**Specifications for Elevator solution v.1**

To run the solution, you need MS SQL Server 2005 or greater. The content and test scripts are in scripts.sql and test.sql files.

1. Task:

Imagine that you have a friend called Ivan. He invented the hardware for modern elevators for his new startup. The lifts support the most popular programming languages and also have all kind of sensors (e.g. weight, speed, temperature, literary whatever you can think of). Ivan asks you to write the first version of the lift movement software

Test scenarios:

- When there is new elevator request, the most optimal elevator accepts it (You should state what optimal is for your implementation)

- When the elevator is full, it shouldn’t stop to take new passengers

- When the elevator is on a floor that is the stop of some passenger, the elevator stops

- When the elevator is overloaded it doesn’t function until it is freed

1. Used programing language: T-SQL
2. Description of the solution:

* Elevators: 3 pieces {ID 1 – 3}
* Floors – 50 {ID 0 – 49}
* Max. weight – as per specification in dbo.Elevators.Max\_Weight
* External Buttons – 2 per each floor for each direction, properties send when pressed:

{

ID of the floor int,

requested\_directions string

}

* Internal Buttons – 50 in the elevator cabin, properties send when pressed

{

ID of the requested floor int,

ID of the current floor int,

current\_weight int,

input\_weight int,

output\_weight int

}

* Statuses of the elevators – direction up, direction down, stop (loading/unloading people), idle (elevator is not executing any request and is on position 0)

1. Workflow – as per Workflow.xml (please use <https://www.draw.io/> if a tool is not available).
2. Content – tables in dbo scheme:

* Dbo.Elevator
* ID (int) – the identity of the elevator
* Model varchar(30) (Standard and Extra Load)
* Max\_Weight smallint – the load capacity of the elevator
* Current\_state varchar(30) – keeps the current state of the elevator
* Maintenance\_Hours int – the maximum hours that the elevator could work before maintenance is required
* Maintenance\_Load int – the maximum load int tons (x 1000 kilos), that the elevator could transport before maintenance is required
* Dbo.Active\_Queue
* ID int (identity of the request)
* Elevator\_ID int – the elevator that will serve the request, a reference to the elevator table (no foreign key will be attached, due to the simplicity of the implementation)
* Request\_floor tinyint – keeps the floor that the request was sent from
* Requested\_floor tinyint – keeps the floor requested to go or the floor that the last query of the elevator will be handled to on external queries
* Estimated\_Direction varchar(10) – up or down, defined by request\_floor – requested\_floor) = if negative “up”, if positive – down
* Transported\_Load smallint – 0 if there are no queries to handle and the elevator is Idle
* Is\_External bit – true for external query, false for internal
* Dbo.Archive
* Request\_ID int of the query handled
* Traveled\_Floors smallint,
* Delivered\_Weight smallint - 0 if the starting position is idle

1. Optimization criteria for choosing elevator to handle a query

* Get the nearest elevator going the same direction
* Get an Idle elevator if the above fails
* Get an elevator that has less queries to handle

1. Stored procedures:

* SP\_Log\_Request

@p\_request\_floor\_id smallint,

@p\_direction varchar(10) = null (for internal requests)

@p\_is\_external bit = 1,

@p\_requested\_floor int = null (for external queries)

* SP\_Stop

@p\_request\_id int

* SP\_GO

@p\_request\_id int,

@p\_current\_weight int,

@p\_input\_weight int,

@p\_output\_weight int

* SP\_Maintanance\_Report

@p\_elevator\_id int = 0, where request report is required

@p\_request\_id int = 0 when elevator report is requested.