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CLAYTON THOMAS MARTIN	12/05/2019
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Sandor Weaver Grimes, Travis Adair Anderson, Clayton
Thomas Martin, Tiffany Louis Matthews, Scott Allen
Toler

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☐ Yes ☒ No

3. Nature of conveyance:

☒ Assignment ☐ Merger
☐ Security Agreement ☐ Change of Name
☐ Other

Execution Date: December 11, 2019, December 5, 2019,
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2019

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Name: NATIONAL OILWELL VARCO, L.P.

Street Address: 7909 Parkwood Circle Drive

City: Houston State: Texas Zip: 77036
Country: United States of America

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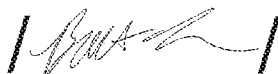
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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, Sandor Weaver Grimes, Travis Adair Anderson, Clayton Thomas Martin, Tiffany Louis Matthews and Scott Allen Toler (hereinafter the "Undersigned") have made one or more inventions and other subject matter (hereinafter collectively referred to as the "Invention"); as described in the patent application filed on September 13, 2019, assigned PCT application serial number PCT/US2019/051158, and titled PROPPANT SUPPLY SYSTEM and as described in a provisional patent application filed on September 14, 2018 assigned United States application serial number 62/731,435, and titled PROPPANT SUPPLY SYSTEM.

FOR GOOD AND VALUABLE CONSIDERATION, the receipt, sufficiency, and adequacy of which are hereby acknowledged by the Undersigned, the Undersigned do hereby irrevocably and unconditionally:

CONVEY, ASSIGN, AND TRANSFER to NATIONAL OILWELL VARCO, L.P. (the "Assignee"), having a place of business at 7909 Parkwood Circle Drive, Houston, Texas 77036, the Undersigned's entire right, title, and interest for the United States and all foreign countries and jurisdictions in and to:

the Invention which is disclosed in the above-identified application or applications;

such application or applications, and all divisional, continuing (including continuation-in-part), substitute, renewal, reissue, and all other applications for a patent or patents which have been or shall be filed in the United States (including all provisional and non-provisional applications), and in all foreign countries and jurisdictions based in whole or in part on any of such Invention (including any application for a utility model or an innovation patent application);

all original and reissued patents which have been or shall be issued in the United States and all foreign countries and jurisdictions based in whole or in part on any of such Invention;

including the right to claim priority to the above-identified patent application or applications in relation to subject matter based in whole or in part on the above-identified patent application or applications and any of the foregoing including the right to file foreign applications under the provisions of any convention or treaty;

and including the right to all causes of action, remedies, and other enforcement rights related to the above-identified application or applications, including without limitation the right to sue for past, present, or future infringement, misappropriation, or violation of any and all rights related to the above-identified patent application or applications and any of the foregoing, including the right to obtain and collect damages for past, present, or future infringement;

AUTHORIZE AND REQUEST the issuing authority to issue any and all United States and foreign patents granted on such Invention to the Assignee;

AUTHORIZE AND REQUEST that any attorney associated with U.S. Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO) Customer No. 21186 may (directly or through his/her designee) delete, insert, or alter any

information related to the above-identified patent application or applications or any of the foregoing, after execution of this Assignment;

WARRANT AND COVENANT that no assignment, grant, mortgage, license or other agreement affecting the rights and property herein conveyed has been or shall be made to others by the Undersigned, and that the full right to convey the same as herein expressed is possessed by the Undersigned;

COVENANT, that when requested and without compensation, but at the expense of the Assignee, in order to carry out in good faith the intent and purpose of this Assignment, the Undersigned shall (1) execute all provisional, non-provisional, divisional, continuing (including continuation-in-part), substitute, renewal, reissue, and all other patent applications for the Invention; (2) execute all rightful oaths, declarations, assignments, powers of attorney and other papers for the Invention; (3) communicate to the Assignee all facts known to the Undersigned relating to the Invention and the history thereof; (4) cooperate with the Assignee in any interference, reexamination, reissue, opposition, dispute, or litigation involving any of the applications or patents for the Invention; and (5) take such further actions as the Assignee shall reasonably consider necessary or desirable for vesting title to such Invention in the Assignee, or for securing, maintaining and enforcing proper patent protection for the Invention;

COVENANT, that should any provision of this agreement be held unenforceable by an authority of competent jurisdiction, such a ruling shall not affect the validity and enforceability of the remaining provisions.

