, ...); FUNCTION This function add files to an archive. The type of archiver to use is determined with the arcitem. The ability to return failure when the archiver fails depends on how the archivers behave. The tags not understood are forwarded to dos.library/SystemTagList(). Look at dos.library/SystemTagList() for futher information on tags. INPUTS arcitem - Pointer to struct ArcConfigItem to tell which archiver to use. archive - Pointer to path and name of archive to add to. tagitems - Pointer to TagItem array. See <dos/dostags.h>. Both dos.library/SystemTagList() tags and dos.library/CreateNewProc() tags may be passed. Here are the TagItem.ti\_Tag values that are defined for Archive(). AR\_AddFile - File to add to archive is in (STRPTR) ti\_Data. At least one of this tag must be passed. AR\_SourceDir - Path to source directory is in (STRPTR) it\_Data. Default is to use current directory as source directory. RESULT error - 0 for success, result from archiver, or -1. Note that on error, the caller is responsible for any filehandles or other things passed in via tags. EXAMPLE NOTES BUGS SEE ALSO

## 1.5 bbsread.library/BBSEventArchiver()

NAME BBSEventArchiver - Returns the EventArchiver for a bbs. SYNOPSIS arcitem = BBSEventArchiver( bbs ) D0 AΟ struct ArcConfigItem \* BBSEventArchiver( struct BBSListItem \* ); FUNCTION Returns the ArcConfigItem structure correspondig to the EventArchiver for this bbs. If the bbs has no defined event archiver, the event archiver for the bbs type will be returned. Use this function instead of searching the ArcItem list by name for the correspondig ArcConfigItem. The ArcConfigItem structure returned is not a part of a list, so don't use the ac\_Node. The structure must be deallocated with FreeBRObject() INPUTS bbs - Pointer to the bbs to get the archiver to. RESULT arcitem - Pointer to a ArcConfigItem for the bbs. Returns a NULL pointer on failure (IoErr() will be set) or if the bbs and type has no defined EventArchiver. EXAMPLE NOTES BUGS SEE ALSO

## 1.6 bbsread.library/BBSUserData()

NAME BBSUserData -- Return the prefered userdata for a BBS. SYNOPSIS userdata = BBSUserData( globals, bbs ) D0 A0 A1 struct UserData \* BBSUserData( struct GlobalConfig \*, struct BBSListItem \* );

```
FUNCTION
Get the prefered userdata for a bbs. The data is returned in a structure.
The structure *must* be freed with
             FreeBRObject()
              .
INPUTS
globals - Pointer to your copy of the global configuration.
bbs - Pointer to BBSListItem for BBS to get UserData for. Can be a
   NULL-pointer.
RESULT
userdata - Filled out UserData structure. NULL on failure.
EXAMPLE
NOTES
The pointers in the UserData structure is a copy of the pointers in
either GlobalConfig or BBSData. Therefore, the ponters are only valid
as long as you don't free or update any of these structures.
BUGS
```

SEE ALSO

## 1.7 bbsread.library/BufBRClose()

```
NAME
BufBRClose -- Close a file used with BBSRead buffering.
 SYNOPSIS
success = BufBRClose( fileid )
D0
                        Α0
BOOL BufBRClose( APTR );
FUNCTION
Close a file opened by
              BufBROpen()
 INPUTS
fileid - Fileid for file to close.
RESULT
success - Boolean.
EXAMPLE
NOTES
BUGS
 SEE ALSO
```

## 1.8 bbsread.library/BufBROpen()

NAME BufBROpen -- Open a BBSRead buffered file for input or output. SYNOPSIS fileid = BufBROpen( name, accessMode ) D0 A0 D0 APTR BufBROpen( STRPTR, LONG ); FUNCTION The named file is prepared to be used for input or output through the BBSRead buffering system. All files are opened in shared mode. Uses the same mode constants as dos.library/Open(). BBSRead buffered files should \*not\* be used when you want to read and write large blocks. BBSRead buffered files should \*not\* be written to by processes not using BufBRWrite() INPUTS name - Name of file to open. accessMode - Mode to open file in. RESULT fileid - The fileid for the opened file. Returns a NULL pointer if the open failed, and a secondary error code will be available in IoErr(). EXAMPLE NOTES The fileid returned is \*not\* compatible with the file handler returned by dos.library/Open(). BUGS SEE ALSO

## 1.9 bbsread.library/BufBRRead()

NAME BufBRRead -- Read from a BBSRead buffered file.

SYNOPSIS actialLength = BufBRRead( fileid, buffer, length ) D0 Α0 Α1 D0 LONG BufBRRead ( APTR, APTR, LONG ); FUNCTION Read from a file buffered with the bbsread buffer system. INPUTS fileid - APTR to BBSRead file handler. buffer - Pointer to buffer. length - Length to read. RESULT actualLength - Actual length read. A value of 0 means EOF, and errors are indicated with -1. See IoErr() for error specification. EXAMPLE NOTES BUGS

SEE ALSO

### 1.10 bbsread.library/BufBRSeek()

```
NAME
BufBRSeek -- Set the current position for a BBSRead buffered file.
 SYNOPSIS
oldPosition = BufBRSeek( fileid, position, mode )
D0
                                  D0
                          Α0
                                           D1
LONG BufBRSeek(APTR, LONG, LONG);
FUNCTION
Sets the read/write cursor for a BBSRead buffered file. Works like
dos.library/Seek().
INPUTS
fileid - APTR to BBSRead file handler.
position - Position to seek to.
mode - Seek mode. (Same as dos.library/Seek().)
RESULT
oldPosition - Old position in file. Returns -1 on error.
EXAMPLE
NOTES
 BUGS
```

SEE ALSO dos.library/Seek()

## 1.11 bbsread.library/BufBRWrite()

```
NAME
BufBRWrite -- Write to a BBSRead buffered file.
SYNOPSIS
actialLength = BufBRWrite( fileid, buffer, length )
D0
                            A0
                                    Α1
                                             D0
LONG BufBRWrite( APTR, APTR, LONG );
FUNCTION
Write to a file buffered with the bbsread buffer system.
INPUTS
fileid - APTR to BBSRead file handler.
buffer - Pointer to buffer.
length - Length to write.
RESULT
actualLength - Actual length written. Errors are indicated with -1.
    See IoErr() for error specification.
 EXAMPLE
NOTES
 BUGS
 SEE ALSO
```

## 1.12 bbsread.library/CharsetConvert()

```
NAME
CharsetConvert -- Converts strings from and to the ISO charset.
SYNOPSIS
success = CharsetConvert( fromchar, tochar, frombuf, tobuf, len )
D0
                                      D2
                                               Α0
                                                        A1
                                                            D3
                            D1
BOOL CharsetConvert ( UBYTE, UBYTE, STRPTR, STRPTR, ULONG );
FUNCTION
Converts strings of charset fromchar in frombuf to strings of charset
tochar in tobuf. Available charsets are BRCS_ISO, BRCS_IBN, BRCS_SF7,
BRCS_NO7, BRCS_DE7.
INPUTS
```

fromchar - The charset used in frombuf.

tochars - The charset to convert to. frombuf - The buffer with the string(s) to convert. tobuf - The buffer to put the result of the convertion. The size of the buffer must be equal to the size of the frombuf. If this pointer is NULL, the result will be put in frombuf. len - Number of bytes to convert. If this parameter is 0L, the 0-terminated string in frombuf will be converted. RESULT success - Boolean. EXAMPLE NOTES BUGS SEE ALSO

