**...**

**@{**

**Layout = null;**

**}**

**...**

**If you don't want page to use the layout specified in the \_*ViewStart* file, you can pass null to the Layout property**

This is an expression that will be interpreted by Razor, which is the component that processes the contents of views and generates HTML that is sent to the browser. Razor is a *view engine*, and the expressions in views are known as *Razor expressions*.

The Razor expression in Listing 2-7 tells Razor that I chose not to use a layout, which is like a template for the HTML that will be sent to the browser