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**WHEREAS**, WE, Soban BALASHANMUGAM of British nationality, Ronald FISHER of US nationality, and Devin HALLIDAY, of US nationality, residing at Surrey, United Kingdom, Sugar Grove, Illinois, USA, and Chicago, Illinois, USA respectively have made an invention relating to '*Predicting High Temperature Asphaltene Precipitation*' which is the subject of BP Patent Case No. 500802 filed on September 1, 2015 under US Patent Application No. 62/212,790 (hereinafter the "Invention");

**WHEREAS** WE, Ronald FISHER, and Devin HALLIDAY when contributing to said Invention and improvements thereto were employed by BP PRODUCTS NORTH AMERICA INC. and are joint inventors of said Invention;

**WHEREAS** BP PRODUCTS NORTH AMERICA INC. has a registered office at The Prentice-Hall Corporation System, Maryland, 7 St. Paul Street, Suite 1660, Baltimore, Maryland 21202 with corporate number 36-2440313;

WHEREAS BP CORPORATION NORTH AMERICA INC has a registered office at 251 East Ohio Street, Suite 500, Indianapolis, Indiana 46204, USA with corporate number 36-1812780;

**WHEREAS** I, Soban BALASHANMUGAM when contributing to said Invention and improvements thereto was employed by BP P.L.C. having a registered office at 1 St. James's Square, London, SW1Y 4PD, United Kingdom and being registered in England and Wales with company number 00102498 and am joint inventor of said Invention;

**WHEREAS** I, Soban BALASHANMUGAM acknowledges that all rights in said Invention and improvements thereto and the right to file patent applications therefor in any and all countries of the world and to any and all patent applications therefor and any Letters Patent which may be issued thereupon in any and all countries of the world have vested in BP P.L.C. and;

**WHEREAS** BP PRODUCTS NORTH AMERICA INC., and BP P.L.C. are affiliates of BP CORPORATION NORTH AMERICA INC.;

**WHEREAS** it is the wish of all the parties that the entire right, title and interest in, to and under the said Invention and any improvements thereon and the right to file patent applications therefor in any and all countries of the world any, and all patent applications therefor in the USA and all other countries of the world, and any and all Letters Patent which may be issued thereupon in the USA and all other countries of the world, shall vest solely in said BP CORPORATION NORTH AMERICA INC;

**NOW THEREFORE**, to the extent that specific assignment of the Invention and/or improvements thereon and the right to file patent applications therefor in any country of the world is needed for the purpose of recording or registration in any patent office, industrial property office or like governmental authority, WE, the said Soban BALASHANMUGAM, Ronald FISHER, and Devin HALLIDAY and BP PRODUCTS NORTH AMERICA INC., and BP P.L.C. for valuable consideration, the receipt and adequacy of which we hereby acknowledge, agree to sell, assign, transfer and set over, and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto BP CORPORATION NORTH AMERICA INC, its

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Dated: 10 June 2016 Soban BALASHANMUGAM Dated: **Ronald FISHER** Witnessed PRINT NAME Dated: **Devin HALLIDAY** Witnessed PRINT NAME

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