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WHEREAS, I, Donald G. Carlile, of Gresham, county of Clackamas, state of Oregon, have invented certain improvements in a PUMP DEPLOYMENT SYSTEM, for which I have executed a patent application of the United States on the date hereinafter set forth.

WHEREAS, Rope Holdings, Inc., a Delaware corporation having its principal place of business in Wilmington, county of New Castle and state of Delaware, is desirous of acquiring an interest therein:

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I the said Donald G. Carlile, have sold, assigned and transferred, and by these present: do sell, assign and transfer unto the said Roper Holdings, Inc., the full and exclusive right to the said invention in the United States and its territorial possessions and in all foreign countries and the entire right, title and interest in and to any and all Letters Patent which may be granted therefor in the United States and its territorial possessions in any and all foreign countries and in and to any and all divisions, reissues, continuations and extensions then of.

I hereby authorize and request the Patent Office officials in the United States and any and all foreign countries to issue any and all of said Letters Patent, when granted, to the said Roper Holdings, Inc., as the assignee of my entire right, title and interest in and to the same, for the sole use of the said Roper Holdings, Inc., its successors and assigns.

Further, I agree that I will communicate to the said Roper Holdings, Inc., or its representatives any facts known to me respecting said invention, and testify in any legal

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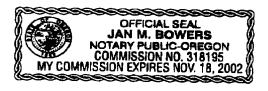
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