
Subject: Re: Command line arguments

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"Mr. No Address" <no_given_address@landofthelost.net> writes:

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> PRO mentor, file ; I added "file"

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> Now I seem to have a Perl problem in that I think Perl is executing

> the lines after

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> print IDL "mentor, '\$filepath'\n";

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> before it writes the idl.ps file. Seems I ran into this way back when too.

...

Yes, that's true. Perl will not wait for IDL, it just stuffs characters into a pipe. You will have to make some other kind of locking mechanism. Like having perl wait until a certain file is created, etc.

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