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.include <m2560def.inc>
   .cseg
           0x00
   .org
   rjmp
           start
           0xF6
   .org
start: 1di r20, low(RAMEND)
   out SPL, r20
   1di r20, high (RAMEND)
   out SPH, r20
; The following subroutine sends out a character via the USART in MSPI mode. The character to be
 sent is passed in r16.
putch_USART_MSPI:
    lds r20, UCSROA ; wait until USART data register is empty
           r20, UDRE0 ; "
           putch_USART_MSPI ; "
                 ; start data transmission
   sts UDRO, r16
           lds r20, UCSROA ; wait until the character has been shifted out
waitTXC0:
           r20, RXCO ; (by checking reception complete flag)
   sbrs
   rjmp
           waitTXC0
           r22, UDRO
                     ; read UDRO to clear RXCO flag
   lds
   ret
; The following subroutine reads a character via the USART in MSPI mode. The received character
; is returned in r22. This subroutine is identical to the previous subroutine.
getch_USART_MSPI:
    lds r20, UCSROA ; wait until USART data register is empty
           r20, UDRE0 ; "
   sbrs
           getch_USART_MSPI ; "
   rjmp
    sts UDRO, r16
                 ; trigger clock pulses to shift in data
waitRXC0:
           lds r20, UCSROA ; wait until the character has been shifted in
   sbrs
           r20, RXCO ; (by checking reception complete flag)
   rjmp
           waitRXC0
                     ; read UDRO to clear RXCO flag
    lds
           r22, UDRO
   ret
           ; received character is returned in r22
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