# asn1\_der\_decoding\_element(3)

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## **NAME**

 $asn1\_der\_decoding\_element$  - API function

## **SYNOPSIS**

#include <libtasn1.h>

int asn1\_der\_decoding\_element(asn1\_node \*structure, const char \*elementName, const void \*ider, intlen, char \*errorDescription);

## **ARGUMENTS**

asn1\_node \* structure pointer to an ASN1 structure

 ${f const}$   ${f char}$  \*  ${f elementName}$  name of the element to fill

 ${f const}$  void \* ider vector that contains the DER encoding of the whole structure.

int len number of bytes of \*der: der[0]..der[len-1]

**char \* errorDescription** null-terminated string contains details when an error occurred.

## **DESCRIPTION**

Fill the element named <u>ELEMENTNAME</u> with values of a DER encoding string. The structure must just be created with function <u>asn1\_create\_element()</u>. The DER vector must contain the encoding string of the whole <u>STRUCTURE</u>. If an error occurs during the decoding procedure, the \* <u>STRUCTURE</u> is deleted and set equal to **NULL**.

This function is deprecated and may just be an alias to asn1\_der\_decoding in future versions. Use asn1\_der\_decoding() instead.

#### **RETURNS**

ASN1\_SUCCESS if DER encoding OK, ASN1\_ELEMENT\_NOT\_FOUND if ELEMENT is NULL or <u>elementName</u> == NULL, and ASN1\_TAG\_ERROR or ASN1\_DER\_ERROR if the der encoding doesn't match the structure structure (\*ELEMENT deleted).

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#### SEE ALSO

The full documentation for **libtasn1** is maintained as a Texinfo manual. If the **info** and **libtasn1** programs are properly installed at your site, the command

#### info libtasn1

should give you access to the complete manual. As an alternative you may obtain the manual from:

http://www.gnu.org/software/libtasn1/manual/

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