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Subject: Re: [ckrm-tech] [RFC][PATCH] UBC: user resource beancounters  
Posted by [Alan Cox](#) on Tue, 22 Aug 2006 10:54:20 GMT

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Ar Maw, 2006-08-22 am 11:57 +0200, ysgrifennodd Arjan van de Ven:  
> there is one issue with the "creator pays" model: if the creator can  
> decide to die/go away/respawn then you can create orphan resources. This

You cannot create orphan resources with UBC. All resources have an owner. You might be able to construct a hypothetical scenario where I commit all my resources to other people but I cannot create orphan resources or leak them.

Even if I am the only user of a given UBC my counter will survive until the last object is freed, not until I log out. If I log back in my resource accounting is still there and nothing has escaped.

Alan

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