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EQUIPMENT TRUST NO. 4 OF 1971

Equipment Trust Agreement

DATED AS OF JULY 1, 1971

BETWEEN

MANUFACTURERS HANOVER TRUST COMPANY,
TRUSTEE

AND

SOUTHERN RAILWAY COMPANY

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This **EQUIPMENT TRUST AGREEMENT**, dated as of July 1, 1971, between Manufacturers Hanover Trust Company, a New York corporation as Trustee (hereinafter called the Trustee), and SOUTHERN RAILWAY COMPANY, a Virginia corporation (hereinafter called the Company);

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, the Company has contracted or will contract for the construction and transfer to the Trustee of the railroad equipment described herein; and

WHEREAS, title to such railroad equipment is to be vested in and is to be retained by the Trustee, and such railroad equipment is to be leased to the Company hereunder until title is transferred under the provisions hereof; and

WHEREAS, Southern Railway Equipment Trust No. 4 of 1971 Equipment Trust Certificates (hereinafter called Trust Certificates) are to be issued and sold in an aggregate principal amount not exceeding \$9,975,000, and the net proceeds (as hereinafter defined) of such sale together with such other cash, if any, as may be required to be deposited by the Company as hereinafter provided is to constitute a fund equal to the aggregate principal amount of Trust Certificates so issued and sold, to be known as SOUTHERN RAILWAY EQUIPMENT TRUST No. 4 of 1971, to be applied by the Trustee from time to time in part payment of the Cost (as hereinafter defined) of the Trust Equipment, the remainder of the Cost thereof to be paid out of advance rentals to be paid by the Company as provided herein, said

net proceeds to be applied also in repayment of any excess of said advance rentals paid by the Company as provided herein over said remainder of the Cost; and

WHEREAS, the texts of the Trust Certificates, the dividend warrants to be attached to Trust Certificates with dividend warrants, and the guaranty to be endorsed on the Trust Certificates by the Company are to be substantially in the following forms:

[FORM OF FULLY REGISTERED TRUST CERTIFICATE]

\$.....

No. R-

SOUTHERN RAILWAY EQUIPMENT TRUST

No. 4 of 1971

Equipment Trust Certificate

Total Authorized Issue \$9,975,000

MANUFACTURERS HANOVER TRUST COMPANY,
Trustee

Dividends at the rate of % Per Annum Payable
January 1 and July 1

Principal hereof payable

MANUFACTURERS HANOVER TRUST COMPANY, as Trustee (hereinafter called the Trustee) under an Equipment Trust Agreement dated as of July 1, 1971 (hereinafter called the Agreement), between the Trustee and SOUTHERN RAILWAY COMPANY, a Virginia corporation (hereinafter called the

Company), hereby certifies that

or registered assigns, is entitled to an interest in the principal amount of _____ Dollars in SOUTHERN RAILWAY EQUIPMENT TRUST No. 4 of 1971, payable on _____, upon presentation and surrender of this Certificate to the Trustee at its corporate trust office in the Borough of Manhattan, City and State of New York, and to payment, until said last mentioned date, of dividends on said principal amount at the rate of _____ % per annum from the date hereof, semi-annually on January 1 and July 1 in each year, by check mailed by the Trustee to the order of or as directed by the registered holder or registered assigns, with interest at _____ % on any unpaid principal and on any unpaid dividends to the extent that it shall be legally enforceable, all in such coin or currency of the United States of America as at the time of payment shall be legal tender for the payment of public and private debts, but payable only from and out of rentals or other moneys received by the Trustee and applicable to such payment under the provisions of the Agreement.

This Certificate is one of an authorized issue of Equipment Trust Certificates (hereinafter called the Certificates) in an aggregate principal amount not exceeding \$9,975,000, all of which are substantially similar except as to serial number and date of maturity, all issued under and subject to the terms of the Agreement, under which certain railroad equipment leased to the Company (or cash or obligations defined in the Agreement as "Government Securities" in lieu thereof, as provided in the Agreement) is held by the Trustee in trust for the equal and ratable benefit of the bearers and registered holders of the Certificates, to which Agreement (a copy of which is on file with the Trustee at

its said office in the Borough of Manhattan, City and State of New York) reference is made for a full statement of the rights and obligations of the Company, the duties and immunities of the Trustee and the rights of the registered holder hereof thereunder, and to all of which the registered holder hereof, by accepting this Certificate, assents.

The Certificates are issuable as Certificates with dividend warrants attached, registrable as to principal, in the denomination of \$1,000, and as fully registered Certificates in denominations of \$1,000 and any multiple of \$1,000. The Certificates with dividend warrants and the fully registered Certificates are interchangeable upon presentation thereof at said office of the Trustee, but only in the manner, subject to the limitations and upon payment of the charges, provided in the Agreement.

This Certificate is a fully registered Certificate transferable by the registered holder hereof in person or by duly authorized attorney on the books of the Trustee upon surrender hereof to the Trustee at its said office, accompanied by appropriate instrument of assignment and transfer, duly executed by the registered holder in person or by such attorney, in form satisfactory to the Trustee, and thereupon a new fully registered Certificate or Certificates in authorized denominations for the same aggregate principal amount and having the same date of maturity will be issued to the transferee in exchange herefor. Prior to due presentment for registration of transfer of this Certificate, the Trustee and the Company may deem and treat the person in whose name this Certificate is registered as the absolute owner hereof for the purpose of receiving payment of principal and dividends and for all other purposes and shall not be affected by any notice to the contrary.

In case of the happening of an Event of Default (as defined in the Agreement) the principal amount represented by this Certificate may be declared due and payable, as provided in the Agreement.

This Certificate shall not be deemed in any wise a promise to pay of the Trustee.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Trustee has caused this Certificate to be signed by the facsimile signature of one of its Assistant Vice Presidents, and its corporate seal, facsimile, to be hereunto affixed, and to be attested by one of its Assistant Secretaries.

Dated as of

MANUFATURERS HANOVER TRUST COMPANY,
Trustee,

By
Assistant Vice President

ATTEST:

.....
Assistant Secretary

[FORM OF GUARANTY FOR FULLY REGISTERED TRUST CERTIFICATE]

SOUTHERN RAILWAY COMPANY, for a valuable consideration, hereby unconditionally guarantees to the registered holder of the within Certificate, the prompt payment of the principal of said Certificate, and of the dividends thereon specified in said Certificate, with interest at % on any unpaid principal and on any unpaid dividends to the extent that it shall be legally enforceable, all in accord-

ance with the terms of said Certificate and the Equipment Trust Agreement referred to therein.

SOUTHERN RAILWAY COMPANY,

By
Executive Vice President

[FORM OF TRUST CERTIFICATE WITH DIVIDEND WARRANTS]

\$1,000

No. M-

SOUTHERN RAILWAY EQUIPMENT TRUST
No. 4 of 1971

Equipment Trust Certificate

Total Authorized Issue \$9,975,000

MANUFACTURERS HANOVER TRUST COMPANY,
Trustee

Dividends at the Rate of % Per Annum Payable
January 1 and July 1

Principal hereof payable

MANUFACTURERS HANOVER TRUST COMPANY, as Trustee (hereinafter called the Trustee) under an Equipment Trust Agreement dated as of July 1, 1971 (hereinafter called the Agreement), between the Trustee and SOUTHERN RAILWAY COMPANY, a Virginia corporation (hereinafter called the

Company), hereby certifies that the bearer, or, if this Certificate is registered as to principal, the registered holder hereof, is entitled to an interest in the principal amount of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000) in SOUTHERN RAILWAY EQUIPMENT TRUST No. 4 of 1971, payable on _____, upon presentation and surrender of this Certificate to the Trustee at its corporate trust office in the Borough of Manhattan, City and State of New York, and to payment, until said last mentioned date, of dividends on said principal amount at the rate of _____ % per annum from July 1, 1971, semi-annually on January 1 and July 1 in each year, according to the tenor of the dividend warrants hereto annexed, upon presentation and, surrender of such warrants, as they severally mature, to the Trustee at its said office, with interest at _____ % on any unpaid principal and on any unpaid dividends to the extent that it shall be legally enforceable, all in such coin or currency of the United States of America as at the time of payment shall be legal tender for the payment of public and private debts, but payable only from and out of rentals or other moneys received by the Trustee and applicable to such payment under the provisions of the Agreement.

This Certificate is one of an authorized issue of Equipment Trust Certificates (hereinafter called the Certificates) in an aggregate principal amount not exceeding \$9,975,000, all of which are substantially similar except as to serial number and date of maturity, all issued under and subject to the terms of the Agreement, under which certain railroad equipment leased to the Company (or cash or obligations defined in the Agreement as "Government Securities" in lieu thereof, as provided in the Agreement) is held by the Trustee in trust for the equal and ratable benefit of the bearers and registered holders of the Certificates, to which Agreement (a copy of which is on file with the Trustee at its

said office in the Borough of Manhattan, City and State of New York) reference is made for a full statement of the rights and obligations of the Company, the duties and immunities of the Trustee and the rights of the holder hereof thereunder, and to all of which the bearer or registered holder hereof, by accepting this Certificate, assents.

