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### **ASSIGNMENT**

WHEREAS, Barton Hickie, a Canadian citizen residing in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma ("ASSIGNOR"), is an inventor of the invention in

### GATE VALVE INCLUDING VALVE BORE ASSEMBLY

| for which a United States patent application bearing Attorney Docket No. 41791.52PV | /01 |
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| was filed on  |     |
| and accorded U.S. Application No. <u>62/964,496</u> ;                               |     |

WHEREAS, **Tech Energy Products, L.L.C.** ("ASSIGNEE"), a limited liability company organized and existing under the laws of the State of Louisiana, having a place of business at 1650 Swan Lake Road, Bossier City, Louisiana 71111, USA, is desirous of obtaining the inventor's entire right, title, and interest in, to and under the invention, the application and corresponding applications worldwide;

NOW, THEREFORE, in exchange for good and valuable consideration to the ASSIGNOR, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the ASSIGNOR has sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents does hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto the ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, his or her entire, worldwide right, title and interest in, to and under the invention, including the above United States application embodying the invention and any other United States application to or from which priority is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §§ 119-120, including all divisions, continuations, and continuations-inpart thereof, and all Patents of the United States which may be granted thereon and all reissues and extensions thereof; and all applications for industrial property protection, including, without limitation, all applications for patents, utility models, inventor's certificates, and designs which may hereafter be filed for the invention in any country or countries other than the United States, together with the right to file such applications and the right to claim for the same the priority rights derived from the above United States application under the Patent Laws of the United States, the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, or any other international agreement or the domestic laws of the country in which any such application is filed, as may be applicable; and all forms of industrial property protection, including, without limitation, patents, utility models, inventors' certificates and designs which may be granted for the invention in any country or countries foreign to the United States and all extensions, renewals and reissues thereof, the same to be held and enjoyed by the ASSIGNEE, for its own use and behalf and the use and behalf of its successors, legal representatives, and assigns, to the full end of the term or terms for which Letters Patent or Patents may be granted as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by the ASSIGNOR had this sale and assignment not been made;

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And the ASSIGNOR hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States, and any Official of any country or countries foreign to the United States, whose duty it is to issue patents or other evidence or forms of industrial property protection on applications as aforesaid, to issue the same to the ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument:

And the ASSIGNOR hereby covenants and agrees that he or she has the full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned, and that he or she has not executed, and will not execute, any agreement in conflict herewith;

And the ASSIGNOR hereby further covenants and agrees that he or she will communicate to the ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, any facts known to him or her respecting said invention, testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing, reissue and foreign applications, make all rightful oaths, and generally do everything possible to aid the ASSIGNEE or, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper protection for said invention in all countries;

And the ASSIGNOR hereby authorizes the ASSIGNEE's patent attorney to modify this Agreement to include the appropriate application number(s), application filing date(s), and attorney docket number(s), if necessary.

In witness whereof, the inventor has affixed his or her signature as ASSIGNOR.

| Dated:                      | By: Both & Huln   |
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|                             | Printed Name: <u>Barton Hickie</u>  |
| to me known and known to me | above, before me appeared <u>Barton Hickie</u><br>e to be the person of that name, who signed the foregoing<br>d the same to be his or her free act and deed. |
|                             | Witness Signature   |
|                             | Witness Name  |

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