

## Re: Unable to set up emailReader

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"tshad" <tfs@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message  
[news:%23DwXTIIXFHA.3340@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx](mailto:news:%23DwXTIIXFHA.3340@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx)  
> I have a dataReader that was used a second time in the same routine and  
got  
> the following error:  
>  
> Object must implement IConvertible.  
>  
> It worked fine just before.

I found the problem. I had been passing ApplicantProfileID as a parameter  
value. The problem is that ApplicantProfileID is a TextBox and you can't  
use a TextBox as a value.

The statement should have been:

```
.Add("@ApplicantProfileID", SqlDbType.Bigint).value =  
ApplicantProfileID.Text
```

Tom

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>  
> I did a stored procedure call just before, closed the connection, set up  
the  
> new parameters for another stored procedure and got the error when it did:  
>  
> emailReader = objCmd.ExecuteReader  
>  
> The code (after the 1st stored procedure is):  
>  
> *****  
> objConn.Close  
> objCmd.CommandText = "AddNewApplicantProfileAbsentee"  
>  
> objCmd.Parameters.Clear()  
> with objCmd.Parameters  
> .Add("@ClientID", SqlDbType.VarChar,20).value = session("ClientID")  
> .Add("@ApplicantProfileID", SqlDbType.Bigint).value =  
ApplicantProfileID
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```
> end with
> objConn.Open()
> itemp = 1
> emailReader = objCmd.ExecuteReader
> while emailReader.Read
> if not (emailReader("From") is DBNull.Value) then
> txt = DirectCast(Page.FindControl("AbsentFrom" & itemp),TextBox)
> txt.Text = emailReader("From")
> end if
> if not (emailReader("To") is DBNull.Value) then
> txt = DirectCast(Page.FindControl("AbsentTo" & itemp),TextBox)
> txt.Text = emailReader("From")
> end if
> if not (emailReader("Reason") is DBNull.Value) then
> txt = DirectCast(Page.FindControl("AbsentReason" & itemp),TextBox)
> txt.Text = emailReader("From")
> end if
> *****
>
> I've done this before without any problems – what is this IConvertible
> business?
>
> Thanks,
>
> Tom
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• **References:**

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    ◇ From: tshad

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