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WHEREAS I/we Dirk Coenraad Engel and Geert Van Der Honing

have invented a certain improvement in Method For Separating Liquid From A Slurry and Process For The Preparation of Hydrocarbons

WHEREAS I/we have executed an application for Letters Patent in the United States in connection with this invention on the

13 May 1996 and 13 June 1997

WHEREAS, SHELL OIL COMPANY, a Delaware Corporation, is desirous of acquiring all rights to this invention in the United States:

NOW THEREFORE for valuable consideration received, I/we Dirk Coenraad Engel and Geert Van Der Honing

hereby assign to SHELL OIL COMPANY, its successors and assigns, all rights to this invention in the United States of America, including all rights in the above-mentioned application and any patent which may be issued thereon in the United States and any other application which may be filed or patent which may be issued in the United States.

AND I/we hereby agree that I/we will upon request execute any instrument which SHELL OIL COMPANY desires to carry this assignment into effect and perfect the title transferred hereby to prosecute the above-mentioned application.

AND the Commissioner of Patents of the United States is hereby authorized to issue Letters Patent of said application to the Assignee

Amsterdam this 23rd day of May 1997
Ellesmere port (UK) this 13 June 1997

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