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Consolidated Rail Corporation  
Lease Financing Dated as of March 15, 1978  
10% Conditional Sale Indebtedness Due 1989

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Dear Sir:

INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION

Pursuant to Section 20c of the Interstate Commerce Act and the Commission's rules and regulations thereunder, as amended, I enclose herewith on behalf of Consolidated Rail Corporation for filing and recordation counterparts of the following documents:

1(a) Conditional Sale Agreement dated as of March 15, 1978, between The Connecticut Bank and Trust Company, as trustee, vendee, and Bethlehem Steel Corporation, as builder, vendor.

(b) Agreement and Assignment dated as of March 15, 1978, between Bethlehem Steel Corporation, as builder, and Citicorp Leasing, Inc., as assignee.

2(a) Lease of Railroad Equipment dated as of March 15, 1978, between Consolidated Rail Corporation, as lessee, and The Connecticut Bank and Trust Company, as trustee, lessor;

(b) Assignment of Lease and Agreement dated as of March 15, 1978, between The Connecticut Bank and Trust Company, as trustee, lessor, vendee and Citicorp Leasing, Inc., as vendor.

*Counterpart  
William J. Schrenk, Jr.*

The names and addresses of the parties to the  
aforementioned agreements are:

Trustee-Vendee-Lessor:

The Connecticut Bank and Trust Company,  
One Constitution Plaza,  
Hartford, Connecticut 06115.

Builder-Vendor:

Bethlehem Steel Corporation,  
Bethlehem, Pennsylvania 18016.

Lessee:

Consolidated Rail Corporation,  
1310 Six Penn Center Plaza,  
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19104.

Assignee-Vendor:

Citicorp Leasing, Inc.,  
399 Park Avenue,  
New York, N. Y. 10022

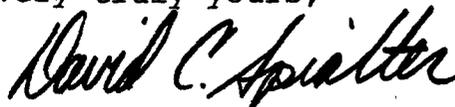
Please file and record the documents referred to  
in this letter and cross-index them under the names of the  
Trustee-Vendee-Lessor, Builder-Vendor, Lessee and Assignee-  
Vendor.

The equipment covered by the aforementioned  
documents consists of 524 100-ton open top triple hopper  
cars bearing identifying numbers CR 487301 to CR 487824,  
both inclusive.

Enclosed is a check for \$100 payable to the  
Interstate Commerce Commission, representing the fee for  
recording the Conditional Sale Agreement and related  
Agreement and Assignment (together constituting one  
document) and the Lease of Railroad Equipment, and related  
Assignment of Lease and Agreement (together constituting  
one document).

Please accept for recordation one counterpart of each of the enclosed agreements, stamp the remaining counterparts with your recordation number and return them to the delivering messenger along with your fee receipt, addressed to the undersigned.

Very truly yours,



David C. Spialter  
As Agent for Consolidated  
Rail Corporation

Robert L. Oswald, Esq.,  
Secretary,  
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INTRA-STATE COMMERCE COMMISSION

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CONDITIONAL SALE AGREEMENT

Dated as of March 15, 1978

between

THE CONNECTICUT BANK AND TRUST COMPANY,  
as Trustee

and

BETHLEHEM STEEL CORPORATION

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10% Conditional Sale Indebtedness Due 1989

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CONDITIONAL SALE AGREEMENT

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CONDITIONAL SALE AGREEMENT dated as of March 15, 1978, between BETHLEHEM STEEL CORPORATION (hereinafter called the "Builder" or the "Vendor" as the context may require, all as more particularly set forth in Article 1 hereof) and THE CONNECTICUT BANK AND TRUST COMPANY, acting not in its individual capacity but solely as trustee (the "Vendee") under a Trust Agreement (the "Trust Agreement") dated as of the date hereof with Fourth HFC Leasing Corporation (the "Beneficiary").

WHEREAS the Builder agrees to construct, sell and deliver to the Vendee, and the Vendee agrees to purchase, the railroad equipment described in Annex B hereto (the "Equipment"); and

WHEREAS the Vendee is entering into a Lease of Railroad Equipment dated as of the date hereof (the "Lease") with Consolidated Rail Corporation (the "Lessee") in substantially the form annexed hereto as Annex C.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual promises and agreements hereinafter set forth, the parties hereto do hereby agree as follows:

ARTICLE 1. Assignment; Definitions. The parties hereto contemplate that the Vendee will furnish that portion of the Purchase Price (as hereinafter defined) for the Equipment as is required under subparagraph (a) of the third paragraph of Article 4 hereof and that an amount equal to the balance of such Purchase Price shall be paid to the Builder by Citicorp Leasing, Inc. (hereinafter called the "Assignee" or the "Vendor" as the context may require, all as more particularly set forth in the next succeeding paragraph) pursuant to an Agreement and Assignment dated as of the date hereof (the "CSA Assignment") between the Builder and the Assignee.

The term "Builder", whenever used in this Agreement, means, both before and after such assignment of its rights hereunder, Bethlehem Steel Corporation and any successor or successors for the time being to its manufacturing properties and business. The term "Vendor", whenever used in this Agreement, means, before any such assignment, the Builder, as the context may require, and, after any such assignment, both any assignee or assignees for the time being

of such particular assigned rights as regards such rights, and also any assignor as regards any rights hereunder that are retained or excluded from any assignment.

In case of such assignment, the Vendee will assign to the Vendor, as security for the payment and performance of all the Vendee's obligations hereunder, all right, title, and interest of the Vendee in and to the Lease, pursuant to an Assignment of Lease and Agreement in the form of Annex D hereto (the "Lease Assignment") and the Lessee shall consent thereto pursuant to a Consent and Agreement in the form attached to Annex D (the "Consent").

ARTICLE 2. Construction and Sale. Pursuant to this Agreement, the Builder shall construct the Equipment at its plant set forth in Annex B hereto, and will sell and deliver to the Vendee, and the Vendee will purchase from the Builder and accept delivery of and pay for (as hereinafter provided), the Equipment, each unit of which shall be constructed in accordance with the specifications referred to in Annex B hereto and in accordance with such modifications thereof as may be agreed upon in writing between the Builder, the Vendee and the Lessee (which specifications and modifications, if any, are hereinafter called the "Specifications"). The design, quality and component parts of each unit of the Equipment shall conform, on the date of completion of manufacture thereof, to all U.S. Department of Transportation and Interstate Commerce Commission requirements and specifications and to all standards, if any, recommended by the Association of American Railroads reasonably interpreted as being applicable to railroad equipment of the character of such unit, and each such unit will be new railroad equipment and eligible for interchange service.

ARTICLE 3. Inspection and Delivery. The Builder will deliver the units of Equipment to the Vendee at the place specified in Annex B hereto (or if Annex B does not specify a place, at the place designated by the Vendee), freight charges, if any, prepaid, in accordance with the delivery schedule set forth in Annex B hereto; provided, however, that delivery of the Equipment shall not be made until this Agreement and the Lease have been filed pursuant to Section 20c of the Interstate Commerce Act and deposited with the Registrar General of Canada pursuant to Section 86 of the Railway Act of Canada; and provided, further, that the Builder shall not have any obligation to deliver any unit of Equipment hereunder subsequent to the commencement of any proceedings specified in clauses (c) or (d) of Article 15

hereof or the occurrence of any event of default (as described in Article 15 hereof), or event which, with the lapse of time and/or demand, could constitute such an event of default. The Builder agrees not to deliver any unit of the Equipment hereunder (a) following receipt of written notice from the Vendee or the Assignee of the commencement of any such proceedings or the occurrence of any such event, as aforesaid and (b) until it receives notice from the Assignee that the conditions contained in Paragraph 6 of the Participation Agreement dated as of the date hereof among the Lessee, the Vendee, the Beneficiary, HFC Leasing Inc. and the Assignee (the "Participation Agreement"), have been met and from the Vendee that the conditions contained in Paragraph 7 of the Participation Agreement have been met.