THIS AGREEMENT IS TO BE BINDING on the heirs, assigns, representatives, and successors of the Undersigned, and is to extend to the benefit of the successors, assigns, and nominees of the Assignee.

AGREED as of the date of my signature below:

Assignment

Assignors: Sandor Weaver Grimes et al.

Title: PROPPANT SUPPLY SYSTEM

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Docket No: 5233.038WO1
Client Ref. No. CP-IS-0025-PCT

Assignor:

(Signature):

Sandor Weaver Grimes

Name: Sandor Weaver Grimes

City/State or Country: Bryan, TX

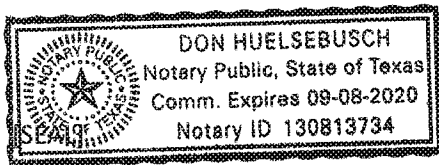
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On this 11th day of December, 2019 before me personally appeared Sandor Weaver Grimes, to me known and known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and he/she duly acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

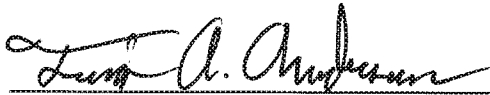


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Notary Public

Assignor:

(Signature):



Name: Travis Adair Anderson

City/State or Country: Seguin, TX

Date:

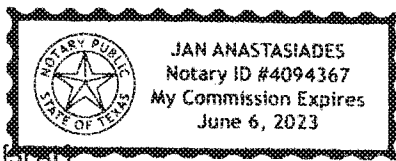
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On this 5 day of December, 2019, before me personally appeared Travis Adair Anderson, to me known and known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and he/she duly acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.



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Assignor:

(Signature):



Name: Clayton Thomas Martin

City/State or Country: Bryan, TX

Date:

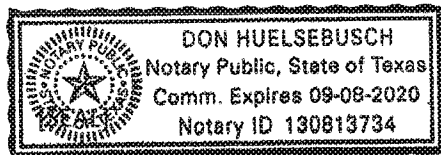
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On this 5th day of December, 2019 before me personally appeared Clayton Thomas Martin, to me known and known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and he/she duly acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.



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Assignment

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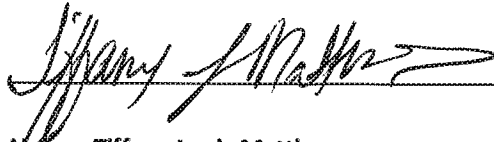
Title: PROPPANT SUPPLY SYSTEM

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Assignor:

(Signature):



Name: Tiffany Louis Matthews

City/State or Country: Bryan, TX

Date:

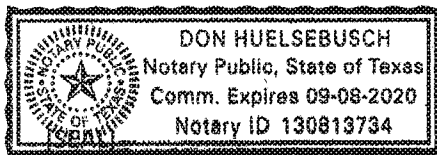
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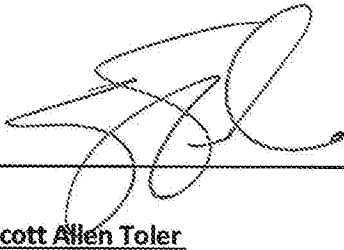
On this 6th day of December, 2019 before me personally appeared Tiffany Louis Matthews, to me known and known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and he/she duly acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.



Notary Public

Assignor:

(Signature):



Name: Scott Allen Toler

City/State or Country: College Station, TX

Date:

12/3/2019

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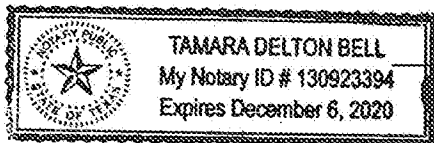
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On this 3rd day of December, 2019 before me personally appeared Scott Allen Toler, to me known and known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and he/she duly acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

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