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On Fri, 26 Aug 2005, Brooks Davis wrote:

> On Fri, Aug 26, 2005 at 08:29:39PM -0400, Matthew N. Dodd wrote:
>> I've got modifications to dhclient-script and a Makefile in /etc/namedb/
>> that implement this behavior. I'll clean it up for public consumption if
>> others are interested.
>
> Sounds useful to me.

I've not yet come up with a good way to configure this behavior, other than the bit that turns off the resolv.conf updating (touch /etc/dhclient-no-resolv-conf).

/var/run/named.forwarders is updated with a Bind named.conf forwarders configuration section containing all DHCP provided nameservers. The Makefile is placed in /etc/namedb and /etc/namedb/named.conf is moved to /etc/named.conf.in and modified to include the lines:

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forward only;  
#include "/var/run/named.forwarders"
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This will cause the nameserver to never perform recursive queries directly but to forward everything to the listed forwarders.

I'm open to suggestions on where to place the configuration knobs for this functionality.

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