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NAME

explain_putc_or_die – output of characters and report errors

SYNOPSIS

```
#include <libexplain/putc.h>
```

```
void explain_putc_or_die(int c, FILE *fp);
```

DESCRIPTION

The **explain_putc_or_die** function is used to call the *putc(3)* system call. On failure an explanation will be printed to *stderr*, obtained from *explain_putc(3)*, and then the process terminates by calling `exit(EXIT_FAILURE)`.

This function is intended to be used in a fashion similar to the following example:

```
explain_putc_or_die(c, fp);
```

c The *c*, exactly as to be passed to the *putc(3)* system call.

fp The *fp*, exactly as to be passed to the *putc(3)* system call.

Returns: This function only returns on success. On failure, prints an explanation and exits.

SEE ALSO

putc(3) output of characters

explain_putc(3)
 explain *putc(3)* errors

exit(2) terminate the calling process

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