Ruby - Feature #9969

Add File.empty? as alias to File.zero?

06/21/2014 01:08 PM - shevegen (Robert A. Heiler)

Status:	Closed	
Priority:	Normal	
Assignee:		
Target version:		

Description
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Associated revisions

Revision 096137e84fcb3a01089785bb2b8b621f3f7e996f - 04/13/2016 05:47 AM - nobu (Nobuyoshi Nakada)

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History

#1 - 06/30/2014 10:07 PM - zzak (zzak _)

- Tracker changed from Bug to Feature

- Priority changed from 3 to Normal

- Target version set to 2.2.0

#2 - 02/17/2016 11:21 PM - lucasbuchala (Lucas Buchala)

I added a comment on issue #10121 before knowing this specific issue already existed.

I just wanted to say that, with the arrival of Dir.empty?, I like the idea of the File.empty? alias for the reason of having some symmetry between Dir and File methods.

#3 - 04/13/2016 05:24 AM - matz (Yukihiro Matsumoto)

OK, agreed.

Matz.

#4 - 04/13/2016 05:47 AM - nobu (Nobuyoshi Nakada)

- Status changed from Open to Closed

Applied in changeset r54559.

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#5 - 07/18/2016 03:56 AM - backus (John Backus)

For the sake of consistency could you also add Pathname#empty?. Alternatively maybe add both Pathname#empty_file? and Pathname#empty_directory?. It is probably important to keep Pathname consistent with File and/or Dir since the tool is much less useful if you sometimes have to fallback to File or Dir for certain use cases

#6 - 07/18/2016 07:04 AM - duerst (Martin Dürst)

John, this feature is already closed. If you want your proposal to be
looked at, please open a new one, referencing this one.

Thanks,   Martin.

On 2016/07/18 12:56, johncbackus@gmail.com wrote:

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