**Foreman - Bug #15490**

**CVE-2016-4995 - view_hosts permissions/filters not checked for provisioning template previews**

06/22/2016 05:44 AM - Dominic Cleal

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Foreman versions 1.11.0 and higher are vulnerable.

**Related issues**

- Related to Foreman - Refactor #13039: Remove DB queries from class of Unatten... Closed 01/07/2016
- Related to Foreman - Bug #10689: Unattended controller permission check does ... Duplicate 06/03/2015

**Associated revisions**

**Revision c3c186de - 07/13/2016 07:40 AM - Lukas Zapletal**

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**Revision 9abcd03b - 07/22/2016 10:03 AM - Lukas Zapletal**

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**History**

**#1 - 06/22/2016 05:44 AM - Dominic Cleal**
- Related to Refactor #13039: Remove DB queries from class of UnattendedController added

**#2 - 06/22/2016 05:45 AM - Dominic Cleal**
- Related to Bug #10689: Unattended controller permission check does not work added

**#3 - 06/22/2016 06:06 AM - Dominic Cleal**
This vuln was introduced by #13039, but the patch for #10689 (which itself is now resolved) should serve to fix the issue when the ticket number's updated.

**#4 - 06/22/2016 06:59 AM - Dominic Cleal**
- Subject changed from view_hosts permissions/filters not checked for provisioning template previews to CVE-2016-4995 - view_hosts permissions/filters not checked for provisioning template previews

**#5 - 07/12/2016 03:17 AM - Dominic Cleal**
- Status changed from New to Assigned
- Assignee set to Lukas Zapletal

**#6 - 07/12/2016 06:11 AM - The Foreman Bot**
- Status changed from Assigned to Ready For Testing
- Pull request https://github.com/theforeman/foreman/pull/2428 added

**#7 - 07/13/2016 08:01 AM - Lukas Zapletal**
- Status changed from Ready For Testing to Closed
- % Done changed from 0 to 100

Applied in changeset c3c186de12be15e55d9582e54659f765304a1073.