## 1.13 bbsread.library/ConfCharset()

```
NAME
ConfCharset -- Returns which charset the bbs has in this conf.
SYNOPSIS
charset = ConfCharset( bbs, conf )
D0
                        A0
                             Α1
UBYTE ConfCharset( struct BBSListItem *, struct ConfListItem *);
FUNCTION
Use this function to obtain which charset the mesages in a conf from
the BBS is expected to be in.
The character set expected for a BBS can be obtained by using a NULL
pointer as the conf parameter.
INPUTS
bbs - BBS to obtain charset for.
conf - Conf to obtain charset for.
RESULT
charset - Charset expected for this conf.
EXAMPLE
 NOTES
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## 1.14 bbsread.library/ConfigBBS()

NAME ConfigBBS -- Set up the configuratin for a BBS. SYNOPSIS newbbs = ConfigBBS( bbs, tagitems ) D0 AΟ Α1 struct BBSListItem \* ConfigBBS( struct BBSListItem \*, struct TagItem \* ); newbbs = ConfigBBSTags( bbs, Tag1, ... ) struct BBSListItem \* ConfigBBSTags( struct BBSListItem \*, ULONG, ...); FUNCTION Changes the setup for a BBS, or adds a new BBS to the database. INPUTS bbs - Pointer to the BBSListItem for the bbs to change configuration for. If this pointer is a NULL pointer, a new bbs will be created. The contents of bbs->bl\_Data will be updated and string pointers may change. tagitems - Pointer to TagItem array. Here are the TagItem.ti\_Tag values that are defined for ConfigBBS(). BC\_DeleteBBS - Markes the BBS pointed by the bbs parameter as deleted if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. Your BBSListItem passed as the bbs parameter will be removed from your bbslist. The pointer returned is the old bbs pointer, but it will not point to a BBSListItem any more. BC\_BBSList - Your BBSList-header is pointed by (struct List \*) ti\_Data. This is the pointer returned from GetBBSList() . When adding a new BBS to the database this tag \*must\* be supplied. It \*must\* also be supplied when using the BC\_Top, BC\_Bottom, BC\_Up, BC\_Down, BC\_SortBBSList and BC\_NewBBSOrder tags. BC BBSName - The new name of the BBS is pointed by (STRPTR) ti Data. BC\_GrabName - The new name of the grabfile (without extension) is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. Wildcards are supported. If wildcards are used, must the name match the full file name. BC\_BBSType - The new type of the BBS is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. If no BBSType with this name is defined, the funktion will fail. BC\_UserName - The new name the user is registered as is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. BC\_ScriptFlags - Flags for the script is in (LONGBITS) ti\_Data. Check

the BBS type for available flags. Non-available flags passed will be ignored.

- BC\_Signature Signature to use on this BBS is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. This signature should be used in conferences whith no signature defined. A NULL-pointer equals no BBS signature, and the global signature should be used on this BBS. If the signature is in a file, this tag should contain the complete path to the signature file, and the BDF\_FILE\_SIGNATURE flag must be set.
- BC\_Top Move the BBS to the top of the list if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. Both your local and the global list will be updated. Be sure to also pass the BC\_BBSList tag.
- BC\_Bottom Move the BBS to the bottom of the list if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. Both your local and the global list will be updated. Be sure to also pass the BC\_BBSList tag.
- BC\_Up Move the BBS one position upwards on the list if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. Both your local and the global list will be updated. Be sure to also pass the BC\_BBSList tag.
- BC\_Down Move the BBS one position downwards on the list if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. Both your local and the global list will be updated. Be sure to also pass the BC\_BBSList tag.
- BC\_SortBBSList Sort the BBS-list alphabetically if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. Both your local and the global list will be sorted. Be sure to also pass the BC\_BBSList tag.
- BC\_KeepMessages Messages to keep in each conference when it's
   packed is in (ULONG) ti\_Data.

BBSData->bd\_Flags affecting the use of this value:

- BDF\_IGNORE\_KEEPMSG: Messages won't be counted when packing conferences.
- BDF\_GLOBAL\_KEEPMSG: The Global KeepMsg value will be used on this BBS. The BC\_KeepMessages value will be stored, but it will be ignored.
- BC\_KeepTime How old messages to keep in each conference when it's packed is in (ULONG) ti\_Data. The time is in seconds. BBSData->bd\_Flags affecting the use of this value:
  - BDF\_IGNORE\_KEEPTIME: Time won't be checked when packing conferences.
  - BDF\_GLOBAL\_KEEPTIME: The Global KeepTime value will be used on this BBS. The BC\_KeepTime value will be stored, but it will be ignored.

BC\_EMailAddr - The address the user is registered with is pointed by
 (STRTPR) ti\_Data. This is used to check if a message is to the
 user. This address will be ignored if the BBSType for this has
 the TDF\_NO\_ADDR\_CHECK flag set.

BC\_XpkMethod - BBS Xpk method to use is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. If BC\_XpkMethod is set to NULL, the global Xpk method will be used for this bbs. BBSData->bd\_Flags affecting the use of this value:

- BDF\_NO\_XPK\_METHOD: Don't use Xpk on this bbs.

- BC\_CharSet The expected charset for the grabs from this bbs is in (UBYTE) ti\_Data. Setting BC\_CharSet to BRCS\_ANY will use the default charset for the BBSType to this bbs. Default charset when adding a new bbs is BRCS\_ANY.
- BC\_LineLength Max linelength of messages for this bbs is (UWORD) ti\_Data. Overrides the setting in the BBSType for this bbs if BC\_LineLength is non 0.
- BC\_UserStreet User street address is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. Overrides settings in global configuration if non-NULL.
- BC\_UserAddress User address is is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. Overrides settings in global configuration if non-NULL.
- BC\_UserCountry User country is is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. Overrides settings in global configuration if non-NULL.
- BC\_UserPhone User phone number is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. Overrides settings in global configuration if non-NULL.
- BC\_Alias Alias used on this BBS is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. If the alias is set and a conference on this bbs is defined as CDF\_ALIAS, the aliaswill be used to determine if messages are to/from the user in the particular conference.
- BC\_DnloadPath Download path for this BBS is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. Overrides settings in global configuration if non-NULL.
- BC\_TagFile Path and name of tagfile to use for this bbs is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. Overrides settings in global configuration if non-NULL.
- BC\_EventArchiver Archiver to use when packing the events from this bbs is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. Overrides settings in BBSType if non-NULL.
- BC\_ReplyPacket Filename of replypacket is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. The filename is expected to be relative to the defined upload directory for this bbs.
- BC\_UploadPath Upload path for this BBS is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. Overrides settings in global configuration if non-NULL.
- BC\_NewBBSOrder Rearrange the order of the bbses according to the list given in the BC\_BBSList tag if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE.
- BC\_QuoteType Prefered quote type for this bbs is in (UBYTE)
  ti\_Data. Overrides settings in bbstype if not QT\_USE\_SUPER.
  See <libraries/BBSRead.h> for definitions of quote types.

- BC\_QuoteChars String to use as quote chars in custom quote type is in (STRPTR) ti\_Data. Max length of the string is 3. Overrides globaly defined quote chars if NULL or 0 length.
- BC\_ReplyString Reply string to use when a message is replied \_and\_ moved is in (STRPTR) ti\_Data. Overrides globaly defined reply string if non NULL.
- BC\_BBSEnterScript Name of Arexx script to be run each time this bbs is entered is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. Overrides globaly defined enter script if non NULL.
- BC\_BBSLeaveScript Name of Arexx script to be run each time this bbs is left is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. Overrides globaly defined leave script if non NULL.
- BC\_ConfEnterScript Name of Arexx script to be run each time a conference on this bbs is entered is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. Overrides globaly defined enter script if non NULL.

RESULT

newbbs - When changing an existing bbs, this is the same as the bbs parameter. When adding a new bbs, this points to a BBSListItem for the new BBS. On failure, a NULL pointer is returned.

#### EXAMPLE

#### NOTES

When adding a BBS, the BBSListItem for this BBS will automatically be inserted in the list supplied with the BC\_BBSList tag. Therefore, be sure the list is not attached to a ListView or simular when calling this function. The same applies when deleting BBS'es and when rearranging the bbslist.

You \*must\* supply BC\_BBSName and BC\_BBSType when adding a new BBS to the database.

As of V4 is BC\_GrabName no longer needed when adding a BBS.

When adding new BBS'es will BC\_Top, BC\_Bottom, BC\_Up, BC\_Down, BC\_SortBBSList and BC\_NewBBSOrder be ignored.

BUGS

SEE ALSO

GetBBSList()

These flags are automatically set when adding a new bbs: BDF\_GLOBAL\_KEEPMSG | BDF\_GLOBAL\_KEEPTIME | BDF\_IGNORE\_KEEPMSG | BDF\_IGNORE\_KEEPTIME.

## 1.15 bbsread.library/ConfigConf()

NAME ConfigConf -- Set up the configuration for a conference. SYNOPSIS newconf = ConfigConf( conf, tagitems ) D0 Α0 Α1 struct ConfListItem \* ConfigConf( struct ConfListItem \*, struct TagItem \* ); newconf = ConfigConfTags( conf, Tag1, ... ) struct ConfListItem \* ConfigConfTags( struct ConfListItem \*, ULONG, ...); FUNCTION Changes the setup for a conference, or adds a new conference to a bbs. Only conferences where messages are expected should be added. Use WritePassiveConfList() for complete conference lists. INPUTS conf - Pointer to the ConfListItem for the conference to change configuration for. If this pointer is a NULL pointer, a new conference will be added to the bbs. The contents of conf->cl\_Data will be updated and string pointers may change. tagitems - Pointer to TagItem array. Here are the TagItem.ti\_Tag values that are defined for ConfigConf(). CC\_DeleteConf - Markes the Conf pointed by the conf parameter as deleted if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. Your ConfListItem passed as the conf parameter will be removed from your conflist. The pointer returned is the old conf pointer, but it will not point to a ConfListItem any more. CC\_ConfList - Your ConfList-header is pointed by (struct List \*) ti\_Data. This is the pointer returned from GetConfList() . When adding a new conference to a bbs, this tag \*must\* be supplied. It \*must\* also be supplied when using the CC\_Top, CC\_Bottom, CC\_Up, CC\_Down, CC\_SortConfList and CC\_NewConfOrder tags. CC\_AddToBBS - The BBSListItem to add a conference to is pointed by (struct BBSListItem \*) ti\_Data. \*Must\* be used when adding a conference, and is ignored when changing the setup on a existing conference. CC\_ConfName - The new name of the conference is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. This tag must be supplied when adding a conference.

CC\_SetConfFlags - Conference flags to set is in (LONGBITS) ti\_Data. CC\_ClearConfFlags - Conference flags to clear is in (LONGBITS) ti\_Data.

- CC\_Signature Signature to use in this conference is pointed by
   (STRPTR) ti\_Data. A NULL-pointer equals no conference signature.
   The BBS signature should be used instead. If the signature is in
   a file, this tag should contain the complete path to the
   signature file, and the CDF\_FILE\_SIGNATURE flag must be set.
- CC\_KeepMessages Messages to keep in this conference when it's
   packed is in (ULONG) ti\_Data.
  - ConfData->cd\_Flags affecting the use of this value:
  - CDF\_IGNORE\_KEEPMSG: Messages won't be counted when packing this conference.
  - CDF\_BBS\_KEEPMSG: The BBS KeepMsg value will be used in when packing this conference. The CC\_KeepMessages value will be stored, but it will be ignored.
- CC\_KeepTime How old messages to keep in this conference when it's
   packed is in (ULONG) ti\_Data. The time is in seconds.
   ConfData->cd\_Flags affecting the use of this value:
  - CDF\_IGNORE\_KEEPTIME: Time won't be checked when packing this conference.
  - CDF\_BBS\_KEEPTIME: The BBS KeepTime value will be used when packing this conference. The CC\_KeepTime value will be stored, but it will be ignored.
- CC\_Top Move the conference to the top of the list if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. Both your local and the global list will be updated. Be sure to also pass the CC\_ConfList tag.
- CC\_Bottom Move the conference to the bottom of the list if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. Both your local and the global list will be updated. Be sure to also pass the CC\_ConfList tag.
- CC\_Up Move the conference one position upwards on the list if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. Both your local and the global list will be updated. Be sure to also pass the CC\_ConfList tag.
- CC\_Down Move the conference one position downwards on the list if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. Both your local and the global list will be updated. Be sure to also pass the CC\_ConfList tag.
- CC\_Alias Alias to use in this conference is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. If the alias is set and the conference is defined as CDF\_ALIAS, it will be used to determine if messages are to/from the user in this particular conference. Overrides settings in BBSData if non-NULL.
- CC\_BBSConfNr The internal number this conference has on the BBS is in (LONG) ti\_Data. This value is meant to ease the parsing and packing when numbers must be used for the conferences.
- CC\_SortConfList Sort the Conf-list alphabetically if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. Both your local and the global list will be sorted. Be

sure to also pass the CC\_ConfList tag. You must also pass a valid conf parameter to use this tag.

- CC\_XpkMethod Conf Xpk method to use is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. If CC\_XpkMethod is set to NULL will the bbs Xpk method be used for this conf. ConfData->cd\_Flags affecting the use of this value: - CDF\_NO\_XPK\_METHOD: Don't use Xpk on this conf.
- CC\_CharSet The expected charset for the grabs from this conf is in (UBYTE) ti\_Data. Setting CC\_CharSet to BRCS\_ANY will use the default charset for this bbs. Default charset when adding a newconf is BRCS\_ANY.
- CC\_LineLength Max linelength of messages for this conf is (UWORD)
   ti\_Data. Overrides the setting for this bbs if CC\_LineLength is
   non 0.
- CC\_TagFile Path and name of tagfile to use for this conf is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. Overrides settings on bbs if non-NULL.
- CC\_EmailAddr The email address the user has in this conference is pointed by (STRTPR) ti\_Data. This is used to check if a message is to the user. Overrides setting in BBSData. This address will be ignored if the BBSType for this has the TDF\_NO\_ADDR\_CHECK flag set. This tag is for use on bbses where the user is member of more than one net.
- CC\_NewConfOrder Rearrange the order of the conferences according to the list given in the CC\_ConfList tag if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE.
- CC\_QuoteType Prefered quote type for this conference is in (UBYTE)
   ti\_Data. Overrides settings on the bbs if not QT\_USE\_SUPER.
   See <libraries/BBSRead.h> for definitions of quote types.
- CC\_QuoteChars String to use as quote chars in custom quote type is in (STRPTR) ti\_Data. Max length of the string is 3. Overrides quote chars for bbs if NULL or 0 length.
- CC\_ReplyString Reply string to use when a message is replied \_and\_ moved is in (STRPTR) ti\_Data. Overrides reply string defined for the bbs if non NULL.
- CC\_ConfEnterScript Name of Arexx script to be run each time this conference is entered is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. Overrides enter script defined for the bbs if non NULL.
- CC\_ConfLeaveScript Name of Arexx script to be run each time this conference is left is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. Overrides leave script defined for the bbs if non NULL.
- CC\_ConfNetType Which type of network this conference is connected to is in (UBYTE) ti\_Data. This tag is to be used on BBS'es of BBS types which supports several network types. The default value is CDNT\_NONET. See <libraries/BBSRead.h> for definitions. New definitions are added on request. No need to use this tag if the bbs type only supports one network.

RESULT newconf - When changing an existing conference, this is the same as conf parameter. When adding a new conference this points to a ConfListItem for this conference. On failure a NULL pointer is returned. EXAMPLE NOTES When adding a conference, the ConfListItem for this conference will automaticaly be inserted in the list supplied with the CC\_ConfList tag. Therefore, be sure the list is not attached to a ListView or simular when calling this function. The same applies when deleting conferences and when rearranging the conference list. When adding new conferences will CC\_Top, CC\_Bottom, CC\_Up, CC\_Down, CC\_SortConfList and CC\_NewConfOrder be ignored. These flags are automatically set when adding a new conference: CDF\_BBS\_KEEPMSG | CDF\_BBS\_KEEPTIME | CDF\_IGNORE\_KEEPMSG | CDF\_IGNORE\_KEEPTIME.

BUGS

SEE ALSO

GetConfList()

## 1.16 bbsread.library/ConfigFArea()

```
NAME
ConfigFArea -- Set up the configuration for a file area.
 SYNOPSIS
newfarea = ConfigFArea( farea, tagitems )
D0
                          A0
                                   Α1
struct FAreaListItem * ConfigFArea( struct FAreaListItem *,
    struct TagItem *);
newfarea = ConfigFAreaTags(farea, Tag1, ...)
struct FAreaListItem * ConfigFAreaTags( struct FAreaListItem *,
    ULONG, \ldots );
FUNCTION
Changes the setup for a file area, or adds a new file area to the
database.
 INPUTS
farea - Pointer to FAreaListItem for the file area to change
    configuration for. If this pointer is a NULL pointer, a new file
    area will be created.
tagitems - Pointer to TagItem array.
```

Here are the TagItem.ti\_Tag values that are defined for ConfigFArea(). CFA\_DeleteFArea - Markes the file area pointed by the farea parameter as deleted if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. Your FAreaListItem passed as the farea parameter will be removed from your farealist. The pointer returned is the old fareapointer, but it will not point to a FAreaListItem any more. CFA\_FAreaList - Your FAreaList-header is pointed by (struct List \*) ti\_Data. This is the pointer returned from GetFAreaList() . When adding a new file area to the database, this tag \*must\* be

supplied. It \*must\* also be supplied when using the CFA\_Top, FCA\_Bottom, CFA\_Up, CFA\_Down and CFA\_SortFAreaList tags.

- CFA\_AddToBBS The BBSListItem to add a file area to is pointed by (struct BBSListItem \*) ti\_Data. \*Must\* be used when adding a file area, and is ignored when changing the setup on a existing file area.
- CFA\_Name The new name of the file area is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data.
- CFA\_Top Move the file area to the top of the list if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. Both your local and the global list will be updated. Be sure to also pass the CFA\_FAreaList tag.
- CFA\_Bottom Move the file area to the bottom of the list if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. Both your local and the global list will be updated. Be sure to also pass the CFA\_FAreaList tag.
- CFA\_Up Move the file area one position upwards on the list if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. Both your local and the global list will be updated. Be sure to also pass the CFA\_FAreaList tag.
- CFA\_Down Move the file area one position downwards on the list if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. Both your local and the global list will be updated. Be sure to also pass the CFA\_FAreaList tag.
- CFA\_SortFAreaList Sort the file area list alphabeticaly if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. Both your local and the global list will be sorted. Be sure to also pass the CFA\_FAreaList tag.

RESULT

newfarea - When changing an existing file area, this is the same as the farea parameter. When adding a new file area, this points to a FAreaListItem for this new file area. On failure, a NULL pointer is returned.

EXAMPLE

NOTES

When adding a file area, the FAreaListItem for this file area will automaticaly be inserted in the list supplied with the CFA\_FAreaList

tag. Therefore be sure the list is not attached to a ListView or simular when calling this function. The same applies when deleting file areas and when rearranging the bbslist.

You \*must\* supply CFA\_Name when adding a new file area.

When adding new areas will CFA\_Top, FCA\_Bottom, CFA\_Up, CFA\_Down and CFA\_SortFAreaList be ignored.

BUGS

SEE ALSO

## 1.17 bbsread.library/ConfigGlobal()

NAME ConfigGlobal -- Global configuration for the library. SYNOPSIS success = ConfigGlobal( globals, tagitems ) D0 ΑO Α1 BOOL ConfigGlobal( struct GlobalConfig \*, struct TagItem \* ); success = ConfigGlobalTags( globals, Tag1, ...) BOOL ConfigGlobalTags ( struct GlobalConfig \*, ULONG, ... ); FUNCTION This function sets up the global configuration for the library. Your copy of the clobal configuration will also be updated. Supports BRCFG\_Use and BRCFG\_LastSaved tags. INPUTS globals - Pointer to global data got from GetGlobalConfig() . The contents of globals will be updated and string pointers may change. tagitems - Pointer to TagItem array. Here are the TagItem.ti\_Tag values that are defined for ConfigGlobal(). CG\_DnloadPath - Path to where downloaded files reside is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. CG\_UploadPath - Path to where files to be uploaded reside is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. CG\_Buffers - Number of buffers to use in buffer system in (ULONG) ti\_Data. 13 buffers is the default in the current version.. CG\_BufferSize - Size of each buffer the buffer system should use in

(ULONG) ti\_Data. 5096 bytes is the default in the currect version.

- CG\_ConfigArchiver Configure archiver. Name of archiver is in (STRPTR) ti\_Data.
- CG\_ArcPattern MatchPattern to recognize archives of CG\_ConfigArchiver type is in (STRPTR) ti\_Data. If the ArcPattern begins with '\$', the rest of the string will be matched with the contents of the archive instead of the filename. i.e. \$????2d6c68 finds LhA-archives.
- CG\_UnArcCmd Command to depack an archive of CG\_ConfigArchiver type
  is in (STRPTR) ti\_Data. If the unpack program isn't in c:, the
  full path must be given. The file to be unpacked will be appended
  to the command given here..
- CG\_ArcCmd Command to pack an archive of CG\_ConfigArchiver type is in (STRPTR) ti\_Data. The command is expected to use the standard archiver organization of the arguments. If the archive program isn't in c:, the full path must be given.
- CG\_DeleteArchiver Delete archiver which name is in (STRPTR) ti\_Data. The deletion will fail if one bbstype uses this archiver as an eventarchiver.
- CG\_Signature Global signature is in (STRPTR) ti\_Data. This signature should be used on BBS'es where no signatures is defined. Can be a NULL-pointer. If the signature is in a file, this tag should contain the complete path to the signature file, and the GCF\_FILE\_SIGNATURE flag must be set.

CG\_SetGlobalFlags - Global flags to set is in (LONGBITS) ti\_Data. CG\_ClearGlobalFlags - Global flags to clear is in (LONGBITS) ti\_Data.

- CG\_XpkMethod Global Xpk method to use is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. GlobalConfig->gc\_Flags affecting the use of this value: - GCF\_NO\_XPK\_METHOD: Don't use Xpk globaly.
- CG\_UserPhone Phone number for user is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. CG\_TmpDir - Name of temporary directory to use when packing data is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data.
- CG\_TagFile Path and name of tagfile to use globaly is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data.

- CG\_BufCopyBack Sets file buffer system to copyback mode if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. In copyback mode, changed buffers will only be written back to to file when they are flushed from memory. Each call to ConfigGlobal() with the CG\_BufCopyBack tag \*must\* be coupled with a call to ConfigGlobal() with the CG\_BufEndCopyBack tag. The copyback mode should be used while adding large amount of data to the library. (Eg. parsing a grabfile and adding the messages to the database) The use of the CG\_BufCopyBack/G\_BufEndCopyBack tags can be nested.
- CG\_BufEndCopyBack Turns off copyback mode for file buffer system if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE.
- CG\_HitRate Buffer hitrate is returned in \*((ULONG \*) ti\_Data). The hitrate is in percent.
- CG\_ReadHitRate Buffer read hitrate is returned in \*((ULONG \*)
   ti\_Data). The hitrate is in percent.
- CG\_WriteHitRate Buffer write hitrate is returned in \*((ULONG \*)
   ti\_Data). The hitrate is in percent.
- CG\_ClearHitRate Clear internal hitrate statistics if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE
- CG\_HazeLevel1 Keep messages marked with haze level 1 at least (ULONG) ti\_Data seconds.
- CG\_HazeLevel2 Keep messages marked with haze level 2 at least (ULONG) ti\_Data seconds.
- CG\_HazeLevel2 Keep messages marked with haze level 3 at least (ULONG) ti\_Data seconds.
- CG\_PGPCommand Command for pgp (with path) is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data.
- CG\_PGPSignID Id to use when PGP signing messages is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. If NULL should '\*' be used as sign id.
- CG\_QuoteChars String to use as quote chars in custom quote type is in (STRPTR) ti\_Data. Max length of the string is 3.
- CG\_ReplyString Reply string to use when a message is replied \_and\_ moved is in (STRPTR) ti\_Data.
- CG\_StartupScript Name of Arexx script to be run each time Thor is started is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data.
- CG\_QuitScript Name of Arexx script to be run each time Thor is quited is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data.
- CG\_BBSEnterScript Name of Arexx script to be run each time a bbs is entered is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data.
- CG\_BBSLeaveScript Name of Arexx script to be run each time a bbs is left is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data.

## 1.18 bbsread.library/ConfigType()

