

Changing your printer's name (optional)

The name selected here prints on the startup page and configuration page; the name also appears in the **Chooser** on a Macintosh. The name can be up to 31 characters long and may contain any printable characters except @ (at sign) and : (colon). A change is persistent across printer power cycles.

There are three ways to change the printer's name:

- Use the PhaserShare Administrator.
- With a TCP/IP connection and a World Wide Web browser, you can use PhaserLink.
- Use the *LaserWriter Utility*.

Changing the printer's name using the *LaserWriter Utility*.

1. Select the printer in the **Chooser**.
2. Locate the *LaserWriter Utility* on the Macintosh version of your printer's network utilities diskette.
3. Double-click on the *LaserWriter Utility* icon.
4. Select **Name Printer** from the **Utilities** menu. The currently selected printer is listed in the dialog box. Type the new name in the edit box.
5. Click the **Rename** button.
6. At the confirmation dialog box, click **OK**.
7. Open the **Chooser** to reselect the printer with its new name.

Notes regarding printer names

- If you have more than one printer in the same zone and you choose a name for one printer that is already assigned to another, the second printer registers itself on the network with the number 1 appended to the name. For example, if you attempt to assign a printer the name *TekPhaser* and another printer in the zone already has the same name, the printer you are naming appears on the network as *TekPhaser-1*.
- The added number is recalculated each time the printer is turned on. If you have more than one printer with the same name on the network, the printers' names on the network depend on the order in which the printers are turned on.
- The added number appears in the **Chooser**, but not on the printer's startup page or configuration page.