Redmine - Patch #6761

Use blank?/present? methods instead of empty? to avoid nil undefined method errors

2010-10-27 22:59 - Jean-Baptiste Barth

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Description

Discussed in #6750, I think it would be a good practice to avoid the well known "undefined method error for nil:NilClass". Plus it would make some views clearer...

History

#1 - 2010-12-18 14:53 - Jean-Philippe Lang

- Target version changed from 1.1.0 to Unplanned backlogs

I think it makes sense especially in views, but it can sometimes make the code less easy to read. So I'm not very inclined to replace every empty?/any? with blank?/present?.

Something to keep in mind and maybe to add to the coding standards.

#2 - 2011-06-13 22:43 - Jean-Baptiste Barth

- Status changed from 7 to Closed
- Target version deleted (Unplanned backlogs)

Agreed, let's keep it in mind every time we change a view. I added it to CodingStandards but as long as it's not complete and official, it might not be that useful...

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