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QHdr structure

#include < OSUtils.h >

typedef struct QHdr { Size Offset Description Various flags, differs per queue type qFlags; 2 0 <u>short</u> **QElemPtr** 4 2 Address of first queue element qHead; **QElemPtr** qTail; 4 6 Address of last queue element } QHdr; 10

typedef QHdr *QHdrPtr;

Notes: All standard Operating System queues have a QHdr structure which contains pointers to the first and last queue elements. Use **Enqueue** and **Dequeue** to manipulate queues created by your application. The various managers handle their queues internally. The following calls return a QHdrPtr:

GetDrvQHdrDrive queue elements are DrvQEI structuresGetEvQHdrEvent queue elements are EvQEI structuresGetFSQHdrI/O queue elements are ParamBlockRec (et al.) structsGetVBLQHdrVertical retrace tasks are VBLTask structuresGetVCBQHdrVolume control blocks are VCB structures

The qFlags field is largely undocumented. We are told that in the vertical retrace queue header, if qFlags bit 6 is set, a task is currently being executed.