Need for proper option for testing a setup

When distributing a set of binary, configuration files and rules, it is convenient to have a way to test the setup before one actually restarts the sensor. Something similar to snorts: snort -Tc snort.conf

The way it works today is that you do a restart->setup_fails->rollback...

History

#1 - 04/06/2011 07:51 AM - Victor Julien
- Assignee set to Victor Julien

Will be tasked to a OISF dev.

#2 - 03/02/2012 10:33 AM - Victor Julien
- Status changed from New to Assigned
- Assignee changed from Victor Julien to Xavier Lange
- Target version set to 1.3beta1
- Start date changed from 01/17/2011 to 01/28/2011
- Estimated time set to 5.00 h

Xavier, can you pick this one up?

#3 - 03/19/2012 01:21 PM - Xavier Lange
- Status changed from Assigned to Feedback

I have a topic branch on github for this bug: https://github.com/xrl/suricata/tree/bug_271

Please review and integrate if it fits.

#4 - 03/20/2012 04:24 AM - Victor Julien
I added 2 minor comments to the commits. First time I did that so I'm not sure how you get notified, which is why I notify you here :)

#5 - 03/20/2012 04:28 AM - Victor Julien
Btw, something appears to be wrong. If I do "suricata -c suricata.yaml -T" I just get the "usage" output.

#6 - 03/23/2012 03:36 AM - Xavier Lange
Victor, your last observation was correct. The local variable conf_test had to be added to the list of special cases where runmode is allowed to be unset.

#7 - 03/23/2012 12:42 PM - Victor Julien
- Status changed from Feedback to Closed

Branch applied, thanks Xavier!