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Subject: Re: /dev/null permission denied  
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Hi everyone,

unfortunately I'm still having a weird problem with the dev/null-device.

As i already mentioned, I virtualized a fedora-core 3 machine running stuff like amavisd-new, spamassassin etc.

After recreating all devices and other steps mentioned in the HowTo:P2V, everything seems to work fine...the only exception I could figure out is amavisd-new.

Example:

```
[root@fedora3p2v /]# /etc/init.d/amavisd-new status
amavis-milter is stopped
amavisd is stopped
amavisd-new is stopped
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```
[root@fedora3p2v /]# /etc/init.d/amavisd-new start
Starting amavis-milter: /etc/profile: line 27: /dev/null: Permission denied
/etc/profile.d/colorls.sh: line 3: /dev/null: Permission denied
/etc/profile.d/colorls.sh: line 4: /dev/null: Permission denied
/etc/profile.d/colorls.sh: line 17: /dev/null: Permission denied
/etc/profile.d/colorls.sh: line 18: /dev/null: Permission denied
/etc/profile.d/colorls.sh: line 19: /dev/null: Permission denied
/etc/profile.d/colorls.sh: line 20: /dev/null: Permission denied
/etc/profile.d/vim.sh: line 3: /dev/null: Permission denied
-bash: /dev/null: Permission denied
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[ OK ]

Starting amavisd-new: [ OK ]

Does anyone know how to fix that problem? I Already upgraded to the latest  
openvzkernel:2.6.18-53.el5.028stab051.1

Greetings

Norman

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