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Subject: [PATCH] SUNRPC: return negative value in case rpcbind client creation error

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Without this patch kernel will panic on LockD start, because lockd\_up() checks lockd\_up\_net() result for negative value.

>From my pov it's better to return negative value from rpcbind routines instead of replacing all such checks like in lockd\_up().

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net/sunrpc/rpcb\_clnt.c | 4 +---  
1 files changed, 2 insertions(+), 2 deletions(-)

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diff --git a/net/sunrpc/rpcb_clnt.c b/net/sunrpc/rpcb_clnt.c
index 92509ff..a70acae 100644
--- a/net/sunrpc/rpcb_clnt.c
+++ b/net/sunrpc/rpcb_clnt.c
@@ -251,7 +251,7 @@ static int rpcb_create_local_unix(struct net *net)
 if (IS_ERR(clnt)) {
     dprintk("RPC: failed to create AF_LOCAL rpcbind "
            "client (errno %ld).\n", PTR_ERR(clnt));
-    result = -PTR_ERR(clnt);
+    result = PTR_ERR(clnt);
     goto out;
 }

@@ -298,7 +298,7 @@ static int rpcb_create_local_net(struct net *net)
 if (IS_ERR(clnt)) {
     dprintk("RPC: failed to create local rpcbind "
            "client (errno %ld).\n", PTR_ERR(clnt));
-    result = -PTR_ERR(clnt);
+    result = PTR_ERR(clnt);
     goto out;
 }
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