
Subject: Re: [PATCH] pidns: Place under CONFIG_EXPERIMENTAL (take 2)

Posted by [Jeremy Fitzhardinge](#) on Sun, 28 Oct 2007 16:12:34 GMT

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Eric W. Biederman wrote:

> Roughly that sounds like CONFIG_EXPERIMENTAL to me. But I would
> be happy to hear if someone has a better idea.
>

Rather than overload an existing config option, why not add one with the specific semantics you want: CONFIG_UNSTABLE_UABI. The problem seems like one which may occur again, though one hopes not too often. I guess the risk is that people will leave their subsystems depending on it permanently (sysfs?), so it ends up being set all the time and becomes as useless as EXPERIMENTAL...

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