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Subject: [PATCH 2/17 net-2.6.26] [IPV4]: Remove check for ifa->ifa\_dev != NULL.  
Posted by [den](#) on Tue, 19 Feb 2008 07:31:22 GMT

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This is a callback registered to inet address notifier chain.

The check is useless as:

- ifa->ifa\_dev is always != NULL
- similar checks are absent in all other notifiers.

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net/atm/clip.c | 4 ----

1 files changed, 0 insertions(+), 4 deletions(-)

diff --git a/net/atm/clip.c b/net/atm/clip.c

index 86b885e..dd96440 100644

--- a/net/atm/clip.c

+++ b/net/atm/clip.c

@@ -648,10 +648,6 @@ static int clip\_inet\_event(struct notifier\_block \*this, unsigned long event,  
 struct in\_device \*in\_dev;

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in_dev = ((struct in_ifaddr *)ifa)->ifa_dev;  
- if (!in_dev || !in_dev->dev) {  
- printk(KERN_WARNING "clip_inet_event: no device\n");  
- return NOTIFY_DONE;  
- }  
/*  
 * Transitions are of the down-change-up type, so it's sufficient to  
 * handle the change on up.--
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1.5.3.rc5

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