NAME
keyboard-request – event signalling console press of Alt-UpArrow

SYNOPSIS
keyboard-request [*ENV*]...

DESCRIPTION
The **keyboard-request** event is generated by the Upstart **init**(8) daemon when the keyboard request key combination (typically Alt-UpArrow) is pressed on the console.

The support for this event depends on your kernel configuration. Suggested use for this event includes spawning a new login console when pressed, or for secure attention key support.

This event is not handled in the default Upstart configuration.

EXAMPLE
A task to be run on the keyboard request might use:

        start on keyboard-request

SEE ALSO
control-alt-delete(7) **init**(8)