This is part of **Family API** which allow to create dual-os version of program runs under OS/2 and DOS

Note: This is legacy API call. It is recommended to use 32-bit equivalent

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DosSubAlloc

This call suballocates portions of a segment allocated by DosAllocSeg or DosAllocShrSeg, and initialized by DosSubSet.

Syntax

```
DosSubAlloc (SegSelector, BlockOffset, Size)
```

Parameters

- SegSelector (SEL) - input : Data segment selector that allocates the memory.
- BlockOffset (PUSHORT) - output : Address of the allocated block offset.
- Size (USHORT) - input : Memory block size requested in bytes.

Return Code

rc (USHORT) - return

Return code descriptions are:

- 0 NO_ERROR
- 311 ERROR_DOSSUB_NOMEM
- 313 ERROR_DOSSUB_BADSIZE

Remarks

Before a segment allocated by DosAllocSeg or DosAllocShrSeg can be suballocated, it must first be initialized for suballocation by a call to DosSubSet.

Allocation size must be a multiple of four bytes. Otherwise, it is rounded up to a multiple of four bytes. The maximum value for the size parameter is the size that was set with DosSubSet minus 8. Note that no paragraph (16-byte) alignment is required; all requests are serviced on a byte alignment basis.

A suballocated block of memory in a suballocated segment is freed by a call to DosSubFree.

Example Code

C Binding

```
#define INCL_DOSMEMMGR

USHORT  rc = DosSubAlloc(SegSelector, BlockOffset, Size);

SEL             SegSelector;   /* Segment selector */
PUSHORT         BlockOffset;   /* Block Offset (returned) */
USHORT          Size;          /* Size of requested block */

USHORT          rc;            /* return code */
```

MASM Binding

```
EXTRN  DosSubAlloc:FAR
INCL_DOSMEMMGR      EQU 1

PUSH   WORD    SegSelector   ;Segment selector
PUSH@  WORD    BlockOffset   ;Block Offset (returned)
PUSH   WORD    Size          ;Size of requested block
CALL   DosSubAlloc
```

Returns WORD

Note

Text based on http://www.edm2.com/index.php/DosSubAlloc

Family API		
DOS	Process Manager	DosBeep DosExit DosSleep DosExecPgm
	File Manager	DosChDir DosChgFilePtr DosClose DosDelete DosDupHandle DosMkDir DosMove DosQCurDir DosQCurDisk DosSetFileMode DosOpen DosQFileInfo DosRead DosQFileMode DosQFSInfo DosQVerify DosRmDir DosSelectDisk DosFindClose DosFindFirst DosFindNext DosSetFileInfo DosSetVerify DosWrite DosFileLocks DosSetFHandState DosNewSize DosBufReset DosQFHandState DosSetFSinfo DosShutdown
	Memory Manager	DosFreeSeg DosSubAlloc DosSubFree DosSubSet DosAllocHuge DosAllocSeg DosReallocHuge DosReallocSeg DosGetHugeShift DosCreateCSAlias
	NLS	DosCaseMap DosGetCtryInfo DosGetDBCSEv DosSetCtryCode DosGetCollate DosGetMessage DosInsMessage DosPutMessage
	Date and Time	DosSetDateTime DosGetDateTime
	Devices	DosDevConfig DosDevIOCtl DosDevIOCtl2
	Signals	DosHoldSignal DosSetSigHandler
	Misc	BadDynLink DosGetEnv DosGetMachineMode DosGetVersion DosError DosErrClass DosSetVec
KBD		KbdCharIn KbdFlushBuffer KbdGetStatus KbdSetStatus KbdStringIn KbdPeek
VIO		VioGetBuf VioGetConfig VioGetCurPos VioGetCurType VioGetPhysBuf VioReadCellStr VioReadCharStr VioScrollUp VioScrollDn VioScrollLf VioScrollRt VioScrUnLock VioSetCurPos VioSetCurType VioSetMode VioGetMode VioShowBuf VioWrtCellStr VioWrtCharStr VioWrtCharStrAtt VioWrtNAttr VioWrtNCell VioWrtNChar VioWrtTTY VioScrLock VioPopUp
Tools		BIND
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