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ASSIGNMENT

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SELL, ASSIGN AND TRANSFER to PETRECO INTERNATIONAL INC., having a place of business at 14990 Yorktown Plaza Drive, Houston, Texas 77040, the entire right, title and interest for the United States and all foreign countries in and to any and all inventions and improvements which are disclosed in the application for United States Letters Patent, which has been executed by the undersigned and is entitled "MECHANICAL OXYGEN SCAVENGER DEVICE," further identified as U.S. Application Serial No. 10/117,567, filed April 4, 2002, such application and all divisional, continuing, substitute, renewal, reissue and all other applications for patent which have been or shall be filed in the United States and all foreign countries on any of such inventions or improvements; all original and reissued patents which have been or shall be issued in the United States and all foreign countries on such inventions or improvements; and specifically including the right to file foreign applications under the provisions of any convention or treaty and claim priority based on such application in the United States;

AUTHORIZE AND HEREBY REQUEST the issuing authorities to issue any and all United States and foreign patents granted on such inventions or improvements to PETRECO INTERNATIONAL INC.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned have hereunto subscribed their names on the late set opposite their signatures.	
Signature) Melvin STACY Date	June 24, 2002
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BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this day of ul, 2002 personally appeared James Chen the person whose name is subscribed to the loregoing instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same of his own free will for the purposes and consideration therein expressed. Ul 2002 personally day of ul, 2002 personally appeared just the foreign instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same of his own free will for the purposes and consideration therein expressed.	
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