## Subject: LocalProcess trivia bug in Write() function causing incorrect error strings Posted by hans on Tue, 20 Jan 2015 22:00:13 GMT

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Posted by mirek on Tue, 20 Jan 2015 22:48:36 GMT

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Yes, thanks a lot.

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I agree that it is not the nicest piece of code, somehow I wanted to avoid adding another method. Those variables are there to fetch any output from the child process that can appear during pushing input to it, to avoid deadlock (because pipe can overflow and child process block on write to pipe, not reading the data we are attempting to send there). wrese/wreso are the used in client code call to Read2 (thus I we need to clean them before the call to Read2).