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## **ASSIGNMENT**

IN CONSIDERATION OF TEN DOLLARS (\$10.00) cash in hand paid to us and other valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, we, ConocoPhillips Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, doing business in Houston, Texas (sometimes hereinafter called "ASSIGNOR"), do hereby ASSIGN, SELL and CONVEY to University of Tennessee Research Foundation, Knoxville, Tennessee (sometimes hereinafter called "ASSIGNEE") its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to the following U.S. patent applications and patents and their foreign equivalents:

U.S. Cases

ConocoPhillips	U.S. Appl.	Filing Date	U.S.	Issue Date	Title
ICR Number	Number	1	Patent		
			Number		
94/016	07/092,217	09-02-87	4,861,653	08-29-89	Pitch Carbon Fibers and
					Batts
94/018	07/158,677	02-22-88	4,915,926	04-10-90	Balanced Ultra-High
					Modulus and High
					Tensile Strength Carbon
					Fibers
94/018A	07/439,055	11-20-89	4,990,285	02-05-91	Balanced Ultra-High
					Modulus and High
					Tensile Strength Carbon
					Fibers
94/020A	07/606,675	10-31-90	5,202,072	04-13-93	Pitch Carbon Fiber
					Spinning Process
94/020C	08/245,345	05-18-94	5,437,927	08-01-95	Pitch Carbon Fiber
					Spinning Process

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ICR Number	Number		Patent			
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94/020D	08/409,223	03-23-95	5,578,330	11-26-96	Pitch Carbon Fiber	
					Spinning Apparatus	
94/031	07/635,916	12-28-90	5,169,616	12-08-92	High Thermal Conductivity Carbon	
94/056	60/042,762	04-09-07	6,123,829	09-26-00	Fibers High Temperature, Low	
	09/052,764	03-31-98			Oxidation Stabilization	
	ĺ			į	of Pitch Fibers	
94/056A	09/514,668	02-28-00	6,582,588	06-24-03	High Temperature, Low	
					Oxidation Stabilization	
					of Pitch Fibers	
95/019	08/649,751	05-15-96	5,863,565	01-26-99	Apparatus for Forming	
					a Single Layer Batt	
	,				from Multiple Curtains	
					of Fibers	
95/019A	09/103,085	06-23-98	5,951,942	09-14-99	Process for Forming a	
					Single Layer Batt from	
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İ					Fibers	
9512.0-01	60/311,714	08-10-01	6,488,755	12-03-02	Asphalt Compositions	
	10/215,613	08-09-02			Containing Coated	
		ì			Carbon Fiber, Method	
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					and Use	

## Foreign Equivalents

ConocoPhillips	Country	Appl. No.	Filing	Patent No.	Issue Date	Status
ICR Number			Date			1
94/020	Australia	49844/90	02-16-90	626176	11-17-92	Granted
	Canada	2,009,528	02-07-90	2,009,528	01-09-01	Granted
	Japan	032608/90	02-15-90	2,897,137	03-12-99	Granted
	South Korea	90-1826	02-15-90	140867	03-16-98	Granted
	Europe	90103030.4	02-16-90	0383339	05-10-95	Granted
94/031	Japan	358151/91	12-27-91	3,427,844	05-16-03	Granted
94/056	India	595/Cal/98	04-07-98			Filed
	Malaysia	PI 9801556	04-08-98			Filed
	Norway	19994914	04-01-98			Filed
	Australia	68830/98	04-01-98	738232	01-03-02	Granted
	Canada	2,284,254	04-01-98	2,284,254	10-05-04	Granted
	China	98804002.6	04-01-98	988040026	04-28-04	Granted
	Europe	98914485.2	04-01-98	0975712	12-21-05	Granted
	Japan	542942/98	04-01-98	3727664	10-07-05	Granted
	S. Korea	99-7009245	04-01-98	337963	05-13-02	Granted
	Russia	99123182	04-01-98	2198969	07-30-02	Granted
	S. Africa	98/2984	04-01-98	98/2984	03-29-00	Granted
	Taiwan	87105355	04-09-98	153419	04-11-02	Granted
95/019	Japan	122340/97	05-13-97	3,730,361	10-14-05	Granted

## Said assignment includes:

- 1. All applications for patent or like protection on said inventions that have now been or may in the future be made by us or our legal representatives, including any continuation, continuation-in-part and any other utility applications that may be based on said inventions, whether in the United States of America or any other place anywhere in the world;
- All patents and like protection that have now been or may in the future be granted on said inventions to us or our legal representatives, whether in the United States of America or in any other country or place anywhere in the world;
- All substitutions for and divisions, continuations, continuations-in-part, renewals, reissues, extensions, and the like of said applications and

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- 4. All rights of action on account of past, present and future unauthorized use of said inventions and for infringement of said patents and like protection;
- 5. The right in ASSIGNEE to file in its name applications for patents and like protection for said inventions in any country or countries foreign to the United States; and
- 6. All international rights of priority for said inventions, applications, patents, and like protection; and we covenant that we have full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned, and that we have not executed, and will not execute, any agreement in conflict herewith; and we covenant that we, and our heirs, legal representatives, assigns, administrators, and executors, will, at the expense of ASSIGNOR, its successors and assigns, execute all papers and perform such other acts as may be reasonably necessary to give ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns, the full benefit of this Assignment.

EXECUTED at Bartlesville, Oklahoma on the date indicated below, opposite my signature.

Date: March 14, 2006

**ASSIGNOR** 

Beverly M. Dollar

Chief Intellectual Property Counsel

ConocoPhillips Company

THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared BEVERLY M. DOLLAR, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged to me that she executed the same for the purposes and consideration therein expressed.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE, this the

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