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## **ASSIGNMENT**

WHEREAS, I, Stephen David Payor, of Bass Hill, New South Wales, Australia have made certain new and useful inventions as set forth in U.S. Patent Application S.N. 11/813,243 filed July 2, 2007, entitled INSTRUMENTATION PROBE FOR IN SITU MEASUREMENT AND TESTING OF SEABED;

AND WHEREAS, BENTHIC GEOTECH, PTY LTD a company of Australia having a place of business at 8-10 Leeds Street, Rhodes, New South Wales, 2138 is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and in and to any and all Letters Patent of the United States which may be obtained therefor;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, I do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over unto BENTHIC GEOTECH, PTY LTD, its legal representatives, successors, and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention as set forth in the above-mentioned application, and in and to any and all patents of the United States which may be issued for said invention;

UPON SAID CONSIDERATIONS, I hereby agree with said assignee that I will not execute any writing or do any act whatsoever conflicting with these presents, and that I will, at any time upon request, without further or additional consideration but at the expense of the said assignee, execute such additional assignments and other writings and do such additional acts as said assignee may deem necessary or desirable to perfect the assignee's enjoyment of this grant, and render all necessary assistance in making application

PATENT REEL: 019729 FRAME: 0343 for and obtaining original, divisional, continuation, continuation-in-part, reexamined, reissued, or extended Letters Patent of the United States on said invention, and in enforcing any rights or choses in action accruing as a result of such applications or patents, by giving testimony in any proceedings or transactions involving such applications or patents, and by executing preliminary statements and other affidavits, it being understood that the foregoing covenant and agreement shall bind, and inure to the benefit of, the assigns and legal representatives of assignor and assignee;

AND I request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any Letters Patent of the United States which may be issued for said invention to said GISPAC PTY LTD, its legal representatives, successors or assigns, as the sole owner of the entire right, title and interest in and to said patent and the invention covered thereby.

STEPHEN DAVID PAYOR

JULY 26th 2007

Date

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