The Certificates are issuable as Certificates with dividend warrants attached, registrable as to principal, in the denomination of \$1,000, and as fully registered Certificates in denominations of \$1,000 and any multiple of \$1,000. The Certificates with dividend warrants and the fully registered Certificates are interchangeable upon presentation thereof at said office of the Trustee, but only in the manner, subject to the limitations and upon payment of the charges, provided in the Agreement.

This Certificate is a Certificate with dividend warrants attached, transferable by delivery unless registered as to principal at the said office of the Trustee in the Borough of Manhattan, City and State of New York, in the name of the holder hereof, such registration being noted hereon by or on behalf of the Trustee. After such registration, title to the interest represented by this Certificate shall pass only by transfer registered at said office by the registered holder hereof in person or by duly authorized attorney and similarly noted hereon unless and until a transfer to bearer shall have been similarly registered and noted hereon. Such registration shall apply only to the principal of this Certificate and not to the dividend warrants hereunto attached, which shall continue to be payable to bearer and transferable by delivery.

The Trustee and the Company may treat the bearer of this Certificate, or, prior to due presentment for registration of transfer, the registered holder hereof if this Certifi-

cate be registered as to principal as above provided, and the bearer of any dividend warrant attached hereto, whether or not this Certificate be so registered, as the absolute owner of this Certificate or of said warrant, as the case may be, for all purposes, and shall not be affected by any notice to the contrary.

In case of the happening of an Event of Default (as defined in the Agreement) the principal amount represented by this Certificate may be declared due and payable, as provided in the Agreement.

Neither this Certificate nor the dividend warrants attached shall be deemed in any wise a promise to pay of the Trustee.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Trustee has caused this Certificate to be signed by the facsimile signature of one of its Assistant Vice Presidents and its corporate seal, in facsimile, to be hereunto affixed, and to be attested by one of its Assistant Secretaries and has caused dividend warrants bearing the facsimile signature of one of its Assistant Vice Presidents to be attached hereto, as of the 1st day of July, 1971.

MANUFACTURERS HANOVER TRUST COMPANY,
Trustee,

By
Assistant Vice President

ATTEST:

.....
Assistant Secretary

[FORM OF DIVIDEND WARRANT FOR TRUST CERTIFICATE WITH
DIVIDEND WARRANTS]

\$..... No.

Due to the bearer hereof on the first day of
, 19 , on surrender hereof at the corporate trust office
of the undersigned Trustee in the Borough of Manhat-
tan, City and State of New York, the amount shown hereon,
being the semi-annual dividend then due on Equipment
Trust Certificate No. M of SOUTHERN RAILWAY
EQUIPMENT TRUST No. 4 of 1971, payable only out of rentals
or other moneys received by the undersigned and applicable
to such payment under the provisions of the Equipment
Trust Agreement referred to in said Equipment Trust
Certificate.

MANUFACTURERS HANOVER TRUST COMPANY,
Trustee

By
Assistant Vice President

[FORM OF GUARANTY FOR TRUST CERTIFICATE WITH
DIVIDEND WARRANTS]

SOUTHERN RAILWAY COMPANY, for a valuable considera-
tion, hereby unconditionally guarantees to the bearer or
registered holder of the within Certificate, and to the
bearer or bearers of the dividend warrants appertaining
thereto, respectively, the prompt payment of the principal
of said Certificate, and of the dividends thereon specified
in the said dividend warrants, with interest at % on any
unpaid principal and on any unpaid dividends to the extent

that it shall be legally enforceable, all in accordance with the terms of said Certificate and the Equipment Trust Agreement referred to therein.

SOUTHERN RAILWAY COMPANY,

By
Executive Vice President

; and

WHEREAS, it is desired to secure to the holders of the Trust Certificates the payment of the principal thereof in 15 equal annual instalments payable serially on the first day of July in each year beginning July 1, 1972, and ending July 1, 1986, both inclusive, as hereinafter more particularly provided, with dividends to said dates of maturity, respectively, at a rate determined as hereinafter provided, payable semi-annually January 1 and July 1 in each year, and to evidence the rights of the holders of the Trust Certificates in substantially the form hereinbefore set forth;

Now, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants and promises herein contained, the parties hereto hereby agree as follows:

ARTICLE ONE

Definitions

SECTION 1.1. The following terms (except as otherwise expressly provided or unless the context otherwise requires) for all purposes of this Agreement shall have the respective meanings hereinafter specified:

SECTION 8.7. *Effect of Headings.* The Article and Section headings herein are for convenience only and shall not affect the construction hereof.

SECTION 8.8. *New York Law to Govern.* The provisions of this Agreement, and all the rights and obligations of the parties hereunder, shall be governed by the laws of the State of New York; *provided, however,* that the parties shall be entitled to all rights conferred by Section 20c of the Interstate Commerce Act.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Trustee and the Company have caused their names to be signed hereto by their officers thereunto duly authorized and their corporate seals, duly attested, to be hereunto affixed as of the day and year first above written.

MANUFACTURERS HANOVER TRUST COMPANY,
Trustee,

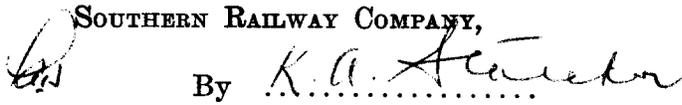
By 
Assistant Vice President

[SEAL]

ATTEST:


.....
Assistant Secretary

SOUTHERN RAILWAY COMPANY,

By 
Vice President

[SEAL]

ATTEST:


.....
Assistant Secretary

STATE OF NEW YORK }
COUNTY OF NEW YORK } ss.:

On this 7th day of JUNE, 1971, before me personally appeared L. M. MASTERSON to me personally known, who, being by me duly sworn, says he is an Assistant Vice President of MANUFACTURERS HANOVER TRUST COMPANY, that one of the seals affixed to the foregoing instrument is the corporate seal of said corporation, that said instrument was signed and sealed on behalf of said corporation by authority of its Board of Directors and he acknowledged that the execution of the foregoing instrument was the free act and deed of said corporation.

J. E. Pistek
JAN E. PISTEK
Notary Public, State of New York
No. 48-085-072
Qualified in Richmond County
Certificate filed in New York County
Commission Expires March 30, 1972

[NOTARIAL SEAL]

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA:

On this 9th day of June, 1971, before me personally appeared K. A. Stoecker, to me personally known, who, being by me duly sworn, says he is a Vice President of SOUTHERN RAILWAY COMPANY, that one of the seals affixed to the foregoing instrument is the corporate seal of said corporation, that said instrument was signed and sealed on behalf of said corporation by authority of its Board of Directors and he acknowledged that the execution of the foregoing instrument was the free act and deed of said corporation.

Lawrence A. Huff
LAWRENCE A. HUFF
NOTARY PUBLIC
IN AND FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES JUNE 30, 1972

[NOTARIAL SEAL]

In addition, in case one or more of the Events of Default shall happen, the Trustee in its discretion may, and upon the written request of the holders of not less than 25% in principal amount of the then outstanding Trust Certificates shall, by notice in writing delivered to the Company, declare the principal of all the Trust Certificates then outstanding to be due and payable, and thereupon the same shall become and be immediately due and payable.

The Trustee shall be entitled and empowered to institute any action or proceedings at law or in equity to recover judgment for the total amount becoming payable by the Company as aforesaid, together with interest at the Penalty Interest Rate thereon to the extent legally enforceable, and may prosecute any such action or proceedings to judgment or final decree, and may enforce any such judgment or final decree against the Company or other obligor upon the Trust Certificates and collect in the manner provided by law out of the property of the Company or other obligor upon the Trust Certificates wherever situated the moneys adjudged or decreed to be payable.

SECTION 5.2. Remedies. In case of the happening of any Event of Default, the Trustee may by its agents enter upon the railroads and premises of the Company and of any Affiliate or sublessee where any of the Equipment may be and take possession of all or any part of the Trust Equipment and withdraw the same from said railroads and premises, retaining all payments which up to that time may have been made on account of rental for the Trust Equipment and otherwise, and shall be entitled to collect, receive and retain all unpaid *per diem*, mileage or other charges of any kind earned by the Trust Equipment or any part thereof, and may lease the Trust Equipment or any part thereof, or with or without retaking possession thereof (but only after declaring

and wilful defaults and not for the default or misconduct of any attorney, agent or servant appointed by it with reasonable care. The Trustee shall not be responsible in any way for the recitals herein contained or for the execution or validity of this Agreement or of the Trust Certificates or dividend warrants (except for its own execution thereof), or for the guaranty by the Company, or for any mistake of fact or law.

The Trustee shall be entitled to receive payment of all of its expenses and disbursements hereunder, including reasonable counsel fees, and to receive reasonable compensation for all services rendered by it in the execution of the trust hereby created, all of which shall be paid by the Company.

