

Re: Memo Field

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Put the function in a regular module.

Use a query as the report's or form's RecordSource. In that query, replace the memo field with a calculated field:

CrLfMemo: InsertCRLFs([NameOfMemoField])

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"Bernie" <anonymous@discussions.microsoft.com> wrote in message
news:10aa01c48bee$d3125d90$a601280a@phx.gbl...
> Forgive me ignorance on this. Where would I callout the
> code below?
>
> Thanks for the help.
> Bernie
> >-----Original Message-----
> >Likely this can be done by a user-defined function that
> >would go through the
> >memo's string value and insert carriage return and line
> >feed combinations at
> >various points. Function would need to copy the string
> >one character at a
> >time and count commas and then insert the characters.
> >Something like this,
> >perhaps, to get you started:
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> >
> >Public Function InsertCRLFs(strOriginal As String) As
> >String
> >>Dim strNew As String, strT as String
> >>Dim lngPos As Long
> >>Dim intComma As Integer
> >>strNew = ""
> >>intComma = 0
> >>For lngPos = 1 To Len(strOriginal)
> >>> strT = Mid(strOriginal, lngPos, 1)
> >>> If strT = "," Then intComma = intComma + 1
> >>> strNew = strNew & strT
> >>> If intComma = 5 Then
> >>>> strNew = strNew & vbCrLf
> >>>> intComma = 0
> >>> End If
> >>Next lngPos
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> >InsertCRLFs = strNew
> >End Function
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> >
> >         Ken Snell
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> >
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> >message
> >news:105a01c48bdf$3997e400$a501280a@phx.gbl...
> >> Is there a way to force a Return in a memo field? I
> >> import a memo field that is one long string.
> >> Ex.:
> >> R1, R2, R3, R45, R63-R75,R100-R200,R299...
> >>
> >> When I use the field in a form or report, I have to fix
> > a
> >> certain width. This means the string could be cutoff at
> >> an important break...i.e. R1 with the 00 (100) forced
> > onto
> >> the next line. I would like to force a return after a
> >> fixed number of commas...or something like that.
> >>
> >> Is this possible?
> >> Bernie
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> >.
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