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Posted by [masu](#) on Thu, 16 Apr 2009 10:06:03 GMT
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Matthias

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Posted by [mirek](#) on Thu, 16 Apr 2009 10:19:17 GMT
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Well, while I am not sure I agree 100% (because while in Win32, it is system defined attribute, in POSIX it is only widely used convention...), I think adding this will not hurt anything.

Applied.

Mirek