Any unit of Equipment not delivered at the time of receipt of the notice specified in clause (a) of the last sentence of the first paragraph of this Article 3 and any unit of Equipment not delivered and accepted hereunder on or prior to December 29, 1978, shall be excluded from this Agreement and the Vendee shall be relieved of its obligation to purchase and pay for such unit of Equipment. If any unit of Equipment shall be excluded herefrom pursuant to the immediately preceding sentence, the Vendee and the Builder (and any assignee of the Builder) shall execute an agreement supplemental hereto limiting this Agreement to the units of Equipment not so excluded herefrom. Pursuant to the Participation Agreement, the Lessee has agreed to purchase such excluded Equipment and any Equipment excluded from this Agreement pursuant to the first paragraph of Article 4 hereof from the Builder upon the satisfaction or waiver of any conditions of the Purchase Order relating thereto (as defined in the Participation Agreement) all as provided in Paragraph 1 of the Participation Agreement. The Vendee agrees, upon any such exclusion, to take such steps, including the execution of instruments of transfer, as may be reasonably requested by the Lessee for the purpose of acknowledging and perfecting the interest of the Lessee in any unit of Equipment so excluded from this Agreement, and the Vendee shall have no further obligation or liability in respect of units so excluded.

The Builder's obligation as to the time of delivery set forth in Annex B is subject, however, to delays resulting from causes beyond the Builder's reasonable control, including but not limited to acts of God, acts of government such as embargoes, priorities and allocations, war or war conditions, riot or civil commotion, sabotage, strikes, differ-

ences with workmen, accidents, fire, flood, explosion, damage to plant, equipment or facilities, delays in receiving necessary materials or delays of carriers or subcontractors.

During construction, the Equipment shall be subject to inspection and approval by the authorized inspectors of the Vendee (who may be employees of the Lessee) and the Builder shall grant to such authorized inspectors reasonable access to its plant. The Builder agrees to inspect the materials used in the construction of the Equipment in accordance with the standard quality control practices of the Builder. Prior to delivery each unit of the Equipment shall be presented to an inspector of the Vendee for inspection at the place specified for delivery or at the plant of the Builder specified in Annex B hereto, and if each such unit conforms to the Specifications, requirements and standards applicable thereto, such inspector or an authorized representative of the Vendee (who may be an employee of the Lessee) shall execute and deliver to the Builder a Certificate of Acceptance (as defined in the Lease); provided, however, that the Builder shall not thereby be relieved of its warranty referred to in Article 13 hereof.

On delivery by the Builder hereunder of units of Equipment and acceptance of each such unit hereunder at the place specified for delivery, the Builder shall have no further responsibility for, nor bear any risk of, any damage to or the destruction or loss of such unit; provided, however, that the Builder shall not thereby be relieved of its warranty referred to in Article 13 hereof.

Notwithstanding the foregoing or any other provision of this Agreement to the contrary, the delivery to and acceptance by or on behalf of the Vendee of any unit of Equipment excluded from this Agreement pursuant to the first paragraph of Article 4 hereof shall be ineffective, ab initio, to create in or transfer to the Vendee any legal or beneficial right or interest in such unit or (except as provided in the first paragraph of Article 4 hereof) to impose on the Vendee any liability, obligation or responsibility with respect thereto; any right or interest in any such unit created in or transferred to or purported to be created in or transferred to the Vendee shall be held by the Vendee solely as trustee for the benefit of the Builder.

ARTICLE 4. Purchase Price and Payment. The base price per unit of Equipment is set forth in Annex B hereto.

Such base price is subject to such increase or decrease as is agreed to by the Builder, the Vendee and the Lessee. The term "Purchase Price" as used herein shall mean the base price as so increased or decreased and as set forth in the invoice or invoices of the Builder delivered to the Vendee (the "Invoice" or "Invoices") and, if the Purchase Price is other than the base price set forth in Annex B, the Invoice or Invoices shall be accompanied by, or have endorsed thereon, the agreement or approval of the Lessee and the Vendee. If on any Closing Date (as hereinafter defined in this Article) the aggregate Purchase Price of Equipment for which settlement has theretofore been and is then being made under this Agreement would, but for the provisions of this sentence, exceed the Maximum Purchase Price specified in Item 5 of Annex A hereto (or such higher amount as the Vendee may at its option agree to prior to delivery of any unit or units of Equipment that, but for such agreement, would be excluded from this Agreement), the Builder (and any assignee of the Builder) and the Vendee will enter into an agreement excluding from this Agreement such unit or units of Equipment then proposed to be settled for, in inverse order of their delivery pursuant to Article 3 hereof, as will, after giving effect to such exclusion, reduce such aggregate Purchase Price to not more than the Maximum Purchase Price specified in Item 5 of Annex A hereto (or such higher amount as aforesaid). Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained herein, the Maximum Purchase Price specified in Item 5 of Annex A hereto shall not be increased without the agreement of each party to the Participation Agreement.

The Equipment shall be settled for in such number of groups of units of the Equipment delivered to and accepted by the Vendee as is provided in Item 2 of Annex A hereto (each such group being hereinafter called a "Group"). The term "Closing Date" with respect to any Group shall mean such business day (not later than December 29, 1978, such date being herein called the Cut-Off Date), occurring not more than ten business days following presentation by the Builder to the Vendee of Invoices for such Equipment (with copies to the Lessee) and the Certificate or Certificates of Acceptance for such Group, as shall be fixed by the Lessee by written notice delivered to the Vendee and the Assignee at least six business days prior to the Closing Date designated therein. The term "business days" as used herein means calendar days, excluding Saturdays, Sundays and any other day on which banking institutions in New York, New York, Chicago, Illinois, or Hartford, Connecticut, are authorized or obligated to remain closed.

The Vendee hereby acknowledges itself to be indebted to the Vendor in the amount of, and hereby promises to pay in cash to the Vendor at such place as the Vendor may designate, the Purchase Price of the Equipment, as follows:

(a) on the Closing Date with respect to each Group an amount equal to (i) 34.8661% of the aggregate Purchase Price of such Group up to the Maximum Purchase Price therefor, plus, (ii) to the extent the Vendee shall have agreed, any amount by which the aggregate Purchase Price exceeds the Maximum Purchase Price; and

(b) in 20 semiannual installments, as hereinafter provided, an amount equal to the aggregate Purchase Price of the units of Equipment for which settlement is made, less the aggregate amount paid or payable with respect thereto pursuant to subparagraph (a) of this paragraph.

The portion of the Purchase Price payable pursuant to subparagraph (b) of the preceding paragraph (herein called the "CSA Indebtedness") shall be payable on each January 2 and July 2 beginning July 2, 1979, to and including January 2, 1989 (or if any such date is not a business day, on the next succeeding business day), each such date being hereinafter called a Payment Date. The unpaid balance of the CSA Indebtedness shall bear interest from the Closing Date in respect of which such CSA Indebtedness was incurred at the rate of 10% per annum, payable (to the extent accrued) (i) on January 2, 1979, and (ii) on each Payment Date thereafter. The installments of principal payable on each Payment Date shall be calculated so that the amount and allocation of principal and interest payable on each Payment Date shall be substantially in proportion to the amount and allocation of principal and interest on such Payment Date set forth in Schedule I hereto and the aggregate of such installments of principal will completely amortize the CSA Indebtedness. The Vendee will furnish to the Vendor promptly after each Closing Date a schedule showing the respective amounts of principal and interest payable on each Payment Date.

Interest under this Agreement shall be determined on the basis of a 360-day year of twelve 30-day months except that interest payable on January 2, 1979, shall be calculated on an actual elapsed day basis to, but not including, that date.

The Vendee will pay, to the extent legally enforceable, interest upon all amounts remaining unpaid after the same shall have become due and payable pursuant to the terms hereof at the rate of 11% per annum (the "Penalty Rate").

All payments provided for in this Agreement shall be made 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. Except as provided in Article 7 hereof, the Vendee shall not have the privilege of prepaying any portion of the CSA Indebtedness prior to the date it becomes due; provided, however, if an Event of Default shall occur and be continuing under the Lease and if a Declaration of Default (as defined in Article 15 hereof) shall have been made, the Vendee may at its option, but shall not be obligated to, prepay without penalty or premium the entire CSA Indebtedness, by paying the principal amount thereof plus accrued and unpaid interest thereon.

