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Subject: Re: [patch -mm 08/17] nsproxy: add hashtable  
Posted by [Cedric Le Goater](#) on Tue, 12 Dec 2006 18:29:08 GMT  
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>>> If someones permissions to various objects does not depend on the namespace  
>>> they are in quite possibly this is a non-issue. If we actually depend on  
>>> the isolation to keep things secure enter is a setup for a first rate escape.  
>> I don't believe the isolation can be effective between two namespaces  
>> where one is an ancestor of another. It can be so long as one isn't  
>> the ancestor of another, but then we're not allowing either to enter  
>> the other namespace. So it's not a problem.  
>  
> Reasonable.  
>  
>> The bind\_ns() proposed by Cedric is stricter, only allowing nsid 0 to  
>> switch namespaces. So it may be overly restrictive, and does introduce  
>> a new global namespace, but it is safe.  
>  
> I will look a little more. There are a lot patches out there that need  
> review. What disturbs a little is that with ptrace we have an existing  
> mechanism that can do everything we want enter or bind\_ns to be able to do.

Eric, you have this habit of flooding us with email whenever a patchset is sent on this topic. It is a bad habit. Please take some time to look at it before. There is work behind it and it tries to address some issues.

This patchset has been sent on container@ as a proposal for -mm. I'll try to make a summary of how we can improve next one to move forward.

I still need to read all your emails :)

thanks,

C.

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