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**SÜD-CHEMIE AG** having a place of business at Lenbachplatz 6, 80333 München, Germany  
(the "Assignor")

TO

**STATOILHYDRO ASA** having a place of business in 4035 Stavanger, Norway;  
(the "Assignee");

IN CONSIDERATION for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the Assignor hereby sells, assigns, and transfers to Assignee the Assignor's entire right, title and interest in the US in and to an invention relating to and entitled RING OPENING PROCESS, as fully set forth and described in an international patent application filed under International Application No. PCT/EP2006/010371, a US national phase of which was filed on 18 January 2008

together with said Assignor's entire right, title and interest in the US in and to said international application, and any and all applications deriving therefrom, and any and all letters patent on the basis of the US which may issue for said invention.

SIGNED at Munich this 13 day of June, 2008

on behalf of **SÜD-CHEMIE AG** by its duly authorized signatory:

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