Subject: sudo audit log

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Yesterday I decided to run yum update in one of my containers. After successfully updating the container I noticed a strange message when using the sudo command.

audit_log_user_command(): Connection refused

This doesn't prevent me from making use of the sudo command to perform root level duties, however I'm wonder why I'm getting this message. After searching around on the web I found something about the message indicating that audit logging isn't enabled in the kernel.

Container: CentOS release 5.2 (Final)

Host: RHEL 5 (openvz kernel)

OpenVZ Kernel: 2.6.18-92.1.1.el5.028stab057.2

sudo: sudo-1.6.8p12-12.el5

How can I determine if audit logging is enabled? Does the latest OpenVZ kernel have it enabled?

Thanks.