LOSTFOCUS

Description

Occurs when focus passes from a control to anywhere else.

Syntax

bforward = LOSTFOCUS (ctrlentID, ctrlclassID, flag, focusID)

Parameters

LOSTFOCUS accepts arguments for the following parameters.

| Parameter | Description | | | |
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| ctrlentID | Has the format WindowName.ControlName, where WindowName is the identifier of the window that contains the affected control, and ControlName is the identifier of the control. Notice that a period separates the two values. | | | |
| ctriclassID | The type of control that recognizes the event. Valid entries are: | | | |
| | Туре | | Description | |
| | СНЕСКВОХ | | Check box. | |
| | СОМВОВОХ | | Combo box. | |
| | EDITBOX | | Edit box. | |
| | EDITFIELD | | Edit line. | |
| | EDITTABLE | | Edit table. | |
| | LISTBOX | | List box. | |
| | PUSHBUTTON | | Push-button. | |
| | RADIOBUTTON | | Radio button. | |
| flag | flag can have one of three values: | | | |
| | Value | | Description | |
| | 0 | Control has lost focus, and focus has moved to another application's window. | | nd focus has moved to another application's window. |
| | 1 Control has lost focus, | | I has lost focus, a | nd focus has moved to a different OpenInsight control. |
| | 2 This LOSTFOCUS even | | OSTFOCUS even | t was generated as a response to a MENU event. |
| focusID | The next control in the active tab order. This parameter will contain the name of the control that receives focus after the LOSTFOCUS event. | | | |

Returns

True or false. If false, the program execution returns to the calling procedure. If true, the event processing goes to the next level.

See also

FOCUS property, GOTFOCUS event, INACTIVATED event

Remarks

A common mistake is returning 0 from LOSTFOCUS, not allowing the system event handler to process changes to data in bound controls. Always return 1 or use Forward_Event from LOSTFOCUS unless you want to suppress the system event handler.