

Title (en)

Underwater drilling assembly and method for producing a borehole

Title (de)

Unterwasser-Bohranordnung und Verfahren zum Erstellen einer Bohrung

Title (fr)

Agencement de forage sous-marin et procédé d'exécution d'un forage

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Abstract (en)

[origin: EP2562348A1] The underwater drilling arrangement (10) has a retractable platform (20) for placement on the seabed, that is provided with a guide tube (22). A drill drive (52) is arranged on the working platform. A drill string (70) is provided with a drilling head (78) that is rotationally driven by drill drive. A linear guide is arranged inside the guide tube of retractable platform, for guiding drill drive axially. The guide tube is held in a receptacle of the work platform in adjustable and fixable manner. An independent claim is included for method for constructing borehole.

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