Subject: Re: [PATCH] ia64 sn xpc: Convert to use kthread API. Posted by Robin Holt on Fri, 20 Apr 2007 14:21:40 GMT

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On Fri, Apr 20, 2007 at 08:23:39AM +0200, Jes Sorensen wrote:

- > Andrew Morton wrote:
- > >Another driver which should be fully converted to the kthread API:
- > >kthread_stop() and kthread_should_stop().
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- > > And according to my logs, this driver was added to the tree more than
- > >a year _after_ the kthread interface was made available.
- > >
- > >This isn't good.

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> Andrew,

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- > Per my previous response, I'd prefer to have either Russ or Robin ack
- > the patch doesn't break before it's pushed to Linus.

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> I don't know much about the xpmem and I am not comfortable testing it.

I think this was originally coded with daemonize to avoid issues with reaping children. Dean Nelson can correct me if I am wrong. I assume this patch is going in as part of the set which will make these threads clear themselves from the children list and if that is the case, I can see no issues.

Thanks, Robin

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