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**COMBINED DECLARATION AND GLOBAL ASSIGNMENT
FOR NONPROVISIONAL UTILITY OR DESIGN PATENT APPLICATION**

As the below named inventor(s), I hereby declare that:

This declaration and assignment are directed to:

VERTICAL SUBSEA TREE ANNULUS AND CONTROLS ACCESS

- the specification of which is attached hereto OR
- United States application or PCT international application number _____ filed on _____, as amended on [date] (if applicable).
(I hereby authorize and request the Company or its delegated attorneys or agents to insert above the application number and filing date of the application when known.)

The above-identified application was made or authorized to be made by me.

I believe that I am the original inventor of a claimed invention in the application.

I hereby acknowledge that any willful false statement made in this declaration is punishable under 18 USC § 1001 by fine or imprisonment of not more than five (5) years, or both.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the patentability of this application as defined in 37 CFR § 1.56, including, for continuation-in-part applications, material information which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the filing date of the continuation-in-part application.

In accordance with my obligation under an Employee Innovation and Proprietary Information Agreement or (as applicable) arising out of other agreements (such as, but not limited to, the Services Agreement between General Electric Company, a New York corporation, and our employers), and/or for other good and valuable consideration of which I acknowledge receipt, I,

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hereby sell and assign to:

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| Name of Company: <i>GE Oil & Gas UK Limited</i> |
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herein referred to as "Company", its successors and assign my entire respective right, title and interest in and to the invention and improvements made and conceived by me described in the application(s) listed above and in the following table:

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Vertical Subsea Tree Annulus and Controls Access

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