Maintaining Expanded Files

This function corresponds to the utility functions ADALOD LOAD and ADALOD UPDATE.

To insert an existing file into an expanded file chain:

- 1. Select an Adabas database in tree-view and expand it.
- 2. Select **Database Files** in tree-view and right-click on it.
- 3. Select **Maintain Expanded Files** on the dropdown menu.

The **Expanded File Maintenance** panel appears in detail-view.

- 4. Specify the number of the file to be inserted.
- 5. Specify the number of the master file of the expanded file chain into which the file is being inserted.

Note:

If the file to be inserted is to be the first (master) file of the chain, both **File Number** and **Master File Number** fields must be set to the same value.

6. Supply the password if required and click on the **Insert** button.

A message will be displayed that the function has been completed successfully.

To remove a component file from an expanded file chain:

- 1. Select an Adabas database in tree-view and expand it.
- 2. Select **Database Files** in tree-view and right-click on it.
- 3. Select **Maintain Expanded Files** on the dropdown menu.

The **Expanded File Maintenance** panel appears in detail-view.

- 4. Specify only the number of the file to be removed from the chain.
- 5. Supply the password if required and click on the **Remove** button.

A message will be displayed that the function has been completed successfully.