AddString

Add a special string such as an exclusion or header string.

Phase

This instruction is used by the TapeTrack Import Engine.

Syntax

AddString(type, offset, filter);

string type;
integer offset;
string filter;

type	The special string type of one of the following:

1. **HEADER** A string that represents the first record of a heading section.
2. **EXCLUSION** A string that represents the a record that should be excluded from all further processing (skipped).
3. **START** A string that represents when processing should start. If there is no start string specified processing will start at the first record.
4. **END** A string that represents when processing should temporarily stop. Processing will recommence at the next START record.
5. **TERMINATE** A string that represents when processing should permanently stop. No processing will be done past this point, even if a START record is encountered.

offset	The zero based offset within the record at which the filter should be applied.
filter	A filter value for comparison with the processed string.

Example

AddString: Define a header (ANSI page break) with 7 records, skip records not starting with an integer and terminate processing at the first blank record

```
AddString(HEADER, 0, “1*”);\\
SetHeaderCount(7);\\
AddString(EXCLUSION, 0, “!([0-9]*”);\\
AddString(TERMINATE, 0, “ *”);\\
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