Notwithstanding any other provision of this Agreement (including, but not limited to, any provision of Articles 15 and 16 hereof), but not limiting the effect of Article 21 hereof, the Vendor agrees that the liability of the Vendee or any assignee of the Vendee for all payments to be made by it under and pursuant to this Agreement, including any liability arising out of or in connection with the performance of its obligations hereunder (excluding only the obligations set forth in subparagraph (a) of the third paragraph of this Article 4 and the proviso in the third paragraph of Article 12 hereof) shall not exceed an amount equal to, and shall be payable only out of, the "income and proceeds from the Equipment", and such payments shall be required to be made by the Vendee only to the extent that the Vendee or any assignee of the Vendee shall have actually received sufficient "income and proceeds from the Equipment" to make such payments. Except as provided in the next preceding sentence, the Vendor agrees that the Vendee shall have no personal liability to make any payments under this Agreement except from the "income and proceeds from the Equipment". In addition, the Vendor agrees that the Vendee (i) makes no representation or warranty, and is not responsible for, the execution, validity, sufficiency or enforceability of the Lease in so far as it relates to the Lessee (or any document relative thereto) or of any of the Lessee's obligations thereunder and (ii) shall not be responsible for

the performance or observance by the Lessee of any of its agreements, representations, indemnities, obligations or other undertakings under the Lease or the Consent; it being understood that as to all such matters the Vendor will look solely to the Vendor's rights under this Agreement against the Equipment and to the Vendor's rights under the Lease against the Lessee and the Equipment. As used herein the term "income and proceeds from the Equipment" shall mean (i) if one of the events of default specified in Article 15 hereof shall have occurred within the preceding 25 business days, or if such an event of default shall have occurred and the Vendor shall have proceeded to take action to enforce its rights hereunder by reason thereof, so much of the following amounts as are indefeasibly received by the Vendee or any assignee of the Vendee at any time during such 25-business-day period following the occurrence of any such event of default (but only if, prior to the expiration of such 25-business-day period, the Vendor shall have commenced action to enforce its rights hereunder), or received by the Vendee or any assignee of the Vendee at any time after the taking by the Vendor of any such action and during the continuance thereof: (a) all amounts of rental and amounts in respect of Casualty Occurrences (as defined in Article 7 hereof) paid for or with respect to the Equipment pursuant to the Lease and any and all other payments received under § 10 or any other provision of the Lease and (b) any and all payments or proceeds received for or with respect to the Equipment as the result of the sale, lease or other disposition thereof, after deducting all costs and expenses of such sale, lease or other disposition, and (ii) at any other time only that portion of the amounts referred to in the foregoing clauses (a) and (b) as are indefeasibly received by the Vendee or any assignee of the Vendee and as shall equal the portion of the CSA Indebtedness (including prepayments thereof required in respect of Casualty Occurrences) and/or interest thereon due and payable on the date such amounts were required to be paid pursuant to the Lease or as shall equal any other payments then due and payable under this Agreement; it being understood that "income and proceeds from the Equipment" shall in no event include amounts referred to in the foregoing clauses (a) and (b) received by the Vendee or any assignee of the Vendee prior to the occurrence of such an event of default or received by the Vendee or any assignee of the Vendee after the expiration of such 25-business-day period and prior to, or after the discontinuance of, the taking by the Vendor of any such action to enforce its rights hereunder (or received during such 25-business-day period, if such period shall have expired without the Vendor's having taken any action to enforce its rights hereunder) which exceeded the amounts required to discharge that portion of the CSA Indebtedness

(including prepayments thereof required in respect of Casualty Occurrences) and/or interest thereon due and payable on the date on which amounts with respect thereto received by the Vendee or any assignee of the Vendee were required to be paid to it pursuant to the Lease or which exceeded any other payments due and payable under this Agreement at the time such amounts were payable under the Lease. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in Article 15 or 16 hereof, the Vendor agrees that in the event it shall obtain a judgment against the Vendee for an amount in excess of the amounts payable by the Vendee pursuant to the limitations set forth in this paragraph, it will limit its execution of such judgment to amounts payable pursuant to the limitations set forth in this paragraph. Nothing contained herein limiting the liability of the Vendee shall derogate from the right of the Vendor to proceed against the Equipment or the Vendee's interest in the Lease for the full unpaid Purchase Price of the Equipment and accrued interest thereon and all other payments and obligations hereunder.

**ARTICLE 5. Security Interest in the Equipment.**

The Vendor shall and hereby does retain a security interest in the Equipment until the Vendee shall have made all its payments under this Agreement (in respect of the Purchase Price of the Equipment, interest payable thereon or otherwise) and shall have kept and performed all its agreements herein contained, notwithstanding any provision of this Agreement limiting the liability of the Vendee and notwithstanding the delivery of the Equipment to and the possession and use thereof by the Vendee and the Lessee as provided in this Agreement and the Lease.

Except as otherwise specifically provided in Article 7 hereof, when and only when the Vendor shall have been paid the full indebtedness in respect of the Purchase Price of the Equipment, together with accrued interest and all other payments as herein provided, absolute right to the possession of, title to and property in the Equipment shall pass to and vest in the Vendee without further transfer or action on the part of the Vendor. However, the Vendor, if so requested by the Vendee at that time, will, at the Vendee's expense, (a) execute a bill or bills of sale for the Equipment releasing its security interest therein to the Vendee or upon its order, free of all liens, security interests and other encumbrances created or retained hereby and deliver such bill or bills of sale to the Vendee at its address referred to in Article 20 hereof, (b) execute and deliver at the same place, for filing, recording or depositing in all necessary public offices, such instrument or instruments in

writing as may be necessary or appropriate in order then to make clear upon the public records the title of the Vendee to the Equipment and (c) pay to the Vendee any money paid to the Vendor pursuant to Article 7 hereof and not theretofore applied as therein provided. The Vendee hereby waives and releases any and all rights, existing or that may be acquired, in or to the payment of any penalty, forfeit or damages for failure to execute and deliver such bill or bills of sale or instrument or instruments or to file any certificate of payment in compliance with any law or statute requiring the filing of the same, except for failure to execute and deliver such bill or bills of sale or instrument or instruments or to file such certificate within a reasonable time after written demand by the Vendee.

ARTICLE 6. Taxes. All payments to be made by the Vendee hereunder will be free of expense to the Vendor for collection or other charges and will be free of expense to the Vendor with respect to the amount of any local, state, Federal or foreign taxes (other than gross receipts taxes [except gross receipt taxes in the nature of or in lieu of sales or use or rental taxes], taxes measured by net income, excess profits taxes and similar taxes) or license fees, assessments, charges, fines or penalties hereafter levied or imposed upon or in connection with or measured by this Agreement or any sale, rental, use, payment, shipment, delivery or transfer of title under the terms hereof (all such expenses, taxes, license fees, assessments, charges, fines and penalties being hereinafter called "impositions"), all of which such impositions the Vendee assumes and agrees to pay on demand in addition to the Purchase Price of the Equipment. The Vendee will also pay promptly all impositions which may be imposed upon the Equipment delivered to it or for the use or operation thereof or upon the earnings arising therefrom (except as provided above) or upon the Vendor by reason of its interest therein (except as provided above) and will keep at all times all and every part of the Equipment free and clear of all impositions which might in any way affect the security interest of the Vendor or result in a lien upon any part of the Equipment; provided, however, that the Vendee shall be under no obligation to pay any impositions of any kind so long as it or the Lessee is contesting in good faith and by appropriate legal or administrative proceedings such impositions and the nonpayment thereof does not, in the reasonable opinion of the Vendor, adversely affect the security interest or property or rights of the Vendor in or to the Equipment or otherwise under this Agreement. If any impositions shall have been charged or levied against the Vendor directly and paid by the Vendor, the Vendee shall

reimburse the Vendor upon presentation of an invoice therefor, and any amounts so paid by the Vendor shall be secured by and under this Agreement; provided, however, that the Vendee shall not be obligated to reimburse the Vendor for any impositions so paid unless the Vendor shall have been legally liable with respect thereto (as evidenced by an opinion of counsel for the Vendor) or unless the Vendee shall have approved in writing the payment thereof.

ARTICLE 7. Maintenance; Casualty Occurrences; Insurance. The Vendee agrees that, at the Vendee's own cost and expense, it will be responsible for ordinary maintenance and repairs required to maintain and keep all of the Units which are subject to this Agreement in good operating order, repair and condition and eligible for interchange service.

In the event that any unit of the Equipment shall be or become worn out, lost, stolen, destroyed, or irreparably damaged, from any cause whatsoever, or taken or requisitioned by condemnation or otherwise by the United States Government for a stated period which shall exceed the remaining term of this Agreement or for an indefinite period, but only when such period shall exceed the term hereof, or by any political subdivision of the United States of America or any other governmental entity resulting in loss of possession by the Lessee for a period of 90 consecutive days (such occurrences being herein called "Casualty Occurrences"), the Vendee shall, promptly after it shall have determined that such unit has suffered a Casualty Occurrence, cause the Vendor to be fully informed in regard thereto. On the next succeeding Payment Date with respect to the CSA Indebtedness (each such Payment Date being hereinafter in this Article referred to as a "Casualty Payment Date"), the Vendee shall pay to the Vendor a sum equal to the Casualty Value (as hereinafter defined in this Article) of such unit suffering a Casualty Occurrence as of the date of such payment and shall file, or cause to be filed, with the Vendor a certificate setting forth the Casualty Value of such unit. Any money paid to the Vendor pursuant to this paragraph shall be applied (after the payment of the interest and principal due on such date) to prepay without penalty or premium, ratably in accordance with the unpaid balance of each installment, the CSA Indebtedness, and the Vendee will promptly furnish to the Vendor a revised schedule of payments of principal and interest thereafter to be made. In the event of a requisition for use (which is not a Casualty Occurrence) by the United States Government or any political subdivision thereof of any unit of the Equipment, all of the Vendee's obligations hereunder with respect to such unit shall continue to the same extent as if such requisition had not occurred.

