non-containment constraints). Assume ADT list modifications are not  $\mathcal{I}$ -confluent with respect to some non-containment constraint  $I(D) = \{add(k,l) \notin D \land del(k,l) \in D\}$  for some constant k. By definition, there must exist two I-T-reachable states  $S_1$  and  $S_2$  with common ancestor reachable via list modifications such that  $I(S_1) \rightarrow$ true and  $I(S_2) \to true$  but  $I(S_1 \sqcup S_2) \to false$ ; therefore,  $add(k, l) \in$  $\{S_1 \sqcup S_2\}$  and  $del(k,l) \notin \{S_1 \sqcup S_2\}$ . But this would imply that  $add(k,l) \in S_1$ ,  $add(k,l) \in S_2$ , or both (while del(k,l) is in neither).

a contradiction.

**Claim 16** (Modifying a list ADT is  $\mathcal{I}$ -confluent with respect to