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Subject: forcibly purging quota?

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Hey, guys.

Thanks again for OpenVZ, and for the expert assistance. :)

I have 15 VEs, and the quota is totally wrong on all of them. I have used the trick of "vzctl stop;vzquota drop;vzctl start" in order to restart a VE and have the quota properly updated.

But... I would like to avoid shutting down our customers' VPSs.

Question: How safe is "vzquota drop -f"? Could I use it to forcibly and safely have the quota refreshed, without shutting down each VE? What risks (if any) are involved?

    vzquota drop 1 -f

    vzquota on 1 -f

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"Remember that no one cares if you can back up,  
only if you can restore." - AMANDA

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