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'[tslint] missing whitespace [whitespace]' when setting "nospace" for both sides of colon for "parameter" in "typedef-whitespace" #4342

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lidin opened this issue on Dec 5, 2018 · 2 comments



lidin commented on Dec 5, 2018

Bug Report

- TSLint version: 5.11.0
- TypeScript version: 3.2.1
- Running TSLint via: VSCode

TypeScript code being linted

```
function test(arg:string) {  
    console.log(arg);  
}
```

Assignees

No one assigned

Labels

Status: Needs Investigation

Type: Bug

Projects

None yet

Milestone

2 participants



```
{
  "rules": {
    "typedef-whitespace": {
      "options": [{
        "parameter": "nospace"
      }, {
        "parameter": "nospace"
      }]
    },
    "whitespace": {
      "options": [
        "check-type"
      ]
    }
  }
}
```

Here I am using "whitespace" to get warnings about wrongly formatted type declarations. Omitting the "whitespace" options disables type format checking, which is not the behavior I want. How can I get TSLint to warn me about type formats without yielding this error?

Actual behavior

Warning: [tslint] missing whitespace [whitespace].

Expected behavior

No warnings.



JoshuaKGoldberg commented on Dec 6, 2018

Collaborator

@lidin is your issue that you don't want a space after the `:`, and the `whitespace` rule always adds it even though the `typedef-whitespace` has the `nospace` setting?

Note that TSLint core is moving away from enforcing whitespace settings ([#846](#), for example). These rules are still supported and bug fixes such as this one can be taken in, but the general recommendation is to switch to something like [Prettier](#).

  **JoshuaKGoldberg** added **Type: Bug** **Status: Needs Investigation** labels on Dec 6, 2018



lidin commented on Dec 6, 2018

Author

Yes, I expected it to always warn me about whenever I have any space between the parameter name, colon, and type. With the whitespace setting I get the other warning, and without it, I don't get any warnings about it at all.