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| REDA KAROUM | 08/19/2020 |
| YI-QIAO SONG | 08/19/2020 |
| SHIN UTSUZAWA | 08/20/2020 |
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Assignment

WHEREAS, the undersigned inventors hereinafter referred to as the "Inventors," each said Inventor being listed below:

Yiqiao Tang, a citizen of China;

Reda Karoum, a citizen of France;

Yi-Qiao Song, a citizen of the United States of America;

Shin Utsuzawa, a citizen of Japan; and

Stephen Cliffe, a citizen of the United Kingdom;

Has/have invented certain new and useful improvements in

NMR CHARACTERIZATION AND MONITORING OF DRILLING FLUIDS

as described and set forth in an application for Letters Patent of the United States of America, filed with the United States Patent and Trademark Office on **August 17, 2020**, Serial No. **16/995,325** (Docket No. **IS19.0265-US-NP**). **This assignment is effective as of August 17, 2020.**

AND WHEREAS, the "**COMPANIES**", listed in **Schedule A**, are desirous of acquiring or confirming their acquisition of the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, inventions or improvements, and in and to said application, and in and to any and all patents, both of the United States and of all foreign countries, that may be obtained therefore **as outlined in Schedule A**;

NOW, THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, BE IT KNOWN, that the undersigned Inventors, for good and valuable considerations, the receipt and sufficiency of which hereby acknowledge, have sold, assigned, transferred and conveyed, and by this assignment do sell, assign, transfer and convey, unto said **COMPANIES**, their successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest throughout the world, in and to the above-described invention, inventions or improvements described or set forth in said application, in any form or embodiment thereof, and in and to said application, and in and to any applications filed in any foreign country based thereon, including the right to file foreign applications under the provisions of any convention or treaty; and in and to any confirmation, divisional, continuation, continuation-in-part, or substitute application which may be filed on said invention, inventions or improvements in the United States or in any foreign country; and in and to any and all patents, certificates, utility models, reissues, extensions, additions or confirmations thereof which may be granted in the United States or in any foreign country upon said invention, inventions or improvements,

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the same to the full end of the term or terms for which any and all such United States and foreign patents and grants may be issued on said invention, inventions or improvements.

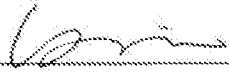
AND said Inventors do hereby authorize and request the issuing authority to issue any and all of said United States and foreign patents on said application or applications to said **COMPANIES**, their successors and assigns, as the assignee of the entire right, title and interest in and to the same, for the sole use and benefit of said **COMPANIES**, their successors and assigns.

AND said Inventors do hereby covenant and warrant that said Inventors have full right to convey the entire right, title and interest herein assigned free and clear of all licenses, encumbrances and liens whatsoever, and that no said Inventors has executed and will execute any instruments in conflict herewith.

AND said Inventors, for the conditions aforesaid, do hereby covenant and agree to and with the said **COMPANIES**, their successors and assigns, that each Inventor, his or her executors, administrators, or other personal representatives, shall and will do all lawful acts and things, make all rightful oaths, and make, execute and deliver any and all other instruments in writing, and any and all further applications, papers, powers, affidavits, assignments, disclaimers and other documents, which in the opinion of counsel for said **COMPANIES**, their successors and assigns, may be required or necessary in this or in any foreign country more effectually to secure to and vest in said **COMPANIES**, their successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, inventions or improvements, application or applications, patents, rights, titles, benefits, privileges, and advantages hereby sold, assigned, confirmed, transferred and conveyed.

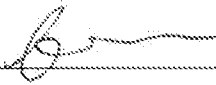
This Agreement is entered in contemplation of and shall be construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Texas, and may not be amended or modified unless in a subsequent writing executed by the **COMPANIES**.

I, **Yiqiao Tang**, have signed this 19 day of Aug, 2020.




Yiqiao Tang

BE IT KNOWN, that **Yiqiao Tang** is known to us to be the individual described in this assignment, that on the aforementioned date, we were personally present and did see him/her sign and execute this assignment and that he/she acknowledged to us that he/she executed the same as his/her free act and deed for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

Jun Song 

Witness

Luyue Song 

Witness

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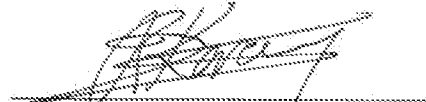
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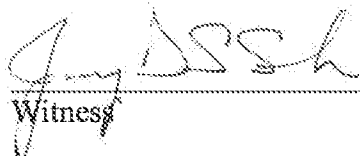
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I, **Reda Karoum**, have signed this 19 day of August, 2020.


Reda Karoum

BE IT KNOWN, that **Reda Karoum** is known to us to be the individual described in this assignment, that on the aforementioned date, we were personally present and did see him/her sign and execute this assignment and that he/she acknowledged to us that he/she executed the same as his/her free act and deed for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

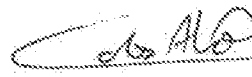

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Jeremy Smeed

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CARLOS ABAD

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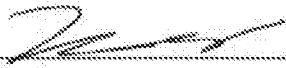
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I, **Yi-Qiao Song**, have signed this 19th day of August, 2020.



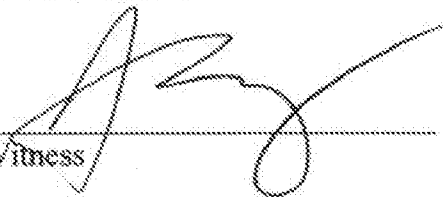
Yi-Qiao Song

BE IT KNOWN, that **Yi-Qiao Song** is known to us to be the individual described in this assignment, that on the aforementioned date, we were personally present and did see him/her sign and execute this assignment and that he/she acknowledged to us that he/she executed the same as his/her free act and deed for the uses and purposes therein set forth.



Witness
Xuanhui Shamen Lin
78 Ridge Ave.
Newton MA 02459

Post Office Address



Witness
ALEX SONG
78 RIDGE AVE
NEWTON MA 02459

Post Office Address

I, **Shin Utsuzawa**, have signed this 20th day of August, 2020.



Shin Utsuzawa

STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF FORT BEND

BEFORE ME this _____ day of _____, 2020, personally appeared **Shin Utsuzawa**, to me known to be the person who is described in and who executed the foregoing assignment instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same of his/her own free will for the purpose therein expressed.

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Notary Public

I, **Stephen Cliffe**, have signed this _____ day of _____, 2021.

Stephen Cliffe

STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF HARRIS

BEFORE ME this _____ day of _____, 2021, personally appeared **Stephen Cliffe**, to me known to be the person who is described in and who executed the foregoing assignment instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same of his/her own free will for the purpose therein expressed.

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Notary Public

Schedule A
“COMPANIES”

M-I-L-L-C.

Limited Liability Company of: Delaware

Located at: 5950 North Course Drive, Houston, Texas 77072 U.S.A.

Assignee for applications in: All throughout the World