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====renrem.pl readme=====

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Description: Replacement for the LFDS' non working remote administration capability.

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The Linux FDS doesn't come with a working remote administration capability. This utility provides a

multi threading telnet server, that listens to requests and sends incoming commands to the renegade server.

renrem.pl assumes that the server runs in a specifically named screen session. It detaches it when

it receives a program and writes it output into the screen using expect.

## Installation:

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renrem.pl uses POE, a powerful multitasking framework. you need to install the following modules:

POE

Expect::Simple

**Expect** 

Time::localtime Time::ParseDate

Edit your server.ini to include a working renrem configuration. renrem.pl reads the password out of the config file.

Example:

AllowRemoteAdmin = true

RemoteAdminIP = RemoteAdminPassword = password

Start your renegade server in a screen session and give it a specific name. Example: screen -S renegade\_server -I -d -m /home/mac/renegade/renegade\_server

renegade\_server is the screen title. you need to remember this.

# Usage:

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Start renrem.pl like this:

nohup ./renrem.pl renegade\_server /home/mac/renegade 31337 &

(screenname fdsdir port)

After this, you can connect to the listening daemon at port 31337:

mac@defiant:~> telnet localhost 31337

Trying 127.0.0.1...

Connected to localhost.

Escape character is '^]'.

Welcome to Renegade Remote Control. Enter your password.

password

Password accepted.

Use help to get a list of available commands.

game\_info

[08:21] GameSpy mode active since Thu Feb 13 08:20:34 2003

[08:21] Gameplay in progress

[08:21] Map : C&C\_Hourglass.mix

[08:21] Time: 0.29.09

[08:21] Fps: 48

[08:21] GDI: 0/1 players 0 points [08:21] NOD: 0/1 players 0 points

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#### Notes:

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You can quit the session with "quit". This will not be sent to the LFDS.

The script switches its logfile every day, there is no need to re-start it every day using cron.

You can NOT start this script using cron, the parent needs a terminal. renrem.pl is using screen, and screen needs a valid terminal when doing screen -r <sessionname>.

## Credits:

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Greg Underwood for making the LFDS. Blazer for helping with POE.

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