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## **ASSIGNMENT**

WHEREAS, I <u>SCOTT LEANEY</u> (Inventor(s)), a citizen of CANADA, whose post office address is GRANARY COTTAGE, HENMEAD, CUCKFIELD, WEST SUSSEX, RH17 5HY UNITED KINGDOM, have invented <u>A METHOD OF PROCESSING VERTICAL SEISMIC PROFILE DATA USING EFFECTIVE VTI MODELS</u> as described and set forth in an application for Letters Patent of the United States of America, (Attorney Docket No.26.0203 US), filed herewith.

AND WHEREAS, Schlumberger Technology Corporation, hereinafter referred to as the "said COMPANY", a corporation duly organized, incorporated and existing under the laws of the State of Texas and having a place of business at 200 Gillingham Lane, MD1, Sugar Land, Texas 77478 is desirous of acquiring or confirming its acquisition of the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, inventions or improvements, and in and to said application, and in and to any and all patents, in the United States, that may be obtained therefore;

NOW, THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, BE IT KNOWN, that I, the Inventor, for good and valuable considerations, the receipt and sufficiency of which I hereby assign, transfer and convey, unto said COMPANY, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in the United States, in and to my invention, inventions or improvements described or set forth in said application, in any form or embodiment thereof, including the right to file foreign applications under the provisions of any convention or treaty; and in and to any confirmation, divisional, continuation, continuation-in-part, or substitute application which may be filed on said invention, inventions or improvements in the United States; and in and to any and all patents, certificates, utility models, reissues, extensions, additions or confirmations thereof which may be granted in the United States upon said invention, inventions or improvements, TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the same to the full end of the term or terms for which any and all such patents and grants may be issued on said invention, inventions or improvements.

AND I do hereby authorize and request the issuing authority to issue any and all of patents on said application or applications to said COMPANY, its successors and assigns, as the assignee of the entire right, title and interest in and to the same, for the sole use and benefit of said COMPANY, its successors and assigns.

AND I do hereby covenant and warrant that I have full right to convey the entire right, title and interest herein assigned free and clear of all licenses, encumbrances and liens whatsoever, and that I have not executed and will not execute any instruments in conflict herewith.

AND I, for the conditions aforesaid, do hereby covenant and agree to and with the said COMPANY, its successors and assigns, that I, my executors, administrators, or other personal representatives, shall and will do all lawful acts and things, make all rightful oaths, and make, execute and deliver any and all other instruments in writing, and any and all further applications, papers, powers, affidavits, assignments, disclaimers and other documents, which in the opinion of counsel for said COMPANY, its successors and assigns, may be required or necessary in this or in any foreign country more effectually to secure to and vest in said COMPANY, its

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I the Inventor, have hereunto set my hand and seal.

Date

Scott Leaney

WITNESSED:

BE IT KNOWN, that Scott Leaney, is to me known to be the individual described in the foregoing assignment, I personally saw him sign and execute the foregoing assignment and he acknowledged to me that he executed this assignment as his free act and deed for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

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