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<p>A. Patent Application No. (s)</p> <p>08/809,906</p>	<p>B. Patent No. (s)</p>
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<p>5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:</p> <p>Daniel D. Fetterley ANDRUS, SCEALES, STARKE & SAWALL, LLP 100 East Wisconsin Avenue, Ste. 1100 Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53202</p>	<p>6. Total number of applications and patents involved: <u>1</u></p> <p>7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41).....\$40.00 [X] Enclosed [] Authorized to charge to deposit</p> <p>8. Deposit account number: <u>01.2000</u> (Attached duplicate copy of this page if paying by deposit account)</p>
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<p><u>Daniel D. Fetterley</u> Name of Person Signing</p>	 Signature	<p><u>July 20, 1998</u> Date</p>
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ASSIGNMENT OF U.S. PATENT APPLICATION NO. 08/809,906

WHEREAS, Transocean Petroleum Technology AS of Tananger, Norway, a Norwegian corporation, is the owner of U.S. patent application No. 08/809,906 entitled A Method and a Device for Use in Coil Pipe Operations by virtue of an assignment from the inventor dated _____ and recorded in the United States Patent and Trademark Office at Reel _____, Frame _____.

WHEREAS, Transocean Petroleum Technology AS changed its name to Procon Drilling Services AS on April 15, 1997.

WHEREAS, Transocean ASA of Tananger, Norway, as ASSIGNEE, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title, and interest in the aforesaid U.S. patent application and the U.S. patent _____ issuing on same;

WHEREAS, Procon Drilling Services AS, as ASSIGNOR, is desirous of transferring the entire right, title, and interest in the aforesaid U.S. patent application and patent issuing on same to Transocean ASA

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable considerations, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, said ASSIGNOR hereby sells, assigns and transfers to said ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in said invention, said application and any divisions or continuations thereof, and any Letters Patent obtained for the said invention in the United States, or issuing out of said application or any such division or continuation thereof, and any reissues or extensions of any such Letters Patent.

The Commissioner of Patents is hereby authorized and requested to issue Letters Patent for said invention to said ASSIGNEE of the entire right, title and interest therein.

And, the said ASSIGNOR hereby covenants that it has full right to convey the entire right, title and interest in said invention, and has not executed and will not execute any agreement in conflict herewith.

And ASSIGNOR further covenants that it will, at any time, upon request, execute and deliver any and all papers that may be necessary or desirable to perfect the title in said ASSIGNEE, to

said invention, said application, or any Letters Patent that may be granted therefrom, and if said ASSIGNEE, or its assignee, desire to make a substitute, divisional or continuation application for said invention, or to secure a reissue or extension of said Letters Patent, or to file a disclaimer relating thereto, that it will upon request, sign all papers, make all rightful oaths and declarations, and do all lawful acts requisite for the said purposes, but at the expense of said ASSIGNEE.

And, ASSIGNOR further covenants that it will at all times communicate to the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, assigns or legal representatives, all facts relating to said invention and Letters Patent, or the history thereof, known to it, and testify as to the same in interferences or other litigation, when requested so to do.

ASSIGNOR authorizes the ASSIGNEE or the attorney of record to insert in this instrument, if necessary or desirable, the issue date and patent number of the patent to issue on the application referred to above, and the recording information referred to above.

Executed and delivered this 2 day of July, 1997.

PROCON DRILLING SERVICES AS

By: _____
Name: REIDAR LUND
Title: CHAIRMAN

Personally appeared before me this 2 day of July, 1997, REIDAR LUND, to me known to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and who acknowledged that he/she signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument as his/her free and voluntary act and deed for the uses and purposes therein set forth, and that he/she is authorized to sign on behalf of Procon Drilling Services AS.

Inger Hygen Flostrand
Inger Hygen Flostrand
NOTARY



The Notary Public of Jæren certifies that REIDAR LUND has/have signed this document

Jæren, the 2. July 1998

Inger Hygen Flostrand



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