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**QUESTION 2**

**Describe two scenarios where force majeure clauses can be applicable to contract in your discipline.**

**ANSWER**

**First scenario:** The death of one of the parties or a key player in a distillation column construction contract.

 If one key player of the parties pertaining to the contract executed on construction of a distillation column is dead rendering him unreliable or not reliable to perform the obligations necessary in the construction due to some frustrating event, which is now entirely beyond the contemplation of the agreement, the contract would be considered to be a discharge.

**Second scenario:** Explosion and fire outbreaks in the refinery

This scenario is an unexpected and adverse disaster in the field, as the workers (chemical engineers) won’t be able to complete distillation of the crude oil further. Therefore, giving a halt or a suspense to the activity needed to be carried out on the distillation column as the contract of chemical engineers would be forced to be treated as discharge