```
NAME
ConfigType -- Set up the configuratin for a BBS type.
SYNOPSIS
newtype = ConfigType( type, tagitems )
D0
                       A0
                               Α1
struct TypeListItem * ConfigType( struct TypeListItem *,
    struct TagItem * );
newtype = ConfigTypeTags( type, Tag1, ... )
struct TypeListItem * ConfigTypeTags( struct TypeListItem *,
   ULONG, ... );
FUNCTION
Changes the definitions for a BBS type, or adds a new BBS type to the
database.
INPUTS
type - Pointer to the TypeListItem for the BBS type to change
    configuration for. If this pointer is a NULL pointer, a new type
    will be created. The contents of type->tl_Data will be updated
    and string pointers may change.
tagitems - Pointer to TagItem array.
Here are the TagItem.ti_Tag values that are defined for
ConfigType().
```

CT\_DeleteType - Markes the BBS type pointed by the type parameter as deleted if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. The deletion of the type will fail if it is used by any BBS'es. CT\_TypeList - Your TypeList-header is pointed by (struct List \*) ti\_Data. This is the pointer returned from GetTypeList() . When adding a new BBS type to the database, this tag \*must\* be supplied. When changing the setup on exixting BBS types this tag is ignored. CT\_TypeName - The new name of the BBS type is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. CT\_LineLength - Max length of lines in messages in (UWORD) ti\_Data. CT\_SubjectLength - Max length of subjects in (UWORD) ti\_Data.

CT\_FileDescrLen - Max length of short filedescription in (UWORD) ti\_Data.

- CT\_ConfigEvent Set up an event this bbs type support. The event identifier is in (ULONG) ti\_Data. More than one event can be set up in each call.
- CT\_EventNeedTags Set up what tags the event in the last CT\_ConfigEvent needs. The tags needed is in a TAG\_END-terminated array pointed by (ULONG \*) ti\_Data.
- CT\_EventOptTags Set up what tags that are optional for the event in the last CT\_ConfigEvent. The optional tags is in a TAG\_END-terminated array pointed bt (ULONG \*) ti\_Data.
- CT\_DeleteEvent Delete event with (ULONG) ti\_Data identifier from list of supported events.
- CT\_CharSet The default charset the grab from this BBS type uses is in (UBYTE) ti\_Data. Default charset when adding a new BBS type is BRCS\_ISO. See <libraries/BBSRead.h> for available charsets.
- CT\_MsgParser Command to parse the grabs from a BBS of this type is in (STRPTR) ti\_Data. The command must take the following parameters: BBSNAME - name of bbs. GRAB - name of grab, including path. ARCHIVE - Switch, the grab is an archive. DELETE - Switch, delete the grab afterwards if the adding is successful. PUBSCREEN - Name of public screen to open any progress windows on. These parameters must be there even if it is not used by the parser. See <ParseMsg/ParseMsg.c> for more info.
- CT\_AvailScrFlags Mask for available scriptflags in (LONGBITS) ti\_Data.
- CT\_EventPacker Command to pack events in a package to send to the BBS is in (STRPTR) ti\_Data. A NULL-pointer equals no packing of events on this BBS type. The execution of this command should be

done on user request by the program which makes the events. The command should take the following parameters: BBSNAME - name of bbs. No more parameters defined so far. PUBSCREEN - Name of public screen to open evt. progress windows on. This parameter must be there even if it is not used by the packer.

CT\_EventArchiver - Prefered archiver to use on event package is in (STRPTR) ti\_Data. A NULL-pointer equals no archiving of the eventpackage. The archiver \*must\* have been configured in global configuration.

CT\_SetTypeFlags - BBSType flags to set is in (LONGBITS) ti\_Data. CT\_ClearTypeFlags - BBSType flags to clear is in (LONGBITS) ti\_Data. CT\_AcceptPattern - Pattern to use when accepting grabs for this bbstype is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. A NULL pointer equals to a pattern of #?.

CT\_InitMsgFile - Command to initialize a message files is in (STRPTR)
ti\_Data. A NULL-pointer equals to no initializing other than just
creating the file. This command is used by
UniqueMsgFile()
. The

command must exept the following parameters: BBSNAME/A - Name of bbs the message is for. FILENAME/A - Name of file to initialized. (The file is already created.) EVENT/N/A - What event type it should be used in. USETAG/N/A - What message tag it should be used for.

- CT\_ExtConfig Command to do external configuration for a bbs is in (STRPTR) ti\_Data. A NULL-pointer equals to no external configuration. The command must exept the following parameters: BBSNAME/A - Name of bbs to configure. CONFNAME - Name of current conference. PUBSCREEN - Name of public screen to use for windows.
- CT\_QuoteType Prefered quote type for this bbs type is in (UBYTE)
  ti\_Data. See <libraries/BBSRead.h> for definitions of quote types.

RESULT

newtype - When changing an existing BBS type, this is the same as the type parameter. When adding a new BBS type this points to a TypeListItem for this new BBS type. On failure a NULL pointer is returned.

#### EXAMPLE

#### NOTES

When adding a BBS type, the TypeListItem for this BBS type will automatically be inserted in the list supplied with the CT\_TypeList tag. Therefore, be sure the list is not attached to a ListView or simular when calling this function. The same applies when deleting BBS types.

You must supply the following tags when adding a new BBS type to the database: CT\_TypeList, CT\_TypeName, CT\_LineLength, CT\_SubjectLength, CT\_MsgParser.

As of V4, CT\_MsgParser is no longer needed when adding a new BBS type.

The commands given in the CT\_MsgParser, CT\_EventPacker, CT\_InitMsgFile and CT\_ExtConfig is expected to be given with path relative to the Thor home directory.

BUGS

SEE ALSO

GetTypeList()

### 1.19 bbsread.library/ConfLineLength()

NAME ConfLineLength -- Returns max line length the bbs has in this conf. SYNOPSIS linelength = ConfLineLength( conf ) DO Α0 UWORD ConfLineLength( struct ConfListItem \* ); FUNCTION Use this function to obtain max line length the messages on the BBS is expected to have in this conference. INPUTS conf - Conf to get max linelength for. RESULT linelength - Linelength expected in this conf. EXAMPLE NOTES BUGS SEE ALSO

## 1.20 bbsread.library/EndOfAdding()

NAME EndOfAdding -- Call after adding a grab. (Used by MsgParser) SYNOPSIS void EndOfAdding( bbs ) A0 void EndOfAdding( struct BBSListItem \* ); FUNCTION Function for MsgParser to call after finishing the parsing of a grab. UnLocks your access to add a grab to this BBS. Makes sure 2 or more processes do not add the same grab simultaneously. Will also free the memory used to hold data during message adding. Each call to StartOfAdding() must be coupled with a call to this function. INPUTS bbs - Pointer to BBSListItem for BBS adding is finished. RESULT EXAMPLE NOTES BUGS SEE ALSO

```
StartOfAdding()
```

## 1.21 bbsread.library/ExternalBBSConfig()

```
NAME
ExternalBBSConfig -- External configuration for bbs'es.
SYNOPSIS
error = ExternalBBSConfig( bbs, tagitems )
D0
                           Α0
                                   Α1
LONG ExternalBBSConfig( struct BBSListItem *, struct TagItem * );
error = ExternalBBSConfigTags( bbs, Tag1, ... )
LONG ExternalBBSConfigTags(struct BBSListItem *, ULONG, ...);
FUNCTION
This function calls the command for external configuration defined
in the bbstype of this bbs. If no external configuration command is
defined, this function will return success.
INPUTS
bbs - Pointer to BBSListItem for bbs.
tagitems - Pointer to TagItem array.
Here are the TagItem.ti_Tag values that are defined for
```

ExternalBBSConfig(): EBC\_Conference - Pointer to active conference is in (struct ConfListItem \*) ti\_Data. This tag may be omitted when no conferences are active. EBC\_PublicScreen - Public screen for external configuration to open windows on is in (STRPTR) ti\_Data. When this tag is omitted the windows will be opened on the default public screen. RESULT error - 0 for success, result from command, or -1. EXAMPLE NOTES BUGS SEE ALSO

## 1.22 bbsread.library/FindDupBRMsg()

```
NAME
FindDupBRMsg -- Find duplicate messages in database.
 SYNOPSIS
error = FindDupBRMsg( bbs, tagitems )
DO
                      A0
                              Α1
BOOL FindDupBRMsg( struct BBSListItem *, struct TagItem * );
error = FindDupBRMsgTags( bbs, Tag1, ... )
BOOL FindDupBRMsgTags( struct BBSListItem *, ULONG, ... );
FUNCTION
Searches the database for duplicate messages.
Supports callback progress hooks tags. BRProgress->brp_Actions
will contain the number of duplicate messages found.
 INPUTS
bbs - BBSListItem for the bbs to search for duplicate messages.
tagitems - Pointer to TagItem array.
Here are the TagItem.ti_Tag values that are defined for
FindDupBRMsg().
FDBRM_DeleteDupInConf - Mark duplicate messages in same conference as
    deleted if (BOOL) ti_Data is TRUE. Default is FALSE. The newest
    message will be marked as deleted if duplicates are found.
FDBRM_UnMarkCrossPosts - Search trough unread messages and mark
    crossposts as read if (BOOL) ti_Data is TRUE. Default is FALSE.
```

```
If a instance of the crossposted message is found read in the
database, all instances of it will be marked as read. If not,
only the first instance of the crossposted message will be kept
unread. (The conferences will be scanned in the same order as
your conference list.) This tag is only useful on bbs'es where
messages are identified with unique message identifiers.RESULT
error - Boolean.
EXAMPLE
NOTES
If the message has a messageid this messageid is regarded as unique.
BUGS
SEE ALSO
```

## 1.23 bbsread.library/FindOrginalNr()

```
NAME
FindOrginalNr -- Find message by orginal number
 SYNOPSIS
msgnr = FindOrginalNr( conf, orginalnr )
 D0
                        A0
                                 D1
ULONG FindOrginalNr( struct ConfListItem *, ULONG );
 FUNCTION
Scans the conference for a message with the passed orginal number.
 INPUTS
conf - Conference to search in.
orginalnr - Orginal number to search for.
RESULT
msgnr - The number the message has locally. Returns 0 if the orginalnr
    can't be found.
 EXAMPLE
 NOTES
 BUGS
 SEE ALSO
```

## 1.24 bbsread.library/FreeBRObject()

NAME FreeBRObject -- Frees an object allocated SYNOPSIS void FreeBRObject( object ) A0 void FreeBRObject( void \* ); FUNCTION Frees an object allocated with any of the other functions in this library. Safe to call with a NULL pointer or a (APTR) -1 pointer. INPUTS object - Pointer to object to free. RESULT EXAMPLE NOTES BUGS

SEE ALSO

## 1.25 bbsread.library/GetBBSList()

```
NAME
GetBBSList -- Returns a list of available BBS'es
SYNOPSIS
bbslist = GetBBSList()
D0
struct List * GetBBSList( void );
FUNCTION
Returns a Exec list of the available BBS'es. This list is your
private READ-ONLY copy of the actual list, and you will not notice
if anything is changed, i.e. BBS'es added or deleted.
Each node in the list has bl_Node.ln_Name set to bl_Data->bd_Name.
You are free to use bl_Node.ln_Name for your own purposes.
The list must be deallocated with
              FreeBRObject()
You are allowed to rearrange the order of the nodes in the list.
*All* nodes must be in the list when the list is deallocated.
 INPUTS
```

RESULT bbslist - Exec list of the available BBS'es. The list consist of BBSListNode structures. Returns a NULL pointer on failure. EXAMPLE NOTES BUGS SEE ALSO <bbsread.h>

## 1.26 bbsread.library/GetConfigValue()

