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Subject: VEs and rebooting

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I'm trying to put together how the VEs are meant to reboot.

I've noticed that there's a `/etc/cron.d/vz`, which runs

```
/usr/share/vzctl/scripts/vpsnetclean
```

and

```
/usr/share/vzctl/scripts/vpsreboot
```

My understanding is that `vpsreboot` should scan for `/vz/private/nnn/reboot`, and if it finds that file, it will start the VPS and delete it the file.

I've looked at the `init.d` script for rebooting within all of my VEs, there's a couple of debian ones (3.1 and 4) and a gentoo VE, however none of these `init.d` script (be it `reboot`, or `reboot.sh`) create the `/reboot` file.

These templates were downloaded from the official templates directory.

Is the `reboot` `init` script responsible for creating the file, and if it is, why doesn't it do it on any of my VPSs? And what is in place to 'fix' the `init` script should the distro change it during an update?

Thanks,

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