Upon payment by the Vendee to the Vendor of the Casualty Value of any unit of the Equipment having suffered a Casualty Occurrence, absolute right to the possession of, title to and property in such unit shall pass to and vest in the Vendee, without further transfer or action on the part of the Vendor, except that the Vendor, if requested by the Vendee, will execute and deliver to the Vendee, at the expense of the Vendee, an appropriate instrument confirming such passage to the Vendee of all the Vendor's right, title and interest, and the release of the Vendor's security interest, in such unit, in recordable form, in order that the Vendee may make clear upon the public records the title of the Vendee to such unit.

The Casualty Value of each unit of the Equipment suffering a Casualty Occurrence shall be deemed to be that portion of the original Purchase Price thereof remaining unpaid on the date as of which such Casualty Value shall be determined (without giving effect to any prepayment or prepayments theretofore made under this Article with respect to any other unit), plus interest accrued thereon but unpaid as of such date. For the purpose of this paragraph, each payment of the Purchase Price in respect of Equipment made pursuant to Article 4 hereof shall be deemed to be a payment on each unit of the Equipment in like proportion as the original Purchase Price of such unit bears to the aggregate original Purchase Price of the Equipment.

If the Vendor shall receive any insurance proceeds or condemnation payments in respect of units of Equipment suffering a Casualty Occurrence, the Vendor shall, subject to the Vendor having received payment of the Casualty Value hereunder, pay such insurance proceeds or condemnation payments to the Vendee. All insurance proceeds or condemnation payments received by the Vendor in respect of any unit or units of Equipment not suffering a Casualty Occurrence shall be paid to the Vendee upon reasonable proof satisfactory to the Vendor that any damage to such unit in respect of which such proceeds were paid has been fully repaired.

ARTICLE 8. Reports and Inspections. On or before April 30 in each year, commencing with the year 1979, the Vendee shall cause to be furnished to the Vendor an accurate statement to the effect set forth in § 8 of the Lease.

ARTICLE 9. Marking of Equipment. The Vendee will cause each unit of the Equipment to be kept numbered and

marked as provided in § 5 of the Lease. The Vendee will not permit any such unit to be placed in operation or exercise any control or dominion over the same until such markings shall have been made thereon and will replace or will cause to be replaced promptly any such markings which may be removed, defaced or destroyed. The Vendee will not permit the identifying number of any unit of the Equipment to be changed except in accordance with a statement of new number or numbers to be substituted therefor, which statement previously shall have been filed with the Vendor and filed, recorded and deposited by the Vendee in all public offices where this Agreement shall have been filed, recorded and deposited.

Except as provided in the immediately preceding paragraph, the Vendee will not allow the name of any person, association or corporation to be placed on any unit of the Equipment as a designation that might be interpreted as a claim of ownership; provided, however, that the Equipment may be lettered with the names or initials or other insignia customarily used by the Lessee or its affiliates.

ARTICLE 10. Compliance with Laws and Rules. During the term of this Agreement, the Vendee will comply, and will cause every lessee of the Equipment to comply, in all respects (including, without limitation, with respect to the use, maintenance and operation of the Equipment) with all applicable laws of the jurisdictions in which its or such lessee's operations involving the Equipment may extend, with all lawful rules of the U.S. Department of Transportation, the Interstate Commerce Commission and any other legislative, executive, administrative or judicial body exercising any power or jurisdiction over the Equipment, and with all applicable interchange rules, to the extent that such laws and rules affect the title, operation or use of the Equipment, and in the event that such laws or rules require any alteration, replacement or modification of or to any part on any unit of the Equipment, the Vendee will conform therewith at its own expense; provided, however, that the Vendee or the Lessee may, in good faith, contest the validity or application of any such law or rule in any reasonable manner which does not, in the reasonable opinion of the Vendor, adversely affect the property or rights of the Vendor under this Agreement.

ARTICLE 11. Possession and Use. The Vendee, so long as an event of default shall not have occurred and be

continuing under this Agreement, shall be entitled, from and after delivery of Equipment by the Builder to the Vendee, to the possession of such Equipment and the use thereof, but only upon and subject to all the terms and conditions of this Agreement.

The parties hereto acknowledge that the Vendee simultaneously is leasing the Equipment to the Lessee as provided in the Lease and agree that the rights of the Lessee and its permitted assigns under the Lease shall be subordinated and junior in rank to the rights, and shall be subject to the remedies, of the Vendor under this Agreement. The Lease shall not be amended or terminated (except in accordance with its terms) without the prior written consent of the Vendor, it being agreed that such consent shall not be unreasonably withheld.

ARTICLE 12. Prohibition Against Liens. The Vendee will pay or discharge any and all sums claimed by any party from, through or under the Vendee or its successors or assigns which, if unpaid, might become a lien, charge or security interest on or with respect to the Equipment, or any unit thereof, or the Vendee's interests in the Lease and the payments to be made thereunder equal or superior to the Vendor's security interest therein, and will promptly discharge any such lien, charge or security interest which arises, but shall not be required to pay or discharge any such claim so long as the validity thereof shall be contested in good faith and by appropriate legal or administrative proceedings in any reasonable manner and the nonpayment thereof does not, in the reasonable opinion of the Vendor, adversely affect the security interest of the Vendor in or to the Equipment or otherwise under this Agreement. Any amounts paid by the Vendor in discharge of such liens, charges or security interests upon the Equipment shall be secured by and under this Agreement.

This covenant will not be deemed breached by reason of liens for taxes, assessments or governmental charges or levies, in each case not due and delinquent, or undetermined or inchoate materialmen's, mechanics', workmen's, repairmen's or other like liens arising in the ordinary course of business and, in each case, not delinquent.

The foregoing provisions of this Article 12 shall be subject to the limitations set forth in the last paragraph of Article 4 hereof and the provisions of Article 21 hereof;

provided, however, that the Vendee will pay or discharge any and all claims, liens, charges or security interests claimed by any party from, through or under the Vendee or its successors or assigns, and, to the extent that the Vendee receives funds sufficient for such purpose from the Beneficiary or its successors or assigns, will pay or discharge any and all of the same claimed by any party from, through or under the Beneficiary or its successors or assigns, not arising out of the transactions contemplated hereby (but including tax liens arising out of the receipt of the income and proceeds from the Equipment), which, if unpaid, might become a lien, charge or security interest on or with respect to the Equipment, or any unit thereof, or the Vendee's or the Beneficiary's interest in the Lease and the payments to be made thereunder, equal or superior to the Vendor's security interest therein, but the Vendee shall not be required to pay or discharge any such claim so long as the validity thereof shall be contested in good faith and by appropriate legal or administrative proceedings in any reasonable manner and the nonpayment thereof does not, in the reasonable opinion of the Vendor, adversely affect the security interest of the Vendor in or to the Equipment or otherwise under this Agreement or in and to the Lease and the payments to be made thereunder.

ARTICLE 13. Indemnities and Warranties. The Vendee agrees to indemnify, protect and hold harmless the Vendor from and against all losses, damages, injuries, liabilities, claims (including without limitation claims for strict liability in tort) and demands whatsoever, regardless of the cause thereof, and expenses in connection therewith, including but not limited to counsel fees and expenses, penalties and interest, arising out of or as the result of the entering into or the performance of this Agreement, the retention by the Vendor of title to or a security interest in the Equipment, the ordering, acquisition, use, operation, condition, purchase, delivery, rejection, storage or return of any of the Equipment, any accident in connection with the operation, use, condition, possession, storage or return of any of the Equipment resulting in damage to property or injury or death to any person during the period when title thereto remains in the Vendor or the transfer of title to the Equipment by the Vendor pursuant to any of the provisions of this Agreement, except however, in the case of the Builder, any losses, damages, injuries, liabilities, claims and demands whatsoever to the extent that the same arise out of any tort, breach of warranty or failure to perform any covenant hereunder or under any related document by the Builder. This covenant of indemnity shall continue in full

force and effect notwithstanding the full payment of the indebtedness in respect of the Purchase Price of, and the release of the security interest in, the Equipment, as provided in Article 5 hereof, or the termination of this Agreement in any manner whatsoever.