```
NAME
GetConfigValue -- Returns the configuration value to use.
SYNOPSIS
error = GetConfigValue( tagitems )
D0
                           A0
BOOL GetConfigValue( struct TagItem * );
error = GetConfigValueTags( Tag1, ... )
BOOL GetConfigValueTags( ULONG, ... );
FUNCTION
Get the correct value for a specified conference of BBS.
 INPUTS
tagitems - Pointer to TagItem array.
Here are the TagItem.ti_Tag values that are defined for
GetConfigValue().
GCV_GlobalConfig - GlobalConfig is pointed by
    (struct GlobalConfig *) ti_Data. Default value is NULL.
GCV_TypeListItem - TypeListItem is pointed by (struct
    TypeListItem *) ti_Data. Default value is NULL.
GCV_BBSListItem - BBSListItem is pointed by (struct
    BBSListItem *) ti_Data. Default value is NULL.
GCV_ConfListItem - ConfListItem is pointed by (struct
    ConfListItem *) ti_Data. Default value is NULL.
GCV_EventType - Type of event to use config value in is in (ULONG)
    ti_Data. This value is used by GCV_ConfReplyString and
    GCV_BBSReplyString tags. Default value of this tag is
    EVE_REPLYMSG.
```

- GCV\_ConfQuoteType Where to put conference quote type is pointed by (UBYTE \*) ti\_Data.
- GCV\_ConfQuoteReflow Where to put conference reflow flag is pointed by (BOOL \*) ti\_Data.
- GCV\_BBSQuoteType Where to put bbs quote type is pointed by (UBYTE \*) ti\_Data.
- GCV\_BBSQuoteChars Where to put pointer to bbs quote chars is pointed by (STRPTR \*) ti\_Data.
- GCV\_BBSQuoteReflow Where to put bbs reflow flag is pointed by (BOOL \*) ti\_Data.
- GCV\_ConfReplyString Where to put pointer to conference reply string is pointed by (STRPTR \*) ti\_Data.
- GCV\_BBSReplyString Where to put pointer to bbs reply string is pointed by (STRPTR \*) ti\_Data.
- GCV\_ConfEnterScript Where to put pointer to name of conference enter script is pointed by (STRPTR \*) ti\_Data.
- GCV\_BBSEnterScript Where to put pointer to name of bbs enter script
   is pointed by (STRPTR \*) ti\_Data.
- GCV\_BBSLeaveScript Where to put pointer to name of bbs leave script is pointed by (STRPTR \*) ti\_Data.

RESULT error - Boolean

EXAMPLE

NOTES

The string pointers returned are only valid until GlobalConfig, TypeData, BBSData or ConfData are updated or freed.

BUGS

SEE ALSO

#### 1.27 bbsread.library/GetConfList()

NAME GetConfList -- Returns a list of available conferences in a BBS.

SYNOPSIS

conflist = GetConfList( bbs ) Α0 struct List \* GetConfList( struct BBSListItem \* ); FUNCTION Returns an Exec list of the available conferences on a specified BBS. This list is your private READ-ONLY copy of the actual list, and you will not notice if anything is changed, i.e. conferences added or deleted Each node in the list has cl\_Node.ln\_Name set to cd\_Name. You are free to use cl\_Node.ln\_Name for your own purposes. cl\_UserData is set to NULL. The list must be deallocated with FreeBRObject() You are allowed to rearrange the order of the nodes in the list. \*All\* nodes must be in the list when the list is deallocated. INPUTS bbs - Pointer to the BBSListItem to get conference list for. RESULT conflist - Exec list of the available conferences at the BBS. The list consists of ConfListItem structures. Returns a NULL pointer on failure. EXAMPLE NOTES Will update the bi\_SumMarked and bi\_SumM2User fields of bbs->bl\_Internal. BUGS SEE ALSO

# 1.28 bbsread.library/GetFAreaList()

NAME GetFAreaList -- Returns a list of available file areas on a BBS. SYNOPSIS farealist = GetFAreaList( bbs ) A0 struct List \* GetFAreaList( struct BBSListItem \* ); FUNCTION Returns a Exec list of the available file areas on a specified BBS.

```
This list is your private READ-ONLY copy of the actual list, and
you will not notice if anything is changed, i.e. conferences added
or deleted.
Each node in the list has al_Node.ln_Name set to ad_Name. You are
free to use al_Node.ln_Name for your own purposes.
The list must be deallocated with
              FreeBRObject()
 INPUTS
bbs - Pointer to the BBSListItem to get file area list for.
RESULT
farealist - Exec list of the available file areas at the BBS. The list
    consist of FAreaListItem structures. Returns a NULL pointer on
    failure.
 EXAMPLE
 NOTES
 BUGS
 SEE ALSO
```

# 1.29 bbsread.library/GetGlobalConfig()

```
NAME
GetGlobalConfig -- Returns a copy of the global configuration.
SYNOPSIS
globalcfg = GetGlobalConfig()
D0
struct GlobalConfig *GetGlobalConfig();
FUNCTION
Returns a copy of the global configuration. The structure is your
private READ-ONLY copy of the actual structure. Beware that some
STRPTR'ers in the returned structure could be NULL-pointers.
The structure must be deallocated with
              FreeBRObject()
 INPUTS
 RESULT
globalcfg - Structure with global configuration. Returns a NULL
    pointer on failure.
```

EXAMPLE NOTES Some of the STRPTR in the structure may be NULL-pointers. BUGS SEE ALSO

```
ConfigGlobal()
```

# 1.30 bbsread.library/GetMarkedMsg()

NAME GetMarkedMsg -- Get messagenumbers of marked messages SYNOPSIS msgnrbuf = GetMarkedMsg( conf, usebuf, offset, numof ) D0 AO A1 D1 D2 ULONG \* GetMarkedMsg( struct ConfListItem \*, ULONG \*, ULONG, ULONG ); FUNCTION Returns the mesagenumbers of the marked (unread) messages. If there is not enough messages to fill the supplied buffer, the rest of the entries will be NULL'ed out. INPUTS conf - Pointer to conference to get marked messages in. usebuf - Pointer to the buffer to hold the messagenumbers in, must atleast of (numof \* sizeof(ULONG)) length. offset - Where in the list over marked messages to start reading. numof - Number of messagenumbers to get. RESULT msgnrbuf - Pointer to the buffer containing the messagenumers. On failure, a NULL pointer is returned. EXAMPLE NOTES BUGS SEE ALSO

# 1.31 bbsread.library/GetSignature()

NAME GetSignature -- Return the prefered signature.

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SYNOPSIS signature = GetSignature( globals, bbs, conf) D0 A0 Α1 Α2 STRPTR GetSignature( struct GlobalConfig \*, struct BBSListItem \*, struct ConfListItem \* ); FUNCTION Returns the signature to use in a message in the conf conference in the bbs BBS. The pointer returned is only valid until the next time you call this function. If the prefered signature is a file signature, the signature will be loaded and the returned pointer will point to a buffer holding the signature. INPUTS globals - Pointer to your copy of the global configuration. bbs - Pointer to BBSListItem for bbs to get signature for. Can be a NULL-pointer. conf - Pointer to ConfListItem for the conference to get signature for. Can be a NULL-pointer. RESULT signature - Returns a string pointer for the signature to use. Returns a NULL-pointer if there is no defined signature or if the function failed. On failure, IoErr() will be non-zero. Will also return a NULL pointer if a NO\_SIGNATURE flag is set. EXAMPLE NOTES The pointer returned may be a copy of the Signature string pointer in either GlobalConfig, BBSData or ConfData. Therefore the pointer is only valid as long as you don't free or update any of these structures. BUGS SEE ALSO 1.32 bbsread.library/GetTagFile() NAME GetTagFile -- Return the prefered tag file. SYNOPSIS tagfile = GetTagFile( globals, bbs, conf) D0 A0 A1 A2 STRPTR GetTagFile( struct GlobalConfig \*, struct BBSListItem \*, struct ConfListItem \* );

FUNCTION Returns the tag file to use in a message in the conf conference in the bbs BBS.

INPUTS globals - Pointer to your copy of the global configuration. bbs - Pointer to BBSListItem for bbs to get tag file for. Can be a NULL-pointer. conf - Pointer to ConfListItem for the conference to get tag file for. Can be a NULL-pointer. RESULT tagfile - Returns a string pointer for the tag file to use. Returns a NULL-pointer if there is no defined tag file. Will also return a NULL pointer if a NO\_TAG flag is set. EXAMPLE NOTES The pointer returned is a copy of the tag file string pointer in either GlobalConfig, BBSData or ConfData. Therefore the pointer is only valid as long as you don't free or update any of these structures. BUGS SEE ALSO

# 1.33 bbsread.library/GetTypeList()

```
NAME
GetTypeList -- Returns a list of available BBS types
SYNOPSIS
typelist = GetTypeList()
D0
struct List * GetTypeList( void );
FUNCTION
Returns an Exec list with the available BBS types. This list is your
private READ-ONLY copy of the actual list, and you will not notice
if anything is changed, i.e. BBS types added or deleted.
Each node in the list has tl_Node.ln_Name set to tl_Data->td_TypeName.
You are free to use tl_Node.ln_Name for your own purposes.
The list must be deallocated with
              FreeBRObject()
 INPUTS
 RESULT
typelist - Exec list of the available BBS types. The list consist of
    TypeListNode structures. Returns a NULL pointer on failure.
```

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NOTES

BUGS

SEE ALSO <bbsread.h>

## 1.34 bbsread.library/MakeEventPackage()

```
NAME
MakeEventPackage -- Make event package for a bbs
SYNOPSIS
error = MakeEventPackage( bbs, tagitems )
D0
                          Α0
                                  Α1
LONG MakeEventPackage( struct BBSListItem *, struct TagItem * );
error = MakeEventPackageTags( bbs, Tag1, ... )
LONG MakeEventPackageTags ( struct BBSListItem *, ULONG, ... );
FUNCTION
This function calls up the command to pack and archive the events for
this BBS. The command used is the one set up in the typedata for the
BBS. This function returns success if no eventpacker is configured
for the bbstype of this bbs.
The tags that are not understood are forwarded to dos.library/
SystemTagList(). Look at dos.library/SystemTagList() for futher
information on tags.
The BDF_EVENTS_CHANGED flag will be cleared for this bbs if this
function returns success.
INPUTS
bbs - Pointer to BBSListItem for bbs.
tagitems - Pointer to TagItem array. Tags not defined for
    MakeEventPackage() are passed to dos.library/SystemTagList(). See
    <dos/dostags.h>. Both dos.library/SystemTagList() tags and
    dos.library/CreateNewProc() tags may be passed.
Here are the TagItem.ti_Tag values that are defined for
MakeEventPackage().
EP_PublicScreen - Public screen for eventpacker to open possible
    progress windows on is in (STRPTR) ti_Data. The public screen name
    is forwarded to the packer as a parameter.
 RESULT
error - 0 for success, result from command, or -1. Note that on
    error, the caller is responsible for any filehandles or other
    things passed in via tags.
```

EXAMPLE

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NOTES
bbs->bl_Data->bd_Flags will be updated by MakeEventPackage().
BUGS
SEE ALSO
dos.library/SystemTagList(), dos.library/CreateNewProc(),
<dos/dostags.h>
```

# 1.35 bbsread.library/MarkMessage()

```
NAME
MarkMessage -- Mark or unmark messages
SYNOPSIS
error = MarkMessage( conf, tagitems )
D0
                      AΟ
                              Α1
BOOL MarkMessage ( struct ConfListItem *, struct TagItem * );
error = MarkMessageTags( conf, Tag1, ... )
BOOL MarkMessageTags ( struct ConfListItem *, ULONG, ... );
FUNCTION
Use this function to mark or unmark messages.
INPUTS
conf - Pointer to conference to mark or unmark messages in.
tagitems - Pointer to TagItem array.
Here are the TagItem.ti_Tag values that are defined for
MarkMessage().
MM_MarkMessage - The messagenumber to mark is in (ULONG) ti_Data.
MM_MarkArray - An array of ULONG containing messages to mark is
    pointed to by (ULONG *) ti_Data. A NULL pointer terminates the
    array.
MM_UnMarkMessage - The messagenumber to unmark is in (ULONG) ti_Data.
MM_UnMarkArray - An array of ULONG containing messages to unmark is
    pointed to by (ULONG *) ti_Data. A NULL pointer terminates the
    array.
MM_SuperMarking - The mark tags will set the MDF_SUPERMARKED flag and
   the unmark tags will clear the MDF_SUPERMARKED flag if (BOOL)
    ti_Data is TRUE.
MM_Reset - Unmark all marked messages if (BOOL) ti_Data is TRUE.
MM_MineFirst - Move marked messages to user first if (BOOL)
```

ti Data is TRUE. MM\_Reference - Move marked messages in reference order if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. MM\_ToAllFirst - Move marked messages to all first if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. MM\_SortByMsgNumbers - Sort the marked messages by its messagenumbers if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. MM\_GroupSubject - Group marked messages by subject if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. MM\_Reverse - Reverse the order of the marked messages if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. MM\_SortAlphabetical - Sort alphabetically on subject or author (depending on what other tag is given in) if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. MM\_SortByAuthor - Sort by author names if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. RESULT error - Returns TRUE on failure. EXAMPLE NOTES Super marked messages can only be unmarked when the MM\_SuperMarking tag is set to TRUE. BUGS

SEE ALSO

# 1.36 bbsread.library/PackDataFile()

```
NAME

PackDataFile -- Removes all deleted entrys from a datafile

SYNOPSIS

fail = PackDataFile( tagitems )

D0 A0

struct TagItem * PackDataFile( struct TagItem * );

fail = PackDataFileTags( Tag1, ... )

struct TagItem * PackDataFileTags( ULONG, ... );

FUNCTION

A function for 'packing' datafiles. This means removing all deleted

information from the datafile. This function supports callback

progress hooks.
```

INPUTS tagitems - Pointer to TagItem array.

Here are the TagItem.ti\_Tag values that are defined for PackDataFile().

