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NAME

getlin - get line of input data

SYNOPSIS

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int getlin(indev)
int indev;
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int getl2(indev)
int indev;

DESCRIPTION

This subroutine reads data from the file specified by the file descriptor given as an argument and breaks it into individual lines terminated by a new line character.

Indev is the input file descriptor of an opened file. The number of characters read will be returned as the value of the function. Global variables <u>BUFP</u> and <u>LEN</u> will contain the address of the input line, and the length of the line, respectively. Global variables <u>BUFE</u> and <u>IBUF</u> are used by the routine, and should not be used by the users program.

The global variables used are:

		internal data buffer */
		user's data ptr */
char *BUFE;	/*	pointer to next location in IBUF */
int LEN;	/*	count of characters read */

<u>Getl2(indev)</u> is identical to <u>getlin(indev)</u>, except that the global variables <u>BUFP</u>, <u>LEN</u>, <u>BUFE</u>, and <u>IBUF</u> in <u>getlin(indev)</u>, are changed to <u>BUFP2</u>, <u>LEN2</u>, <u>BUFE2</u>, and <u>IBUF2</u>, respectively, in <u>getl2(indev)</u>.

LIBRARY

/lib/lib1.a

SEE ALSO

gets(3)