The Trustee in its individual capacity may own, hold and dispose of Trust Certificates and dividend warrants with the same rights which it would have if it were not Trustee.

Upon Request, any moneys held by the Trustee which shall have been deposited or are held for the payment of the principal amount of or dividends on any Trust Certificates remaining unclaimed for six years after the date when the last annual instalment of principal payable on the Trust Certificates becomes due and payable, shall be repaid by the Trustee to the Company, and all liability of the Trustee with respect to such money shall thereupon cease and the holders of such Trust Certificates and dividend warrants shall thereafter be entitled to look only to the Company for payment thereof; *provided, however*, that the Trustee may, before making any such repayment and at the expense of the Company, cause notice that said moneys have not been claimed as aforesaid to be published once in a daily newspaper printed in the English language

and published in the Borough of Manhattan, The City of New York, and that after a date specified in such notice, which shall be not less than thirty days after the date of such publication, any unclaimed balance of such moneys then remaining on deposit with the Trustee will be repaid to the Company. In no event shall the holders of such Trust Certificates and dividend warrants be entitled to interest upon such moneys whether held by the Trustee or so repaid to the Company.

Any moneys at any time held by the Trustee hereunder shall, until paid out or invested by the Trustee as herein provided, be held by it in trust as herein provided for the benefit of the holders of the Trust Certificates and dividend warrants.

SECTION 7.9. *Resignation by Trustee; Appointment of Successor Trustee.* If at any time the Trustee or any successor to it in the trust hereby created shall desire to divest itself of title to the Trust Equipment, and to terminate its duties and obligations and rights hereunder and under the Trust Certificates, it shall so notify the Company in writing, and the Company shall thereupon designate in writing to the Trustee a national bank, or a state bank or trust company, qualified as below specified, to serve until a successor is appointed by the holders of Trust Certificates as hereinafter provided, to which may be assigned the entire right, title and interest of the Trustee or such successor in the Trust Equipment, and in which may be vested the rights, powers, duties and obligations of the Trustee hereunder and under the Trust Certificates. Upon the transfer and delivery of all moneys, any Government Securities in which any of said moneys may then be invested, and Trust Equipment held by the retiring trustee, and the execution by the retiring trustee of such instruments of transfer as may be reasonably requested by the successor trustee, and

upon acceptance by the successor trustee of the assignment and of the trust, the retiring trustee shall be relieved and discharged of all the title, rights, powers, duties and obligations of the trust hereunder and under the Trust Certificates, and the same shall become vested in such successor trustee, and every provision hereof applicable to the retiring trustee shall apply to such successor trustee with like effect as if such successor trustee had been originally named herein in the place and stead of the Trustee. In the event that the Company shall fail to designate such a successor trustee by instrument in writing delivered to the retiring trustee within two weeks from the time of receiving such notice in writing from the retiring trustee, the retiring trustee may thereupon designate such successor trustee or apply to any court of competent jurisdiction for the appointment of a successor trustee. The foregoing provisions are, however, subject to the right of the holders of the majority in principal amount of the then outstanding Trust Certificates by an instrument in writing to appoint any successor trustee, if such appointment is made within one year from the date of the giving of such notice to the Company. The Company shall execute all writings recognizing the transfer of title as aforesaid and all instruments of further assurance or otherwise as reasonably may be requested by the successor trustee in the premises, and will do and perform any and all acts necessary to establish and maintain the title and rights of the successor trustee in and to the Trust Equipment. Every successor trustee shall be a national bank, or a state bank or trust company, having trust powers, doing business in the city in which the Trustee does business, having a capital and surplus aggregating at least \$5,000,000, if there be such a bank or trust company willing and able to accept the trust upon reasonable and customary terms and duly qualified to act as such trustee.

SECTION 7.10. *Merger, Consolidation or Conversion of Trustee.* Any corporation resulting from any merger, consolidation, or conversion to which the Trustee or any successor to it shall be a party, or any corporation in any manner succeeding to all or substantially all of the business of the Trustee or any successor trustee, provided such corporation shall be a national bank, or a state bank or trust company, having trust powers, qualified as above specified in the case of a successor Trustee, shall be the successor trustee hereunder without the execution or filing of any paper or any further act on the part of any of the parties hereto, anything herein to the contrary notwithstanding.

ARTICLE EIGHT

Miscellaneous

SECTION 8.1. *Execution of Instruments by Holders of Trust Certificates; Proof Thereof and of Holding Trust Certificates.* Any request or other instrument provided by this Agreement to be signed or executed by holders of Trust Certificates may be in any number of concurrent instruments of similar tenor, and may be executed by such holders in person or by an agent or attorney appointed by an instrument in writing. Proof of the execution of any such request or other instrument, or a writing appointing any such agent or attorney, or of the holding by any person of Trust Certificates, shall be sufficient for any purpose hereof and shall be conclusive in favor of the Trustee with regard to any action taken by the Trustee under such request or other instrument if made in the following manner, *viz.*:

- (a) The fact and date of the execution by any person of any such request or of any other instrument in writing may be proved by the affidavit of a witness to such execution, or by the certificate of any

notary public or of any other officer authorized to take acknowledgments of deeds to be recorded in the state where the acknowledgment may be taken, certifying that the person signing such request or other instrument acknowledged to him the execution thereof. Where such execution is by a person acting in other than his individual capacity, such certificate or affidavit shall also constitute sufficient proof of his authority.

(b) The amount and serial numbers of Trust Certificates with dividend warrants not registered as to principal held by any person executing any such request or other instrument as a holder of **Trust Certificates, and the date of his holding the same,** may be proved by a certificate executed by any trust company, bank or other depositary, wheresoever situated, **whose certificate shall be deemed by the Trustee to be satisfactory,** showing that at the date therein mentioned such person had on deposit with **or exhibited to such depositary the Trust Certificates** with dividend warrants numbered and described in such certificate. The Trustee may presume the continuance of any such holding unless and until it shall receive proof satisfactory to it to the contrary.

(c) The ownership of fully registered Trust Certificates and Trust Certificates with dividend warrants registered as to principal shall be determined by the registry books to be kept as provided in Section 7.3 hereof.

SECTION 8.2. *Rights Limited to Parties and Holders of Trust Certificates.* Nothing expressed or implied herein is intended or shall be construed to confer upon or to give to any person, firm or corporation, other than the parties hereto and the holders of the Trust Certificates and dividend warrants, any right, remedy or claim under or by reason of this Agreement or of any term, covenant or condition hereof, and all the terms, covenants, conditions, promises and agreements contained herein shall be for the sole and exclusive benefit of the parties hereto and their successors

and of the holders of the Trust Certificates and dividend warrants.

SECTION 8.3. *Binding Upon Successors and Assigns.* Except as otherwise provided herein, the provisions of this Agreement shall be binding upon and shall inure to the benefit of the parties hereto and their successors and assigns.

SECTION 8.4. *Notices.* All demands, notices and other communications hereunder shall be in writing and shall be deemed to have been duly given if personally delivered or mailed, in the case of demands and notices, by certified or registered mail, and in the case of other communications, by first class mail, (a) to the Company, at Post Office Box 1808, Washington, D. C. 20013, or at such other address as may hereafter be furnished to the Trustee in writing by the Company and (b) to the Trustee, 40 Wall Street, New York, New York 10015, Attention: Corporate Trust Department or at such other address as may hereafter be furnished to the Company in writing by the Trustee. An affidavit by any person representing or acting on behalf of the Company or the Trustee as to such mailing shall be conclusive evidence of the giving of such demand, notice or other communication.

SECTION 8.5. *Counterparts.* This Agreement has been executed in several counterparts each of which shall be deemed to be an original, and all such counterparts shall together constitute but one and the same instrument.

SECTION 8.6. *Date Executed.* This Agreement shall be deemed to have been executed on the date of the acknowledgment thereof by the officer of the Company who signed it on behalf of the Company.

of this Agreement (and, if not so paid, with interest thereon at the Penalty Interest Rate to the extent legally enforceable), and shall receive dividends thereon in like money at the rate specified therein from the date of such Trust Certificate to the date of maturity thereof, at the times and place and otherwise as expressed in the Trust Certificates and in the dividend warrants (and, if not so paid, with interest thereon at the Penalty Interest Rate to the extent legally enforceable); and the Company further covenants and agrees to endorse upon each of the Trust Certificates, at or before the issuance and delivery thereof by the Trustee, its guaranty of the prompt payment of the principal thereof and of the dividends thereon, in substantially the form hereinbefore set forth. Said guaranty so endorsed shall be signed in the name and on the behalf of the Company by the facsimile signature of one of its Senior Vice Presidents, Executive Vice Presidents or Vice Presidents. In case any officer of the Company whose facsimile signature shall appear on said guaranty shall cease to be such officer of the Company before the Trust Certificates shall have been issued and delivered by the Trustee, or shall not have been acting in such capacity on the date of the Trust Certificates, such guaranty shall nevertheless be as effective and binding upon the Company as though the person who signed said guaranty had not ceased to be, or had then been acting as, such officer.

