Subject: [PATCH] Freeing alive inet6 address
Posted by den on Fri, 07 Sep 2007 10:21:18 GMT

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--- ./net/ipv6/ndisc.c.ipv6dad 2007-09-03 16:54:32.000000000 +0400
+++ ./net/ipv6/ndisc.c 2007-09-07 13:34:30.000000000 +0400
@@ -736,7 +736,7 @@ static void ndisc_recv_ns(struct sk_buff
    * so fail our DAD process
    */
   addrconf_dad_failure(ifp);
-   goto out;
+   return;
  } else {
  /*
   * This is not a dad solicitation.
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Subject: Re: [PATCH] Freeing alive inet6 address
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I've seen this bug myself just a week before heading to
Europe for conferences and intended to look into it.

Thanks a lot for fixing this, patch applied.