

EXHIBIT A

MARK	STATUS	REG. NO. / REG. DATE SERIAL NO. / FILING DATE
EXTREME	Registered	2,443,230 April 10, 2001 75/623,471 January 18, 1999.
H-90	Registered	683,974 August 25, 1959 71/699,968 December 14, 1955
HI-TORQUE	Registered	1,475,521 February 2, 1988 73/618,858 September 8, 1986
MODIFIED	Registered	1,020,933 September 23, 1975 73/008,551 December 10, 1973
TCA	Registered	2,479,384 August 21, 2001 75/895,828 January 12, 2000
TCH	Registered	2,333,000 March 21, 2000 75/718,533 June 1, 1999
TFW	Registered	1,563,039 Registration Date: October 31, 1989 73/751,531 September 12, 1988
XD	Registered	2,466,237 July 3, 2001 75/623,470 January 18, 1999
XLT	Registered	2,395,094 October 17, 2000 75/672,789 April 1, 1999
X-METAL	Registered	2,441,533 April 3, 2001 75/702,566 May 11, 1999

RELEASE OF TRADEMARK SECURITY AGREEMENT SUPPLEMENT

This Release of Trademark Security Agreement Supplement dated as of August 31, 2006 ("Release"), is made by Wells Fargo Bank, National Association, a national banking corporation, as Administrative Agent ("Secured Party") in favor of Grant Prideco, Inc., a Delaware corporation ("Grantor").

RECITALS

WHEREAS, Secured Party, and Grantor, previously entered into a Trademark Security Agreement Supplement ("Trademark Security Agreement"), dated as of May 12, 2005. Secured Party purportedly owns a security interest in Grantor's Intellectual Property (as defined in the Trademark Security Agreement), including those registered U.S. Trademark and Trademark Applications of the Grantor associated with such Trademark Security Agreement that are listed in the attached Exhibit A.

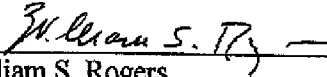
WHEREAS, the Secured Party hereby releases its security interest in the registered U.S. Trademarks and Trademark Applications listed in the attached Exhibit A.

NOW, THEREFORE, subject to the terms, conditions, covenants and provisions of this Release, and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the parties hereto, intending to be legally bound, agree as follows:

TERMINATION AND RELEASE

Secured Party hereby releases all liens, security interests, assignments, and other interests of Secured Party in all of Grantor's Intellectual Property, including, without limitation, the security interest in Grantor's Trademark Collateral as defined in the "Trademark Security Agreement Supplement" dated May 12, 2005 and recorded in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on June 3, 2005 at Reel 003096, Frame 0260, and further including those registered U.S. Trademarks and Trademark Applications listed in Exhibit A, which is attached hereto.

Wells Fargo Bank, National Association, as
Administrative Agent



William S. Rogers
Vice President and Senior Relationship
Manager