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A Replacement for the Word for Windows 1.1 "File New" Command
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Read the documentation and decide if you would prefer the 8-template or 12-template version of **FileNew**. Then double click on the appropriate box below and a new FileNew and FileNewUpdate macro will be installed in your NORMAL.DOT file.

~~WARNING!~~

If you already have a custom-made File New, clicking on one of these boxes will wipe it out!

On the other hand, if you have a regular, old, everyday File New (that is, if you haven't Pinecliffe International

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gone way out of your way to change the File New command that is at the top of the "File" pull-down menu), then clicking on the 8-Template or 12-Template installers here won't hurt a thing. At worst, it'll take an extra click to get back to the File New you've always know. At best, you may never want to use that &*\$%@! old File New again!

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This ... uh ... new **FileNew** is part of a collection of macros known as the Word for Windowsä Office POWER Packä (yeah, we're gonna go legit and claim a Trademark). **WOPR**, pronounced "Whopper", consists of 17 documents / files / macros / programs – with WinWord it's hard to tell the difference! Here's the packing list, with filenames listed in blue, if you have a color monitor:

- **WOPR.DOC**, which contains seven useful Little**WOPR**s:
 - WOPRClock 1.1 – WinWord's answer to Big Ben
 - LABELIT 1.0 – No-hassle three-at-a-time (3.3 x 4.0 inch) labels
Labelit has one associated file, **AV5164.LAB**
 - VIEWER 1.0 – View the ASCII characters that correspond to what's on your screen
 - COPY LIBRARY – Canned WordBASIC commands and routines, ready-to-use
 - FANCY KEYS 1.0 – Pick and choose predefined power-user key assignments
 - KILLER 1.0 – Yep, you can finally do a File Delete
 - WORD COUNTER 1.0 – Counts words in a document, or just the ones you select
- **2X4.DOC**, Two-by-Four 1.0 – save paper squeezing 2 or 4 pages on one sheet
- **FILENEW.DOC**, Replaces WinWord's old FileNew. Makes template management a breeze. From Lee Hudspeth & Associates and Plan B Consulting (a joint venture).
- **TREASURE.DOC**, A Treasure Hunt for new, useful menu assignments and macros you can use every day. From Ellen Nagler and ENDuser Systems, Boston.
- **ENVR32.DOC**, Enveloper 3.2 – print envelopes on LaserJets, DeskJets, compatibles. Enveloper has four associated files:
 - **DEMOUNLD.EXE** and **DEMOUNLD.EXE**, demo's of Neil Taylor's Download
 - **YOUR.PCL** and **DONTBEND.PCL**, two sample logos to try on your printer
- **PSENVR32.DOC**, PostScript Enveloper 3.2 – PostScript envelopes, from Vince Chen! PS Enveloper has five associated files:
 - **FONTDIR.EXE**, **.PIF**, and **.TXT**, Vince Chen's PostScript font routines
 - **&LOGO.PFB** and **FONTLIST.PS**, which are used by FONTDIR
- **DNGR20.DOC**, Dinger 2.0 – insert any character from any font into your documents, which includes ENDuser Systems' QwikSymbol

All of these 17 files are to be distributed together, as one package, known as the

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The files are often grouped as a pair of self-extracting files called

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*If you are missing any of these files, you do not have the entire **WOPR** package: contact the person or company that sent you the files, to ensure you receive any missing pieces.*

Want to play Global Thermonuclear War? Heh heh.....

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If you've managed to wade this far into the **WOPR** package, you're probably growing weary of our writing style, boilerplate and the rest. So..... we have a treat in store! Merely click on §-and you'll be treated to documentation straight from one of the authors of this new **FileNew** – and one of the country's best-known WinWord consultants – Jim Lee of Plan B Consulting. Or, if you just want very quick installation instructions designed for beginners, double-click on §-:

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If you have a color monitor, you will soon discover that DocCruiser lets you double-click on any word or phrase that appears §, to let you cycle through related topics that happen to be strung throughout the documentation. (Take **that**, HyperCard!)

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WOPR is dedicated to all those people who registered earlier versions of **Enveloper** and **Dinger** – and spurred us on to bigger and better things.

WOPR is our response to all your requests: it's a handful of sophisticated macros that tackle many of the most common problems WinWord users encounter every day. They're all right here, in one package, finally!

Special thanks to those who have helped us get the word out. **WOPR** will thrive – with more and better macros for all of us! – as the base of registered users grows. We're trying hard to let the world know about **WOPR**, and trust the registration will follow. Those who have taken **WOPR** under their wing have made it possible to turn a few, tentative macros into the collection you see here. Thanks for your help!

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Overview: Why Do I Need a *NEW* FileNew? And How Do I Install It?

