Subject: Re: [RFC][patch 1/4] Network namespaces: cleanup of dev_base list use
Posted by dev on Tue, 27 Jun 2006 15:08:37 GMT
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>>>>Cleanup of dev_base list use, with the aim to make device list per-namespace.
>>>>In almost every occasion, use of dev_base variable and dev->next pointer
>>>>could be easily replaced by for_each_netdev loop.
>>>>A few most complicated places were converted to using
>>>>first_netdev()/next_netdev().
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>>>As a proof of concept patch this is ok.
>>>As a real world patch this is much too big, which prevents review.
>>>Plus it takes a few actions that are more than replace just
>>iterators through the device list.
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>>Mmm, actually it is a whole changeset and should go as a one patch. I didn't
>>find it to be big and my review took only 5-10mins..
>>I also don't think that mailing each driver maintainer is a good idea.
>>Only if we want to make some buzz :)
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>
> Thanks for supporting my case. You reviewed it and missed the obvious typo.
> I do agree that a patchset doing it all should happen at once.
This doesn't support anything. e.g. I caught quite a lot of bugs after
Ingo Molnar, but this doesn't make his code "poor". People are people.
Anyway, I would be happy to see the typo.

> As for not mailing the maintainers of the code we are changing. That
> would just be irresponsible.

Kirill