

Syslog-NG at Boot (WAS: Re: cvs commit: ports/sysutils/syslog-ng Makefile distinfo pkg-plist)

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might expect to talk to it. I assume you put `syslogng_enable="YES"` into `/etc/rc.conf?` as well as `syslogd_enable="NO"`. (Or, it might work just

to

change `syslogd_program="/path/to/syslogngd"` and not bother with changing anything else).

--Alex

Just to clarify, even the latest `src/etc/rc.d/syslogd` at:

<http://www.freebsd.org/cgi/cvsweb.cgi/src/etc/rc.d/syslogd?rev=1.11&content-type=text/x-cvsweb-markup>

Specially hard-codes `/usr/sbin/$program` as the executable, thus setting:

```
syslogd_program="/usr/local/sbin/syslog-ng"  
syslogd_flags="-p /var/run/syslog.pid"  
syslogd_enable="YES"
```

Has no effect at startup. It starts the system `syslogd(8)`.

HOWEVER, after the boot process is complete, `/etc/rc.d/syslogd` begins to honor `syslogd_program=""` (start, stop, status).

It's very strange. Perhaps a more `rc(8)` compliant `syslog-ng.sh.example` should be packaged up?

~lava

On Thu, 7 Jul 2005, Roman Bogorodskiy wrote:

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Modified files:

sysutils/syslog-ng Makefile distinfo pkg-plist

Log:

- Update to 1.6.8 that fixes some bugs
- Fix potential broke as authors move old versions to old/ directory
- Make NOPORTDOCS work

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Revision Changes Path

1.27 +3 -2 ports/sysutils/syslog-ng/Makefile

1.19 +2 -2 ports/sysutils/syslog-ng/distinfo

1.3 +14 -14 ports/sysutils/syslog-ng/pkg-plist

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