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**Hector Phillipus Alexander Van Drentham SUSMAN** (executed 1/16/04)

2. Name and address of receiving parties:

**ROTECH HOLDINGS LIMITED**  
Whitemyres Avenue  
Mastrick Industrial Estate  
Aberdeen AB16 6HQ  
United Kingdom

Additional names attached?  Yes  No

3. Nature of conveyance:

- Assignment  Merger
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5. Mail correspondence to:

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**ASSIGNMENT**

WHEREAS, each of,

**Hector, Phillipus, Alexander, Van, Drentham SUSMAN**, a citizen of Great Britain, residing at Pinjarra, Pitcaple, Inverurie, Aberdeen AB51 5EE, United Kingdom

ASSIGNOR, is an inventor of the invention in **DOWNHOLE TOOL**, for which a United States patent application is identified by Winston & Strawn Docket No. **85170-5000** and

- is being filed concurrently with the recordation of this Assignment.  
 was filed on \_\_\_\_\_ as Application No. \_\_\_\_\_

WHEREAS, **ROTECH HOLDINGS LIMITED**, a having a place of business at Whitemyres Avenue, Mastrick Industrial Estate, Aberdeen AB16 6HQ, United Kingdom, ASSIGNEE is desirous of obtaining our entire right, title and interest in, to and under the said invention and the said application:

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) to each inventor in hand paid, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, each ASSIGNOR has sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents does hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, his or her entire right, title and interest in, to and under the said invention, and the said United States application and all divisions, renewals and continuations thereof, and all Patents of the United States which may be granted thereon and all reissues and extensions thereof;

And each ASSIGNOR hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States, to issue the same to the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument;

And each ASSIGNOR hereby covenants and agrees that he or she has the full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned, and that he or she has not executed, and will not execute, any agreement in conflict herewith;

And each ASSIGNOR hereby further covenants and agrees that he or she will communicate to the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, any facts known to him or her respecting said invention, and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing, and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths, and generally do everything possible to aid the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper protection for said invention;

And each ASSIGNOR hereby authorizes the Assignee's patent attorney to complete this form by the addition of the application number, application filing date, and attorney docket number, if necessary.

In witness whereof, each inventor has affixed his or her signature.

Date 16-01-04, 2003



Hector, Phillipus, Alexander, Van, Drentham SUSMAN

On 16.01.04, 2003, before me, PATRICIA ANGUS,  
Witness, appeared **Hector, Phillipus, Alexander, Van, Drentham SUSMAN**, to me known and known to me to be the person of that name, who signed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged the same to be his/her free act and deed.

Patricia Angus  
Witness