AFP Resource and AFP Utilities for iSeries

There are five kinds of AFP resources. The following table describes the relationship between AFP resources and AFP Utilities for iSeries.

Table 1. Relationship between AFP resources and AFP Utilities for iSeries

AFP Resource	iSeries Object Type	Relationship to AFP Utilities
Overlay	*OVL	Create, change[1], copy, delete, print, rename, display and change description, and convert to a physical file.
Page segment	*PAGESEG	Create[2], copy, delete, print, rename, display and change description, and convert to a physical file.
Form definition	*FORMDF	A form definition[3] name or special value *INLINE can be specified for printing database file members.
Page definition	*PGDFN	No relation.
Font	*FNTRSC	Font resources, both iSeries–resident and printer-resident, are used to print text within the Overlay Utility and the Print Format Utility.

Note:

[1] means that an AFP Utilities for iSeries source overlay is used.

[2] means that a physical file or a PC document is used.

[3]The Form definition option can be specified when printing a database file member or when defining printout specifications for PFD definitions.

Requirements for Use of the AFP Utilities for iSeries

To use the AFP Utilities for iSeries, the following hardware and software products are required.

Hardware Requirements

- Any model of iSeries.
- Any model of a 5250 display terminal or 5250 emulated work station that supports an 80 x 24 display size.

  For DBCS support, a DBCS display workstation is required.
- One of the following IPDS printers is required:
  - 4224, 4230, 4234–12, 4230–102, 4247, 6400, 6404, 6408, 3130, 3160, 3812, 3816, 3930, 3112, 3116, 4312, 4317, 3912, 3916, 1931, 3935, and 4028 with the Arctic attachment
  - 3820 with SNA LU6.2 (SDLC attachment)
  - 3820, 3825, 3827, 3829, 3831, 3835, and 3900 with the SNA LU6.2 (Token Ring attachment through Remote Print Manager on Personal Computer AT* or Personal System/2*)

Software Requirements

- OS/400 Version 4 Release 2.0.
- Print Services Facility for iSeries, Version 4 Release 2.0 (5769–SS1), for printing to IPDS printers. Overlays and AFP applications created by AFP/U can also be