- PD\_EventData Clean up event data base for a bbs. The bbs to clean up is pointed by (struct BBSListItem \*) ti\_Data. No progress callback for PD\_EventData.
- PD\_Conference Pack the datafiles of the conference given in (struct ConfListItem \*) ti\_Data. Messages will be deleted acording to ConfData.cd\_KeepMsg and ConfData.cd\_KeepTime. A conference is packed in two passes. First pass deletes messages, and the second pass actually packs the message data files. BRProgress.brp\_Actions is only used for the first pass.
- PD\_UserData Pack the datafiles for the user database on the bbs pointed by (struct BBSListItem \*) ti\_Data.
- PD\_KillData Pack the datafiles for the kill database on the bbs pointed by (struct BBSListItem \*) ti\_Data.
- PD\_FileData Pack the datafiles for the file database on the bbs pointed by (struct BBSListItem \*) ti\_Data.
- PD\_SavePackedBRIEF Name of file to save packed messages in BRIEF format is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. All messages which are deleted because of KeepTime and KeepMsg will be saved to this file. If the file exists, the messages will be appended to the file. Default is not to save any messages. This tag is ignored if the PD\_Conference tag is not given.

RESULT

fail - NULL on success. On failure, it points to the tag which caused the failure.

EXAMPLE

NOTES

BUGS

SEE ALSO

# 1.37 bbsread.library/ParseGrab()

NAME ParseGrab -- Parse a grab and add it's messages. SYNOPSIS error = ParseGrab( grabnode, tagitems ) D0 Α0 Α1 LONG ParseGrab( struct Node \*, struct TagItem \* ); error = ParseGrabTags( grabnode, Tag1, ... ) LONG ParseGrabTags ( struct Node \*, ULONG, ... ); FUNCTION This calls up the command for adding messages in a grab to the message database. The grabnode parameter \*must\* be a node from a list returned by ScanForGrabs() . The command used is the one set up in the typedata for the BBS. The tags that are not understood are forwarded to dos.library/ SystemTagList(). Look at dos.library/SystemTagList() for futher information on tags. INPUTS grabnode - Pointer to Node structure. tagitems - Pointer to TagItem array. See <dos/dostags.h>. Both dos.library/SystemTagList() tags and dos.library/CreateNewProc() tags may be passed. Here are the TagItem.ti\_Tag values that are defined for ParseGrab(). PG\_PublicScreen - Public screen for eventpacker to open possible progress windows on is in (STRPTR) ti Data. The public screen name is forwarded to the parser as a parameter. This screen name will also be used if ParseGrab() opens any reqtools requesters. PG\_RequestWindow - Reference window for requesters opened by the ParseGrab() function is pointed by (struct Window \*) ti\_Data. If this tag is omitted or is NULL and reqtools is not available will requesters appear on the default public screen. RESULT error - 0 for success, result from command, or -1. Note that on error, the caller is responsible for any filehandles or other things passed in via tags. EXAMPLE NOTES This funtion uses requools requesters if reqtools.library is available. The requools requesters opens on PG\_PublicScreen if this

#### 1.38 bbsread.library/PGPBREvents()

```
NAME
PGPBREvents -- PGP sign and/or encrypt events.
SYNOPSIS
error = PGPBREvents( bbs, tagitems )
DO
                     A0
                             Α1
ULONG PGPBREvents ( struct BBSListItem *, struct TagItem * );
error = PGPBREventsTags(bbs, Tag1, ...)
ULONG PGPBREventsTags(struct BBSListItem *, ULONG, ...);
FUNCTION
This function will PGP sign and/or encrypt BREV_MsqFile files if the
BREV_PGPSignID and/or BREV_PGPEncryptID tag is used in an event. The
encrypted and/or signed message (with ascii armour) is stored on the
disk under the same main name as the orginal text file, but with an
added .asc extension.
This function is meant to be used by event packers before packing any
events.
Will not PGP sign and/or encrypt if the file containg the
encrypted/signed message is older than the BREV_MsgFile or the event
hasn't been changed since the encryption/signing.
 INPUTS
bbs - BBS to sign and/or encrypt events on.
tagitems - Pointer to TagItem array. Tags not defined for
    PGPBREvents() are passed to dos.library/SystemTagList().See
    <dos/dostags.h>. Both dos.library/SystemTagList() tags and
    dos.library/CreateNewProc() tags may be passed.
Here are the TagItem.ti_Tag values that are defined for
PGPBREvents().
PGP_PublicScreen - Public screen name for pass phrase requester
    (needed when signing messages) is pointed (STRPTR) ti_Data.
    Default is default public screen.
RESULT
error - 0 on success. On failure will the number of the event which
```

failed be returned. EXAMPLE NOTES BUGS

SEE ALSO

# 1.39 bbsread.library/ReadBREvent()

NAME ReadBREvent -- Read a event from the database. SYNOPSIS eveobj = ReadBREvent( bbs, eventnr, tagitems ) DO A0 D1 Α1 APTR ReadBREvent ( struct BBSListItem \*, ULONG, struct Tagitem \* ); eveobj = ReadBREventTags( bbs, eventnr, Tag1, ... ) APTR ReadBREventTags ( struct BBSListItem \*, ULONG, ULONG, ... ); FUNCTION Reads the data about an event from the database. TNPUTS bbs - Pointer to BBSListItem structure returned in GetBBSList() eventnr - Number of the event to get data for. tagitems - Pointer to TagItem array. Here are the TagItem.ti\_Tag values that are defined for ReadBREvent(). RBREV\_EventTagsPtr - Where to put a pointer to the loaded event tagarray is pointed by (struct TagItem \*\*) ti\_Data. This tagarray contains all the BREV\_#? tags for this event. These are the same as supplied with WriteBREvent() when this event was added to the database. If the event is marked as deleted or if ReadBREvent() fails, \*(struct TagItem \*\*) ti\_Data) will be set to NULL. RBREV\_EventType - Where to put the type of this event is pointed by (ULONG \*) ti\_Data. RBREV\_EventDate - Where to put the date when the event was added to the database is pointed by (ULONG \*) ti\_Data. The date is in seconds from 01-Jan-1978. RBREV\_Flags - Where to put the flags for this event is pointed by

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eveobj if eveobj is (APTR) -1.

You are allowed to change the returned strings. (They must not be made any longer)

BUGS

SEE ALSO

# 1.40 bbsread.library/ReadBRFile()

NAME ReadBRFile -- Read the data for a file from the database. SYNOPSIS fileobj = ReadBRFile( farea, filenr, tagitems ) D0 A0 D1 Α1 APTR ReadBRFile( struct FAreaListItem \*, ULONG, struct Tagitem \* ); fileobj = ReadBRFileTags( farea, filenr, Tag1, ... ) APTR ReadBRFileTags ( struct FAreaListItem \*, ULONG, ULONG, ... ); FUNCTION Reads the data for a file from the database. TNPUTS farea - Pointer to FAreaListItem structure returned in GetFAreaList() filenr - Number of file to get data for. tagitems - Pointer to TagItem array. Here are the TagItem.ti\_Tag values that are defined for ReadBRFile(). RBRF\_FileTagsPtr - Where to put a pointer to the loaded file tagarray is pointed by (struct TagItem \*\*) ti\_Data. This tagarray contains all the BRFILE\_#? tags for this file. These are the same as supplied with

WriteBRFile() when this file was written to the database. If the file is marked as deleted or if ReadBRFile() fails, \*(struct TagItem \*\*) ti\_Data) will be set to NULL. RBRF\_FileDate - Where to put the date when the file was added to the database is pointed by (ULONG \*) ti\_Data. The date is in seconds from 01-Jan-1978. RBRF\_Flags - Where to put the flags for this file is pointed by (LONGBITS \*) ti\_Data. See <libraries/bbsread.h> for definitions. RBRF\_NextFile - Where to put the number of the next file in the same file area as this file is pointed by (ULONG \*) ti\_Data. This tag \*must\* be used when traversing trough all files in a file area. The number of the first file in a file area is in the file areas FAreaData structure. A 0 means there are no more files in this file area. RESULT userobj - Returns NULL on failure. On success, fileobj \*must\* be passed to FreeBRObject() if it is anything else than (APTR) -1. EXAMPLE NOTES No need to FreeBRObject() fileobj if fileobj is (APTR) -1. You are allowed to change the returned strings. (They must not be made any longer) BUGS

SEE ALSO

# 1.41 bbsread.library/ReadBRKill()

NAME ReadBRKill -- Read the data for a kill from the database. SYNOPSIS killobj = ReadBRKill( bbs, killnr, tagitems ) D0 A0 D1 A1 ULONG ReadBRKill( struct BBSListItem \*, ULONG, struct Tagitem \* ); killobj = ReadBRKillTags( bbs, killnr, Tag1, ... ) ULONG ReadBRKill( struct BBSListItem \*, ULONG, ULONG, ... );

FUNCTION Read the data for a kill from the database. INPUTS bbs - Pointer to BBSListItem structure returned in GetBBSList() killnr - Number of kill to get data for. tagitems - Pointer to TagItem array. Here are the TagItem.ti\_Tag values that are defined for ReadBRKill(). RBRK\_KillTagsPtr - Where to put a pointer to the loaded kill tagarray is pointed by (struct TagItem \*\*) ti\_Data. This tagarray contains all the BRMSG\_#? tags for this kill. These are the same as supplied with WriteBRKill() when this kill was written to the database. If the kill is marked as deleted or if ReadBRKill() fails, \*((struct TagItem \*\*) ti\_Data) will be set to NULL. RBRK\_KillDate - Where to put the date when the kill was added to the database is pointed by (ULONG \*) ti\_Data. The date is in seconds from 01-Jan-1978. RBRK\_LastKill - Where to put the date when this kill last killed is pointed by (ULONG \*) ti\_Data. The date is in seconds from 01-Jan-1978. RBRK\_Flags - Where to put the flags for this kill is pointed by (LONGBITS \*) ti\_Data. See <libraries/bbsread.h> for definitions. RESULT killobj - Returns NULL on failure. On success, killobj \*must\* be passed to FreeBRObject() if it is anything else than (APTR) -1. EXAMPLE NOTES No need to FreeBRObject() userobj if userobj is (APTR) -1. You are allowed to change the returned strings. (They must not be made any longer) BUGS SEE ALSO

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# 1.42 bbsread.library/ReadBRMessage()

NAME ReadBRMessage -- Read a message from the database. SYNOPSIS msgobj = ReadBRMessage( conf, msgnr, tagitems ) D0 Α0 D1 Α1 APTR ReadBRMessage ( struct ConfListItem \*, ULONG, struct TagItem \* ); msgobj = ReadBRMessageTags( conf, msgnr, Tag1, ... ) AO D1 D0 Α1 APTR ReadBRMessageTags ( struct ConfListItem \*, ULONG, ULONG, ... ); FUNCTION Read data about a message from the database. The multiple parts in multipart messages should be presented in the order they are found in the taglist. BRMSG\_Text should always be presented first. TNPUTS conf - Pointer to ConfListItem structure returned in GetConfList msgnr - Number of the message to get data for. tagitems - Pointer to TagItem array. Here are the TagItem.ti\_Tag values that are defined for ReadBRMessage(). RBRMSG\_MsgTagsPtr - Where to put a pointer to the loaded message tagarray is pointed by (struct TagItem \*\*) ti\_Data. This tagarray contains all the BRMSG\_#? tags for this message. These are the same as supplied with WriteBRMessage() when this message was added to the database. If the message is marked as deleted or if ReadBRMessage() fails, \*(struct TagItem \*\*) ti\_Data) will be set to NULL. RBRMSG MsqDate - Where to put the date when the message was added to the database is pointed by (ULONG \*) ti\_Data. The date is in seconds from 01-Jan-1978. RBRMSG\_Reference - Where to put the number of the message this message refers to is pointed by (ULONG \*) ti\_Data. If the reference is 0, this message has no references. RBRMSG\_FirstRef - Where to put the number of the first message which refers to this message is pointed by (ULONG \*) ti\_Data. RBRMSG\_LastRef - Where to put the number of the last message which

refers to this message is pointed by (ULONG \*) ti\_Data.

- RBRMSG\_PrevRef Where to put the number of the previous message which refers to the same message as this message is pointed by (ULONG \*) ti\_Data.
- RBRMSG\_NextRef Where to put the number of the next message which refers to the same message as this message is pointed by (ULONG \*) ti\_Data.
- RBRMSG\_Flags Where to put the flags for this message is pointed by (LONGBITS \*) ti\_Data. See <libraries/bbsread.h> for definitions.
- RBRMSG\_GetHeader Tags considered as header fields are returned in the message tagarray if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. Default is TRUE. To be used in combination with RBRMSG\_MsgTagsPtr. What tags which are considered as header fields are defined in <libraries/bbsread.h>
- RBRMSG\_GetText Tags considered as text fields are returned in the message tagarray if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. Default is TRUE. To be used in combination with RBRMSG\_MsgTagsPtr. What tags which are considered as text fields are defined in <libraries/bbsread.h>

RESULT msgobj - Returns NULL on failure. On success, msgobj \*must\* be passed to FreeBRObject() if it is anything else than (APTR) -1.

#### EXAMPLE

NOTES No need to FreeBRObject() msgobj if msgobj is (APTR) -1.

You are allowed to change the returned strings. (They must not be made any longer)

BUGS

SEE ALSO

#### 1.43 bbsread.library/ReadBRUser()

NAME ReadBRUser -- Read the data for an user from the database. SYNOPSIS userobj = ReadBRUser( bbs, usernr, tagitems ) D0 A0 D1 A1 APTR ReadBRUser( struct BBSListItem \*, ULONG, struct Tagitem \* ); userobj = ReadBRUserTags( bbs, usernr, Tag1, ... ) APTR ReadBRUserTags ( struct BBSListItem \*, ULONG, ULONG, ... ); FUNCTION Reads the data for an user from the database. INPUTS bbs - Pointer to BBSListItem structure returned in GetBBSList() eventnr - Number of user to get data for. tagitems - Pointer to TagItem array. Here are the TagItem.ti\_Tag values that are defined for ReadBRUser(). RBRUSR\_UserTagsPtr - Where to put a pointer to the loaded user tagarray is pointed by (struct TagItem \*\*) ti\_Data. This tagarray contains all the BRUSR\_#? tags for this user. These are the same as supplied with WriteBRUser() when this user was written to the database. If the user is marked as deleted or if ReadBRUser() fails, \*(struct TagItem \*\*) ti\_Data) will be set to NULL. RBRUSR\_UserDate - Where to put the date when the user was added to the database is pointed by (ULONG \*) ti\_Data. The date is in seconds from 01-Jan-1978. RBRUSR\_Flags - Where to put the flags for this user is pointed by (LONGBITS \*) ti\_Data. See <libraries/bbsread.h> for definitions. RESULT userobj - Returns NULL on failure. On success, userobj \*must\* be passed to FreeBRObject() if it is anything else than (APTR) -1. EXAMPLE NOTES No need to FreeBRObject() userobj if userobj is (APTR) -1.

