Subject: Re: [PATCH] net: Fix running without sysfs
Posted by davem on Thu, 27 Sep 2007 05:03:05 GMT

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>
> When sysfs support is compiled out the kernel still keeps and maintains
> the kobject tree. So it is not safe to skip our kobject reference counting or
> to avoid becoming members of the kobject tree. It is safe to not add
> the networking specific sysfs attributes.
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> This patch removes the sysfs special cases from net/core/dev.c
> renames functions from netdev_sysfs_xxxx to netdev_kobject_xxxx
> and always compiles in net-sysfs.c
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> net-sysfs.c is modified with a CONFIG_SYSFS guard around the parts
> that are actually sysfs specific.
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Applied to net-2.6.24

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