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and

Schlumberger Companies being:

Schlumberger Technology Corporation, a Texas corporation, having a principal place of business at 110 Schlumberger Drive, Sugar Land, Texas 77478 ("STC"), and

Sofitech N.V., a Belgium company, Rue de Stalle 140, B-1180, Brussels, Belgium.

WHEREAS, the Schlumberger companies are the Assignee of the following patent applications:

U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/058,687  
U.S. Patent Utility Application No. 09/057,059  
Norwegian Patent Application No. 984141  
Nigerian Patent Application No. 312/98  
European Patent Application No. EP 0 902 302,

AND WHEREAS, it is the express desire and intent of all the parties hereto that all rights, title, and interest in the patents, patent applications, and inventions held by the Schlumberger Companies be assigned to M-I L.L.C.

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, Schlumberger companies hereby sell, assign, transfer and convey to M-I L.L.C. its successors and assigns, all of its right, title, and interest in the patents and patent applications listed and the inventions claimed therein, including the right for said M-I L.L.C. to apply for and own patent applications and patents covering the inventions in any country in the world in its name, said Schlumberger Company being STC in respect to all rights in the USA and being Sofitech N.V. in respect of all rights in countries other than USA, Canada, France, Argentina, and Venezuela.

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