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NOW, THEREFORE, for a valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I / We, hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over unto said Chevron U.S.A. Inc., its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, the said application and all divisions, continuations, reexaminations, and reissues thereof, and in and to all Letters Patent to be granted and issued therefore and all reexamination certificates, reissues and extensions thereof, not only for, to and in the United States of America, but for, to and in all other countries. The aforesaid assignment includes the right in and to all income, royalties, damages and payments now or hereafter due or payable with respect to any Letters Patent which may be granted, and in and to all causes of action (either in law or in equity), and the right to sue, counterclaim, and recover for past, present and future infringement of the rights assigned or to be assigned under this Assignment, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by Assignors if this sale and assignment had not been made,

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