# FSH\_PREVCHAR

## Purpose

This function provides the mechanism for decrementing a character point, taking into account DBCS considerations.

## **Calling Sequence**

void far pascal FSH\_PREVCHAR(pBeg, ppStr)
char far \* pBeg;
char far \* far \* ppStr;

#### Where

*pBeg* is a pointer to the beginning of a string.

*ppStr* is a pointer to the character pointer of a string.

The value is decremented appropriately upon return. If it is at the beginning of a string, the pointer is not decremented. If it points to the second byte of a DBCS character, it will be decremented to point to the first byte of the character.

### Returns

There are no error returns.

#### Remarks

The FSD is responsible for verifying the string pointer and checking for segment boundaries.

**Note**: OS/2 does not validate input parameters. An FSD, therefore, should call *FSH\_PROBEBUF* where appropriate.

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