

## Dynamic query...problem

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"SELECT FirstName, EmployeeID, LastName, BirthDate FROM  
Employee " + iff(@p1 = 0, " ", " WHERE (DepartmentID = " +  
@p1 + ")")
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this query is not working in sql reporting server2000  
and the error reported is "syntax error"  
the similar example is mentioned in SQL reporting Services  
Books Online under "walkThrough:Using a dynamic query in a  
report"

How do we use this query correctly? does the IIF condition  
work here? How do we use similar query if I need to  
connect to Oracle 8i database with Microsoft OLEDB  
provider for Oracle (MSDAORA 1)