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Subject: Re: Console Messages?

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I have only been able to do this the "rude" way on debian.

That is:

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rm /dev/console
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touch /dev/console
```

Now, that's a way, it's not clean, but it's okay for troubleshooting!

Now, on a RedHat 7.2 installation (I imported it to a VE, which is running on Debian Etch) this does not work. There's no /dev/console.

Neither the other methods work. The problem is, the RH 7.2 VE does not shutdown correctly and thus gets stopped after 2 minutes. (default timeout)

Any ideas on how to investigate this? (must be something on shutdown that causes this..)

cheers!

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