
Subject: Documentation deleteRecord

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Notice that the documentation on deleteRecord (<http://www.tonymarston.net/php-mysql/functions-and-variables.html#notes.deleterecord>) is not in sync with the source code any longer. This is the current description:

```
$rowdata = $object->deleteRecord ($rowdata)
```

\$rowdata (IN) is an associative array containing the details of a single database occurrence.

\$rowdata (OUT) is the same array.

The steps in this operation are as follows: Call isPkeyComplete to verify that a single record has been selected via its primary key. Call _cm_pre_deleteRecord to perform any custom pre-processing. Call deleteRelations() to delete any child relations. Call _dml_deleteRecord() to update the database. Call _cm_post_deleteRecord to perform any custom post-processing.

\$this->errors will contain any error messages.

Note that the deletion may have been verified beforehand by a call to validateDelete().

If we apply a consistent standard as in <http://www.tonymarston.net/php-mysql/functions-and-variables.html#notes.updaterecord>, would like to propose to update this to:

```
$rowdata = $object->deleteRecord ($rowdata)
```

\$rowdata (IN) is an associative array containing the details of a single database occurrence.

\$rowdata (OUT) is the same array.

The steps in this operation are as follows: Call _cm_pre_deleteRecord to perform any custom pre-processing. Call isPkeyComplete to verify that a single record has been selected via its primary key. Call _dml_readbeforeupdate() to re-read the original database record. Call _cm_validateDelete to perform any custom validation. Call deleteRelations() to delete any child relations. Call _dml_deleteRecord() to update the database. Call _cm_post_deleteRecord to perform any custom post-processing.

\$this->errors will contain any error messages.