The current Word for Windows FileNew works. It ain't broke. Why fix it?

Try this new **FileNew**. We think you'll see why. Real quick.

We at Pinecliffe International were so impressed with this beast that we asked Lee Hudspeth and Jim Lee if we could include it in **WOPR**. Hey, no problem. You **WOPRs** out there deserve the best. You got it.

What makes **FileNew** so nice is that it helps everybody, from WinWord novice to gnarly WordBASIC veteran. No matter if you've been using WinWord for a week or a year, you'll probably find the new **FileNew** a great improvement over the old FileNew!

If you're new to WinWord, you can set up **FileNew** (or have a friend set up **FileNew**) so you can actually see a real-English description of your templates. You don't have to scroll through a long list of meaningless max-eight-character file names like "LTRHDBOS" for the boss's letterhead, or "INVSMLLOG" for an invoice with a small logo. You can give your templates meaningful names like "Memo on small paper" or "Long form Invoice with Pre-printed Signature".

If you're a WinWordWizard, we think you'll like the new **FileNew**, too, because it lets you bypass all the old FileNew garbage. Tired of scrolling through a hundred different templates to get at the one you want? Some Wizards, we hear, start the names of all their important templates with "NOR" so WinWord (which always pops up on "NORMAL.DOT") will let them get at their most-used templates faster. Well, you don't need to do that anymore. **FileNew** takes care of it for you.

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Quick install of **FileNew**: just click on the "8-Template" box on the first page of this document. That's it!

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This version of **FileNew** has been tested on a wide array of computers, Windows setups, etc., and it seems to work quite well with all of them. However, sometimes there are strange things that happen, and documentation is never complete. Please, if you encounter a problem – no matter how major or minor – let us know!

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Registration

If you use **FileNew**, § register **WOPR**! It's a sad-but-true fact that it costs money to develop and support a package like this. Think of it as voting for more software of this caliber with your checkbook. Or your company's checkbook. Or both!

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FileNew is not "cripple-ware". You have the entire, fully-functional package in front of you, embedded in this file, FILENEW.DOC, and in the template LPFNEW.DOT. (You even have the source code, if you want to play with it.) We haven't held anything back. **FileNew** has no run-time "pester screens" begging you to register, no delay loops to infuriate you, no hidden code or missing documentation. We've decided not to work that way, but instead to give you the best we've got. And all we've got. Up front.

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Most of all, though, registration entitles you to a hearty pat on the back for helping us keep **2 X 4, FileNew, Dinger, Enveloper**, and other Pinecliffe International WinWord titles alive and thriving. We *do* appreciate it! Thanks to you, more great macros are just around the corner.....

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The following was written by Paul Mayer – President of the ASP and author of GRAB Plus – and edited slightly to apply specifically to **WOPR**. (If you have clients or friends who haven't yet learned of the wonders of WinWord and **Enveloper**, you might recommend GRAB Plus to them: it's a top-notch envelope printing utility, and one of the most successful Shareware products around.) Take it away, Paul....

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.....Thanks, Paul. Couldn't have said it better ourselves.

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File New and File New Update

Ok, let's discuss why in the world you might want to replace Winword's native File New macro and what will happen if you do.

Winword has a fine File New menu option, but we found it somewhat difficult for new users. Its operation discourages the use of templates with most users opting to base every document on NORMAL.DOT. We thought it would be better to have a custom dialog box come up when you click on File New that would allow you to click on option buttons labeled with things like "My Business Letter". That way, when you wanted to write a letter you could just click on a button instead of having to scroll through Winword's template list looking for BUSINLTR. Additionally, some other useful functions should be on this dialog box such as a way to get to the default Winword File New or to Open or Create a template.

To create a dialog box (see Fig. 1 below) with useful descriptions and to have the dialog box option buttons trigger the right template was pretty straight forward; but there was still the problem of what to do when you created a new template and wanted the new one to show up in the dialog box. To make the File New replacement macro really useful there had to be a way to allow users to change, add, and delete menu descriptions and templates without having to actually go into the macro code.

Fig. 1 - this is the eight template version File New dialog box.

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Modifying the dialog box button (menu) descriptions

Each of the eight buttons (there is also a twelve button version if you use a lot of templates; dig into LPFNEW.DOT for more information) opens a new document based on a template associated with that button. The description and the associated template for each of the eight buttons can be changed without actually editing the macro code. The last option button on the new File New dialog box is "Modify this menu". Selecting that button will start the Update macro which will prompt you for the button you wish to change (see Fig. 2).

Fig. 2 - this is the Update Select dialog box for the eight template version of File New.

