07-23-1998 BOX ASSIGNMENTS O NOT USE FOR TRADEMARKS REC ΞT 100771549 JNLY JUL 1 3 1998 PATEN THE HONORASE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS: LEASE NECORD THE ATTACHED ORIGINAL DOCUMENTS OR COPY THEREOF. 1. NAME OF CONVEYING PARTY(IES) (ASSIGNOR(S)). Kvaerner Oil & Gas AS ADDITIONAL NAME(S) OF CONVEYING PARTY(IES) ATTACHED? YES X NO PARTY(IES) (ASSIGNEE(S)) RECEIVING INTEREST: NAME: Kvaerner Technology and Research Ltd. ADDRESS: St. James's House, 23 King Street, London SW1Y 6QY, England ADDITIONAL NAME(S) & ADDRESS(ES) ATTACHED? YES NATURE OF CONVEYANCE (DOCUMENT): (Submit herewith only one document for recordation) -- multiple copies of same Assignment signed by different inventors is one_document) x WHOLE PART INTEREST X ASSIGNMENT OF EXEC. DATE: July 3, 1998 4. EXECUTION DATE(S) ON THE DECLARATION IF FILED HEREWITH: (NOTE: IF DATES -- DIFFER YES X NO 4.5 APPL. NO.(S) OR PAT NO.(S). OTHERS ON ADDITIONAL SHEET(S) attached? 1ST INVENTOR if not in item 1 1ST INVENTOR if not in item 1 Μ# A. PAT. APP. NO.(S) series code/serial no B. PATENT NO(S) 08/244,295 08/769,344 08/582,592 08/244,300 08/244,299 08/313,301 08/792,168 08/307,834 08/929,530 08/454,116 08/737,294 08/934,333 PCT/NO96/00167 NUMBER INVOLVED: Name & Address of Party to Whom Correspondence Concerning Document Should be Mailed: APPLNS 13 + PATS: = TOTAL 13 7. AMOUNT OF FEE ENCLOSED: (Code 581) ABOVE TOTAL X \$40 = \$ 520 FARKAS & MANELLI, P.L.L.C. 2000 M Street , N.W. Suite 700 Washington, DC 20036-3307 8. IF ABOVE 8. IF ABOVE FEE IS MISSING OR INADEQUATE CHARGE INSUFFICIENCY TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT NUMBER: 06-0115 ATTORNEY DOCKET

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, the undersigned, Kvaerner Oil & Gas AS (hereinafter termed "assignor"), an organization having a place of business at of Prof. Kohts vei 5, N-1324 LYSAKER Norway have acquired all interest in the following U.S. Patent Applications:

No. 08/244,295 No. 08/769,344 No. 08/582,592 No. 08/244,300 No. 08/244,299 No. 08/313,301 No. 08/792,168 No. 08/307,834 No. 08/929,530 No. 08/454,116 No. 08/737,294 No. 08/934,333 No. 29/045,919

the following U.S. Trademark Applications:

No 75/143,038: PYROARC No 75/142,142: VITROARC:

and the following PCT Application:

PCT/NO96/00167.

WHEREAS, Kvaerner Technology and Research Ltd. (hereinafter termed "Assignee"), an organization having a place of business at St. James's House, 23 King Street, London SW1Y 6QY, ENGLAND is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said patent, trademark, and PCT applications and the trademarks and inventions disclosed therein, and in and to all embodiments of the inventions, heretofore conceived, and in and to any and all patents, inventor's certificates and other forms of protection (hereinafter termed "patents") thereon granted in the United States and foreign countries.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of good and valuable consideration acknowledged by said

Assignor—to have been received in full from said Assignee:

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- 1. Said Assignor does hereby sell, assign, transfer and convey unto said Assignee, the entire right, title and interest (a) in and to said trademark applications and patent application and said inventions; (b) in and to all rights to apply for foreign patents on said inventions pursuant to the International Convention for the protection of Industrial Property or otherwise; (c) in and to any and all applications filed and any and all patents granted on said inventions in the United States or any foreign country, including each and every application filed and each and every patent granted on any application which is a division, substitution, or continuation of any of said applications; and (d) in and to each and every reissue or extension or any of said patents.
- 2. Said Assignor hereby covenants and agrees to cooperate with said Assignee to enable said

 Assignee to enjoy to the fullest extent the right, title and interest herein conveyed in the United States and foreign countries. Such cooperation by said Assignor shall include prompt production of pertinent facts and documents, giving of testimony, execution of petitions, oaths, specifications, declarations or other papers, and other assistance all to the extent deemed necessary or desirable by said Assignee (a) for perfecting in said Assignee the right, title and interest herein conveyed; (b) for prosecuting any of said applications; (c) for filing and prosecuting substitute, divisional, continuing or additional applications covering said invention; (d) for filing and prosecuting applications for reissuance of any said patents; (e) for interference or other priority proceedings involving said invention; and (f) for legal proceedings involving said invention and any applications therefor and any patents granted thereon, including without limitation opposition proceedings, cancellation proceedings, priority contests, public use proceedings, infringement actions and court actions; provided however, that the expense incurred by said Assignor in providing such cooperation shall be paid for by said Assignee.
- 3. The terms, covenants and conditions of this assignment shall inure to the benefit of said Assignee, its successors, assigns and other legal representatives, and shall be binding upon said Assignor, his heirs, legal representatives and assigns.
- 4. Said Assignor hereby warrants and represents that assignor has not entered and will not enter into any assignment, contract or understanding in conflict herewith.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the said Assignor has executed and delivered this instrument to said Assignee this 5 day of 700 1998.

Kvaerner Oil & Gas AS

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