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PATENT ASSIGNMENT

For a valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Star Enterprise, a New York general partnership having offices at 12700 Northborough Drive, Houston, Texas 77067 (the "Assignor") hereby assigns to Motiva Enterprises LLC, a Limited Liability Co. ("Motiva"), having offices at 1100 Louisiana, Houston, Texas, its respective right, title, and interest to U.S. Patent No. 5,976,354 (as shown in Attachment I), along with the inventions thereof including the right to file additional patent applications thereon.

This Assignment is pursuant to and subject to the intellectual property transfer in the Technology Transfer Agreement between Star Enterprise, and Motiva Enterprises LLC (Effective Date July 15, 1998).

The Assignor hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents of the United States to issue all Letters Patents resulting from such patent applications as well as any divisions, continuations, or reissue applications thereof, to Motiva, as the assignee of the entire right, title, and interest therein.

STAR ENTERPRISE

By: *[Signature]*
Title: CEO
Date: 2/9/00

ACCEPTED:

MOTIVA ENTERPRISES LLC

By: *[Signature]*
Title: General Counsel & Secretary
Date: 12/17/01

ATTACHMENT I

Patent No.	Title	Inventor(s)
U.S. 5,976,354	Integrated Lube Oil Hydrorefining Process	John Robert Powers and Robert M. Steinberg