Smart contract security audit ShibaNova

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1.0 Introduction

1.1 Project engagement

During June of 2021, ShibaNova engaged CTDSec to audit smart contracts that they created. The engagement was technical in nature and focused on identifying security flaws in the design and implementation of the contracts. ShibaNova provided CTDSec with access to their code repository and whitepaper.

1.2 Disclaimer

It should be noted that this audit is not an endorsement of the reliability or effectiveness of the contract, rather limited to an assessment of the logic and implementation. In order to ensure a secure contract that's able to withstand the network's fast-paced and rapidly changing environment, we at CTDSec recommend that ShibaNova team put in place a bug bounty program to encourage further and active analysis of the smart contract.

2.0 Coverage

2.1 Target Code and Revision

For this audit, we performed research, investigation, and review of the ShibaNova contract followed by issue reporting, along with mitigation and remediation instructions outlined in this report. The following code files are considered in-scope for the review:

Source:

https://github.com/ShibaNova/Contracts

Contracts-Main-ShibaNova.zip [sha256]:

5f09ada11b501af8c37a785d6cea2f2526765e1445c20873dfde0ef6ba46bb3d

- ShibaERC20.sol
- ShibaFactory.sol
- ShibaPair.sol
- FeeManager.sol
- MasterShiba.sol
- Migrations.sol
- Multicall.sol
- NovaToken.sol
- SNovaToken.sol
- ShibaBonusAggregator.sol
- ShibaMoneyPot.sol
- ShibaRouter.sol
- Timelock.sol

2.2 Attacks made to the contract

In order to check for the security of the contract, we tested several attacks in order to make sure that the contract is secure and follows best practices.

Nº	Issue description.	Checking status
1	Compiler warnings.	PASSED
2	Race conditions and Reentrancy. Cross-function race conditions.	PASSED
3	Possible delays in data delivery.	PASSED
4	Oracle calls.	PASSED
5	Front running.	PASSED
6	Timestamp dependence.	PASSED
7	Integer Overflow and Underflow.	PASSED
8	DoS with Revert.	PASSED
9	DoS with block gas limit.	PASSED
10	Methods execution permissions.	PASSED
11	Economy model. If application logic is based on an incorrect economic model, the application would not function correctly and participants would incur financial losses. This type of issue is most often found in bonus rewards systems, Staking and Farming contracts, Vault and Vesting contracts, etc.	PASSED
12	The impact of the exchange rate on the logic.	PASSED
13	Private user data leaks.	PASSED
14	Malicious Event log.	PASSED
15	Scoping and Declarations.	PASSED
16	Uninitialized storage pointers.	PASSED

17	Arithmetic accuracy.	PASSED
18	Design Logic.	PASSED
19	Cross-function race conditions.	PASSED
20	Safe Zeppelin module.	PASSED
21	Fallback function security.	PASSED
22	Overpowered functions / Owner privileges	PASSED

3.0 Security Issues

3.1 High severity issues [0]

No high severity issues found.

3.2 Medium severity issues [0]

No medium severity issues found.

3.3 Low severity issues [1]

Useless lines of code

Issue:

NovaToken.sol contract has _transfer function with two lines of useless code marked below:

```
function _transfer(address sender, address recipient, uint256 amount) internal virtual override {
    require(amount > 0, "amount 0");
    if (recipient == BURN_ADDRESS) {
        super._burn(sender, amount);
    } else {
        // 2% of every transfer burnt
        uint256 burnAmount = amount.mul(2).div(100);
        // 98% of transfer sent to recipient
        uint256 sendAmount = amount.sub(burnAmount);
        require(amount == sendAmount + burnAmount, "Nova::transfer: Burn value invalid");

        super._burn(sender, burnAmount);
        super._transfer(sender, recipient, sendAmount);
        amount = sendAmount;
    }
}
```

Recommendation:

Remove them.

4.0 Owner Privileges

ShibaFactory:

1. Owner can change the fee amount.

FeeManager:

- 1. Owner can remove liquidity tokens.
- 2. Owner can swap contract balances to tokens.
- 3. Owner can change the pot share distribution.
- 4. Owner can set a team address.
- 5. Owner can set up the router, moneyPot.
- 6. Owner can distribute the fee.

MasterShiba:

- 1. Owner can set a fee address.
- 2. Owner can change the minimum emission rate.

Nova Token:

1. Owner can mint.

ShibaBonusAggregator:

- 1. Owner can change the master.
- 2. Owner can add and remove bonus source contracts.

ShibaMoneyPot:

- 1. Owner can update the contract without reward.
- 2. Owner can change the fee manager.
- 3. Owner can add to the pending pool.

SNovaToken:

- 1. Owner can update setup Nova and setup money pot contract only one once.
- 2. Owner can mint.

5.0 Summary of the audit

Smart contracts contain low severity issues and owner privileges.

Liquidity locking details were not provided. Contract is safe to deploy.