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                      HND Data Project
       Project:
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       Module:
                     ManufacturerDB
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using System;
using System.Collections.Generic;
using System.Linq;
using RentalWPF.Models;
using Dapper;
using System.Windows;
namespace RentalWPF.Data
   public static class ManufacturerDB
       //-- Method to get all manufacturers
       public static List<Manufacturer> ManufacturersGetAll(string myDb)
           //-- Connection to the database on the server
           var conn = AppUtility.DbConnection(myDb);
           //-- holding list for returned data
           var manufacturers = new List<Manufacturer>();
           try
           {
               //-- open the connection to the database
               if (conn.State == System.Data.ConnectionState.Closed)
                   conn.Open();
               //-- Get Dapper to get the data
               manufacturers = conn.Query<Manufacturer>("spManufacturer GetAll",
               commandType: System.Data.CommandType.StoredProcedure).ToList();
           }
           catch (Exception ex)
           {
               MessageBox.Show(ex.Message);
           }
           finally
           {
               conn.Close();
           //-- fulfil the mthod with the return of the list
           return manufacturers;
       }
   }
}
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