Only one partition at a time can be active. The active partition RAMdisk can be accessed without affecting the contents of the other partitions and the inactive partitions are totally invisible to the system.

Configuring a RAMdisk Partition

Pressing the R key from the RPM main menu will display the configuration options, shown in Figure 3-2.

Figure 3-2 RPM partition configuration options

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┌─────────────────────────────────────────────────┐
│                                                   │
│   RAMFACTOR PARTITIONS              SLOT = 5      │
│                                                   │
│   ████████████████████████████       CLEAR       │
│   2                           OK      CLEAR       │
│   3                           OK      CLEAR       │
│   4                           OK      CLEAR       │
│   5                           OK      CLEAR       │
│   6                           OK      CLEAR       │
│   7                           OK      CLEAR       │
│   8                           OK      CLEAR       │
│   9                           OK      CLEAR       │
│                                                   │
│   USE ARROWS OR 1-9 TO SELECT A PARTITION         │
│                                                   │
│   N=NAME CHANGE         RET=INSTALL CHANGES       │
│   S=SIZE CHANGE         ESC=FORGET CHANGES        │
│   C=CLEAR PARTITION ■                             │
└─────────────────────────────────────────────────┘
```

Naming a Partition

Selecting the N option will allow you to name the highlighted partition. Each name, which can contain up to 16 characters, is stored in RamFactor's memory. The partition name has no meaning to the partition's operating system, it is just a label for your convenience. A partition name can be erased by reselecting the N option, then pressing Return.

Clearing a Partition

The C option will completely erase the previous contents of the selected partition. A cleared partition is indicated by CLEAR in the status column on the right side of the RPM screen.