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## TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT COVER SHEET

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SUBMISSION TYPE: NEW ASSIGNMENT

NATURE OF CONVEYANCE: Intellectual Property Security Agreement

#### **CONVEYING PARTY DATA**

Name	Formerly	Execution Date	Entity Type
Signal Energy, LLC		04/08/2022	Limited Liability Company: DELAWARE

#### **RECEIVING PARTY DATA**

Name:	Pinnacle Bank, as Lender
Street Address:	1111 Northshore Drive Suite S800
City:	Knoxville
State/Country:	TENNESSEE
Postal Code:	37919
Entity Type:	Chartered Bank: TENNESSEE

#### **PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 3**

Property Type	Number	Word Mark
Registration Number:	4977214	WE HARNESS CREATIVE ENERGY
Registration Number:	3757214	SIGNAL ENERGY
Registration Number:	3267329	SIGNAL WIND

#### **CORRESPONDENCE DATA**

**Fax Number:** 7043311159

Correspondence will be sent to the e-mail address first; if that is unsuccessful, it will be sent

using a fax number, if provided; if that is unsuccessful, it will be sent via US Mail.

**Phone:** 7043311000

**Email:** amberwest@mvalaw.com, PTO\_TMconfirmation@mvalaw.com

Correspondent Name: MOORE & VAN ALLEN PLLC
Address Line 1: 100 North Tryon Street, Suite 4700

Address Line 4: Charlotte, NORTH CAROLINA 28202-4003

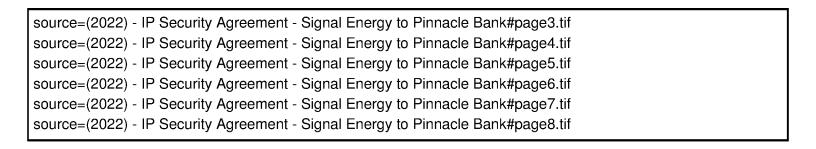
ATTORNEY DOCKET NUMBER:	043650.005
NAME OF SUBMITTER:	John Slaughter
SIGNATURE:	/john slaughter/
DATE SIGNED:	04/11/2022

#### **Total Attachments: 8**

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#### INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY SECURITY AGREEMENT

This INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY SECURITY AGREEMENT (as amended, amended and restated, supplemented or otherwise modified from time to time, this "IP Security Agreement"), dated as of April 8, 2022, is among the Persons listed on the signature pages hereof (collectively, the "Grantors") and PINNACLE BANK, as Lender (the "Lender") for the ratable benefit of the Secured Parties (as defined in the Credit Agreement referred to below).

WHEREAS, SIGNAL ENERGY, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("Signal"), APPLIED HIGH VOLTAGE, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("Applied"), SIGNAL WIND CONSTRUCTORS, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("Signal Wind"), SIGNAL ENERGY DG, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("Signal DG" and, together with Signal, Applied and Signal Wind, collectively, the "Initial U.S. Borrowers"), SIGNAL ENERGY AUSTRALIA PTY LTD., an Australian proprietary limited company (the "Initial Australian Borrower" and, together with the Initial U.S. Borrowers, each a "Borrower" and, collectively, the "Borrowers"), and SEC HOLDINGS GROUP, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("Holdings"), are party to the Revolving Credit Agreement dated as of November 19, 2020 (as amended, amended and restated, supplemented or otherwise modified from tune to time, the "Credit Agreement") with PINNACLE BANK, as Lender, and the other Persons party thereto.

WHEREAS, as a condition precedent to the making of the Loans and the making of L/C Credit Extensions by the Lender and the L/C Issuer under the Credit Agreement, the entry into Secured Hedge Agreements by the Hedge Banks from time to time and the entry into Secured Cash Management Agreements by the Cash Management Banks from time to time, each Grantor has executed and delivered that certain U.S. Security Agreement, dated as of November 19, 2020, among the Grantors from time to time party thereto and the Lender (as amended, amended and restated, supplemented or otherwise modified from time to time in accordance with the terms thereof, the "Security Agreement"). Terms defined in the Credit Agreement or the Security Agreement, as applicable.

WHEREAS, under the terms of the Security Agreement, the Grantors have granted to the Lender, for the ratable benefit of the Secured Parties, a security interest in, among other property, certain intellectual property of the Grantors, and have agreed as a condition thereof to execute this IP Security Agreement for recording with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, the United States Copyright Office and any other appropriate governmental authorities.

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, each Grantor agrees as follows:

SECTION 1. Grant of Security. Each Grantor hereby grants to the Lender, for the ratable benefit of the Secured Parties, a security interest in such Grantor's right, title and interest in and to the following (the "Collateral"):

- (i) all Patents, Patent applications and utility models, all inventions and improvements claimed therein and the right to claim any inventions disclosed but unclaimed therein, including, without limitation, the Patents and Patent applications set forth on <u>Schedule A</u> hereto;
- (ii) all Trademarks, service marks, domain names, trade dress, logos, designs, slogans, trade names, business names, corporate names and other source identifiers, whether registered or unregistered, together, in each case, with the goodwill of the business connected with the use thereof and symbolized thereby, including, without limitation, the Trademark and service

mark registrations and applications set forth on <u>Schedule B</u> hereto (<u>provided</u> that no security interest shall be granted in United States intent-to-use Trademark applications, prior to the filing and acceptance of a "Statement of Use" or an "Amendment to Allege Use" with respect thereto, solely to the extent that, and solely during the period in which, the grant of a security interest therein would impair the validity or enforceability of such intent-to-use Trademark applications or any registrations that issue therefrom under applicable federal Law);

