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Inventor or Inventors: Jerome R. Krebs and Sen T. Chen

In consideration of Ten Dollar (\$10.00) and other 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 ExxonMobil Upstream 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 UNDERSIGNED'S invention, discovery or improvement, described in United States patent application entitled as **Method And Apparatus For Acquiring Offset Checkshot Survey Data Using Tube-Wave Conversion**, Docket Number PM 98.048 which application I(we) have executed concurrently herewith on the date(s) set forth below 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 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 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 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.

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

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