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-Rotary Directional Services Limited

Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No

## 2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)

Maersk Directional

Name: Drilling Services

Internal Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: 2 Falkevej

PO Box 2217, DK6705

City: Esbjerg State: Denmark ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? ☐ Yes ☐ No

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# ASSIGNMENT

THIS ASSIGNMENT is made

BETWEEN Rotary Directional Services Limited  
of: 16 Albyn Place  
Aberdeen AB9 1PS

(hereinafter referred to as the "Assignor") of the first part.

AND Maersk Directional Drilling Services  
of: 2 Falkevej, PO Box 2217, DK6705 Esbjerg, Denmark

(hereinafter referred to as the "Assignee") of the second part.

WHEREAS the Assignor is in possession of Inventions relating to:  
Rotary Steering Tools (formerly known as Kick-off tools)

WHEREAS the Assignor has applied for the grant of Letters Patent  
as follows in respect of the Inventions:

<u>Country</u>	<u>Application or Patent Number</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>
United States	5,421,421	7 December 1993
Norway	933148	3 September 1993
Great Britain	2,265,648	18 November 1991
Canada	2,096,849	18 November 1991
Japan	03-518398	18 November 1991

WHEREAS the Assignor has transferred and assigned to the Assignee  
the entire right, title and interest in and to the Inventions in  
respect of the United Kingdom and all other countries throughout  
the world.

AND WHEREAS this confirmatory assignment is being executed with a  
view to permitting the recordal of said transfer in Patent  
Offices in the above countries.

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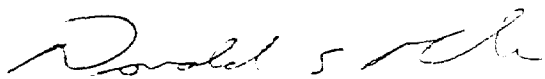
THIS ASSIGNMENT WITNESSES

1) In consideration of the sum of £125,000 sterling, part of this sum being for a field-ready Rotary Steering Tool, the receipt of the sum of £125,000 being hereby acknowledged by the Assignor, the Assignor has assigned to the Assignee its entire rights, title and interest in and to:

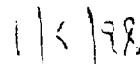
- (a) the Inventions in respect of the United Kingdom and all other countries throughout the world;
- (b) the right to apply for Industrial Property Rights protecting the Inventions including Letters Patent with or without claim to priority under the provisions of the International Convention Agreement for the Protection of Industrial Property in any country or countries throughout the world; and
- (c) the application(s) for Letters Patent as aforementioned and any divisional application(s) or other application(s) derived therefrom, and any Letters Patent granted thereon, such that the application(s) for Letters Patent shall now proceed in the name of the Assignee.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the Assignor and the Assignee have executed this confirmatory Assignment.

SIGNED ON BEHALF OF  
the said Assignor

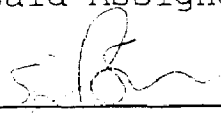


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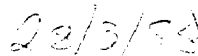


(Date)

SIGNED ON BEHALF OF  
the said Assignee



(Name) Sigurd Solem



(Date)