Subject: Re: Re: [RFC][PATCH 0/2] user namespace [try #2]
Posted by dev on Thu, 07 Sep 2006 16:05:58 GMT

>>imho this in acceptable for OpenVZ as makes VE files to be
>>inaccessiable from host. At least this is how I understand your
>>idea... Am I correct?
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>>>I assume the list of other things we'll need to consider includes
>>> signals between user namespaces
>>> keystore
>>> sys_setpriority and the like
>>>I might argue that all of these should be sufficiently protected
>>>by proper setup by userspace. Can you explain why that is not
>>>the case?
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>>The same requirement (ability to send signals from host to VE)
>>is also applicable to signals.
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> at some point, we tried to move all cross context
> signalling (from the host to the guests) into a special
> context, but later on we moved away from that, because
> it was much simpler and more intuitive to handle the
> signalling with a separate syscall command
I'm not sure what a separate context is for, but a separate syscall
is definetely not a good idea.

> what I want to point out here is, that things like
> sending signals across namespaces is something which
> is not required to make this work
well, people have different requirements...

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