**TEFeatureFlag** Return last setting of a specified feature's bit

#include <<u>TextEdit.h</u>> <u>TextEdit</u>

shortTEFeatureFlag(feature, action, hTE);shortfeature;enable/disable inline inputshortaction;like feature, using bit constants

<u>TEHandle</u> hTE; handle to the <u>edit record</u>

returns either TEBitSet or TEBitClear

The **TEFeatureFlag** function allows you to enable outline highlighting and text buffering in your application. You can also use this function to disable inline input in a particular <u>edit record</u> and to enable several new features that have been provided so that inline input works correctly with **TextEdit**.

**Note:** To test for the availability of these features, you can call the <u>Gestalt</u> function with the <u>gestaltTextEditVersion</u> selector. A result of gestaltTE4 or greater returned in the response parameter indicates that outline highlighting and text buffering are available. A result of gestaltTE5 or greater returned in the response parameter indicates that the two inline input features are available. (For details, see the description about <u>Determining the Version of TextEdit</u>.

The inline input features are also available on version 6.0.7 systems with non-Roman script systems installed. However, there is no **Gestalt** constant that indicates this availability.

The feature parameter allows you to disable inline input in a particular edit record or to specify the features you want to enable-outline highlighting, text buffering, and features provided for inline input in **TextEdit**. The action parameter lets you enable and disable these features by using the <u>TEBitSet</u> and <u>TEBitClear</u> constants and lets you test the settings of these feature bits by using the <u>TEBitTest</u> constant. The hTE parameter is a handle to the <u>edit record</u>.

The **TEFeatureFlag** function returns the previous setting of the feature's bit, either <u>TEBitSet</u> or <u>TEBitClear</u>.

Note that there is also a constant named TEFeatureFlag which has the following values:

The feature or bit definitions for TEFeatureFlag are:

teFAutoScr = 0, /\*0000001b\*/
teFTextBuffering = 1, /\*0000010b\*/
teFOutlineHilite = 2, /\*0000100b\*/
teFInlineInput = 3, /\*0001000b\*/
teFUseTextServices = 4, /\*00010000b\*/

The action for the new "bit (un)set" interface, TEFeatureFlag is:

TEBitClear = 0, TEBitSet = 1 /\*set the selector bit\*/