FIO_OpenAppend

%FIO_OpenAppend function

Function	The function opens the specified file for writing at the end (appending).
Declaration	``` INT %FIO_OpenAppend(TEXT in fileName [,BOOL in utf8 = @FALSE | ,TEXT in encoding = "@APP_DEFAULT@"]]) ```

Parameters

file Na me	The name of the file to open.
utf8	An optional parameter of the *Boolean* type. If it is not written its alternate value is **@FALSE**. If the value is **@TRUE**, the file is supposed to be text-based and its content is encoded in UTF-8. When file encoded by UTF-8 is being read a possible BOM is omitted (characters 0xEF, 0xBB, 0xBF).
en co ding	An optional parameter of the *Text* type. If it is not defined, its default value is "@APP_DEFAULT@". The list of supported encodings in ESL.

Return value	Zero - cannot open the file, nonzero - file opened. The value of the parameter is used later when calling other **%FIO_*** functions, which need it. The value is valid within the ESL script instance, the function was called from.
Note	Having finished the work with the file, it must be closed by calling the function %FIO_Close. If the execution of ESL script is terminated early, the D2000 EventHandler process will automatically close all open files.

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