The Vendee will bear the responsibility for and risk of, and shall not be released from its obligations hereunder in the event of, any damage to or the destruction or loss of any unit of or all the Equipment.

The Builder represents and warrants to the Vendee that, at the time of delivery by it, and acceptance, of each unit of the Equipment under this Agreement, the Vendee will have good and marketable title to such unit, free and clear of all claims, liens, security interests and other encumbrances of any nature other than this Agreement and the Lease.

The agreement of the parties relating to warranties of material and workmanship and patent indemnification are set forth in Items 3 and 4, respectively, of Annex A hereto.

ARTICLE 14. Assignments. The Vendee will not (a) except as provided in Article 11 hereof, transfer the right to possession of any unit of the Equipment or (b) sell, assign or otherwise dispose of its rights under this Agreement unless such sale, assignment or disposition (i) is made expressly subject in all respects to the rights and remedies of the Vendor hereunder and (ii) is permitted by, and in accordance with the terms of the Trust Agreement. Any such sale, assignment or disposition which may be made by the Vendee to another party shall be subject to the assumption by such party of all of the obligations of the Vendee hereunder.

All or any of the rights, benefits and advantages of the Vendor under this Agreement, including the right to receive the payments herein provided to be made by the Vendee, may, subject to the provisions of Paragraph 5 of the Participation Agreement, be assigned by the Vendor and reassigned by any assignee at any time or from time to time. No such assignment shall subject any assignee to, or relieve the Builder from, any of the obligations of the Builder to construct and deliver the Equipment in accordance herewith or to respond to its warranties and indemnities referred to in Article 13 hereof, or relieve the Vendee of its obligations to the Builder contained in Articles 2, 3, 4, 6 and 13

hereof, Annex A hereto and this Article 14, or any other obligation which, according to its terms or context, is intended to survive an assignment.

Upon any such assignment, either the assignor or the assignee shall give written notice to the Vendee and the Lessee, together with a counterpart or copy of such assignment, stating the identity and post office address of the assignee, and, subject to the provisions of Paragraph 5 of the Participation Agreement, such assignee shall, by virtue of such assignment, acquire all the assignor's right, title and interest in and to the Equipment and this Agreement, or in and to a portion thereof, as the case may be, subject, however, to such reservations as may be contained in such assignment. From and after the receipt by the Vendee of the notification of any such assignment, all payments thereafter to be made by the Vendee under this Agreement shall, subject as aforesaid, to the extent so assigned, be made to the assignee in such manner as it may direct.

The Vendee recognizes that this Agreement will be assigned to the Assignee as provided in the CSA Assignment. The Vendee expressly represents, for the purpose of assurance to any person, firm or corporation considering the acquisition of this Agreement or of all or any of the rights of the Vendor hereunder, and for the purpose of inducing such acquisition, that the rights of the Assignee to the entire unpaid CSA Indebtedness or such part thereof as may be assigned together with interest thereon, as well as any other rights hereunder which may be so assigned, shall not be subject to any defense, setoff, counterclaim or recoupment whatsoever arising out of any breach of any obligation of the Builder with respect to the Equipment or the manufacture, construction, delivery or warranty thereof, or with respect to any indemnity herein contained, nor subject to any defense, setoff, counterclaim or recoupment whatsoever arising by reason of any other indebtedness or liability at any time owing to the Vendee or the Lessee by the Builder. Any and all such obligations, howsoever arising, shall be and remain enforceable by the Vendee or the Lessee, as the case may be, against and only against the Builder.

ARTICLE 15. Defaults. In the event that any one or more of the following events of default shall occur and be continuing, to wit:

- (a) the Vendee shall fail to pay in full any sum payable by the Vendee when payment thereof shall be due hereunder (irrespective of the provisions of Article 4

or 21 hereof or any other provision of this Agreement limiting the liability of the Vendee) and such default shall continue until the later of 12 business days after the date such payment is due and payable or 5 business days after demand for payment shall have been made by the Vendor by notice to the Vendee; or

(b) the Vendee (irrespective of the provisions of Article 4 or 21 hereof or any other provision of this Agreement limiting the liability of the Vendee) or the Lessee shall, for more than 30 days after the Vendor shall have demanded in writing performance thereof, fail or refuse to comply with any other agreement, term or provision of this Agreement, or of any agreement entered into concurrently herewith relating to the financing of the Equipment, on its part to be kept and performed or to make provision satisfactory to the Vendor for such compliance; or

(c) a petition for reorganization under Section 77 of the Bankruptcy Act, as now constituted or as hereafter amended, shall be filed by or against the Lessee and, unless such petition shall have been dismissed, nullified, stayed or otherwise rendered ineffective (but then only so long as such stay shall continue in force or such ineffectiveness shall continue), all the obligations of the Lessee under the Lease and the Consent shall not have been and shall not continue to have been duly assumed in writing, pursuant to a court order or decree, by a trustee or trustees appointed (whether or not subject to ratification) in such proceedings in such manner that such obligations shall have the same status as expenses of administration and obligations incurred by such trustee or trustees, within 30 days after such appointment, if any, or 60 days after such petition shall have been filed, whichever shall be earlier; or

(d) any proceeding shall be commenced by or against the Vendee, the Beneficiary or the Lessee for any relief under any bankruptcy or insolvency laws, or laws relating to the relief of debtors, readjustment of indebtedness, reorganizations, arrangements, compositions or extensions (other than a law which does not permit any readjustment of the obligations hereunder or under the Lease, the Lease Assignment, the Consent or the Participation Agreement of the Vendee, the Beneficiary or the Lessee, as the case may be), and, unless such proceedings shall have been dismissed, nullified, stayed or otherwise rendered ineffective (but then only

so long as such stay shall continue in force or such ineffectiveness shall continue), all the obligations of the Vendee, the Beneficiary or the Lessee under this Agreement, the Lease, the Lease Assignment, the Consent and/or the Participation Agreement, as the case may be, shall not have been (and shall not continue to be), duly assumed in writing, pursuant to a court order or decree, by a trustee or trustees or receiver or receivers appointed (whether or not subject to ratification) for the Vendee, the Beneficiary or the Lessee, as the case may be, or for its or their property in connection with any such proceedings in such manner that such obligations have the same status as expenses of administration and obligations incurred by such trustee or trustees or receiver or receivers, within 30 days after such appointment, if any, or 60 days after such proceedings shall have been commenced, whichever shall be earlier; or

(e) the Vendee shall make or permit any unauthorized assignment or transfer of this Agreement or any interest herein or any unauthorized transfer of the right to possession of any unit of the Equipment and the Vendee shall, for more than 15 days after demand in writing by the Vendor, fail to secure a reassignment or retransfer to the Vendee of such Agreement, interest or right; or

(f) an Event of Default shall have occurred under the Lease; provided, however, that an Event of Default under paragraph (a) of § 10 of the Lease shall not be deemed to be an event of default hereunder (i) until the later of the expiration of the 12 business day period provided by paragraph (a) of Article 15 hereof or 5 business days after demand for the cure of such Event of Default shall have been made by the Vendor by notice to the Vendee or (ii) if such Event of Default is cured by the Vendee's remedying such Event of Default during the period referred to in clause (i) by making payment of the amount in default under paragraph (a) of Article 15 hereof; provided, further, however, that the Vendee shall not have the right to remedy more than an aggregate of five such defaults or to remedy any default occurring after two consecutive defaults shall have been cured by the Vendee and any additional Events of Default under the Lease shall constitute events of default hereunder whether or not so remedied; provided, further, that any additional Event of Default under the Lease (other than in respect of the payment of rentals or other amounts under § 3 or § 7 thereof) curable

by the payment of money shall not be deemed an event of default hereunder if the default under the Lease causing such additional Event of Default is cured by the Vendee's paying that amount of money required to remedy such default prior to the expiration of any grace period provided by the Lease with respect to such default.

then at any time after the occurrence of such an event of default the Vendor may, upon written notice to the Vendee and the Lessee and upon compliance with any legal requirements then in force and applicable to such action by the Vendor, (i) cause the Lease immediately upon such notice to terminate (and the Vendee acknowledges the right of the Vendor to terminate the Lease), but without affecting the indemnities which by the provisions of the Lease survive its termination and/or (ii) declare (hereinafter called a "Declaration of Default") the entire unpaid CSA Indebtedness, together with the interest thereon then accrued and unpaid, immediately due and payable, without further demand, and thereafter the aggregate of the unpaid balance of the CSA Indebtedness and interest thereon shall bear interest from the date of such Declaration of Default at the Penalty Rate to the extent legally enforceable. Upon a Declaration of Default, subject to Article 4 hereof, the Vendor shall be entitled to recover judgment for the entire unpaid balance of the CSA Indebtedness so payable, with interest as aforesaid, and to collect such judgment out of any property of the Vendee, subject to the provisions of Articles 4 and 21 hereof, wherever situated. The Vendee shall promptly notify the Vendor of any event of which the Vendee has actual knowledge which constitutes, or with the giving of notice and/or lapse of time could constitute, an event of default under this Agreement.