- (iii) all Copyrights, including, without limitation, Copyrights in Computer Software, internet web sites and the content thereof, whether registered or unregistered, including, without limitation, the Copyright registrations set forth on <u>Schedule C</u> hereto;
- (iv) all registrations and applications for registration for any of the foregoing;
- (v) all agreements, permits, consents, orders and franchises relating to the license, development, use or disclosure of any of the foregoing to which such Grantor, now or hereafter, is a party or a beneficiary, including, without limitation, the agreements granting any exclusive right to the Grantor in or to any registered Copyright set forth on Schedule D hereto:
- (vi) all reissues, divisions, continuations, continuations-in-part, extensions, renewals and reexaminations of any of the foregoing, all rights in the foregoing provided by international treaties or conventions, all rights corresponding thereto throughout the world and all other rights of any kind whatsoever of such Grantor accruing thereunder or pertaining thereto;
- (vii) any and all claims for damages, other payments and/or injunctive relief for past, present and future infringement, dilution, misappropriation, violation, misuse or breach with respect to any of the foregoing, with the right, but not the obligation, to sue for and collect, or otherwise recover, such damages, payments or other relief; and
- (viii) any and all Proceeds of, collateral for, income, royalties and other payments now or hereafter due and/or payable with respect to, and supporting obligations relating to, any and all of the foregoing, and, to the extent not otherwise included, all payments under insurance (whether or not the Lender is the loss payee thereof), or any indemnity, warranty or guaranty, payable by reason of loss or damage or otherwise with respect to any of the foregoing;

provided that, notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in the foregoing clauses (i) through (viii), the security interest created hereby shall not extend to, and the term "Collateral" shall not include, any lease, license or other agreement to the extent that a grant of a security interest therein would violate or invalidate such lease, license or agreement, or create a right of termination in favor of any other party thereto (other than any Grantor or any Subsidiary of any Grantor), in each case to the extent not rendered unenforceable pursuant to the applicable provisions of the Uniform Commercial Code or other applicable Law and so long as the applicable provision giving rise to such violation or invalidity or such right of termination was not incurred in anticipation of the entering into of the Credit Agreement; provided, further, that (x) the Collateral includes Proceeds and receivables of any property excluded under this provision, the assignment of which is expressly deemed effective under the Uniform Commercial Code notwithstanding such prohibition and (y) such excluded lease, license or other agreement shall otherwise be subject to the security interest created by the Security Agreement upon receiving any necessary approvals or waivers permitting the assignment thereof.

SECTION 2. Security for Obligations. The grant of a security interest in the Collateral by each Grantor under this IP Security Agreement secures the payment and performance of all Obligations of such Grantor now or hereafter existing under or in respect of the Loan Documents (as such Loan Documents may be amended, amended and restated, supplemented, replaced, refinanced, re-tranched, extended,

increased or otherwise modified from time to time (including any extensions of maturity dates and increases of the principal amount outstanding thereunder)), including, without limitation, any extensions, increases, modifications, substitutions, amendments, refinancings, refundings, replacements or renewals of any or all of the foregoing Obligations (whether or not such action is committed, contemplated or provided for by the Loan Documents on the date hereof), whether direct or indirect, absolute or contingent, and whether for principal, reimbursement obligations, interest, fees, premiums, penalties, indemnifications, contract causes of action, costs, expenses or otherwise.

SECTION 3. Recordation. Each Grantor authorizes and requests that the Register of Copyrights, the Commissioner for Patents and the Commissioner for Trademarks and any other applicable government officer record this IP Security Agreement.

SECTION 4. Grants, Rights and Remedies. This IP Security Agreement has been entered into in conjunction with the provisions of the Security Agreement. Each Grantor does hereby acknowledge and confirm that the grant of the security interest hereunder to, and the rights and remedies of, the Lender with respect to the Collateral are more fully set forth in the Security Agreement, the terms and provisions of which are incorporated herein by reference as if fully set forth herein. In the event that any provision of this IP Security Agreement is deemed to conflict with the Security Agreement, the provisions of the Security Agreement shall control.

SECTION 5. Execution in Counterparts. This IP Security Agreement may be executed in one or more counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original, but all of which together shall constitute one and the same instrument. Delivery by telecopier or other electronic transmission of an executed counterpart of a signature page to this IP Security Agreement shall be effective as delivery of an original executed counterpart of this IP Security Agreement.

SECTION 6. Notices, Etc. All notices and other communications provided for hereunder shall be in writing (including telegraphic, telecopy or telex communication or facsimile transmission) and mailed, telegraphed, telecopied, telexed, faxed or delivered, if to any Grantor, addressed to it in care of Administrative Borrower at Administrative Borrower's address specified in Section 9.02 of the Credit Agreement, or if to the Lender, to its address specified in Section 9.02 of the Credit Agreement. All such notices and other communications shall be deemed to be given or made at such time as shall be set forth in Section 9.02 of the Credit Agreement. Delivery by telecopier of an executed counterpart of any amendment or waiver of any provision of this IP Security Agreement or any Schedule hereto shall be effective as delivery of an original executed counterpart thereof.

SECTION 7. Governing Law. This IP Security Agreement shall be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the Law of the State of Tennessee.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, each Granter has caused this IP Security Agreement to be duly executed and delivered by its officer thereunto duly authorized as of the date first above written.

GRANXORS:

SIGNAL ENFRGY, LLC

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Name: Robert Tabb

Title: Chief Financial Officer

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# Schedule A

**Patents** 

None.

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# Schedule B

## Trademarks

# Signal Energy, LLC (Delaware Limited Liability Company)

# **U.S.** Trademarks

# **Trademark Registrations**

Mark	Reg. No.	Reg. Date
WE HARNESS CREATIVE ENERGY	4977214	06/14/2016
SIGNAL ENERGY	3757214	03/09/2010
SIGNAL WIND	3267329	07/24/2007

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# Schedule D

# Related Agreements

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