You are allowed to change the returned strings. (They must not be made any longer)  $% \left( \left( {{{\mathbf{x}}_{i}}} \right) \right)$ 

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# 1.44 bbsread.library/ReadPassiveConfList()

```
NAME
ReadPassiveConfList -- Read the passive conference list.
 SYNOPSIS
passConfList = ReadPassiveConfList( bbs )
D0
                                    AΟ
struct List * ReadPassiveConfList( struct BBSListItem * );
FUNCTION
Gives you a list of all conferences in the passive conference list
datafiles. The passive conference list is a list of *all* available
conferences at the bbs. It should be used when the user want to send
a join event. Returns a list of struct PassConfListItem. The
pl_Node.ln_Name pointer equals the pl_Name pointer.
 TNPUTS
bbs - Pointer to the bbs which the list should be read from.
RESULT
passConfList - Pointer to the list header of the passive conference
    list. The list *must* be freed with a call to
              FreeBRObject()
    Returns NULL on failure or if no passive conference list is
    available. IoErr() will be set on failure.
 EXAMPLE
 NOTES
 BUGS
 SEE ALSO
```

#### 1.45 bbsread.library/ScanForGrabs()

```
NAME
ScanForGrabs -- Scans download directory for grabs.
SYNOPSIS
grablist = ScanForGrabs( void )
D0
struct MinList * ScanForGrabs( void );
FUNCTION
Scans the download directory for grabs. The BBS'es with waiting grabs
is returned in a list of struct Node. Node.ln_Name points to the name
of the BBS.
```

If there are more than one grab from a BBS, there will be a node in the list for each grabfile. The nodes in the list are sorted on the name of the grabfile. By this the grabs are sorted correct if they are numbered. The grabs should be parsed in the order they are found in the list. The list must be deallocated with

FreeBRObject()

INPUTS

RESULT grablist - Pointer to MinList structure. List contains Node structures. Returns an empty list if there are no new grabs. Returns NULL-pointer on failure and sets IoErr() if possible.

EXAMPLE

NOTES

Returns NULL-pointer if gc\_DnloadPath isn't set with GlobalConfig().

BUGS

SEE ALSO

#### 1.46 bbsread.library/SearchBRFile()

```
NAME
SearchBRFile -- Search file database.
 SYNOPSIS
found = SearchBRFile( tagitems )
D0
                         Α0
struct SFileResult * SearchBRFile( struct TagItem * );
found = SearchBRFileTags( Tag1, ... )
struct SFileResult * SearchBRFileTags( ULONG, ... );
FUNCTION
This function scans the filedatabase for a file matching the given
searchkey. It's possible to search a file area or all file areas on a
bbs.
Supports callback progress hooks tags.
INPUTS
tagitems - Pointer to TagItem array.
Here are the TagItem.ti_Tag values that are defined for
SearchBRFile().
```

SBRF SearchFAreaList - List of file areas to search in is pointed by (struct List \*) ti\_Data. The list \*MUST\* have been obtained with GetFAreaList() . The point of this tag is to be able to search all file areas on a bbs in one call. SBRF\_SearchFArea - Search the file area pointed by (struct FAreaListItem \*) ti\_Data. This tag has higher priority than the SBRF\_SearchFAreaList tag. SBRF\_SearchStr - String to search for is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. Wildcards are allowed. SBRF\_SearchName - Search for a file with a name matching SBRF\_SearchStr exact if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. Default is FALSE. SBRF\_SearchAll - Search all strings for a match with SBRF\_SearchStr if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. Default is FALSE. This tag has higher priority than the SBRF\_SearchName tag. SBRF\_NewerThan - Find files newer than (ULONG) ti\_Data. Time is in seconds since 1. January 1978 RESULT found - Pointer to a SFileResult structure containing the results of the search. The SFileResult structure must be deallocated with FreeBRObject() . Returns a NULL pointer if no matches where found

. Returns a NULL pointer if no matches where found or if the function failed. IoErr() will be non null on failure.

#### EXAMPLE

NOTES This function will fail if neither SBRF\_SearchBBS nor SBRF\_SearchFArea is given in the taglist.

If found->fr\_NextResult is non NULL, a linked list of SFileResult
structures is returned.

BUGS

SEE ALSO

#### 1.47 bbsread.library/SearchBRMessage()

NAME SearchBRMessage -- Search for messages in a conference. SYNOPSIS found = SearchBRMessage( conf, tagitems ) D0 A0 A1

struct SearchResult \* SearchBRMessage( struct ConfListItem \*, struct TagItem \* ); found = SearchBRMessageTags( conf, tag1, ... ) struct SearchResult \* SearchBRMessageTags( struct ConfListItem \*, ULONG, ... ); FUNCTION Search through the messages in a conference. The search is not case sensitive. Standard AmigaDOS wildcards are supported. Supports callback progress hooks tags. INPUTS conf - Conference to search in. tagitems - Pointer to TagItem array. Here are the TagItem.ti\_Tag values that are defined for SearchBRMessage(). SC FindString - String to search for is in (STRPTR) ti Data. There can be searched for more than one string on each call by using this tag more than once. As of V3, this tag is no longer needed when searching. SC\_FromUser - Search for messages from the user in (STRPTR) ti\_data. SC\_ToUser - Search for messages to the user in (STRPTR) ti\_data. Overrides the SC\_ToAll tag. SC\_FromMessage - Message number to start searching at is in (ULONG) ti\_Data. Default is to start at the first message in the conference. SC\_ToMessage - Message number to end searching at is in (ULONG) ti\_Data. Default is to end at the last message in the conference. SC\_SearchSubject - Search in the subject if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. Default value for this tag is TRUE. SC\_SearchMessage - Search in the message if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. Default value for this tag is TRUE. SC\_SearchComment - Search in the comment if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. Default value for this tag is TRUE. SC\_MessageArray - Message numbers to search is in a NULL-terminated array of ULONG pointed by (ULONG \*) ti\_Data. This tag overrides the SC\_FromMessage and SC\_ToMessage tags. SC\_ToAll - Search for messages to ALL if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. SC\_KeptMessages - Search for messages with the MDF\_KEEP flag set if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE.

SC\_NewerThan - Search for messages newer than (ULONG) ti\_Data. The time is in seconds since 1. January 1978. SC\_OlderThan - Search for messages older than (ULONG) ti\_Data. The time is in seconds since 1. January 1978. RESULT found - Pointer to a SearchResult structure containing the results of the search. The SearchResult structure must be deallocated with FreeBRObject() . Returns a NULL pointer if no matches where found or the function failed. IOErr() will be non null on failure. EXAMPLE NOTES If found->sr\_NextResult is non NULL, a linked list of SearchResult structures is returned. The found->sr\_Messages[] array is garantied to be NULL terminated. BUGS SEE ALSO

# 1.48 bbsread.library/SearchBRUser()

NAME SearchBRUser -- Search user database. SYNOPSIS found = SearchBRUser( bbs, tagitems ) D0 A0 A1 struct SUserResult \* SearchBRUser( struct BBSListItem \*, struct TagItem \* ); found = SearchBRUserTags( bbs, Tag1, ... ) struct SUserResult \* SearchBRUserTags( struct BBSListItem \*, ULONG, ... ); FUNCTION This function scans the userdatabase for an user at the given BBS. When suggesting users, SoundEx hashing will be used to suggest user names which match the search string. If there are more than one nam

names which match the search string. If there are more than one name in the search string, the first and the last will be used to narrow the suggestions. The search order is aliases, names, addresses and comment.

Standard AmigaDOS wildcards is supported.

INPUTS bbs - Pointer to BBS to search in. namestr - Name to search for. tagitems - Pointer to TagItem array. Here are the TagItem.ti\_Tag values that are defined for SearchBRUser(). SBRU\_SearchStr - String to search for is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. SBRU\_SearchName - Search for a name matching SBRU\_SearchStr exact if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. Default is TRUE. SBRU\_SearchAddr - Search for a address matching SBRU\_SearchStr exact if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. Default is TRUE. SBRU\_SearchAlias - Search for a alias matching SBRU\_SearchStr exact if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. Default is TRUE. SBRU\_SearchComment - Search in comment for a match to SBRU\_SearchStr if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. Default is FALSE. When wildcards are used, the search pattern must match a line in the comment. SBRU\_SuggestUsers - A list of suggestions for user names if SBRU\_SearchStr doesn't match any user names in the database will be pointed by \*((struct MinList \*\*) ti\_Data) when this function returns. The list will consist of UserSuggestion structures. The list pointer may be a NULL-pointer if no users where found or if there was a failure. NB: The list \*must\* be freed with FreeBRObject() . This tag is ignored when the SBRU\_SearchName tag is FALSE or if SBRU\_SearchStr contains wildcards. RESULT found - Pointer to a SUserResult structure containing the results of the search. The SUserResult structure must be deallocated with FreeBRObject() . Returns a NULL pointer if no matches where found or if the function failed. IoErr() will be non null on failure. EXAMPLE NOTES If found->ur\_NextResult is non NULL, a linked list of SUserResult structures is returned.

BUGS

SEE ALSO

## 1.49 bbsread.library/SortMessageArray()

```
NAME
 SortMessageArray -- Sorts messagenumbers in an array by the given method (V5
)
  SYNOPSIS
 msgnrbuf = SortMessageArray( conf, usebuf, method )
 D0
                           A0
                                 A1
                                          D0
 ULONG * SortMessageArray( struct ConfListItem *, ULONG * );
  FUNCTION
  Sorts the NULL-terminated array usebuf according to the given method.
  TNPUTS
 conf - Pointer to conference to use for the array
 usebuf - Pointer to the buffer that contains the messagenumbers.
   NOTE: The buffer must be NULL-terminated.
 method - What method should be used when sorting the messages. See
   braries/bbsread.h> for definitions
  RESULT
 msgnrbuf - Pointer to the buffer containing the messagenumbers.
     On failure, a NULL pointer is returned.
  EXAMPLE
  NOTES
  BUGS
```

