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2.6.18.1 occasionally logs as below on shutdown:

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Oct 20 15:50:21 conquest3 gconfd (ael-3482): Received signal 15,  
shutting down cleanly  
Oct 20 15:50:21 conquest3 gconfd (ael-3482): Exiting  
Oct 20 15:50:24 conquest3 kernel: kobject_add failed for vcs1 with  
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Oct 20 15:50:24 conquest3 kernel: [kobject_add+170/272]  
kobject_add+0xaa/0x110  
Oct 20 15:50:24 conquest3 kernel: [class_device_add+180/864]  
class_device_add+0xb4/0x360  
Oct 20 15:50:24 conquest3 kernel: [kobject_init+62/96]  
kobject_init+0x3e/0x60  
Oct 20 15:50:24 conquest3 kernel: [class_device_create+152/192]  
class_device_create+0x98/0xc0  
Oct 20 15:50:24 conquest3 kernel: [vcs_make_devfs+62/144]  
vcs_make_devfs+0x3e/0x90  
Oct 20 15:50:24 conquest3 kernel: [con_open+131/176] con_open+0x83/0xb0  
Oct 20 15:50:24 conquest3 kernel: [tty_open+557/736] tty_open+0x22d/0x2e0  
Oct 20 15:50:24 conquest3 kernel: [tty_open+0/736] tty_open+0x0/0x2e0  
Oct 20 15:50:24 conquest3 kernel: [chrdev_open+174/336]  
chrdev_open+0xae/0x150  
Oct 20 15:50:24 conquest3 kernel: [chrdev_open+0/336] chrdev_open+0x0/0x150  
Oct 20 15:50:24 conquest3 kernel: [__dentry_open+172/480]  
__dentry_open+0xac/0x1e0  
Oct 20 15:50:24 conquest3 kernel: [nameidata_to_filp+56/80]  
nameidata_to_filp+0x38/0x50  
Oct 20 15:50:24 conquest3 kernel: [do_filp_open+92/96]  
do_filp_open+0x5c/0x60  
Oct 20 15:50:24 conquest3 kernel: [get_unused_fd+102/192]  
get_unused_fd+0x66/0xc0  
Oct 20 15:50:24 conquest3 kernel: [do_sys_open+87/240]  
do_sys_open+0x57/0xf0  
Oct 20 15:50:24 conquest3 kernel: [sys_open+39/48] sys_open+0x27/0x30
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