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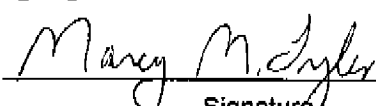
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ASSIGNMENT

Assignee of Entire Interest: **Exxon Research & Engineering Company**

In consideration of good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the undersigned person(s) named above, (hereinafter referred to as **UNDERSIGNED**) hereby agree(s) as follows:

UNDERSIGNED hereby assign(s) to Exxon Production Research Company, a corporation of Delaware, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, herein referred to collectively as **ASSIGNEE**, the entire right, title and interest, for the United States and all foreign countries, in and to the invention, discovery or improvement, described in United States patent application, entitled "**ULTRA-HIGH STRENGTH, WELDABLE, BORON-CONTAINING STEELS WITH SUPERIOR TOUGHNESS**" and identified as Docket No. 97.022 and as Serial Number 09/123,791, and in and to said application for patent and any United States patent or patents that may be granted thereon.

UNDERSIGNED agree(s) upon the request of **ASSIGNEE** to execute, and require its employees to execute, any and all applications for United States patent for said invention, discovery or improvement, and any continuations of such applications or substitutes therefor, and any lawful oaths, affidavits, or other papers relating thereto, and any specific separate assignments of any of the above required for recording in the United States Patent and Trademark Office that **ASSIGNEE** may deem necessary or expedient.

UNDERSIGNED agree(s) that in the event of any application based on said assigned invention, discovery or improvement, or patent issued thereon, or any reissue or application for the reissue thereof, becoming involved in interference proceedings, **UNDERSIGNED** will cooperate, and require its employees to cooperate, with **ASSIGNEE** to the best of the ability of **UNDERSIGNED** in the matter of preparing and executing preliminary statements and giving and producing evidence in support thereof.

UNDERSIGNED agree(s) upon request of **ASSIGNEE** to execute, and require its employees to execute, any and all documents that shall be required of **UNDERSIGNED** or **UNDERSIGNED'S** employees to be executed in connection with any and all applications for foreign patents for said invention, discovery or improvement, including the prosecution thereof and the claiming of the International Convention date therefor and for registration in foreign countries of any patents that may be granted for said invention, discovery or improvement.

UNDERSIGNED agree(s) to perform, and require its employees to perform, upon **ASSIGNEE'S** request any and all affirmative acts to obtain United States and foreign patents upon said invention, discovery or improvement and to vest all rights therein hereby conveyed to **ASSIGNEE**, as fully and as entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by **UNDERSIGNED** if this assignment and sale had not been made.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this assignment has been executed on behalf of **UNDERSIGNED** on the date opposite **UNDERSIGNED'S** name.

DATE 3/26/99

Exxon Research and Engineering Company

BY: 

Name: William R. Innes

Title: President

 3/26/99
Witness Date