
Subject: [PATCH] proper comment for loopback initialization order

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Loopback device is special. It should be initialized at the very beginning. Initialization order has been changed by Eric W. Biederman <ebiederm@xmission.com> and this change is non-obvious and important enough to add proper comment.

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--- ./drivers/net/loopback.c.loopcomment 2007-08-26 19:30:38.000000000 +0400

+++ ./drivers/net/loopback.c 2007-09-27 16:08:06.000000000 +0400

```
@@ -293,4 +293,6 @@ static int __init loopback_init(void)
    return register_pernet_device(&loopback_net_ops);
}
```

```
+/* Loopback is special. It should be initialized before any other network
+ device and network subsystem */
fs_initcall(loopback_init);
```
