**PBResolveFileIDRef** Retrieve the filename and parent directory ID

#include <<u>Files.h</u>> <u>File Manager</u>

OSErr PBResolveFileIDRef (pb, async);

<u>HParmBlkPtr</u> *pb*; pointer to a file ID parameter block <u>Boolean</u> async; 0=await completion; 1=immediate return

returns Error Code; 0=no error

Use the **PBResolveFileIDRef** function to to retrieve the filename and parent directory ID of the file with a specified file ID.

*pb* is a pointer to a <u>FIDParam</u> structure. The relevant fields are as follows:

Out-In Name		<u>Type</u>	Size Offset		<u>Description</u>
$\rightarrow$	ioCompletion	ProcPtr	4	12	pointer to completion routine
$\leftarrow$	ioResult	<u>short</u>	2	16	result code
$\leftrightarrow$	ioNamePtr	<b>StringPt</b>	<u>r</u> 4	18	pointer to first filename
$\rightarrow$	ioVRefNum	<u>short</u>	2	22	volume specification (volume reference number,
					working directory reference number, drive
					number, or 0 for default volume)
$\leftarrow$	ioSrcDirID	<u>long</u>	4	48	first parent directory ID
$\rightarrow$	ioFileID	long	4	54	file ID

async is a <u>Boolean</u> value. Use <u>FALSE</u> for normal (synchronous) operation or <u>TRUE</u> to enqueue the request and resume control immediately. See <u>Async I/O</u>.

Returns: an operating system Error Code. It will be one of:

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noErr (0)
                           No error
        nsvErr (-35)
                           Volume not found
         ioErr (-36)
                           I/O error
        fnfErr (-43)
                           File not found
                           Volume is off line
   volOfflinErr (-53)
     extFSErr (-58)
                           External file system
wrgVolTypeErr (-123)
                           Not an HFS volume
fidNotFoundErr (-1300)
                           File ID not found
   notAFileErr (-1302)
                           Specified file is a directory
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Notes: **PBResolveFileIDRef** returns the filename and parent directory ID of the file referred to by file ID in the ioFileID field. It places the filename in the string pointed to by the ioNamePtr field and the parent directory ID in the ioSrcDirID field. If the name string is NIL, **PBResolveFileIDRef** returns only the parent directory ID. If the name string is not NIL but is only a volume name, **PBResolveFileIDRef** ignores the value in the ioVRefNum field, uses the volume name instead, and overwrites the name string with the filename. A return code of fidNotFoundErr means that the specified file ID has become invalid, either because the file was deleted or because the file ID was destroyed by **PBDeleteFileIDRef**.