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Pascal III: Typeahead Killer

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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: K)ill, R)estore, A)bort: ');  
    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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