In re Application of: Gyanesh P. Khare et

For: DESULFURIZATION PROCESS



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Sir:

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1. The name(s) of the conveying party(ies):

Gyanesh P. Khare, Bryan W. Cass, Donald R. Engelbert, Edward L. Sughrue, Dennis R. Kidd and Max W. Thompson

2. The name and address of the receiving party is:

Phillips Petroleum Company, a corporation of Delaware, having a place of business Name:

at Bartlesville, in the county of Washington, in the state of Oklahoma.

Address: Bartlesville, Oklahoma 74004

3. Nature of conveyance: Assignment executed on May 3, 2002, April 26, 2002, April 18, 2002, April 19, 2002, May 22, 2002

- 4. The Patent Application No. is identified in the heading at the top of this page.
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- 6. This document involves one (1) patent application.
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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, we, Gyanesh P. Khare of Kingwood, Texas, Bryan W. Cass of Bartlesville, Oklahoma, Donald R. Engelbert of Copan, Oklahoma, Edward L. Sughrue of Bartlesville, Oklahoma, Dennis R. Kidd of Dewey, Oklahoma and Max W. Thompson of Sugar Land, Texas have made a certain invention entitled:

IMPROVED DESULFURIZATION PROCESS

which is described and claimed in that application for Letters Patent of the United States having attorneys docket designation 33831US,

and WHEREAS, Phillips Petroleum Company, a corporation of Delaware, is desirous of acquiring an interest in said invention,

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of one dollar, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, and other good and valuable consideration, we, Gyanesh P. Khare, Bryan W. Cass, Donald R. Engelbert, Edward L. Sughrue, Dennis R. Kidd and Max W. Thompson by these presents do sell, assign, and transfer unto Phillips Petroleum Company the full and exclusive right, for the territory of the United States of America and for all foreign countries, in and to the said invention, as described in said application executed on even dates herewith, preparatory to obtaining Letters Patent of the United States therefor; said invention, application and Letters Patent to be held and enjoyed by the said Phillips Petroleum Company, for its own use and behalf, and for its legal representatives, to the full end of the term for which said patent or patents may be granted as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by us had this assignment and sale not been made.

AND we do further agree to sign all papers, make all rightful oaths and do all requisite acts for the filing of any disclaimer or for the filing and assignment of any divisional, continuing, reissue or foreign application or applications based on the present application.

AND we do further agree to communicate to Phillips Petroleum Company, its successors, assigns or other legal representatives, such facts relating to said invention as may be known to us, and to testify as to such facts in any prosecution, interference or litigation.

PATENT REEL: 12979 FRAME: 0387 Executed by the undersigned on the dates indicated.

In the presence of

Saely Lien Gymesh P. Khare May 3, 2002

Witness Gyanesh P. Khare Date

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