SECTION 6.3. *Discharge of Liens.* The Company covenants and agrees that it will pay and discharge, or cause to be paid and discharged, or make adequate provision for the satisfaction or discharge of, any debt, tax, charge, assessment, obligation or claim which if unpaid might become a lien or charge upon or against any of the Trust Equipment, except upon the leasehold interest of the Com-

pany therein; but this provision shall not require the payment of any such debt, tax, charge, assessment, obligation or claim so long as the validity thereof shall be contested in good faith and by appropriate legal proceedings, unless such contest will in the judgment of the Trustee materially endanger the rights or interests of the Trustee or of the holders of the Trust Certificates.

SECTION 6.4. *Payment of Expenses; Recording.* The Company covenants and agrees to pay the expenses incident to the preparation and execution of the Trust Certificates and dividend warrants to be issued hereunder, or connected with the preparation, execution, recording and filing hereof and of any instruments executed under the provisions hereof with respect to the Trust Equipment. The Company with all convenient speed will cause this Agreement and all supplements hereto to be duly filed and recorded with the Interstate Commerce Commission in accordance with Section 20c of the Interstate Commerce Act. The Company will from time to time do and perform any other act and will execute, acknowledge, deliver, file, register and record any and all further instruments required by law or reasonably requested by the Trustee for the purposes of proper protection of the title of the Trustee and the rights of the holders of the Trust Certificates and of fully carrying out and effectuating this Agreement and the intent hereof; and the Company will promptly furnish to the Trustee certificates or other evidences of filing and recording pursuant to the last preceding sentence, and of any other such filing, registration and recording, and an Opinion or Opinions of Counsel with respect thereto.

SECTION 6.5. *Further Assurances.* The Company covenants and agrees from time to time to do all such acts

and execute all such instruments of further assurance as it shall be reasonably requested by the Trustee to do or execute for the purpose of fully carrying out and effectuating this Agreement and the intent hereof.

ARTICLE SEVEN

The Trustee

SECTION 7.1. *Acceptance of Trusts.* The Trustee hereby accepts the trusts imposed upon it by this Agreement, and covenants and agrees to perform the same as herein expressed.

SECTION 7.2. *Application of Rentals.* The Trustee covenants and agrees to apply and distribute the rentals received by it under Section 4.4(B) hereof (other than sums restored to Deposited Cash or Replacement Funds from rentals pursuant to Section 4.4(B)(1) hereof) when and as the same shall be received, and to the extent that such rentals shall be sufficient therefor, for the purposes specified in said Section 4.4(B).

SECTION 7.3. *Duties Concerning Registration, Exchange and Transfer of Trust Certificates.* The Trustee shall cause to be kept at its Principal Office, books for the registration, exchange and transfer of the Trust Certificates; and upon presentation for any such purpose the Trustee will register or cause to be registered, or discharge from registration, exchange or cause to be exchanged, or transfer or cause to be transferred, as the case may be, as hereinbefore provided, under such reasonable regulations as it may prescribe, any of the Trust Certificates.

SECTION 7.4. *Insuring or Possession of Trust Equipment Upon Indemnification; Recording; Reliance on*

Documents. The Trustee shall not be required to undertake any act or duty in the way of insuring, taking care of or taking possession of the Trust Equipment or to undertake any other act or duty under this Agreement until fully indemnified by the Company or by one or more of the holders of the Trust Certificates against all liability and expenses. The Trustee shall not be responsible for the filing or recording or refiling or rerecording of this Agreement or of any supplement hereto or of any other instrument or document which may be required to perfect the security interest of the Trustee in the contracts assigned to it pursuant to Section 3.1 hereof. The Trustee may issue and deliver Trust Certificates in advance of such filing or recording. In accepting delivery of and making payment for the Trust Equipment hereunder, or in accepting any cash payable hereunder in respect of Trust Equipment, the Trustee may rely upon and shall be fully protected by the certificates, bills of sale and Opinions of Counsel to be furnished to it under Sections 3.4, 4.7 or 4.9 hereof, as the case may be, and shall not be required to make any further investigation of or inquiry concerning the matters covered thereby.

SECTION 7.5. *No Obligation to Enforce Trust unless Requested and Indemnified; Enforcement by Trustee.* The Trustee shall be under no obligation to take any action for the execution or enforcement of the trust hereby created unless requested thereunto in writing by the holders of not less than 25% in principal amount of the then outstanding Trust Certificates and unless indemnified to its satisfaction against expenses and liability with respect thereto, and unless also furnished with proof satisfactory to it as to the ownership of the Trust Certificates in respect of which any such request may be made; but

this provision, in the absence of such request, shall not affect any discretion herein given to the Trustee to determine whether it shall take action in respect of any default hereunder or what action it shall take.

All rights of action and to assert claims under this Agreement, or under any of the Trust Certificates, may be enforced by the Trustee without the possession of any of the Trust Certificates or the production thereof on any trial or other proceedings relative thereto, and any such action or proceedings instituted by the Trustee shall be brought in its own name as trustee of an express trust, and any recovery of judgment shall be for the ratable benefit of the holders of the Trust Certificates. In any proceedings brought by the Trustee (and also any proceedings involving the interpretation of any provision of this Agreement to which the Trustee shall be a party) the Trustee shall be held to represent all the holders of the Trust Certificates, and it shall not be necessary to make any holders of the Trust Certificates parties to such proceedings.

SECTION 7.6. Assumption of No Default; May Rely on Notices and Other Documents. The Trustee may for all purposes conclusively assume that the Company is not in default under the terms hereof until notified in writing to the contrary by the holders of at least 10% in principal amount of the then outstanding Trust Certificates, which notice shall distinctly specify the Event of Default desired to be brought to the attention of the Trustee. As to any fact or matter, the manner of determining which is not specifically prescribed herein, the Trustee may for all purposes rely upon an Officer's Certificate as to such fact or matter. The Trustee shall not incur any liability to anyone in relying conclusively on, and in acting upon, any

Request, notice, consent, opinion, order, certificate, warrant or other paper or instrument believed by it to be genuine or authentic and to be signed by the proper party or parties.

SECTION 7.7. Money Held by Trustee; Investments in Government Securities. Any money at any time paid to or held by the Trustee hereunder until paid out by the Trustee as herein provided may be carried by the Trustee on deposit with itself, without liability for interest thereon except as may be agreed upon between the Trustee and the Company.

Interest, if any, allowed by the Trustee upon any moneys received by it under the provisions hereof and any interest (in excess of accrued interest paid from Deposited Cash or Replacement Funds at the time of purchase) or other profit accruing upon any investment of Deposited Cash or Replacement Funds as permitted by this Section 7.7 shall belong to the Company and be paid to it by the Trustee, as long as the Company shall not be known to the Trustee to be in default hereunder.

At any time, and from time to time, if at the time there shall be no default under the terms of this Agreement or of any supplement hereto, the Trustee, on Request, shall invest and reinvest Deposited Cash and Replacement Funds held by it in Government Securities (the cost thereof to include any premium and accrued interest thereon) to be held by the Trustee in trust for the benefit of the holders of the Trust Certificates and dividend warrants.

The Trustee shall, on Request, or the Trustee may, in the event funds are required for payment against delivery of Trust Equipment, sell such Government Securities, or any portion thereof, and restore to Deposited Cash or Replacement Funds, as the case may be, the proceeds of

any such sale up to the amount paid for such Government Securities, including accrued interest and premium.

The Trustee shall restore to Deposited Cash or Replacement Funds, as the case may be, out of rent received by it for that purpose under the provisions of Section 4.4(B)(1) hereof, an amount equal to any expenses incurred in connection with any purchase or sale of Government Securities and also an amount equal to any loss of principal incident to the sale or redemption of any Government Securities for a sum less than the amount paid therefor, including accrued interest and premium. The Company, if not in default under the terms hereof or of any supplement hereto, shall be entitled to receive any profit which may be realized from any sale or redemption of Government Securities.

SECTION 7.8. No Liability for Trust Equipment; May Act through Others; No Responsibility for Recitals, etc.; Compensation; Owning Trust Certificates; Moneys Unclaimed for Six Years; Moneys Held in Trust. The Trustee shall not be liable to anyone for any delay in the delivery of any of the Trust Equipment, or for any default on the part of any builder thereof or of the Company, or for any defect in any of the Trust Equipment or in the title thereto, nor shall anything herein be construed as a warranty on the part of the Trustee in respect thereof or as a representation in respect of the value thereof or in respect of the title thereto.

The Trustee may perform its powers and duties hereunder by or through such attorneys, agents and servants as it shall appoint, and shall be entitled to rely upon the advice of counsel (who may be counsel to the Company) and shall be answerable for only its own acts, negligence

and agrees to accept delivery and possession hereunder of the Trust Equipment; and the Company covenants and agrees to pay to the Trustee at its Principal Office (or, in the case of taxes, to the proper taxing authority), in such coin or currency of the United States of America as at the time of payment shall be legal tender for the payment of public and private debts, rent hereunder which shall be sufficient to pay and discharge the following items, when and as the same shall become due and payable (whether or not any of such items shall become due and payable prior to the delivery and lease to the Company of any of the Trust Equipment).

