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Subject: Weird error in RPC source file collection.  
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Has anyone out there ever simply followed the directions in \$IDL\_DIR/external/rpc/README.TXT (copying the contents of that directory to somewhere, and then execute "make" in that directory) ?

Although building the idlrpc and libidl\_rpc.so files is not normally required (they're available in the \$IDL\_DIR/bin/bin.<OS\_NAME>), I can't help but to be puzzled by an apparent error in "idl\_rpc\_obsolete.c": In all the calls to IDL\_RPCStoreScalar there is an "&" missing in front of the last argument, which results in a compiler error on my system (Digital Unix).

Doing a search-and-replace (8 occurrences!) in idl\_rpc\_obsolete.c of

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"type_s);" => "&type_s);"
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fixes the problem, and everything appears to compile ok...

Puzzled - does anyone have any Insights to offer :-)

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