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### ***Rocky Enterprise Linux 9.2 Manual Pages on command 'nvme-dir-send.1'***

**\$ man nvme-dir-send.1**

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#### **NAME**

nvme-dir-send - Issue a directive send command, returns applicable

results

#### **SYNOPSIS**

nvme dir-send <device> [--namespace-id=<nsid> | -n <nsid>]

[--data-len=<data-len> | -l <data-len>]

[--dir-type=<dtype> | -D <dtype>]

[--dir-spec=<dspec> | -S <dspec>]

[--dir-oper=<doper> | -O <doper>]

[--endir=<endir> | -e <endir>]

[--target-dir=<t-dir> | -T <t-dir>]

[--human-readable | -H]

[--raw-binary | -b]

#### **DESCRIPTION**

Submits an NVMe Directive Send admin command and returns the applicable results. This may be the combination of directive type, and operation, as well as target directive and its enable/disable status of the

operation, if specific operation needs it.

The <device> parameter is mandatory and may be either the NVMe character device (ex: /dev/nvme0), or a namespace block device (ex: /dev/nvme0n1).

On success, the returned directive's parameter structure (if applicable) is returned in one of several ways depending on the option flags; the structure may parsed by the program and printed in a readable format if it is a known structure, displayed in hex, or the raw buffer may be printed to stdout for another program to parse.

## OPTIONS

-n <nSID>, --namespace-id=<nSID>

Retrieve the feature for the given nSID. This is optional and most features do not use this value.

-D <dtype>, --dir-type=<dtype>

Directive type

-S <dspec>, --dir-spec=<dspec>

Directive specific

-O <doper>, --dir-oper=<doper>

Directive operation

-T <tDir>, --target-dir=<nSr>

Target directive of the operation

-e <endir>, --endir=<endir>

Target directive enable(1) or disable (0) operation

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?0 ? Current ?

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?1 ? Default ?

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?3 ? Supported capabilities ?

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-l <data-len>, --data-len=<data-len>

The data length for the buffer returned for this feature. Most known features do not use this value. The exception is LBA Range

Type

-b, --raw-binary

Print the raw receive buffer to stdout if the command returns a structure.

-H, --human-readable

Print the decoded receive buffer to stdout if the command returns a structure.

## EXAMPLES

? Enable streams directive :

```
# nvme dir-send /dev/nvme0n1 --dir-type 0 --dir-oper 1 --target-dir 1 --endir 1
```

? Disable streams directive :

```
# nvme dir-send /dev/nvme0n1 --dir-type 0 --dir-oper 1 --target-dir 1 --endir 0
```

? Release all allocated streams resource :

```
# nvme dir-send /dev/nvme0n1 --dir-type 1 --dir-oper 2
```

? Release stream ID 3 :

```
# nvme dir-send /dev/nvme0 --dir-type 1 --dir-oper 1 --dir-spec 3
```

It is probably a bad idea to not redirect stdout when using this mode.

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