(A) The Company shall pay to the Trustee, as hereinafter provided, as advance rental hereunder, sums which in the aggregate shall be equal to the difference between the aggregate Cost of the Trust Equipment (other than Trust Equipment subjected hereto pursuant to Section 4.9 hereof) and the portion of such Cost to be provided out of the net proceeds (excluding premium and accrued dividends, if any) of the sale of the Trust Certificates, the intention being that, when all such Trust Equipment shall have been delivered to the Company as agent for the Trustee, the Company shall have paid or shall pay to the Trustee, as advance rental hereunder, a sum equal to the amount by which the aggregate Cost of such Trust Equipment exceeds such net proceeds of the sale of the Trust Certificates. The Company agrees to pay such advance rental as follows:

(1) At the time of issue of the Trust Certificates a sum which, when added to such net proceeds of the sale of the Trust Certificates deposited with the Trustee, will make the total sum deposited equal the principal amount of the Trust Certificates issued;

(2) Contemporaneously with the delivery to the Trustee of the documents required by Section 3.4 in

respect of any delivery of any of such Trust Equipment, a sum equal to the portion of the Cost of such delivered Trust Equipment not to be paid out of Deposited Cash as provided for in Section 3.2 hereof.

(B) In addition to such advance rental the Company shall pay to the Trustee, as hereinafter provided, as rental for the Trust Equipment, and whether or not at the time any thereof shall have been delivered to the Company, and notwithstanding that any of the Trust Certificates and dividend warrants shall have been acquired by the Company or shall not have been presented for payment, the following:

(1) (a) The necessary and reasonable expenses of the trust hereby created, including compensation and expenses provided for herein; and (b) an amount equal to any expenses incurred or loss of principal (including interest accrued and premium thereupon at time of purchase) in connection with any purchase, sale or redemption by the Trustee of Government Securities;

(2) Any and all taxes, assessments and governmental charges upon or on account of the income or property of the trust, or upon or on account of this Agreement which the Trustee as such may be required to pay;

(3) (a) The amounts of the dividends payable on the Trust Certificates, when and as the same shall become payable; and (b) interest at the Penalty Interest Rate from the due date, upon the amount of any instalments of rental payable under this subparagraph (3) and the following subparagraph (4) which shall not be paid when due, to the extent legally enforceable; and

(4) The principal of the Trust Certificates, when and as the same shall become payable, whether upon the stated dates of maturity thereof or otherwise under the provisions thereof or of this Agreement.

Nothing herein or in the Trust Certificates contained shall be deemed to impose on the Trustee or on the Company any obligation to pay to the holder of any Trust Certificate, or dividend warrant, any tax, assessment or governmental charge required by any present or future law of the United States of America or of any state, county, municipality or other taxing authority thereof, to be paid in behalf of, or withheld from the amount payable to, the holder of any Trust Certificate or dividend warrant. The Company shall not be required to pay any tax, assessment or governmental charge so long as it shall in good faith and by appropriate legal proceedings contest the validity thereof, unless in the judgment of the Trustee the rights or interests of the Trustee or of the holders of the Trust Certificates or dividend warrants may be materially endangered thereby.

SECTION 4.5. *Termination of Lease.* At the termination of the lease provided herein and after all payments due or to become due from the Company hereunder shall have been completed and fully made to the Trustee, (1) such payments shall be applied and treated as purchase money and as the full purchase price of the Trust Equipment, (2) any moneys remaining in the hands of the Trustee after providing for all outstanding Trust Certificates and dividend warrants and after paying the expenses of the Trustee, including its reasonable compensation, shall be paid to the Company, (3) title to all the Trust Equipment shall vest in the Company, and (4) the Trustee shall execute for record in public offices, at the expense of the Company, such instrument or instruments in writing as reasonably shall be requested by the Company in order to make clear upon public records the Company's title to all the Trust Equipment under the laws of any jurisdiction; *pro-*

and published in the Borough of Manhattan, The City of New York, and that after a date specified in such notice, which shall be not less than thirty days after the date of such publication, any unclaimed balance of such moneys then remaining on deposit with the Trustee will be repaid to the Company. In no event shall the holders of such Trust Certificates and dividend warrants be entitled to interest upon such moneys whether held by the Trustee or so repaid to the Company.

Any moneys at any time held by the Trustee hereunder shall, until paid out or invested by the Trustee as herein provided, be held by it in trust as herein provided for the benefit of the holders of the Trust Certificates and dividend warrants.

SECTION 7.9. *Resignation by Trustee; Appointment of Successor Trustee.* If at any time the Trustee or any successor to it in the trust hereby created shall desire to divest itself of title to the Trust Equipment, and to terminate its duties and obligations and rights hereunder and under the Trust Certificates, it shall so notify the Company in writing, and the Company shall thereupon designate in writing to the Trustee a national bank, or a state bank or trust company, qualified as below specified, to serve until a successor is appointed by the holders of Trust Certificates as hereinafter provided, to which may be assigned the entire right, title and interest of the Trustee or such successor in the Trust Equipment, and in which may be vested the rights, powers, duties and obligations of the Trustee hereunder and under the Trust Certificates. Upon the transfer and delivery of all moneys, any Government Securities in which any of said moneys may then be invested, and Trust Equipment held by the retiring trustee, and the execution by the retiring trustee of such instruments of transfer as may be reasonably requested by the successor trustee, and

upon acceptance by the successor trustee of the assignment and of the trust, the retiring trustee shall be relieved and discharged of all the title, rights, powers, duties and obligations of the trust hereunder and under the Trust Certificates, and the same shall become vested in such successor trustee, and every provision hereof applicable to the retiring trustee shall apply to such successor trustee with like effect as if such successor trustee had been originally named herein in the place and stead of the Trustee. In the event that the Company shall fail to designate such a successor trustee by instrument in writing delivered to the retiring trustee within two weeks from the time of receiving such notice in writing from the retiring trustee, the retiring trustee may thereupon designate such successor trustee or apply to any court of competent jurisdiction for the appointment of a successor trustee. The foregoing provisions are, however, subject to the right of the holders of the majority in principal amount of the then outstanding Trust Certificates by an instrument in writing to appoint any successor trustee, if such appointment is made within one year from the date of the giving of such notice to the Company. The Company shall execute all writings recognizing the transfer of title as aforesaid and all instruments of further assurance or otherwise as reasonably may be requested by the successor trustee in the premises, and will do and perform any and all acts necessary to establish and maintain the title and rights of the successor trustee in and to the Trust Equipment. Every successor trustee shall be a national bank, or a state bank or trust company, having trust powers, doing business in the city in which the Trustee does business, having a capital and surplus aggregating at least \$5,000,000, if there be such a bank or trust company willing and able to accept the trust upon reasonable and customary terms and duly qualified to act as such trustee.

SECTION 7.10. *Merger, Consolidation or Conversion of Trustee.* Any corporation resulting from any merger, consolidation, or conversion to which the Trustee or any successor to it shall be a party, or any corporation in any manner succeeding to all or substantially all of the business of the Trustee or any successor trustee, provided such corporation shall be a national bank, or a state bank or trust company, having trust powers, qualified as above specified in the case of a successor Trustee, shall be the successor trustee hereunder without the execution or filing of any paper or any further act on the part of any of the parties hereto, anything herein to the contrary notwithstanding.

ARTICLE EIGHT

Miscellaneous

SECTION 8.1. *Execution of Instruments by Holders of Trust Certificates; Proof Thereof and of Holding Trust Certificates.* Any request or other instrument provided by this Agreement to be signed or executed by holders of Trust Certificates may be in any number of concurrent instruments of similar tenor, and may be executed by such holders in person or by an agent or attorney appointed by an instrument in writing. Proof of the execution of any such request or other instrument, or a writing appointing any such agent or attorney, or of the holding by any person of Trust Certificates, shall be sufficient for any purpose hereof and shall be conclusive in favor of the Trustee with regard to any action taken by the Trustee under such request or other instrument if made in the following manner, *viz.*:

- (a) The fact and date of the execution by any person of any such request or of any other instrument in writing may be proved by the affidavit of a witness to such execution, or by the certificate of any

notary public or of any other officer authorized to take acknowledgments of deeds to be recorded in the state where the acknowledgment may be taken, certifying that the person signing such request or other instrument acknowledged to him the execution thereof. Where such execution is by a person acting in other than his individual capacity, such certificate or affidavit shall also constitute sufficient proof of his authority.