The Vendor may, at its election, waive any such event of default and its consequences and rescind and annul any Declaration of Default or notice of termination of the Lease by notice to the Vendee and the Lessee in writing to that effect, and thereupon the respective rights of the parties shall be as they would have been if no such event of default had occurred and the Vendor had taken no action to enforce its rights hereunder by reason thereof. Notwithstanding the provisions of this paragraph, it is expressly understood and agreed by the Vendee that time is of the essence of this Agreement and that no such waiver, rescission or annulment shall extend to or affect any other or subsequent default or impair any rights or remedies consequent thereon.

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The Vendor may, at its election, waive any such event of default and its consequences and rescind and annul any Declaration of Default or notice of termination of the Lease by notice to the Vendee and the Lessee in writing to that effect, and thereupon the respective rights of the parties shall be as they would have been if no such event of default had occurred and the Vendor had taken no action to enforce its rights hereunder by reason thereof. Notwithstanding the provisions of this paragraph, it is expressly understood and agreed by the Vendee that time is of the essence of this Agreement and that no such waiver, rescission or annulment shall extend to or affect any other or subsequent default or impair any rights or remedies consequent thereon.

ARTICLE 16. Remedies. At any time during the continuance of a Declaration of Default, the Vendor may, upon such further notice, if any, as may be required for compliance with any mandatory legal requirements then in force and applicable to the action to be taken by the Vendor, take or cause to be taken, by its agent or agents, immediate possession of the Equipment, or one or more of the units thereof, without liability to return to the Vendee any sums theretofore paid and free from all claims whatsoever, except as hereinafter in this Article 16 provided, and may remove the same from possession and use of the Vendee or any other person and for such purpose may enter upon the premises of the Vendee or any other premises where the Equipment may be located and may use and employ in connection with such removal any supplies, services and aids and any available trackage and other facilities or means of the Vendee, subject to all mandatory requirements of due process of law.

In case the Vendor shall demand possession of the Equipment pursuant to this Agreement and shall designate a reasonable point or points for the delivery of the Equipment to the Vendor, the Vendee shall, at its own expense and risk:

(a) forthwith and in the usual manner cause the Equipment to be placed upon such storage tracks of the Lessee or any of its affiliates as the Vendor reasonably may designate;

(b) permit the Vendor to store the Equipment on such tracks at the risk of the Vendee without charge for insurance, rent or storage until the Equipment has been sold, leased or otherwise disposed of by the Vendor; and

(c) cause the Equipment to be transported to any reasonable place on the lines of railroad operated by the Lessee or any of its affiliates or to any connecting carrier for shipment, all as directed by the Vendor.

During any storage period, the Vendee will, at its own cost and expense, insure, maintain and keep each such unit in good order and repair and will permit the inspection of the Equipment by the Vendor, the Vendor's representatives and prospective purchasers, lessees and users. This agreement to deliver the Equipment and furnish facilities as hereinbefore provided is of the essence of the agreement between the parties, and,

upon application to any court of equity having jurisdiction in the premises, the Vendor shall be entitled to a decree against the Vendee requiring specific performance hereof. The Vendee hereby expressly waives any and all claims against the Vendor and its agent or agents for damages of whatever nature in connection with any retaking of any unit of the Equipment in any reasonable manner.

At any time during the continuance of a Declaration of Default, the Vendor may, at its election and upon such notice as is hereinafter set forth, retain the Equipment in satisfaction of the entire CSA Indebtedness and make such disposition thereof as the Vendor shall deem fit. Written notice of the Vendor's election to retain the Equipment shall be given to the Vendee and the Lessee by telegram or registered mail, addressed as provided in Article 20 hereof, and to any other persons to whom the law may require notice, within 90 days after such Declaration of Default. In the event that the Vendor should elect to retain the Equipment and no objection is made thereto within the 30-day period described in the second proviso below, all the Vendee's rights in the Equipment shall thereupon terminate and all payments made by the Vendee or for its account may be retained by the Vendor as compensation for the use of the Equipment; provided, however, that if the Vendee, before the expiration of the 30-day period described in the proviso below, should pay or cause to be paid to the Vendor the total unpaid balance of the CSA Indebtedness, together with interest thereon accrued and unpaid and all other payments due under this Agreement (including fees and expenses referred to in the following paragraph), then in such event absolute right to the possession of, title to and property in the Equipment shall pass to and vest in the Vendee; provided, further, that if the Vendee, the Lessee or any other persons notified under the terms of this paragraph object in writing to the Vendor within 30 days from the receipt of notice of the Vendor's election to retain the Equipment, then the Vendor may not so retain the Equipment, but shall sell, lease or otherwise dispose of it or continue to hold it pending sale, lease or other disposition as hereinafter provided or as may otherwise be permitted by law. If the Vendor shall not have given notice to retain as hereinabove provided or notice of intention to dispose of the Equipment in any other manner, it shall be deemed to have elected to sell the Equipment in accordance with the provisions of this Article 16.

At any time during the continuance of a Declaration of Default, the Vendor, with or without retaking possession thereof, at its election and upon reasonable notice to the Vendee, the Lessee and any other persons to whom the law may require notice of the time and place, may sell the Equipment, or any unit thereof, free from any and all claims of the Vendee, the Lessee or any other party claiming from, through or under the Vendee or the Lessee, at law or in equity, at public or private sale and with or without advertisement as the Vendor may determine; provided, however, that if, prior to such sale and prior to the making of a contract for such sale, the Vendee should tender full payment of the total unpaid balance of the CSA Indebtedness, together with interest thereon accrued and unpaid and all other payments due under this Agreement as well as expenses of the Vendor in retaking possession of, removing, storing, holding and preparing the Equipment for, and otherwise arranging for, the sale and the Vendor's reasonable attorneys' fees, then upon receipt of such payment, expenses and fees by the Vendor, absolute right to the possession of, title to and property in the Equipment shall pass to and vest in the Vendee. The proceeds of such sale or other disposition, less the attorneys' fees and any other expenses incurred by the Vendor in retaking possession of, removing, storing, holding, preparing for sale and selling or otherwise disposing of the Equipment, shall be credited on the amount due to the Vendor under the provisions of this Agreement.

Any sale hereunder may be held or conducted at New York City, New York, at such time or times as the Vendor may specify (unless the Vendor shall specify a different place or places, in which case the sale shall be held at such place or places as the Vendor may specify), in one lot and as an entirety or in separate lots and without the necessity of gathering at the place of sale the property to be sold, and in general in such manner as the Vendor may determine, so long as such sale shall be in a commercially reasonable manner. The Vendor, the Vendee or the Lessee may bid for and become the purchaser of the Equipment, or any unit thereof, so offered for sale, provided that the Lessee may not so bid if it shall have caused the Event or Events of Default in respect of which the relevant Declaration of Default was made. The Vendee and the Lessee shall be given written notice of such sale or the making of a contract for such sale not less than ten days prior thereto, by telegram or registered mail. If such sale shall be a private sale (which shall be deemed to mean only a sale where an adver-

tisement for bids has not been published in a newspaper of general circulation or a sale where fewer than 40 offerees have been solicited in writing to submit bids), it shall be subject to the rights of the Lessee and the Vendee to purchase or provide a purchaser, within ten days after notice of the proposed sale price, at the same price offered by the intending purchaser or a better price. In the event that the Vendor shall be the purchaser of the Equipment, it shall not be accountable to the Vendee or the Lessee (except to the extent of surplus money received as hereinafter provided in this Article 16), and in payment of the purchase price therefor the Vendor shall be entitled to have credited on account thereof all or any part of any sums due to the Vendor hereunder.

