

**CONTRACT OF EMPLOYMENT,
ASSIGNMENT OF INTEREST AND
POWER OF ATTORNEY**

Name _____, Address _____,
Telephone No.(s) _____, hereby retains BALLAY, BRAUD
& COLON, PLC, to render legal services on behalf of client(s) and to institute legal proceedings
against BP Oil, Transocean, et al. or any other person or entity liable for
damages sustained by client(s) as a result of the events, which occurred as a result of the oil spill
from the Transocean BP Deepwater Horizon Rig explosion on or about April 20, 2010

A. As a consideration for these legal services, client hereby vests in attorney an assignment of interest in and to the proceeds from this claim, under the provisions of L. R.S. 37:218, as a contingent interest in the claim, twenty-five percent (25%) of the total amount recovered on the client's behalf by the attorney, before deducting for case expenses. This fee does not apply to what the client may receive from BP on his/her own.

B. Attorney is hereby authorized to endorse, deposit and disburse any draft or other payments for client, retaining his contingent interest, retaining all reasonable and necessary expenses incurred, paying all unpaid reasonable and necessary costs and expenses and to forward the balance to the client.

C. Attorney agrees to advance all costs of litigation, investigation, discovery, and other trial preparation except for those expenses discussed and agreed to be paid by the Client. Attorney reserves the right to seek contribution from the Client for any trial expenses. Client agrees to reimburse these reasonable and necessary expenses, after deduction of legal fees, whether the recovery results from compromise or litigation. Client further authorizes attorney to deduct and pay, out of any recovery, directly to any creditor or other expert, any unpaid balance due to them for the client.

D. This contract may only be terminated by written notice personally delivered to either party, or served upon either party by certified mail, directed to the party's last known address. The termination of this contract shall be effective only upon receipt of such notification by the party or, in the case of certified mail, upon the inability to deliver the notice to the party's last known address.

E. Attorney and client agree that neither may, without consent of the other, settle, compromise, release, discontinue or otherwise dispose of the suit or claim. Attorney and client further agree that this contract may be filed and recorded pursuant to La. R.S. 37:218, and that after such filing, any disposition made of the suit or claim by either the attorney or client, without the written consent of the other, is null and void and the suit or claim shall be proceeded with as if no such disposition had been made.

F. This agreement is entered into with the understanding that it is on a contingent fee basis, and that if no recovery is made, the client will not owe the attorney any sum for attorney's fees.

Executed on the ____ day of _____, 2010, after duly reading of the whole contract.

WITNESS

CLIENT SIGNATURE

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ATTORNEY