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WHEREAS I/we

Robert Hardy ELLISON, a US national of 33 Caughall Road, Upton, Chester, United Kingdom, Eric KRAGTWIJK and Frederik Hendrik VAN DER STEEN both Netherlands nationals of Badhuisweg 3, NL-1031 CM Amsterdam, the Netherlands

have invented a certain improvement in

WHEREAS I/we have executed an application for Letters Patent of the United States in connection with this invention on the

WHEREAS, SHELL OIL COMPANY, a Delaware Corporation is desirous of acquiring all rights to this invention in the United States:

NOW THEREFORE for valuable consideration received,

I/we Robert Hardy ELLISON, Eric KRAGTWIJK and Frederik Hendrik VAN DER STEEN

hereby assign to SHELL OIL COMPANY, its successors and assigns, all rights to this invention in the United States of America, including all rights in the above-mentioned application and any patent which may be issued thereon in the United States and any other application which may be filed or patent which may be issued on said invention in the United States.

AND I/we hereby agree that I/we will upon request execute any instrument which SHELL OIL COMPANY desires to carry this assignment into effect and perfect the title transferred hereby or to prosecute the above-mentioned application.

AND the Commissioner of Patents of the United States is hereby authorized to issue Letters Patent of said application to the Assignee.

this day of

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Frederik Hendrik VAN DER STEEN x	<i>Frederik Hendrik van der Steen</i>	<i>04-11-03</i>

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