Each and every power and remedy hereby specifically given to the Vendor shall be in addition to every other power and remedy hereby specifically given or now or hereafter existing at law or in equity and may be exercised from time to time and simultaneously and as often and in such order as may be deemed expedient by the Vendor. All such powers and remedies shall be cumulative, and the exercise of one shall not be deemed a waiver of the right to exercise any other or others. No delay or omission of the Vendor in the exercise of any such power or remedy and no renewal or extension of any payments due hereunder shall impair any such power or remedy or shall be construed to be a waiver of any default or an acquiescence therein. Any extension of time for payment hereunder or other indulgence duly granted to the Vendee or the Lessee shall not otherwise affect the Vendor's rights or the Vendee's obligations hereunder. The Vendor's acceptance of any payment after it shall have become due hereunder shall not be deemed to affect the Vendee's obligations or the Vendor's rights hereunder with respect to any subsequent payments or default therein.

If, after applying all sums of money realized by the Vendor under the remedies herein provided, there shall remain any amount due to it under the provisions of this Agreement, the Vendee shall pay the amount of such deficiency to the Vendor upon demand, together with interest thereon from the date of such demand to the date of payment at the Penalty Rate, and, if the Vendee shall fail to pay such deficiency, the Vendor may bring suit therefor and shall, subject to the limitations of the last paragraph of Article 4 hereof, be entitled to recover a judgment therefor against the Vendee. If, after applying as aforesaid all sums realized

by the Vendor, there shall remain a surplus in the possession of the Vendor, such surplus shall be paid to the Vendee.

The Vendee will pay all reasonable expenses, including attorneys' fees, incurred by the Vendor in enforcing its remedies under the terms of this Agreement. In the event that the Vendor shall bring any suit to enforce any of its rights hereunder and shall be entitled to judgment, then in such suit the Vendor may recover such reasonable expenses and the amount thereof shall be included in such judgment.

The foregoing provisions of this Article 16 are subject in all respects to all mandatory legal requirements at the time in force and applicable thereto.

ARTICLE 17. Applicable State Laws. Any provision of this Agreement prohibited by any applicable law of any jurisdiction (which is not overridden by applicable Federal law) shall as to such jurisdiction be ineffective, without modifying the remaining provisions of this Agreement. Where, however, the conflicting provisions of any such applicable law may be waived, they are hereby waived by the Vendee to the full extent permitted by law, it being the intention of the parties hereto that this Agreement shall be deemed to be a conditional sale and enforced as such.

Except as otherwise provided in this Agreement, the Vendee, to the full extent permitted by law, waives all statutory or other legal requirements for any notice of any kind, notice of intention to take possession of or to sell or lease the Equipment, or any unit thereof, and any other requirements as to the time, place and terms of the sale or lease thereof, any other requirements with respect to the enforcement of the Vendor's rights under this Agreement and any and all rights of redemption.

ARTICLE 18. Recording. The Vendee will cause this Agreement, any assignments hereof and any amendments or supplements hereto or thereto to be filed in accordance with Section 20c of the Interstate Commerce Act and deposited with the Registrar General of Canada (notice of such deposit to be forthwith given in the Canada Gazette) pursuant to Section 86 of the Railway Act of Canada; and the Vendee will from time to time do and perform any other act and will execute, acknowledge, deliver, file, register, deposit and record any and all further instruments required by law or reasonably requested by the Vendor for the purpose of proper protection,

to the satisfaction of counsel for the Vendor, of its interest in the Equipment and its rights under this Agreement or for the purpose of carrying out the intention of this Agreement; and the Vendee will promptly furnish to the Vendor certificates or other evidence of such filing, registering, depositing and recording satisfactory to the Vendor.

ARTICLE 19. Article Headings; Effect and Modification of Agreement. All article headings are inserted for convenience only and shall not affect any construction or interpretation of this Agreement.

Except for the Participation Agreement, the Trust Agreement, the Guaranty (as defined in the Participation Agreement) and the CSA Assignment, this Agreement, including the Annexes hereto, exclusively and completely states the rights of the Vendor and the Vendee with respect to the Equipment and supersedes all other agreements, oral or written, with respect to the Equipment. No modification of this Agreement and no waiver of any of its provisions or conditions shall be valid unless in writing and signed by duly authorized representatives of the Vendor and the Vendee.

ARTICLE 20. Notice. Any notice hereunder to any of the parties designated below shall be deemed to be properly served if delivered or mailed to it by first class mail, postage prepaid, at the following addresses:

(a) to the Lessee, at 1310 Six Penn Center Plaza, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19104, attention of Vice President & Treasurer,

(b) to the Vendee, at One Constitution Plaza, Hartford, Connecticut 06115, attention of Corporate Trust Department,

(c) to the Beneficiary, at 333 North Pennsylvania Avenue, Indianapolis, Indiana 46204, attention of John C. Salomone, Assistant Vice President,

(d) to the Builder, at the address specified in Item 1 of Annex A hereto,

(e) to any assignee of the Vendor, or of the Vendee, at such address as may have been furnished in writing to the Vendee or the Vendor, as the case may be, and to the Lessee, by such assignee,

or at such other address as may have been furnished in writing by such party to the other parties to this Agreement.

ARTICLE 21. Immunities; Satisfaction of Undertakings. No recourse shall be had in respect of any obligation due under this Agreement, or referred to herein, against any incorporator, stockholder, director or officer, as such, past, present or future, of the parties hereto, whether by virtue of any constitutional provision, statute or rule of law, or by enforcement of any assessment or penalty or otherwise, all such liability, whether at common law, in equity, by any constitutional provision, statute or otherwise, of such incorporators, stockholders, directors or officers, as such, being forever released as a condition of and as consideration for the execution of this Agreement.

The obligations of the Vendee under the second and eighth paragraphs of Article 16 and under Articles 3, 6, 7 (other than the second and third sentences of the second paragraph thereof), 8, 9, 10, 12 (other than the proviso to the last paragraph thereof), 13 and 18 hereof shall be deemed in all respects satisfied by the Lessee's undertakings contained in the Lease. The Vendee shall not have any responsibility for the Lessee's failure to perform such obligations, but if the same shall not be performed they shall constitute the basis for an event of default hereunder pursuant to Article 15 hereof. No waiver or amendment of the Lessee's undertakings under the Lease shall be effective unless joined in by the Vendor.

It is expressly understood, anything in this Agreement to the contrary notwithstanding, that each of the warranties, representations, undertakings and agreements herein made on the part of the Vendee are made and intended not as personal warranties, representations, undertakings and agreements by The Connecticut Bank and Trust Company or for the purpose or with the intention of binding said bank personally but are made and intended for the purpose of binding only the Trust Estate, as such term is used in the Trust Agreement, and this Agreement is executed and delivered by said bank not in its own right but solely in the exercise of the powers expressly conferred upon it as trustee under the Trust Agreement; and except in the case of wilful misconduct or gross negligence, no personal liability or personal responsibility is assumed by or shall at any time be asserted or enforceable against said bank or the Beneficiary (except, with respect to each such party, in connection with the

payment or discharge of claims, liens, charges or security interests claimed from, through or under such party or its successors and assigns pursuant to the proviso to the last paragraph of Article 12 of this Agreement and except, with respect to the Beneficiary, pursuant to Section 1.03 and the last paragraph of Section 5.01 of the Trust Agreement), on account of this Agreement or on account of any warranty, representation, undertaking or agreement of the said bank or the Beneficiary hereunder, either expressed or implied, all such personal liability (except as aforesaid), if any, being expressly waived and released by the Vendor and by all persons claiming by, through or under the Vendor.

ARTICLE 22. Law Governing. The terms of this Agreement and all rights and obligations hereunder shall be governed by the laws of the State of Connecticut; provided, however, that the parties shall be entitled to all rights conferred by Section 20c of the Interstate Commerce Act and such additional rights arising out of the filing, recording or deposit hereof, if any, and of any assignment hereof as shall be conferred by the laws of the several jurisdictions in which this Agreement or any assignment hereof shall be filed, recorded or deposited. The Vendee warrants that its principal place of business is located in the State of Connecticut.

ARTICLE 23. Execution. This Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts, such counterparts together constituting but one and the same contract, but the counterpart delivered to the Assignee pursuant to the CSA Assignment shall be deemed the original and all other counterparts shall be deemed duplicates thereof. Although for convenience this Agreement is dated as of the date first above written, the actual date or dates of execution hereof by the parties hereto is or are, respectively, the date or dates stated in the acknowledgments hereto annexed.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed or caused this instrument to be executed all as of the date first above written.