SEE ALSO

#### 1.50 bbsread.library/StartOfAdding()

```
NAME

StartOfAdding -- Call before adding a grab. (Used by MsgParser)

SYNOPSIS

void StartOfAdding( bbs )

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void StartOfAdding( struct BBSListItem * );

FUNCTION

Function for MsgParser to call before doing anything with UnArchiving

or parsing. Locks your access to add a grab to this BBS. Makes sure

2 or more processes do not add the same grab simultaneously.

Each call to this function must be coupled with a call to
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EndOfAdding()

INPUTS

RESULT EXAMPLE NOTES BUGS SEE ALSO	bbs ·	- Pointer	to	BBSListItem	for	BBS	to	start	adding	to.
NOTES BUGS	RES	ULT								
BUGS	EXAI	MPLE								
	NOTI	ES								
SEE ALSO	BUG	S								
	SEE	ALSO								

EndOfAdding()

# 1.51 bbsread.library/TypeFromBBS()

NAME TypeFromBBS - Returns the TypeListItem structure of a BBS. SYNOPSIS bbstype = TypeFromBBS( bbs ) D0 Α0 struct TypeListItem \* TypeFromBBS( struct BBSListItem \* ); FUNCTION Returns the TypeListItem structure correspondig to the type of the bbs parameter. Use this function instead of searching the type list by name for the correspondig TypeListItem. The TypeListItem structure returned is not a part of a list, so don't use the tl\_Node. The structure must be deallocated with FreeBRObject() INPUTS bbs - Pointer to the BBSListItem to get the type of. RESULT bbstype - Pointer to a TypeListItem for the bbs. Returns a NULL pointer on failure. EXAMPLE NOTES BUGS SEE ALSO

# 1.52 bbsread.library/UnArchive()

NAME UnArchive -- Unarchives an archive. SYNOPSIS error = UnArchive( archive, tagitems ) D0 Α0 Α1 BOOL UnArchive( STRPTR, struct TagItem \* ); error = UnArchiveTags( archive, Tag1, ...) LONG UnArchiveTags ( STRPTR, ULONG, ...); FUNCTION This function unarchives an archive. The type of archiver to use is determined with the global configuration for the library. If no archivetypes match this archive, the function will return failure. The ability to return failure when the unarchivers fail depends on how the unarchivers behave. Files which match no known archiver will be copied to the destination. Files with .txt extension and files without extension are treated as text files and trailing numbers in the file name will be removed. (.txt extension will also be removed) The tags not understood are forwarded to dos.library/SystemTagList(). Look at dos.library/SystemTagList() for futher information on tags. INPUTS archive - Pointer to path and name of archive to unarchive. tagitems - Pointer to TagItem array. See <dos/dostags.h>. Both dos.library/SystemTagList() tags and dos.library/CreateNewProc() tags may be passed. Here are the TagItem.ti\_Tag values that are defined for UnArchive(). UA\_RetrieveFile - File to retrieve from archive is in (STRPTR) ti\_Data. More than one of this tag can be passed. If this tag is omitted, all files in archive will be unarchived. UA DestDir - Path to destination directory is in (STRPTR) it Data. Default is to use current directory as destination directory. UA\_ArchiverUsed - Where to put a pointer to the ArcConfigItem structure for the archiver used in archive is pointed by (struct ArcConfigItem \*\*) ti\_Data. The ArcConfigItem structure returned is not a part of a list, so don't use the ac\_Node. The structure must be deallocated with FreeBRObject() . You get a NULL when no identifiable archiver is used or the function failed with -1.

RESULT
error - 0 for success, result from archiver, or -1. Note that on
 error, the caller is responsible for any filehandles or other
 things passed in via tags.
EXAMPLE
NOTES
BUGS
If a destination directory is spesified, the archive \_must\_ be given
with an absolute path.

SEE ALSO

## 1.53 bbsread.library/UniqueMsgFile()

NAME UniqueMsgFile -- Create a unique message file (for events) SYNOPSIS filename = UniqueMsgFile( bbs, filepart, tagitems ) D0 Α0 A1 A2 STRPTR UniqueMsgFile( struct BBSListItem \*, STRPTR \*, struct TagItem \* ); filename = UniqueMsgFileTags(bbs, filepart, Tag1, ... ) STRPTR UniqueMsgFileTags( struct BBSListItem \*, STRPTR \*, ULONG, ... ); FUNCTION Creates a unique message file to be used with BREV\_MsgFile and BREV\_DetailedFileDescr tags. The file is created in the directory for the given bbs. If the type of the bbs has td\_InitMsgFile set, the command will be used to initialize the msg file. INPUTS bbs - Pointer to BBSListItem for bbs. filepart - Pointer to STRPTR where to put the pointer to the file part of the filename and path returned. The pointer returned in \*filepart must be used in the BREV\_MsgFile and BREV\_DetailedFileDescr tags. tagitems - Pointer to TagItem array. Here are the TagItem.ti\_Tag values that are defined for UniqueMsgFile(): UMF\_Extension - Extension to use for message file is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. The default extension is "msg". UMF\_UseTag - What message tag the file should be used for is in (ULONG) ti\_Data. The default value is BREV\_MsgFile.

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SEE ALSO
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# 1.54 bbsread.library/UpdateBREvent()

NAME UpdateBREvent -- Updates the flags of one event. SYNOPSIS success = UpdateBREvent( bbs, eventnr, tagitems ) D0 A0 D1 Α1 BOOL UpdateBREvent( struct BBSListItem \*, ULONG, struct TagItem \* ); success = UpdateBREventTags( bbs, eventnr, Tag1, ... ) BOOL UpdateBREventTags ( struct BBSListItem \*, ULONG, ULONG, ... ); FUNCTION Lets you update the flags of an event. This function will set the BDF\_EVENTS\_CHANGED flag for this BBS. The priority of the flags are: (highest to lowest) EDF\_DELETED, EDF\_DONE, EDF\_ERROR, EDF\_FREEZE, EDF\_PACKED. INPUTS bbs - BBS to update event on. eventnr - Eventnr to update. tagitems - Pointer to TagItem array. Here are the TagItem.ti\_Tag values that are defined for UpdateBREvent(). UBRE\_SetDeleted - Set EDF\_DELETED flag if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. Will clear EDF\_PACKED and EDF\_ERROR flags.

UBRE\_ClearDeleted - Clear EDF\_DELETED flag if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE.

UBRE\_SetPacked - Set EDF\_PACKED flag if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. This flag is for use against BBS'es where evenets are sent in packages. Set this flag when the event is packed into the package. Then use this flag to delete the events done when the package is successfully sent. This makes it possible to repack a package easily without loosing any events.

UBRE\_ClearPacked - Clear EDF\_PACKED flag if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE.

UBRE\_SetError - Set EDF\_ERROR flag if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. Set this flag if the event couldn't be executed. While this flag is set, event packers should ignore this event. Will clear the EDF\_PACKED flag.

UBRE\_ClearError - Clear EDF\_ERROR flag if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE.

UBRE\_SetDone - Set EDF\_DONE flag if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. This flag should be set when an event is successfully executed. Events marked with this flag will be removed from the datafile when packing the eventdata.

UBRE\_ClearDone - Clear EDF\_DONE flag if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE.

UBRE\_SetFreeze - Set EDF\_FREEZE flag if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. When his flag is set, event pakkers should ignore this event. Will clear the EDF\_PACKED flag.

UBRE\_ClearFreeze - Clear EDF\_FREEZE flag if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE.

UBRE\_Activate - Activate event if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. Will clear EDF\_FREEZE, EDF\_DONE, EDF\_ERROR, EDF\_PACKED and EDF\_DELETED flags.

RESULT success - Boolean.

EXAMPLE

NOTES

bbs->bl\_Data->bd\_Flags and bbs->bl\_Data->bd\_NumEvents will be updated by UpdateBREvent().

BUGS

SEE ALSO

WriteBREvent()

#### 1.55 bbsread.library/UpdateBRMessage()

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NAME UpdateBRMessage -- Updates the flags of one message. SYNOPSIS success = UpdateBRMessag( conf, msgnr, tagitems ) D0 A0 D1 Α1 BOOL UpdateBRMessage ( struct ConfListItem \*, ULONG, struct TagItem \* ); success = UpdateBRMessageTags( conf, msgnr, Tag1, ... ) BOOL UpdateBRMessageTags ( struct ConfListItem \*, ULONG, ULONG, ... ); FUNCTION Lets you update the flags of a message. INPUTS conf - Pointer to conference where to update message. msgnr - Number of the message to . tagitems - Pointer to TagItem array. Here are the TagItem.ti\_Tag values that are defined for UpdateBRMessage(). UBRM\_SetDelete - Set MDF\_DELETED flag if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. Will also unmark the message if it is marked. UBRM\_ClearDelete - Clear MDF\_DELETED flag if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. Will fail if MDF\_UNRECOVERABLE flag is set. UBRM\_SetKeep - Set MDF\_KEEP flag if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. UBRM\_ClearKeep - Clear MDF\_KEEP flag if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. UBRM\_SetReplied - Set MDF\_REPLIED flag if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. UBRM\_ClearReplied - Clear MDF\_REPLIED flag if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. UBRM\_SetUrgent - Set MDF\_URGENT flag if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. UBRM\_ClearUrgent - Clear MDF\_URGENT flag if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. UBRM\_SetImportant - Set MDF\_IMPORTANT flag if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. UBRM\_ClearImportant - Clear MDF\_IMPORTANT flag if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. UBRM\_ClearMarked - Clear MDF\_MARKED flag (make msg read) if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. UBRM\_SetMarked - Set MDF\_MARKED flag (make msg unread) if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. UBRM\_SetSuperUnread - Set MDF\_SUPERMARKED flag if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. UBRM\_ClearSuperUnread - Clear MDF\_SUPERMARKED flag if (BOOL) ti\_Data is

URBM\_SetHazeLevel - Haze Level to set for message is in (ULONG) ti\_Data. Possible haze levels are 0 to 3. 0 - No hazing. 1 - The message will be kept at least as long as GlobalConfig->gc\_HazeLevel1 seconds. 2 - The message will be kept at least as long as GlobalConfig->gc\_HazeLevel2 seconds. 3 - The message will be kept at least as long as GlobalConfig->gc\_HazeLevel3 seconds. URBM\_SetConfidential - Set MDF\_CONFIDENTIAL flag if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. URBM\_ClearConfidential - Clear MDF\_CONFIDENTIAL flag if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. RESULT success - Boolean. EXAMPLE NOTES BUGS

SEE ALSO

### 1.56 bbsread.library/UpdateDataStruct()

```
NAME
UpdateDataStruct -- Updates data structures.
SYNOPSIS
fail = UpdateDataStruct( tagitems )
D0
                            Α0
struct TagItem * UpdateDataStruct( struct TagItem * );
fail = UpdateDataStructTags( Tag1, ... )
struct TagItem * UpdateDataStructTags( ULONG, ... );
FUNCTION
Function for updating data structures. This metod involves less
overhead than freeing an getting a new data structure. If you don't
use the UD_RemoveDeleted tag, you will be garanteed that all entrys
in the lists are still there. The entrys in a list may have changed
order, and there may have been inserted new nodes.
 INPUTS
tagitems - Pointer to TagItem array.
Here are the TagItem.ti_Tag values that are defined for
UpdateDataStruct().
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UD_ConfList - Conference list to update datastructures in is pointed
    by (List *) ti_Data.
UD_ConfItem - ConfListItem structure to update is in (struct
    ConfListItem *) ti_Data.
UD_BBSList - BBS list to update datastructures in is pointed by
    (List *) ti Data.
UD_BBSItem - BBSListItem structure to update is in (struct
    BBSListItem *) ti_Data.
UD_FAreaList - File area list to update datastructures in is pointed
    by (List *) ti_Data.
UD_FAreaItem - FAreaListItem structure to update is in (struct
   FAreaListItem *) ti_Data.
UD RemoveDeleted - Remove deleted entries in lists if (BOOL) ti Data
    is TRUE. Default is FALSE.
RESULT
fail - NULL on success. On failure, it points to the tag which caused
   the failure.
EXAMPLE
 NOTES
 BUGS
 SEE ALSO
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# 1.57 bbsread.library/WriteBREvent()

NAME WriteBREvent -- Adds a event to a bbs. SYNOPSIS eventnr = WriteBREvent( bbs, event, tagitems ) A0 D0 D1 Α1 ULONG WriteBREvent( struct BBSListItem \*, ULONG, struct TagItem \* ); eventnr = WriteBREventTags( bbs, event, Tag1, ... ) ULONG WriteBREventTags ( struct BBSListItem \*, ULONG, ULONG, ... ); FUNCTION This function adds a event to the list of events to be done on the next call to the BBS. Available eventtypes and what tags that are allowed to use with the different event types are defined in the BBSType for this BBS. Be

sure to pass all the NeedTags with apropriate values. This function will set the BDF\_EVENTS\_CHANGED flag for this BBS. INPUTS bbs - Pointer to the BBSListItem for the bbs to add the event to. event - What type of event to add. For a list of types se <libraries/bbsread.h> tagitems - Pointer to TagItem array. Here are the TagItem.ti\_Tag values that are defined for WriteBREvent(). BREV\_ToName - Name to send to is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. BREV\_ToAddr - Address to send to is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. BREV\_Subject - Subject of message is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. Must not be longer than TypeData->td\_SubjectLength. BREV\_Conference - Name of conference is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. BREV\_RefNr - The number of the message to reply to is in (ULONG) ti\_Data. The message number is the number this message has in the local database. BREV\_RefOrginalNr - Number of the message on BBS to reply to is in (ULONG) ti Data. BREV\_RefId - The idstring of the message to reply to is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. BREV\_MsgFile - Name of file with text is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. Filename is relative to bbs->bl\_BBSPath. Each line in this file should not be longer than TypeData->td\_LineLength. BREV\_Private - Message should be flagged as private if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. Default value is FALSE. BREV\_LocalFile - Path and name of local file is in (STRPTR) ti\_Data. BREV\_Directory - Directory for file to up/down load is in (STRPTR) ti\_Data. This is the remote directory. BREV\_FileName - Name of file to upload/download is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. This is the remote filename. It must not be longer than TypeData->td\_FileNameLen. BREV\_DownloadNotify - Notify on download if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. Default value is FALSE. BREV\_FileDescr - File description is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. Must not be longer than TypeData->td\_FileDescrLen. BREV\_DetailedFileDescr - Name of file with detailed file description is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. Filename is relative to bbs->bl\_BBSPath. Each line in this file should not be longer than TypeData->td\_LineLength. BREV\_FromMessageNr - Message number to start at is in (ULONG) ti\_Data. BREV\_ToMessageNr - Message number to end at is in (ULONG) ti\_Data. BREV\_CommandString - Command string is in (STRPTR) ti\_Data.

BREV\_Boolean - Boolean value is in (BOOL) ti\_Data. BREV\_Date - Time in seconds since 1.January 1978 is in (ULONG) ti\_Data.

- BREV\_PGPSignID Id for key to sign with is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. It's preferable that the keyid is used to identify a key. (e.g. 0x5B4231FD) Using a '\*' will sign with the first key in the secret keyring.
- BREV\_PGPEncryptID Id for key(s) to encrypt with is pointed by
   (STRPTR) ti\_Data. It's preferable that the keyid is used to
   identify a key. (e.g. 0x5B4231FD) If more than one key are used to
   encrypt, the id for each key should be separeated with a space.
- BREV\_RefConference Name of the conferene of the message to reply to is in (STRPTR) ti\_Data. This tag is to be used when replying messages to other conferences than the conference of the orginal message. Should ony be used when the bbs type has the TDF\_GLOBAL\_REPLIES flag set.
- BREV\_Urgent Flag event as urgent if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. Default
  value is FALSE.
- BREV\_Important Flag event as important if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. Default value is FALSE.
- BREV\_Confidential Flag event as confidential if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. Default value is FALSE.
- BREV\_ReturnReceipt Set return reciept flagg for event if (BOOL)
  ti\_Data is TRUE. Default value is FALSE.
- BREV\_Encode8bit Encode outgoing text if it is 8 bit and (BOOL)
  ti\_Data is TRUE. Default value is FALSE.
- WBREV\_UpdateEventNr Update event with event number (ULONG) ti\_Data. All old tags for this event will be discarded. Will clear the flags set for this event.

RESULT

eventnr - The number the event got in the database. Returns 0 on failure.

EXAMPLE

NOTES All strings is considerd to be in ISO charset.

bbs->bl\_Data->bd\_LastEvent, bbs->bl\_Data->bd\_NumEvents and bbs->bl\_Data->bd\_Flags will be updated by WriteBREvent().

BUGS

SEE ALSO

# 1.58 bbsread.library/WriteBRFile()

NAME WriteBRFile -- Write an entry to the file database. SYNOPSIS filenr = WriteBRFile( farea, tagitems ) D0 Α0 Α1 ULONG WriteBRFile( struct FAreaListItem \*, struct TagItem \* ); filenr = WriteBRFileTags( farea, Tag1, ... ) ULONG WriteBRFileTags( struct FAreaListItem \*, ULONG, ... ); FUNCTION Writes an entry to a file area in the file database for a bbs. TNPUTS farea - Pointer to FAreaListItem for file area to write file to. tagitems - Pointer to TagItem array. Here are the TagItem.ti\_Tag values that are defined for WriteBRFile(). BRFILE\_Name - The name the file is identified with on the bbs is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. This tag must be supplied when adding or updating file tags. BRFILE\_Date - The date the file has on the bbs is in (ULONG) ti\_Data. The time is in seconds since 1. January 1978. BRFILE\_Size - The size of the file is in (ULONG) ti\_Data. BRFILE\_Description - A (short) description of the file is in a NULL terminated STRPTR array pointed by (STRPTR \*) ti\_Data. Each STRPTR represents a line of text. No newline characters are allowed. BRFILE\_Downloads - Number of times the file has been downloaded from the bbs is in (ULONG) ti\_Data. WBRF\_UpdateFileNr - Update the file with filenumber (ULONG) ti\_Data. All old tags for this file will be discarded. WBRF\_DeleteFile - Mark the file with file number supplied in the WBRF\_UpdateFileNr tag as deleted if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. This tag is ignored when the WBRF\_UpdateFileNr tag is not supplied. RESULT filenr - The number the file got in the database. Returns 0 on failure.