(b) The amount and serial numbers of Trust Certificates with dividend warrants not registered as to principal held by any person executing any such request or other instrument as a holder of **Trust Certificates, and the date of his holding the same**, may be proved by a certificate executed by any trust company, bank or other depositary, wheresoever situated, **whose certificate shall be deemed by the Trustee to be satisfactory**, showing that at the date therein mentioned such person had on deposit with **or exhibited to such depositary the Trust Certificates** with dividend warrants numbered and described in such certificate. The Trustee may presume the continuance of any such holding unless and until it shall receive proof satisfactory to it to the contrary.

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and of the holders of the Trust Certificates and dividend warrants.

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pany therein; but this provision shall not require the payment of any such debt, tax, charge, assessment, obligation or claim so long as the validity thereof shall be contested in good faith and by appropriate legal proceedings, unless such contest will in the judgment of the Trustee materially endanger the rights or interests of the Trustee or of the holders of the Trust Certificates.

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SECTION 7.3. *Duties Concerning Registration, Exchange and Transfer of Trust Certificates.* The Trustee shall cause to be kept at its Principal Office, books for the registration, exchange and transfer of the Trust Certificates; and upon presentation for any such purpose the Trustee will register or cause to be registered, or discharge from registration, exchange or cause to be exchanged, or transfer or cause to be transferred, as the case may be, as hereinbefore provided, under such reasonable regulations as it may prescribe, any of the Trust Certificates.

SECTION 7.4. *Insuring or Possession of Trust Equipment Upon Indemnification; Recording; Reliance on*

In addition, in case one or more of the Events of Default shall happen, the Trustee in its discretion may, and upon the written request of the holders of not less than 25% in principal amount of the then outstanding Trust Certificates shall, by notice in writing delivered to the Company, declare the principal of all the Trust Certificates then outstanding to be due and payable, and thereupon the same shall become and be immediately due and payable.

The Trustee shall be entitled and empowered to institute any action or proceedings at law or in equity to recover judgment for the total amount becoming payable by the Company as aforesaid, together with interest at the Penalty Interest Rate thereon to the extent legally enforceable, and may prosecute any such action or proceedings to judgment or final decree, and may enforce any such judgment or final decree against the Company or other obligor upon the Trust Certificates and collect in the manner provided by law out of the property of the Company or other obligor upon the Trust Certificates wherever situated the moneys adjudged or decreed to be payable.

SECTION 5.2. Remedies. In case of the happening of any Event of Default, the Trustee may by its agents enter upon the railroads and premises of the Company and of any Affiliate or sublessee where any of the Equipment may be and take possession of all or any part of the Trust Equipment and withdraw the same from said railroads and premises, retaining all payments which up to that time may have been made on account of rental for the Trust Equipment and otherwise, and shall be entitled to collect, receive and retain all unpaid *per diem*, mileage or other charges of any kind earned by the Trust Equipment or any part thereof, and may lease the Trust Equipment or any part thereof, or with or without retaking possession thereof (but only after declaring

and wilful defaults and not for the default or misconduct of any attorney, agent or servant appointed by it with reasonable care. The Trustee shall not be responsible in any way for the recitals herein contained or for the execution or validity of this Agreement or of the Trust Certificates or dividend warrants (except for its own execution thereof), or for the guaranty by the Company, or for any mistake of fact or law.

The Trustee shall be entitled to receive payment of all of its expenses and disbursements hereunder, including reasonable counsel fees, and to receive reasonable compensation for all services rendered by it in the execution of the trust hereby created, all of which shall be paid by the Company.

The Trustee in its individual capacity may own, hold and dispose of Trust Certificates and dividend warrants with the same rights which it would have if it were not Trustee.

Upon Request, any moneys held by the Trustee which shall have been deposited or are held for the payment of the principal amount of or dividends on any Trust Certificates remaining unclaimed for six years after the date when the last annual instalment of principal payable on the Trust Certificates becomes due and payable, shall be repaid by the Trustee to the Company, and all liability of the Trustee with respect to such money shall thereupon cease and the holders of such Trust Certificates and dividend warrants shall thereafter be entitled to look only to the Company for payment thereof; *provided, however*, that the Trustee may, before making any such repayment and at the expense of the Company, cause notice that said moneys have not been claimed as aforesaid to be published once in a daily newspaper printed in the English language

and published in the Borough of Manhattan, The City of New York, and that after a date specified in such notice, which shall be not less than thirty days after the date of such publication, any unclaimed balance of such moneys then remaining on deposit with the Trustee will be repaid to the Company. In no event shall the holders of such Trust Certificates and dividend warrants be entitled to interest upon such moneys whether held by the Trustee or so repaid to the Company.

Any moneys at any time held by the Trustee hereunder shall, until paid out or invested by the Trustee as herein provided, be held by it in trust as herein provided for the benefit of the holders of the Trust Certificates and dividend warrants.

SECTION 7.9. *Resignation by Trustee; Appointment of Successor Trustee.* If at any time the Trustee or any successor to it in the trust hereby created shall desire to divest itself of title to the Trust Equipment, and to terminate its duties and obligations and rights hereunder and under the Trust Certificates, it shall so notify the Company in writing, and the Company shall thereupon designate in writing to the Trustee a national bank, or a state bank or trust company, qualified as below specified, to serve until a successor is appointed by the holders of Trust Certificates as hereinafter provided, to which may be assigned the entire right, title and interest of the Trustee or such successor in the Trust Equipment, and in which may be vested the rights, powers, duties and obligations of the Trustee hereunder and under the Trust Certificates. Upon the transfer and delivery of all moneys, any Government Securities in which any of said moneys may then be invested, and Trust Equipment held by the retiring trustee, and the execution by the retiring trustee of such instruments of transfer as may be reasonably requested by the successor trustee, and

upon acceptance by the successor trustee of the assignment and of the trust, the retiring trustee shall be relieved and discharged of all the title, rights, powers, duties and obligations of the trust hereunder and under the Trust Certificates, and the same shall become vested in such successor trustee, and every provision hereof applicable to the retiring trustee shall apply to such successor trustee with like effect as if such successor trustee had been originally named herein in the place and stead of the Trustee. In the event that the Company shall fail to designate such a successor trustee by instrument in writing delivered to the retiring trustee within two weeks from the time of receiving such notice in writing from the retiring trustee, the retiring trustee may thereupon designate such successor trustee or apply to any court of competent jurisdiction for the appointment of a successor trustee. The foregoing provisions are, however, subject to the right of the holders of the majority in principal amount of the then outstanding Trust Certificates by an instrument in writing to appoint any successor trustee, if such appointment is made within one year from the date of the giving of such notice to the Company. The Company shall execute all writings recognizing the transfer of title as aforesaid and all instruments of further assurance or otherwise as reasonably may be requested by the successor trustee in the premises, and will do and perform any and all acts necessary to establish and maintain the title and rights of the successor trustee in and to the Trust Equipment. Every successor trustee shall be a national bank, or a state bank or trust company, having trust powers, doing business in the city in which the Trustee does business, having a capital and surplus aggregating at least \$5,000,000, if there be such a bank or trust company willing and able to accept the trust upon reasonable and customary terms and duly qualified to act as such trustee.

SECTION 7.10. *Merger, Consolidation or Conversion of Trustee.* Any corporation resulting from any merger, consolidation, or conversion to which the Trustee or any successor to it shall be a party, or any corporation in any manner succeeding to all or substantially all of the business of the Trustee or any successor trustee, provided such corporation shall be a national bank, or a state bank or trust company, having trust powers, qualified as above specified in the case of a successor Trustee, shall be the successor trustee hereunder without the execution or filing of any paper or any further act on the part of any of the parties hereto, anything herein to the contrary notwithstanding.

ARTICLE EIGHT

Miscellaneous

SECTION 8.1. *Execution of Instruments by Holders of Trust Certificates; Proof Thereof and of Holding Trust Certificates.* Any request or other instrument provided by this Agreement to be signed or executed by holders of Trust Certificates may be in any number of concurrent instruments of similar tenor, and may be executed by such holders in person or by an agent or attorney appointed by an instrument in writing. Proof of the execution of any such request or other instrument, or a writing appointing any such agent or attorney, or of the holding by any person of Trust Certificates, shall be sufficient for any purpose hereof and shall be conclusive in favor of the Trustee with regard to any action taken by the Trustee under such request or other instrument if made in the following manner, *viz.*:

- (a) The fact and date of the execution by any person of any such request or of any other instrument in writing may be proved by the affidavit of a witness to such execution, or by the certificate of any

notary public or of any other officer authorized to take acknowledgments of deeds to be recorded in the state where the acknowledgment may be taken, certifying that the person signing such request or other instrument acknowledged to him the execution thereof. Where such execution is by a person acting in other than his individual capacity, such certificate or affidavit shall also constitute sufficient proof of his authority.

(b) The amount and serial numbers of Trust Certificates with dividend warrants not registered as to principal held by any person executing any such request or other instrument as a holder of **Trust Certificates, and the date of his holding the same,** may be proved by a certificate executed by any trust company, bank or other depositary, wheresoever situated, **whose certificate shall be deemed by the Trustee to be satisfactory,** showing that at the date therein mentioned such person had on deposit with **or exhibited to such depositary the Trust Certificates** with dividend warrants numbered and described in such certificate. The Trustee may presume the continuance of any such holding unless and until it shall receive proof satisfactory to it to the contrary.