BETHLEHEM STEEL CORPORATION,

by

  
Vice President

[CORPORATE SEAL]

Attest:

  
Assistant Secretary

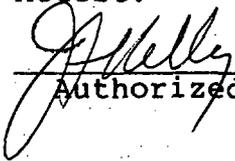
THE CONNECTICUT BANK AND TRUST  
COMPANY, as Trustee as aforesaid,

by

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Authorized Officer

[CORPORATE SEAL]

Attest:

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Authorized Officer

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA, )  
 ) ss.:  
COUNTY OF LEHIGH, )

On this *23<sup>rd</sup>* day of *May* 1978, before me personally appeared DAVID ADAMS IV, to me personally known, who, being by me duly sworn, says that he is a Vice President of BETHLEHEM STEEL CORPORATION, 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.

*Barbara M. Kramer*  
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Notary Public

[Notarial Seal]

My Commission expires

My Commission Expires  
November 26, 1979  
City of Bethlehem  
Lehigh County

STATE OF NEW YORK , )  
 ) ss.:  
COUNTY OF NEW YORK, )

On this *23<sup>rd</sup>* day of *May* 1978, before me personally appeared F. W. KAWAM, to me personally known, who, being by me duly sworn, says that he is an Authorized Officer of THE CONNECTICUT BANK AND TRUST COMPANY, that the seal affixed to the foregoing instrument is the corporate seal of said corporation and 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 a free act and deed of said corporation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand.

*Margaret C. Miller*  
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Notary Public

[Notarial Seal]

My Commission expires

MARGARET C. MILLER  
Notary Public, State of New York  
No. 24-4519940  
Qualified in Kings County  
Commission Expires March 30, 1980

SCHEDULE I

Allocation Schedule  
of Each \$1,000,000 of CSA Indebtedness  
Payable in (i) One Interim Payment  
and (ii) 20 Semiannual Installments  
Commencing on July 2, 1979

<u>Instalment No.</u>	<u>Principal Balance (Before Payment)</u> \$	<u>Interest Payment</u> \$	<u>Principal Recovery</u> \$	<u>Ending Principal</u> \$	
(Interim Payment)					
	(1/2/79)	1,000,000	*	-0-	1,000,000
1	(7/2/79)	1,000,000	50,000	32,757	967,243
2	(1/2/80)	967,243	48,362	34,395	932,848
3	(7/2/80)	932,848	46,642	36,115	896,733
4	(1/2/81)	896,733	44,837	37,920	858,813
5	(7/2/81)	858,813	42,941	39,816	818,997
6	(1/2/82)	818,997	40,950	41,807	777,190
7	(7/2/82)	777,190	38,859	43,898	733,292
8	(1/2/83)	733,292	36,665	46,093	687,199
9	(7/2/83)	687,199	34,360	48,397	638,802
10	(1/2/84)	638,802	31,940	50,817	587,985
11	(7/2/84)	587,985	29,399	53,358	534,627
12	(1/2/85)	534,627	26,731	56,026	478,601
13	(7/2/85)	478,601	23,930	58,827	419,774
14	(1/2/86)	419,774	20,989	61,768	358,006
15	(7/2/86)	358,006	17,900	64,857	293,149
16	(1/2/87)	293,149	14,657	53,052	240,097
17	(7/2/87)	240,097	12,005	55,705	184,392
18	(1/2/88)	184,392	9,220	58,490	125,902
19	(7/2/88)	125,902	6,295	61,415	64,487
20	(1/2/89)	64,487	3,224	64,487	-0-

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\* Interest at the rate of 10% per annum from and including the Closing Date to January 2, 1979, calculated on an actual elapsed day basis.

Annex A

to

Conditional Sale Agreement

- Item 1: Bethlehem Steel Corporation, at Bethlehem, Pennsylvania 18016, attention of Manager of Railroad Products Sales.
- Item 2: The Equipment shall be settled for in not more than one Group of units of Equipment delivered to and accepted by the Vendee.
- Item 3: The Builder warrants that the Equipment will be built in accordance with the requirements, specifications and standards set forth in Article 2 of the Conditional Sale Agreement to which this Annex A is attached (hereinafter in this Annex A called "this Agreement") and warrants that the Equipment will be free from defects in material (except as to specialties incorporated therein which were specified or supplied by the Lessee and not manufactured by the Builder) and workmanship under normal use and service, the Builder's obligation under this Item 3 being limited to making good at its plant any part or parts of any unit of such Equipment which shall be returned to the Builder with transportation charges prepaid, within one year after the delivery of such unit to the Vendee, and which the Builder's examination shall disclose to its satisfaction to have been thus defective. EXCEPT FOR THE OBLIGATIONS AND LIABILITIES OF THE BUILDER UNDER ARTICLES 2, 3 AND 4 OF THIS AGREEMENT AND ITEM 4 OF THIS ANNEX A, THE FOREGOING WARRANTY OF THE BUILDER IS EXPRESSLY IN LIEU OF ALL OTHER WARRANTIES, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, INCLUDING ANY IMPLIED WARRANTY OF MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE AND OF ALL OTHER OBLIGATIONS OR LIABILITIES ON THE PART OF THE BUILDER, and the Builder does not assume or authorize any person to assume for it any other liability in connection with the construction and delivery of the Equipment except as aforesaid. It is further agreed that in no event shall the Builder be liable for indirect or consequential damages of any kind.

The Builder further agrees that neither the inspection as provided in Article 3 of this Agreement nor any examination nor the acceptance of any units of the Equipment as provided in said Article 3 shall be deemed a waiver or a modification by the Vendee of any of its rights under this Item 3.

Item 4: The Builder agrees (except in cases of articles or materials specified by the Lessee and not manufactured by the Builder and in cases of designs, systems, processes, formulae or combinations specified by the Lessee and not developed or purported to be developed by the Builder) to indemnify, protect and hold harmless the Vendee and, as third party beneficiary hereof, the Lessee from and against any and all liability, claims, costs, charges and expenses, including royalty payments and counsel fees, in any manner imposed upon or accruing against the Vendee, the Lessee, or its or their assigns, because of the use in or about the construction or operation of any of such Equipment of any design, system, process, formula, combination, article or material which infringes or is claimed to infringe on any patent or other right. Pursuant to § 9 of the Lease the Lessee likewise will indemnify, protect and hold harmless the Builder and the Vendor from and against any and all liability, claims, costs, charges and expenses, including royalty payments and counsel fees, in any manner imposed upon or accruing against the Builder and the Vendor because of the use in or about the construction or operation of any of the Equipment of any article or material specified by the Lessee and not manufactured by the Builder or of any design, system, process, formula or combination specified by the Lessee and not developed or purported to be developed by the Builder which infringes or is claimed to infringe on any patent or other right. The Builder agrees to and hereby does, to the extent legally possible without impairing any claim, right or cause of action hereinafter referred to, assign, set over and deliver to the Lessee every claim, right and cause of action which the Builder has or hereafter shall have against the seller or sellers of any designs, systems, processes, formulae, combinations, articles or materials specified by the Lessee and purchased or otherwise acquired by the

Builder for use in or about the construction or operation of any of the Equipment on the ground that any such design, system, process, formula, combination, article or material or operation thereof infringes or is claimed to infringe on any patent or other right. The Builder further agrees to execute and deliver to the Lessee or the Vendee or the users of the Equipment all and every such further assurance as may be reasonably requested by the Lessee or the Vendee to more fully effectuate the assignment and delivery of every such claim, right and cause of action. The Builder will give notice to the Lessee of any claim known to the Builder as a result of which liability may be charged against the Lessee hereunder and the Vendee will give notice to the Builder of any claim known to the Vendee from which liability may be charged against the Builder hereunder. The undertakings set forth herein shall continue in full force and effect notwithstanding the full payment of all sums due under this Agreement or the satisfaction, discharge or the termination of this Agreement in any manner whatsoever.

Item 5: The Maximum Purchase Price referred to in Article 4 of this Agreement is \$15,316,546.20.

Annex B

to

Conditional Sale Agreement

Type	Builder's Specifications	Builder's Plant	Quantity	Lessee's Road Numbers (Both Inclusive)	Unit Base Price	Total Base Price	Estimated Time and Place of Delivery
100-ton Open Top Triple Hopper Cars (Conrail General Specification 1727-C, as revised) AAR Mechanical Designation HT	DF 3400-846	Johnstown, Pa.	524	CR 487301 to CR 487824	\$29,230.05	\$15,316,546.20	May-64 units June-460 units 1978 Johnstown, Pennsylvania,