EXAMPLE

NOTES

BUGS

SEE ALSO

# 1.59 bbsread.library/WriteBRIEFMsg()

```
NAME
WriteBRIEFMsg -- Write a message in BRIEF.
SYNOPSIS
error = WriteBRIEFMsg( fileid, conf, msgnr )
D0
                               A1
                                     D0
                        A0
BOOL WriteBRIEFMsg( APTR, struct ConfListItem *, ULONG );
FUNCTION
Writes a message in BRIEF to a file opened by
              BufBROpen()
INPUTS
fileid - APTR to BBSRead file handler.
conf - Pointer to ConfListItem for conference.
msgnr - Message number to write.
RESULT
error - Boolean.
EXAMPLE
NOTES
BUGS
 SEE ALSO
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# 1.60 bbsread.library/WriteBRKill()

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NAME

WriteBRKill -- Write an entry to the kill database.

SYNOPSIS

killnr = WriteBRKill( bbs, tagitems )

D0 A0 A1

ULONG WriteBRKill( struct BBSListItem *, struct TagItem * );

killnr = WriteBRKillTags( bbs, Tag1, ...)
```

ULONG WriteBRKillTags( struct BBSListItem \*, ULONG, ... ); FUNCTION Writes an entry to the kill database for aa bbs. This kill database is used during message adding. Killed messages will be added to the database, but will not be marked as unread unless WBRK\_MarkDeleted is used, in which case the message is NOT added to the database. A message will be killed if the message data matches \*one\* of the kills for a bbs. Kills can also be used to set message flags, see tags below. INPUTS bbs - Pointer to BBSListItem for bbs to wtitekill to. tagitems - Pointer to TagItem array. Here are the TagItem.ti\_Tag values that are defined for WriteBRKill(). BRMSG #? - All normal message tags can be used in a kill. Standard AmigaDos wildcards can be used in all string tags. In string array, tags all given lines must match one line in the corresponding tag in the message. At least one message tag must be supplied to add a kill. BRKILL\_Conference - Which conference to kill in is pointed by (STRPTR)

- BRKILL\_Conference Which conference to kill in is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. Standard AmigaDos wildcards can be used. Default value for this tag is '#?'.
- BRKILL\_Private The kill will only match private messages if (BOOL) ti\_Date is TRUE. If (BOOL) ti\_Date is FALSE, the kill will only match non-private messages. The default is not to regard the private flag.
- BRKILL\_Description A description the user can use for this kill is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. New for V5 of bbsread.library.
- WBRK\_UpdateKillNr Update the kill will kill number (ULONG) ti\_Data. All old tags and flags for this kill will be discarded.
- WBRK\_DeleteKill Mark the kill with the kill number supplied in the WBRK\_UpdateKillNr tag as deleted if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE.
- WBRK\_MarkKeep Mark messages matching the kill with MDF\_KEEP if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. The message will be marked as unread.
- WBRK\_MarkUrgent Mark messages matching the kill with MDF\_URGENT if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. The message will be marked as unread.
- WBRK\_MarkImportant Mark messages matching the kill with MDF\_IMPORTANT if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. The message will be marked as unread.
- WBRK\_MarkDeleted Mark messages matching the kill with MDF\_DELETED if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. The message will not be written do the database in this case. (4.66+)

WBRK MarkHazeLevel - Mark messages matching the kill with the haze level according to (ULONG) ti\_Data. Possible haze levels are 0 to 3. The message will be marked as unread. 0 - No hazing. 1 - The message will be kept at least as long as GlobalConfig->gc\_HazeLevel1 seconds. 2 - The message will be kept at least as long as GlobalConfig->gc\_HazeLevel2 seconds. 3 - The message will be kept at least as long as GlobalConfig->gc\_HazeLevel3 seconds. RESULT killnr - The number the kill got in the database. Returns 0 on failure. EXAMPLE NOTES WBRK\_MarkDeleted is new for 4.66 and higher BRKILL Description is new for V5. BUGS

SEE ALSO

#### 1.61 bbsread.library/WriteBRMessage()

NAME WriteBRMessage -- Writes a messsage to a conference. SYNOPSIS msgnr = WriteBRMessage( conf, tagitems ) D0 A0 Α1 ULONG WriteBRMessage( struct ConfListItem \*, struct TagItem \* ); msgnr = WriteBRMessageTags( conf, Tag1, ... ) ULONG WriteBRMessageTags( struct ConfListItem \*, ULONG, ... ); FUNCTION This funtions Writes a message to a conference. The multiple parts in multipart messages should be put in the taglist in the order they should be presented. BRMSG\_Text should always contain the first text part of the message. INPUTS conf - Pointer to the ConfListItem for the conference to Write the message to. tagitems - Pointer to TagItem array. Here are the TagItem.ti\_Tag values that are defined for WriteBRMessage().

- BRMSG\_FromName The name of the user who this message is written by is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. This is only the 'real name' of the author. This tag must be supplied.
- BRMSG\_FromAddr The address of the user this messag is written by is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. This is the author's net-address. The name needn't redundantly be repeated in this field, if it's already in BRMSG\_FromName. Only use this if the message is in a network conference.
- BRMSG\_ToName The name of the user who this message is to is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. This is only the 'real name'. When adding messages with no receiver (to all), use a NULL pointer in ti\_Data or omit this tag.
- BRMSG\_ToAddr The address of the user this messag is to is pointed by
  (STRPTR) ti\_Data. This is the addressed person's net-address. The
  name needn't redundantly be repeated in this field, if it's
  already in BRMSG\_ToName. Only use this if the message is in a
  network conference. This tag can only be used when you use the
  BRMSG\_ToName tag.
- BRMSG\_MsgID The message ID string is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. Use this tag when the message has a string as idenificator. This id is considered to be unique.
- BRMSG\_OrginalNr The number this message has on the BBS is in (ULONG) ti\_Data. Use this tag when the message has a number as identificator.
- BRMSG\_RefID If this message is an answer (STRPTR) ti\_Data points to the ID string for the message this message refer to.
- BRMSG\_RefNr If this message is an answer (ULONG) ti\_Data contains the messagenumber this message refer to. The messagenumber is the number the refered message has on the BBS.
- BRMSG\_CreationDate The time the message was created is in (ULONG) ti\_Data. The time is in seconds since 1.January 1978.
- BRMSG\_CreationDateTxt The time the message was created is in
   (STRPTR) ti\_Data. The formating of the string is free. Use this
   when it is impossible to use BRMSG\_CreationDate
- BRMSG\_Subject The subject of the message is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. This tag must be supplied.
- BRMSG\_ReplyConf The name of the conference a reply to this message should be put is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. If the message is private, it should only be moved if it is possible to have private messages in this conference.
- BRMSG\_ReplyName Name of the user a reply of this message should go to is in (STRPTR) ti\_Data. Same format as BRMSG\_ToName.

BRMSG\_ReplyAddr - The address of the user a reply of this message

should go to is in (STRPTR) ti\_Data. Same format as BRMSG\_ToAddr.

- BRMSG\_Comment Comments concerning this message is in a NULL terminated STRPTR array pointed by (STRPTR \*) ti\_Data. Each STRPTR represents a line of text. No newline characters are allowed. Header information not used in anoter tag could be put here.
- BRMSG\_Text The text in this message is in a NULL terminated STRPTR array pointed by (STRPTR \*) ti\_Data. Each STRPTR represents a line of text. No newline characters are allowed. This tag must be supplied, but can point to a 0 line STRPTR array. Any information that do not belong to the orginal text must not be put here. The text may be of any size. Lines may be of any length. It is up to the reader program to wrap lines if needed.
- BRMSG\_BinaryPart File name for file containing the binary part is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. Paths should be relative to bbs->bl\_BBSPath, but absolute paths are alloved. This tag can be used more than once in a message.
- BRMSG\_BinaryPartDesc A description of the binary part is pointed by (STRPTR) ti\_Data. The N'th use of this tag describes the n'th use of the BRMSG\_BinaryPart tag. This tag must be used each time the BRMSG\_BinaryPart tag is used.
- BRMSG\_BinaryPartComment Comments concerning a binary part is in a NULL terminated STRPTR array pointed by (STRPTR \*) ti\_Data. Each STRPTR represents a line of text. No newline characters are allowed. The N'th use of this tag comments the n'th use of the BRMSG\_BinaryPart tag. This tag must be used each time the BRMSG\_BinaryPart tag is used. It's legal for the comment to contain 0 lines.
- BRMSG\_TextPart If the message contains more than one text part, the parts beyond the first part should use this tag. The text is in a NULL terminated STRPTR array pointed by (STRPTR \*) ti\_Data. Each STRPTR represents a line of text. No newline characters are allowed. This tag can be used more than once in a message.
- BRMSG\_TextPartComment Comments concerning a text part is in a NULL terminated STRPTR array pointed by (STRPTR \*) ti\_Data. Each STRPTR represents a line of text. No newline characters are allowed. The N'th use of this tag comments the n'th use of the BRMSG\_TextPart tag. This tag must be used each time the BRMSG\_TextPart tag is used. It's legal for the comment to contain 0 lines.
- BRMSG\_MsgPart A tag array for a message part is pointed by (TagItem
  \*) ti\_Data. The tagarry can contain \*all\* message tags, and \*must\*
  contain at least one BRMSG\_#? tag. This tag can be used more than
  once in a message.
- WBRMSG\_MarkMessage Message will be marked if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. NB: Default is TRUE. Messages written by bd\_UserName/gc\_GlobalUserName which not are to bd\_UserName and messages which matches a normal kill will not be marked.

WBRMSG\_Private - Message is flaged as private if (BOOL) ti\_Data is

TRUE. Default is FALSE.

- WBRMSG\_Read Message is flagged as read by reciever if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. Default is FALSE.
- WBRMSG\_Urgent Message is flagged as urgent if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. Default is FALSE.
- WBRMSG\_Important Message is flagged as important if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. Default is FALSE.
- WBRMSG\_Confidential Message is flagged as confidential if (BOOL) ti\_Data is TRUE. Default is FALSE.
- WBRMSG\_ToFromUserStatus The status of the MDF\_TO\_USER and MDF\_FROM\_USER flags this message should have is in (LONGBITS) ti\_Data. When this tag is used, the sender or receiver will \*not\* be matched against the name and/or address of the user. When using this tag, the parser is responsible for checking if the message is to or from the user.

RESULT

msgnr - The number the message got in the database. Returns 0 on failure and -1 if the message matched a kill that would delete the message, in which case the message will not be added to the database.

EXAMPLE

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Some examples for splitting addresses in 'Name' and 'Address':
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RFC:

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"Martin Horneffer <maho@balrog.dfv.rwth-aachen.de>"
-> name: "Martin Horneffer"
address: "maho@balrog.dfv.rwth-aachen.de"
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"horneff@pool.informatik.rwth-aachen.de (Martin Horneffer)"
-> name: "Martin Horneffer"
    address: "horneff@pool.informatik.rwth-aachen.de"
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"horneff@pool.informatik.rwth-aachen.de"
-> name: "horneff"
address: "horneff@pool.informatik.rwth-aachen.de"

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FidoNet:
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"Martin Horneffer at 2:242/7.9"
-> name: "Martin Horneffer"
   address: "2:242/7.9"
"Joerg Gutzke at 2:242/7"
-> name: "Joerg Gutzke"
   address: "2:242/7"
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NOTES All strings is considered to be in the BRCS\_ISO charset. To get the

# 1.62 bbsread.library/WriteBRUser()

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NAME
WriteBRUser -- Writes a user to a bbs.
SYNOPSIS
usernr = WriteBRUser( bbs, tagitems )
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ULONG WriteBRUser( struct BBSListItem *, struct TagItem * );
usernr = WriteBRUserTags( bbs, Tag1, ... )
ULONG WriteBRUserTags( struct BBSListItem *, ULONG, ... );
FUNCTION
Writes a user to the userdatabase for a bbs.
TNPUTS
bbs - Pointer to BBSListItem for bbs to write user to.
tagitems - Pointer to TagItem array.
Here are the TagItem.ti_Tag values that are defined for
WriteBRUser().
BRUSR_Name - The name the user has om this bbs is pointed by (STRPTR)
    ti_Data. This tag must be supplied when adding or updating a user.
BRUSR_Address - The address the user has on this bbs is pointed by
    (STRPTR) ti_Data.
BRUSR_Alias - Alias to use for refering to this user is pointed by
    (STRPTR) ti_Data. This alias can be used to look up this user
    in the database.
BRUSR_Comment - A comment that can be attatched to this user is in a
    NULL terminated STRPTR array pointed by (STRPTR *) ti_Data. Each
    STRPTR represents a line of text. No newline characters are
    allowed.
BRUSR_Encode8BitMsg - Encode 8 bit private messages to this user if
    (BOOL) ti_Data is TRUE. Default is FALSE. Only applicable when the
    TDF_SUPPORTS_ENCODE_8BIT_MAIL flag is set for the bbstype of this
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BRUSR_PGPkeyID - The PGP key ID for this users PGP key is pointed by
    (STRPTR) ti_Data.
WBRUSR_UpdateUserNr - Update the user with user number (ULONG)
    ti_Data. All old tags for this user will be discarded.
WBRUSR_DeleteUser - Mark the user with the usernumber supplied in the
    WBRUSR_UpdateUserNr tag as deleted if (BOOL) ti_Data is TRUE.
    This tag is ignored when the WBRUSR_UpdateUserNr tag is not
    supplied.
WBRUSR_OnlyIfNotExist - If (BOOL) ti_Data is TRUE, the user will only
    be written to the database if the name given in BRUSR_Name don't
    exist in the database. Default is FALSE. This tag is ignored when
    updating users with WBRUSR_UpdateUserNr.
 RESULT
usernr - The number the user got in the database. Returns 0 on
    failure.
 EXAMPLE
 NOTES
 BUGS
 SEE ALSO
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## 1.63 bbsread.library/WritePassiveConfList()

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NAME
WritePassiveConfList -- Write to the passive conference list.
 SYNOPSIS
error = WritePassiveConfList( bbs, passConfList )
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BOOL WritePassiveConfList ( struct BBSListItem *, struct List * );
FUNCTION
Writes a list of conference names to the passive conference list
datafiles. The old list is deleted before writing this new one. The
passive conference list is a list of *all* available conferences at
the bbs. It should be used when the user want to send a join event.
The list should only be written when the parser has got a list over
all conferences at the bbs. If you don't have the internal number for
the conference, pl_BBSConfNr must be initalized to -1.
INPUTS
bbs - Pointer to the bbs which the list should be written to.
passConfList - Pointer to a list of struct PasssConfListItem.
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RESULT error - Boolean.

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