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Pascal III: Typeahead Killer

The following program demonstrates how to control the typeahead feature of the .CONSOLE driver. The Standard Drivers Manual and the Pascal Programmer's Manual explain how it works.

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PROGRAM KILL_TYPEAHEAD;

VAR CH:          CHAR;
    COMMAND:     INTEGER;

BEGIN
  WRITE (CHR (28)); GOTOXY (0,12);
  WRITE ('Typeahead: Kill, Restore, Abort: ');
  REPEAT
    READ (KEYBOARD, CH);
  UNTIL CH IN ['K', 'k', 'R', 'r', 'A', 'a'];
  GOTOXY (0,12);
  CASE CH OF
    'K', 'k': BEGIN
      COMMAND := 0;
      UNITSTATUS (1, COMMAND, 19);
      WRITE ('Typeahead is off.', CHR (31));
    END;
    'R', 'r': BEGIN
      COMMAND := 128;
      UNITSTATUS (1, COMMAND, 19);
      WRITE ('Typeahead is on.', CHR (31));
    END;
    'A', 'a': WRITE ('Aborted...', CHR (31));
  END; { CASE }
END.
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