
Subject: Re: [RFC] Prefixing cgroup generic control filenames with "cgroup."

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"Paul Menage" <menage@google.com> wrote:

> On Thu, Feb 28, 2008 at 1:21 PM, Andrew Morton

> <akpm@linux-foundation.org> wrote:

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> > Because if something is in /foo/bar/cgroup/notify_on_release then

> > prefixing the filename with "cgroup_" seems pretty pointless.

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> The point would be to avoid situations where a user has code that

> creates a group directory called "foo", and then in a future kernel

> release cgroups introduces a control file called "foo". If it's

> prefixed, then the user just has to avoid creating groups prefixed by

> "cgroup." or any subsystem name, so collisions will be less likely.

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Maybe cgroups shouldn't be putting kernel-generated files in places where user-specified files appear?

(Am still thrashing around a bit here without an overview of the overall layout and naming).

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