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WHEREAS, I, **Fredrik BUCH**, (hereinafter individually and collectively the "Assignor"), have invented certain new and useful systems, devices, and methods disclosed and described in a utility patent application titled "**SEISMIC NODE DEPLOYMENT SYSTEM**" which can be identified in the United States Patent and Trademark Office ("USPTO") by Application No. 16/571,886 filed on September 16, 2019 (the "Utility Application") with attorney docket no. IONG/0086US2 (112353); and

WHEREAS, Assignor desires to assign any and all right, title and interest to said Utility Application, and any provisional, non-provisional, continuation, continuation-in-part, divisional, international, foreign, regional and convention applications corresponding thereto, and any and all Letters Patent of the United States and countries and regions foreign thereto which may grant or have granted thereto or be filed or lodged in relation thereto, any reissue or reexamination thereof or to be obtained therefor, any renewals, or substitutes thereof, and in and to any and all priority rights or priority claims, International Convention rights, any and all rights to collect past damages for infringement of any and all Letters Patent of the United States and countries and regions foreign thereto which may be published, which may grant, or have granted thereto or be filed or lodged in relation thereto, and other benefits accruing to or to accrue to Assignor with respect to the filing of applications for patents or securing of patents in the United States and countries foreign thereto (the "Patent Rights");

WHEREAS, ION Geophysical Corporation, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, and having its principal place of business at 2105 CityWest Boulevard, Suite 400, Houston, Texas 77042-2839 (the "Assignee"), desires to acquire any and all, right, title, and interest of Assignor in and to the invention(s), the Patent Rights, and in, to, and under any and all applications and Letters Patent to be obtained therefor;

NOW THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, Assignor has sold, assigned, and transfered and by these presents does hereby sell, assign and transfer to the said Assignee, and said Assignee's legal representatives, successors and assigns, any and all of the entire right, title and interest in and to the invention, Patent Rights, and any and all Letters Patent to be obtained therefor;

UPON SAID CONSIDERATION, the Assignor hereby covenants and agrees with the said Assignee that it will not execute any writing or do any act whatsoever conflicting with these presents, and that it will, at any time upon request, without further or additional consideration, but at the expense of the said Assignee, execute such additional assignments and other writings and do such additional acts as said Assignee may deem necessary or desirable to perfect the Assignee's enjoyment of this grant, and render all necessary assistance in making application for and obtaining any original, provisional, non-provisional, continuation, continuation-in-part, continuing prosecution, divisional, renewal, reissue, reexamined or extended application and Letters Patent of the United States, or of any and all foreign countries, on said Patent Rights, and execute confirmatory assignments or acknowledgments of this assignment as necessary for full enjoyment of the Patent Rights and for recording in foreign patent offices, and in enforcing any rights or choses in action accruing as a result of such Patent Rights, by giving testimony in any proceedings or transactions involving such Patent Rights, and

by executing preliminary statements and other affidavits, it being understood that the foregoing covenant and agreement shall bind, and inure to the benefit of, the assigns and legal representatives of both parties;

ASSIGNOR HEREBY AUTHORIZES said Assignee, its successors, and assigns, or anyone it may properly designate, to apply for Letters Patent in the U.S. and any and all foreign countries and regions, in its own name if desired, and additionally to claim priority to the filing date of the Provisional Application and otherwise take advantage of the provisions of any international conventions.

ASSIGNOR HEREBY AUTHORIZES Assignee, its successors and assigns, or anyone it may properly designate, to insert in this instrument the application number, filing date, and title of the Provisional Application once known.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Assignor hereunto has executed this Assignment upon the date indicated below.

Date: 02.03.2021 By: Fredrik Buch

Fredrik BUCH

WHEREAS, I, **Per Birger NAKKEN**, (hereinafter individually and collectively the "Assignor"), have invented certain new and useful systems, devices, and methods disclosed and described in a utility patent application titled "**SEISMIC NODE DEPLOYMENT SYSTEM**" which can be identified in the United States Patent and Trademark Office ("USPTO") by Application No. 16/571,886 filed on September 16, 2019 (the "Utility Application") with attorney docket no. IONG/0086US2 (112353); and

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Date: O7. OR, Roll

Per Birger/NAKKEN

WHEREAS, I, **Timothy A. DUDLEY**, (hereinafter individually and collectively the "Assignor"), have invented certain new and useful systems, devices, and methods disclosed and described in a utility patent application titled "**SEISMIC NODE DEPLOYMENT SYSTEM**" which can be identified in the United States Patent and Trademark Office ("USPTO") by Application No. 16/571,886 filed on September 16, 2019 (the "Utility Application") with attorney docket no. IONG/0086US2 (112353); and

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Date: 12/12/2026

Ву : \_\_\_

Timothy A. DUDLE

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Date: \_\_5MAR2021\_\_\_

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