MKNOD(c)   MKNOD(c)

NAME
mknod — make a directory or a special file

SYNOPSIS
mknod = 14.

ARGUMENTS(input)
capability associated with working directory of sender process
0 - name byte offset into message
1 - mode
2 - device

VALUES(returned)
none

DESCRIPTION
Mknod creates a new file whose name is that of the given file. The mode of the new file (including directory and special file bits) is initialized from *mode*. The first physical address of the file (first extent) is initialized from *device*. This is zero for a normal or a directory file. For a special file, *device* specifies which special file. *Mknod* may only be invoked by the super-user (i.e. fm_uid = 0).

SEE ALSO
mkdir(I), mknod(II), mknod(VIII), fs(g).

DIAGNOSTICS
An error status byte is returned if the file already exists or if fm_uid is not 0.