(c) The ownership of fully registered Trust Certificates and Trust Certificates with dividend warrants registered as to principal shall be determined by the registry books to be kept as provided in Section 7.3 hereof.

SECTION 8.2. *Rights Limited to Parties and Holders of Trust Certificates.* Nothing expressed or implied herein is intended or shall be construed to confer upon or to give to any person, firm or corporation, other than the parties hereto and the holders of the Trust Certificates and dividend warrants, any right, remedy or claim under or by reason of this Agreement or of any term, covenant or condition hereof, and all the terms, covenants, conditions, promises and agreements contained herein shall be for the sole and exclusive benefit of the parties hereto and their successors

and of the holders of the Trust Certificates and dividend warrants.

SECTION 8.3. *Binding Upon Successors and Assigns.* Except as otherwise provided herein, the provisions of this Agreement shall be binding upon and shall inure to the benefit of the parties hereto and their successors and assigns.

SECTION 8.4. *Notices.* All demands, notices and other communications hereunder shall be in writing and shall be deemed to have been duly given if personally delivered or mailed, in the case of demands and notices, by certified or registered mail, and in the case of other communications, by first class mail, (a) to the Company, at Post Office Box 1808, Washington, D. C. 20013, or at such other address as may hereafter be furnished to the Trustee in writing by the Company and (b) to the Trustee, 40 Wall Street, New York, New York 10015, Attention: Corporate Trust Department or at such other address as may hereafter be furnished to the Company in writing by the Trustee. An affidavit by any person representing or acting on behalf of the Company or the Trustee as to such mailing shall be conclusive evidence of the giving of such demand, notice or other communication.

SECTION 8.5. *Counterparts.* This Agreement has been executed in several counterparts each of which shall be deemed to be an original, and all such counterparts shall together constitute but one and the same instrument.

SECTION 8.6. *Date Executed.* This Agreement shall be deemed to have been executed on the date of the acknowledgment thereof by the officer of the Company who signed it on behalf of the Company.

of this Agreement (and, if not so paid, with interest thereon at the Penalty Interest Rate to the extent legally enforceable), and shall receive dividends thereon in like money at the rate specified therein from the date of such Trust Certificate to the date of maturity thereof, at the times and place and otherwise as expressed in the Trust Certificates and in the dividend warrants (and, if not so paid, with interest thereon at the Penalty Interest Rate to the extent legally enforceable); and the Company further covenants and agrees to endorse upon each of the Trust Certificates, at or before the issuance and delivery thereof by the Trustee, its guaranty of the prompt payment of the principal thereof and of the dividends thereon, in substantially the form hereinbefore set forth. Said guaranty so endorsed shall be signed in the name and on the behalf of the Company by the facsimile signature of one of its Senior Vice Presidents, Executive Vice Presidents or Vice Presidents. In case any officer of the Company whose facsimile signature shall appear on said guaranty shall cease to be such officer of the Company before the Trust Certificates shall have been issued and delivered by the Trustee, or shall not have been acting in such capacity on the date of the Trust Certificates, such guaranty shall nevertheless be as effective and binding upon the Company as though the person who signed said guaranty had not ceased to be, or had then been acting as, such officer.

SECTION 6.3. *Discharge of Liens.* The Company covenants and agrees that it will pay and discharge, or cause to be paid and discharged, or make adequate provision for the satisfaction or discharge of, any debt, tax, charge, assessment, obligation or claim which if unpaid might become a lien or charge upon or against any of the Trust Equipment, except upon the leasehold interest of the Com-

pany therein; but this provision shall not require the payment of any such debt, tax, charge, assessment, obligation or claim so long as the validity thereof shall be contested in good faith and by appropriate legal proceedings, unless such contest will in the judgment of the Trustee materially endanger the rights or interests of the Trustee or of the holders of the Trust Certificates.

SECTION 6.4. *Payment of Expenses; Recording.* The Company covenants and agrees to pay the expenses incident to the preparation and execution of the Trust Certificates and dividend warrants to be issued hereunder, or connected with the preparation, execution, recording and filing hereof and of any instruments executed under the provisions hereof with respect to the Trust Equipment. The Company with all convenient speed will cause this Agreement and all supplements hereto to be duly filed and recorded with the Interstate Commerce Commission in accordance with Section 20c of the Interstate Commerce Act. The Company will from time to time do and perform any other act and will execute, acknowledge, deliver, file, register and record any and all further instruments required by law or reasonably requested by the Trustee for the purposes of proper protection of the title of the Trustee and the rights of the holders of the Trust Certificates and of fully carrying out and effectuating this Agreement and the intent hereof; and the Company will promptly furnish to the Trustee certificates or other evidences of filing and recording pursuant to the last preceding sentence, and of any other such filing, registration and recording, and an Opinion or Opinions of Counsel with respect thereto.

SECTION 6.5. *Further Assurances.* The Company covenants and agrees from time to time to do all such acts

and execute all such instruments of further assurance as it shall be reasonably requested by the Trustee to do or execute for the purpose of fully carrying out and effectuating this Agreement and the intent hereof.

ARTICLE SEVEN

The Trustee

SECTION 7.1. *Acceptance of Trusts.* The Trustee hereby accepts the trusts imposed upon it by this Agreement, and covenants and agrees to perform the same as herein expressed.

SECTION 7.2. *Application of Rentals.* The Trustee covenants and agrees to apply and distribute the rentals received by it under Section 4.4(B) hereof (other than sums restored to Deposited Cash or Replacement Funds from rentals pursuant to Section 4.4(B)(1) hereof) when and as the same shall be received, and to the extent that such rentals shall be sufficient therefor, for the purposes specified in said Section 4.4(B).

SECTION 7.3. *Duties Concerning Registration, Exchange and Transfer of Trust Certificates.* The Trustee shall cause to be kept at its Principal Office, books for the registration, exchange and transfer of the Trust Certificates; and upon presentation for any such purpose the Trustee will register or cause to be registered, or discharge from registration, exchange or cause to be exchanged, or transfer or cause to be transferred, as the case may be, as hereinbefore provided, under such reasonable regulations as it may prescribe, any of the Trust Certificates.

SECTION 7.4. *Insuring or Possession of Trust Equipment Upon Indemnification; Recording; Reliance on*

Documents. The Trustee shall not be required to undertake any act or duty in the way of insuring, taking care of or taking possession of the Trust Equipment or to undertake any other act or duty under this Agreement until fully indemnified by the Company or by one or more of the holders of the Trust Certificates against all liability and expenses. The Trustee shall not be responsible for the filing or recording or refiling or rerecording of this Agreement or of any supplement hereto or of any other instrument or document which may be required to perfect the security interest of the Trustee in the contracts assigned to it pursuant to Section 3.1 hereof. The Trustee may issue and deliver Trust Certificates in advance of such filing or recording. In accepting delivery of and making payment for the Trust Equipment hereunder, or in accepting any cash payable hereunder in respect of Trust Equipment, the Trustee may rely upon and shall be fully protected by the certificates, bills of sale and Opinions of Counsel to be furnished to it under Sections 3.4, 4.7 or 4.9 hereof, as the case may be, and shall not be required to make any further investigation of or inquiry concerning the matters covered thereby.

SECTION 7.5. *No Obligation to Enforce Trust unless Requested and Indemnified; Enforcement by Trustee.* The Trustee shall be under no obligation to take any action for the execution or enforcement of the trust hereby created unless requested thereunto in writing by the holders of not less than 25% in principal amount of the then outstanding Trust Certificates and unless indemnified to its satisfaction against expenses and liability with respect thereto, and unless also furnished with proof satisfactory to it as to the ownership of the Trust Certificates in respect of which any such request may be made; but

this provision, in the absence of such request, shall not affect any discretion herein given to the Trustee to determine whether it shall take action in respect of any default hereunder or what action it shall take.

All rights of action and to assert claims under this Agreement, or under any of the Trust Certificates, may be enforced by the Trustee without the possession of any of the Trust Certificates or the production thereof on any trial or other proceedings relative thereto, and any such action or proceedings instituted by the Trustee shall be brought in its own name as trustee of an express trust, and any recovery of judgment shall be for the ratable benefit of the holders of the Trust Certificates. In any proceedings brought by the Trustee (and also any proceedings involving the interpretation of any provision of this Agreement to which the Trustee shall be a party) the Trustee shall be held to represent all the holders of the Trust Certificates, and it shall not be necessary to make any holders of the Trust Certificates parties to such proceedings.

