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#### **ASSIGNMENT**

I, the undersigned,

Michael Kannegaard Tjørnegårdsvej 15 DK-2820 Gentofte Denmark

(hereinafter referred to as the Assignor) have assigned all my right, title and interest in and to the inventions for which a patent applications were filed as listed in Schedule  $\bf 1$ 

to

Maersk Drilling A/S

Esplanaden 50 Lyngby Hovedgade 85 1098 Copenhagen K 2800 Kgs. Lyngby, Denmark

a company existing under the laws of Denmark (hereinafter referred to as the Assignee).

The assignment follows from my obligations set out in my employment contract which specifies that all property rights to inventions conceived by me are and/or shall be assigned and that compensation for such assignment is included in my ordinary salary. The Assignor hereby confirms to have received my ordinary salary and in addition hereto have received USD 1 as separate compensation for the assignment of the Invention. This statement does not void any rights to further compensation that I may have which are specified by mandatory rules, including section 8 of the Danish Employees' Inventions Act (lov om arbejdstageres opfindelser), and this assignment shall not change my rights to be named as inventor.

For avoidance of doubt, this assignment includes all rights to the invention and thus covers all countries of the world and the Assignee/Assignees is/are hereby entitled to file applications in any country at its/their discretion and to abstain from seeking patent protection in any and all countries, if it/they so desires/desire including but not limited to applying for a patent for the invention in the United States of America including continuations, continuations-in-part, reissue, re-examinations, extensions, substitutes and divisions. This Assignment also includes my/our right to claim priority under the Paris Convention or any other multilateral or bilateral treaties.

Assignor:

Michael Kannegaard

Name

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Signature



#### **SCHEDULE 1**

Initials:

A mobile offshore drilling unit, a method of using such a unit and a system comprising such a unit (internal nickname: Satellite drillfloor) filed:

- in Denmark on 20 November 2014 under number PA 2014 70712
- as an international application on 20 November 2015 under number PCT/DK2015/000048

# Offshore drilling of a configurable support structure (internal nickname: SPEED 1) filed:

- in Denmark on 29 October 2015 under number PA 2015 00668
- in the United Kingdom on 23 December 2015 under number GB1522856.2
- in the United Kingdom on 23 April 2016 under number GB1607101.1
- in the United Kingdom on 25 April 2016 under number GB1607180.5
- as an international application on 6 October 2016 under number PCT/DK2016/000036

# Offshore drilling and a configurable support structure and/or guide element for such (internal nickname: SPEED 2) filed:

- in the United Kingdom on 23 December 2015 under number GB1522857.0
- in the United Kingdom on 23 April 2016 under number GB1607105.2
- in the United Kingdom on 25 April 2016 under number GB1607181.3
- in the United Kingdom on 25 April 2016 under number GB1607182.1

### Offshore drilling unit (internal nickname: Twin Driller) filed:

- in the United Kingdom on 21 January 2016 under number GB1601175.1
- in the United Kingdom on 23 April 2016 under number GB1607102.9
- in the United Kingdom on 25 April 2016 under number GB1607183.9
- as an international application on 31 October 2016 under number PCT/DK2016/000041

# Methods and apparatus for forming an offshore well (internal nickname: Conductor installation) filed:

- in the United Kingdom on 24 December 2015 under number GB1522858.8
- in the United Kingdom on 23 April 2016 under number GB1607103.7
- as an international application on 31 October 2016 under number PCT/DK2016/000040

# Offshore apparatus and method (internal nickname: Safety funnel) filed:

- in the United Kingdom on 23 April 2016 under number GB1607104.5
- as an international application on 31 October 2016 under number PCT/DK2016/000042

**Offshore drilling and a configurable support structure for the same** (internal nickname: SPEED platform with standard rigs) filed:

- in the United Kingdom on 27 November 2016 under the number GB1620035.4



#### **ASSIGNMENT**

We, the undersigned,

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John Anthony Gill 13 Crow Hill Drive NG197AE Mansfield United Kingdom

Jeanne Mia Lønstrup Harsdorffsvej 2, 4 tv 1874 Frederiksberg C Denmark

(hereinafter referred to as the Assignors) have assigned all our rights, title and interest in and to the invention entitled

# Offshore drilling unit

for which a patent application was filed

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The Assignor hereby agrees to execute, without further consideration, any additional assignments and other documents required in connection with the prosecution of the patent applications as well as to perform any additional acts necessary to enable the Assignee/Assignees or its/their successors, legal representatives and assigns, to enjoy the full rights of this assignment, including applying for a patent for the invention in the United States of America, and assigning the U.S. patent application and any patent or patents, including continuations, continuations-in-part, reissue, re-examinations, extensions, substitutes and divisions, which may be granted therefore to the said Assignee/Assignees or its/their successors, legal representatives and assigns.

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