

Re: Page setup order

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the page directives are read by asp.net and are not included in the output html. the <doctype statement is html and only used by the browser

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| Does it matter whether Doctype is after the Page line? At the moment, I
| have my pages as so:

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| <%@ Page Language="VB" trace="false" debug="true" AutoEventWireup="true"  
| ContentType="text/html" ResponseEncoding="iso-8859-1" %>  
| <%@ Register TagPrefix="fts" TAgName="header"  
| src="..\includes\defaultHeaders.ascx" %>  
| <%@ Register TagPrefix="fts" TAgName="footer"  
| src="..\includes\defaultFooters.ascx" %>  
| <!DOCTYPE HTML PUBLIC "-//W3C//DTD HTML 4.01 Strict//EN">
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| I wanted to find out if this is the correct order or does it matter?

| Tom

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