SECTION 7.6. Assumption of No Default; May Rely on Notices and Other Documents. The Trustee may for all purposes conclusively assume that the Company is not in default under the terms hereof until notified in writing to the contrary by the holders of at least 10% in principal amount of the then outstanding Trust Certificates, which notice shall distinctly specify the Event of Default desired to be brought to the attention of the Trustee. As to any fact or matter, the manner of determining which is not specifically prescribed herein, the Trustee may for all purposes rely upon an Officer's Certificate as to such fact or matter. The Trustee shall not incur any liability to anyone in relying conclusively on, and in acting upon, any

Request, notice, consent, opinion, order, certificate, warrant or other paper or instrument believed by it to be genuine or authentic and to be signed by the proper party or parties.

SECTION 7.7. Money Held by Trustee; Investments in Government Securities. Any money at any time paid to or held by the Trustee hereunder until paid out by the Trustee as herein provided may be carried by the Trustee on deposit with itself, without liability for interest thereon except as may be agreed upon between the Trustee and the Company.

Interest, if any, allowed by the Trustee upon any moneys received by it under the provisions hereof and any interest (in excess of accrued interest paid from Deposited Cash or Replacement Funds at the time of purchase) or other profit accruing upon any investment of Deposited Cash or Replacement Funds as permitted by this Section 7.7 shall belong to the Company and be paid to it by the Trustee, as long as the Company shall not be known to the Trustee to be in default hereunder.

At any time, and from time to time, if at the time there shall be no default under the terms of this Agreement or of any supplement hereto, the Trustee, on Request, shall invest and reinvest Deposited Cash and Replacement Funds held by it in Government Securities (the cost thereof to include any premium and accrued interest thereon) to be held by the Trustee in trust for the benefit of the holders of the Trust Certificates and dividend warrants.

The Trustee shall, on Request, or the Trustee may, in the event funds are required for payment against delivery of Trust Equipment, sell such Government Securities, or any portion thereof, and restore to Deposited Cash or Replacement Funds, as the case may be, the proceeds of

any such sale up to the amount paid for such Government Securities, including accrued interest and premium.

The Trustee shall restore to Deposited Cash or Replacement Funds, as the case may be, out of rent received by it for that purpose under the provisions of Section 4.4(B)(1) hereof, an amount equal to any expenses incurred in connection with any purchase or sale of Government Securities and also an amount equal to any loss of principal incident to the sale or redemption of any Government Securities for a sum less than the amount paid therefor, including accrued interest and premium. The Company, if not in default under the terms hereof or of any supplement hereto, shall be entitled to receive any profit which may be realized from any sale or redemption of Government Securities.

SECTION 7.8. No Liability for Trust Equipment; May Act through Others; No Responsibility for Recitals, etc.; Compensation; Owning Trust Certificates; Moneys Unclaimed for Six Years; Moneys Held in Trust. The Trustee shall not be liable to anyone for any delay in the delivery of any of the Trust Equipment, or for any default on the part of any builder thereof or of the Company, or for any defect in any of the Trust Equipment or in the title thereto, nor shall anything herein be construed as a warranty on the part of the Trustee in respect thereof or as a representation in respect of the value thereof or in respect of the title thereto.

The Trustee may perform its powers and duties hereunder by or through such attorneys, agents and servants as it shall appoint, and shall be entitled to rely upon the advice of counsel (who may be counsel to the Company) and shall be answerable for only its own acts, negligence

and wilful defaults and not for the default or misconduct of any attorney, agent or servant appointed by it with reasonable care. The Trustee shall not be responsible in any way for the recitals herein contained or for the execution or validity of this Agreement or of the Trust Certificates or dividend warrants (except for its own execution thereof), or for the guaranty by the Company, or for any mistake of fact or law.

The Trustee shall be entitled to receive payment of all of its expenses and disbursements hereunder, including reasonable counsel fees, and to receive reasonable compensation for all services rendered by it in the execution of the trust hereby created, all of which shall be paid by the Company.

The Trustee in its individual capacity may own, hold and dispose of Trust Certificates and dividend warrants with the same rights which it would have if it were not Trustee.

Upon Request, any moneys held by the Trustee which shall have been deposited or are held for the payment of the principal amount of or dividends on any Trust Certificates remaining unclaimed for six years after the date when the last annual instalment of principal payable on the Trust Certificates becomes due and payable, shall be repaid by the Trustee to the Company, and all liability of the Trustee with respect to such money shall thereupon cease and the holders of such Trust Certificates and dividend warrants shall thereafter be entitled to look only to the Company for payment thereof; *provided, however*, that the Trustee may, before making any such repayment and at the expense of the Company, cause notice that said moneys have not been claimed as aforesaid to be published once in a daily newspaper printed in the English language

and published in the Borough of Manhattan, The City of New York, and that after a date specified in such notice, which shall be not less than thirty days after the date of such publication, any unclaimed balance of such moneys then remaining on deposit with the Trustee will be repaid to the Company. In no event shall the holders of such Trust Certificates and dividend warrants be entitled to interest upon such moneys whether held by the Trustee or so repaid to the Company.

Any moneys at any time held by the Trustee hereunder shall, until paid out or invested by the Trustee as herein provided, be held by it in trust as herein provided for the benefit of the holders of the Trust Certificates and dividend warrants.

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ARTICLE EIGHT

Miscellaneous

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(b) The amount and serial numbers of Trust Certificates with dividend warrants not registered as to principal held by any person executing any such request or other instrument as a holder of **Trust Certificates, and the date of his holding the same,** may be proved by a certificate executed by any trust company, bank or other depositary, wheresoever situated, **whose certificate shall be deemed by the Trustee to be satisfactory,** showing that at the date therein mentioned such person had on deposit with **or exhibited to such depositary the Trust Certificates** with dividend warrants numbered and described in such certificate. The Trustee may presume the continuance of any such holding unless and until it shall receive proof satisfactory to it to the contrary.

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SECTION 8.7. *Effect of Headings.* The Article and Section headings herein are for convenience only and shall not affect the construction hereof.

SECTION 8.8. *New York Law to Govern.* The provisions of this Agreement, and all the rights and obligations of the parties hereunder, shall be governed by the laws of the State of New York; *provided, however,* that the parties shall be entitled to all rights conferred by Section 20c of the Interstate Commerce Act.

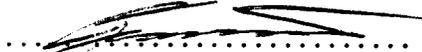
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Trustee and the Company have caused their names to be signed hereto by their officers thereunto duly authorized and their corporate seals, duly attested, to be hereunto affixed as of the day and year first above written.

MANUFACTURERS HANOVER TRUST COMPANY,
Trustee,

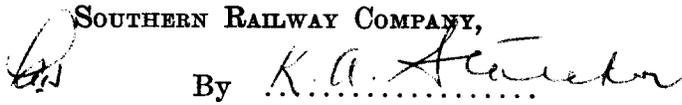
By 
Assistant Vice President

[SEAL]

ATTEST:


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Assistant Secretary

SOUTHERN RAILWAY COMPANY,

By 
Vice President

[SEAL]

ATTEST:


.....
Assistant Secretary

STATE OF NEW YORK }
COUNTY OF NEW YORK } ss.:

On this 7th day of JUNE, 1971, before me personally appeared L. M. MASTERSON to me personally known, who, being by me duly sworn, says he is an Assistant Vice President of MANUFACTURERS HANOVER TRUST COMPANY, that one of the seals affixed to the foregoing instrument is the corporate seal of said corporation, that said instrument was signed and sealed on behalf of said corporation by authority of its Board of Directors and he acknowledged that the execution of the foregoing instrument was the free act and deed of said corporation.

J. E. Pistek
JAN E. PISTEK
Notary Public, State of New York
No. 48-085-072
Qualified in Richmond County
Certificate filed in New York County
Commission Expires March 30, 1972

[NOTARIAL SEAL]

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA:

On this 9th day of June, 1971, before me personally appeared K. A. Stoecker, to me personally known, who, being by me duly sworn, says he is a Vice President of SOUTHERN RAILWAY COMPANY, that one of the seals affixed to the foregoing instrument is the corporate seal of said corporation, that said instrument was signed and sealed on behalf of said corporation by authority of its Board of Directors and he acknowledged that the execution of the foregoing instrument was the free act and deed of said corporation.

Lawrence A. Huff
LAWRENCE A. HUFF
NOTARY PUBLIC
IN AND FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES JUNE 30, 1972

[NOTARIAL SEAL]

SCHEDULE A
Description of Trust Equipment

<u>No. of Units</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Estimated Cost</u>	
		<u>Per Unit</u>	<u>Total</u>
375	100-ton 3,600 cu. ft. Open Top Hopper Cars, Greenville Steel Car Company, builder, to be numbered 77425 to 77799, both inclusive.....	\$ 16,100	\$ 6,037,500
22	GP-38 Diesel-Electric Locomotives, General Motors Corporation (Electro-Motive Division), builder, to be numbered 2837 to 2858, both inclusive		
	(14)	\$240,500	
	(8)	\$243,800	\$ 5,317,400
80	100-ton 3,300 cu. ft. Covered Hopper Cars, ACF Industries, Incorporated, builder, to be numbered 91094 to 91173, both inclusive.....	\$ 14,450	\$ 1,156,000
	Total.....		\$12,510,900