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PATENT APPLICATION ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, WE, Carl W. Stoesz, a citizen of the United States, residing at 555 Tarrytown Road, Christiansburg, VA 24073; and Luis E. Mendez, a citizen of the United States, residing at 15805 Elwood, Houston, Texas 77040 have invented new and useful improvements in CONTAMINATION RESISTANT CONNECTING SYSTEM AND METHOD for which we have filed as United States Patent Application 12/956,360 on November 30, 2010;

WHEREAS, Baker Hughes Incorporated, a corporation of the State of Delaware, having a correspondence address of 2929 Allen Parkway, Suite 2100, Houston, Texas 77019-2118, is desirous of acquiring our entire right, title and interest in said application and our Letters Patent which may issue thereon.

NOW, THEREFORE, it be known by all whom it may concern that for and in consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00), the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, and other good and valuable consideration, We hereby assign to said corporation, both in and for the territory of the United States of America and the entire world, all our title and interest in and to said invention, patent application and any patent which may issue thereon, including all divisions, continuations, reissues, continuations-in-part and substitutions thereof, plus all priority rights for patent applications foreign to the United States of America. We further hereby assign and transfer to said corporation whatever cause of action We may have for past or present infringement of said invention, together with the right to bring suit for any such infringement and to seek and receive damages and other relief arising from any such infringement.

WE HEREBY covenant and agree that We will at any time, upon the request of said corporation, execute and deliver any and all papers and do all lawful acts that may be necessary or desirable to perfect the title to said invention, applications and patents, and We authorize the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue Letters patent to said corporation.

Inventor 1

Carl W. Stoesz

Date: 12-10-2010

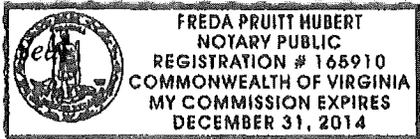
Carl W. Stoesz

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COUNTY OF *Montgomery*

This 10th day of December, 2010 before me personally came the above-named **Carl W. Stoesz**, to me personally known as the individual who executed the foregoing assignment, who acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same of his/her own free will for the purposes therein set forth.



Freda Pruitt Hubert

(Notary Public)

Inventor 2

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Luis E. Mendez

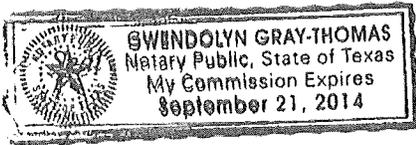
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This 24 day of January, 2011 before me personally came the above-named **Luis E. Mendez**, to me personally known as the individual who executed the foregoing assignment, who acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same of his/her own free will for the purposes therein set forth.



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