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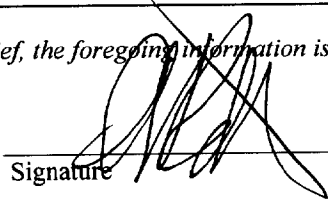
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# PATENT ASSIGNMENT

THIS ASSIGNMENT is made this <sup>24<sup>th</sup></sup> day of <sup>SEPTEMBER</sup> 1999, between Alexander Charles CRAWFORD, Kilburns Farm, Newport-on-Tay, Fife, DD6 8PL, Scotland, Great Britain (hereinafter called "the Assignor") of the one part, and DEEP TEK LIMITED, Company Number SC191642, a company incorporated under the Companies Acts and having its Registered Office at 50 Castle Street, Dundee, Scotland, Great Britain (hereinafter called "the Assignee") of the other part.

## WHEREAS

- (A) DEEP WATER RECOVERY & EXPLORATION LIMITED, Company Number SC113252, a company incorporated under the Companies Acts and having its registered office at Kilburns House, Newport-on-Tay, Fife, DD6 8PL, as the employer of the Assignor and beneficial owner of his inventions, has previously assigned to the Assignee all its rights in and to International (PCT) Patent Application Number PCT/GB96/00158, filed 25 January 1999 for an invention made by the Assignor and entitled "Apparatus and a Method for Use in Handling a Load" (the "Invention"), the Assignment being dated 19 April 1999.
- (B) The Assignor is the proprietor of US Patent Application No 08/875,249 derived from PCT/GB96/00158 (the "Parent").
- (C) The Assignor filed on 22 March 1999 a Continuation-In-Part Application concerning an improvement to the Invention at the United States Patent and Trade Mark Office, under serial number 09/274,259 (the "CIP").

- (D) The Assignee is desirous of obtaining full and exclusive rights in and to the Parent and the CIP and the invention(s) to which they relate.
- (E) The parties hereto have agreed that the Parent and the CIP should be transferred by the Assignor to the Assignee for the consideration hereinafter set forth.

**NOW THEREFORE**

In consideration of the sum of £10.00 now paid by the Assignee to the Assignor (the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged) the Assignor as beneficial owner hereby assigns to the Assignee the Parent and the CIP, the entire right, title and interest therein and all the rights, powers, privileges and immunities conferred on the proprietor thereof by the grant of the Parent and the CIP free from all incumbrances, including all divisionals and continuations thereof, and all Letters Patents and reissues thereof, and including the right to sue for damages and other remedies in respect of any infringement of the Parent and the CIP which may have occurred prior to

the date hereof; together with all rights to the inventions to which the Parent and the CIP relates **TO HOLD unto the Assignee absolutely.**

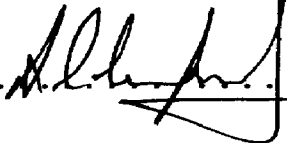
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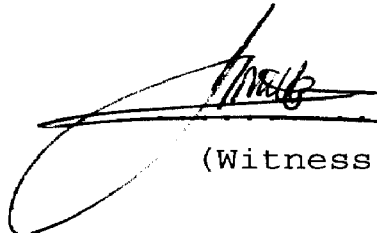
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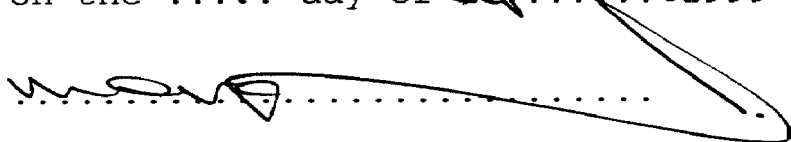
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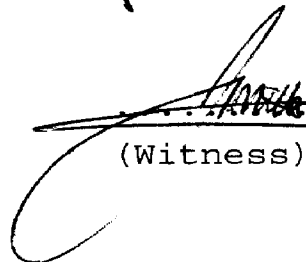
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