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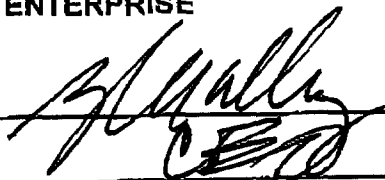

PATENT ASSIGNMENTS

For a valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Star Enterprise, a Delaware corporation having offices at 12700 Northborough Drive, Houston, Texas 77067 (the "Assignor") hereby assigns to Motiva Enterprises, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company, ("Motiva"), having offices at 910 Louisiana Street, Houston, Texas 77002, their respective right, title, and interest to the patents and/or patent applications of Attachment I, along with the inventions thereof including the right to file additional patent applications thereon.

These Assignments are pursuant to and subject to the license reservation, limitations, and other provisions of the Master Agreement between Shell Oil Company, Texaco Inc. and Saudi Refining, Inc., having an Effective Date (as defined therein) of July 1, 1998.


The Assignor hereby authorizes assignment of the issued patents 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.

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MOTIVA ENTERPRISES, LLC

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ATTACHMENT I

Patent No./Serial No./ (Docket No.)	Title	Inventor(s)
U.S. 5,434,329; Serial No. 083,147 (TH-1473)	Treatment of Spent Refinery Caustic	James S. Lehr
U.S. 5,855,767; Serial No. 313,528 (TH-1474)	Hydrorefining Process for Production of Base Oils	John R. Powers Gerald F. Prescott James R. Whiteman
U.S. 5,865,989; Serial No. 531,327 (TH-1475)	Process for Sweetening Liquid Hydrocarbon	John C. Cooper Marc D. McConnell Adam R. Pawloski
Serial No. 08/914,458 (TH-1476)	Integrated Lube Oil Hydrorefining Process	John R. Powers R. M. Steinberg