urlencode template operator

The urlencode template operator: no named parameters, registered by eZTemplatePHPOperator.

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Registered in `kernel/common/eztemplateautoload.php` by the class `eZTemplatePHPOperator` (`lib/eztemplate/classes/eztemplatephpoperator.php`). It calls the PHP function `urlencode()`, listed in `settings/template.ini [PHP] PHPOperatorList[]`. The same class also registers: urldecode, rawurlencode, rawurldecode.

Parameters

The class does not describe its parameters (no `namedParameterList()`); see its source for what it reads.

The operator works on its input: the value before `|`.

Example

Built from the parameter list above; the values are placeholders (the operator's template hints decide whether it takes an input).

Template

```
{$value|urlencode}
```

In a shipped template

The first use in the templates of this installation, `design/admin/templates/exphelp/search.tpl` line 193:

Template

```
{foreach $help_search.suggest as $word}<a class="a4-tag" href={concat( '/exphelp/search/(q)/', $word|urlencode )|ezurl}>{$word|wash}</a>{delimiter} {/delimiter}{/foreach}
```

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