The OK and Cancel buttons have been cleverly disguised to read Change and Done. Selecting Change will take you to a dialog box (see Fig 3. below) that will show you the current button description on the File New dialog box, the template associated with that button, and allow you change one or both of these settings. By deleting the current menu description entirely, the macro will assign "Reserved x" to that button on the File New dialog box (where x is a letter from A to H depending on the button chosen).

Fig. 3 - this dialog box allows you to record your changes to the File New dialog box buttons.

You select the template to associate with the menu button by making a selection from the listbox of templates. The macro finds your templates by first checking to see if you have set up a DOT-Path in your WIN.INI file. If you have no DOT-Path, then the macro figures out which directory your WINWORD.EXE file is located in and checks for your templates there. If the list box comes up empty, you have found a way to fool both me and Winword into thinking you have no templates, even NORMAL.DOT! If you type in a new description and forget to select a template the macro will remind you to do both.

How it works

What makes all this possible is the fact that the File New dialog box is built "on the fly" from information stored in a private information file called MMASTER.INI. If you have never heard of this file before, don't worry, because there is no reason you should have.

The first time you run the replacement File New macro it will check for the MMASTER.INI file in your Windows directory (the directory you have installed Windows in, even if you have named it something other than "WINDOWS"). If it fails to find one, it will create one. Since no button description or template information have been recorded in the MMASTER.INI file yet, File New will assign the descriptions "Reserved x", where "x" is a letter from A to H (or A to L in the twelve button version), to each of the buttons. At this point there are no templates associated with any of the buttons.

So now you have started File New for the first time, it has created a MMASTER.INI file and you see a dialog box with a bunch of "Reserved A, Reserved B" stuff on it (see Fig 1). You select the "Modify this menu" button and click OK. You then get a dialog box showing you each numbered button and the current button description (see Fig. 2).

You assign descriptions and templates to suit your own needs. For example:

- 1) Select button number one.
- 2) Click on the Change button.
- 3) You will see a dialog box similar to Fig. 3. Type "A &Plain Document" without the quote marks. Note the ampersand (&), this determines which letter will be underlined for use as an accelerator key. Be sure to use a different accelerator key for each of the eight (or twelve) button descriptions.

Scroll the list of templates until you find NORMAL.DOT and click once on it. Then click on OK and you will be back at the dialog box shown in Fig. 2, only the button number one will have a new description. Repeat steps 1 - 3 until you have described all of the buttons and associated each with its proper template.

- 4) Click on the Done button when you have described all of the buttons and associated each with its proper template. The information you have entered will then be written out to the MMASTER.INI file. Now the File New macro is ready to go!

Some Warnings

Each time you select File New from Winword's menu bar the File New macro will read the

MMASTER.INI file to get the dialog box button descriptions and the associated templates. If you delete the MMASTER.INI file, the macro will recreate it and your choices will revert back to "Reserved x". If you delete a template that is associated with a File New button and then select that button, you will get a Microsoft Word error "Cannot open document". If you select a reserved button you will get the error message "no TEMPLATE associated with this selection".

On a more serious note (much more serious) is the issue of tinkering with the macro code. If you are gonna do it, you are gonna do it and we know that warning you not to will not do any good at all. So, if you are, you had better know the following:

The macro declares a function at the Windows program level, i.e., it is using a Windows DLL to read and write the private INI file discussed above. This function is not as completely seamless as it might be. Consider this:

If you fail to declare the variable you are using in the
GetPrivateProfileString statement prior to the statement you will
UAE.

If you try to pass a true null to the WritePrivateProfileString
statement you will UAE.

Now, in these two circumstances, you will UAE immediately, quite
possibly lock up your computer, do not pass go, do not collect
\$200, etc. No fooling, kids, do not try this at home, you mess
around with this at your own risk.

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A Handy Registration Form

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Dear Woody:

Enclosed is my registration fee for **WOPR 1.0**.

I would like to register as (check one):

Name and Address:

Contact Person (if appropriate):

CompuServe i.d. number (if available):

☐ I've enclosed a check (in U.S. Dollars, drawn on a U.S. bank) or postal money order payable to "Pinecliffe International" in the amount of: \$

☐ Please charge my ☐ MasterCard ☐ Visa, Account:
Expiration Date: For the amount of: \$

~~REGISTER BY PHONE! CALL 1-800-OK-WINWORD, have your credit card handy~~

I got my copy of **WOPR 1.0** from: (No, we aren't checking up on people! We're trying to see which bulletin boards, Shareware vendors, etc., are best for **WOPR**. If you got the package from a friend, just say "a friend", if you like – we don't need a name.)

Sincerely,

P.S. Things I would like to see in the next **WOPR**:

* We count users the same way as Microsoft, i.e., you should register one copy of WOPR for each copy of WinWord.