Subject: Rebooting after "iTCO_wdt: Unexpected close, not stopping watchdog!" Posted by yasuyuki on Wed, 23 May 2012 07:55:29 GMT

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I've updated kernel to RHEL6 042stab055.10.

And system is rebooting after saying "iTCO_wdt: Unexpected close, not stopping watchdog!" in /var/log/messages.

I've never configured IPMI watchdog timer. so I wonder that message is appeared.

Unfortunately, the server which was rebooted with this message is not configured to take console messages and crash dump.

So I cannot explain details of this problem. sorry.

If someone can know about this, please tell me that.

Subject: Re: Rebooting after "iTCO_wdt: Unexpected close, not stopping watchdog!"

Posted by yasuyuki on Fri, 01 Jun 2012 08:15:27 GMT

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I found a bug of stab055.10 which is related with this topic (see also: Bug2286). This bug causes HN rebooting.

I found also a workaround. so if anyone has this problem, you should do the workaround (I wrote this workaround in bugzilla).