
Subject: [net-2.6.24][patch 0/2] Dynamically allocate the loopback
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This patch allows to dynamically allocate the loopback like an usual network device.

This global static variable `loopback_dev` has been replaced by a `netdev` pointer and the `init` function does the usual allocation, initialization and registering of the loopback.

This patchset is splitted in two parts, the first one is a big but trivial patch which replace the usage of the static variable `loopback_dev` by the usage of a pointer. The second patch is the interesting part where the loopback is dynamically allocated.

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