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LEASE OF RAILROAD EQUIPMENT

Dated as of September 1, 1974

between

MISSOURI PACIFIC RAILROAD COMPANY

and

**CHASE MANHATTAN
SERVICE CORPORATION**

LEASE OF RAILROAD EQUIPMENT dated as of September 1, 1974, between MISSOURI PACIFIC RAILROAD COMPANY (hereinafter called the Lessee), and CHASE MANHATTAN SERVICE CORPORATION (hereinafter called the Lessor).

WHEREAS, the Lessor and the Lessee are entering into conditional sale agreements dated as of the date hereof with General Motors Corporation (Electro-Motive Division) and General Electric Company, respectively (such agreements being hereinafter collectively called the Security Documents and such parties being hereinafter called the Builders) wherein the Builders have agreed to manufacture, sell and deliver to the Lessor the units of railroad equipment described in Schedule A hereto (hereinafter called the Equipment);

WHEREAS, First National Bank of Minneapolis has acted as agent for certain investors pursuant to the Finance Agreement dated as of September 1, 1974 (hereinafter called the Finance Agreement) among First National Bank of Minneapolis, as agent, the Lessee and the parties named in Schedule A thereto;

WHEREAS, the Builders are assigning their respective interests in the Security Documents to First National Bank of Minneapolis, as agent (hereinafter, together with its successors and assigns, called the Vendor); and

WHEREAS, the Lessee desires to lease such number of the units of the Equipment as are delivered and accepted and settled for under the Security Documents (hereinafter called the Units) at the rentals and for the terms and upon the conditions hereinafter provided;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises and of the rentals to be paid and the covenants hereinafter mentioned to be kept and performed by the Lessee, the Lessor hereby leases the Units to the Lessee upon the following terms and conditions:

§ 1. *Net Lease.* This Lease is a net lease and the Lessee shall not be entitled to any abatement of rent, reduction thereof or setoff against rent, including, but not limited to, abatements, reductions or setoffs due or alleged to be due by reason of any past, present or future claims of the Lessee against the Lessor under this Lease or under the Security Documents, including the Lessee's rights by subrogation thereunder, or the Builders or the Vendor or otherwise; nor, except as otherwise expressly provided herein,

shall this Lease terminate, or the respective obligations of the Lessor or the Lessee be otherwise affected, by reason of any defect in or damage to or loss of possession or loss of use or destruction of all or any of the Units from whatsoever cause, any liens, encumbrances or rights of others with respect to any of the Units, the prohibition of or other restriction against the Lessee's use of all or any of the Units, the interference with such use by any person or entity, the invalidity or unenforceability or lack of due authorization of this Lease, any insolvency of or the bankruptcy, reorganization or similar proceeding against the Lessee, or for any other cause whether similar or dissimilar to the foregoing, any present or future law to the contrary notwithstanding, it being the intention of the parties hereto that the rents and other amounts payable by the Lessee hereunder shall continue to be payable in all events in the manner and at the times herein provided unless the obligation to pay the same shall be terminated pursuant to the express provisions of this Lease. To the extent permitted by applicable law, the Lessee hereby waives any and all rights which it may have or which at any time hereafter may be conferred upon it, by statute or otherwise, to terminate, cancel, quit or surrender the lease of any of the Units except in accordance with the express terms hereof. Each rental or other payment made by the Lessee hereunder shall be final and the Lessee shall not seek to recover all or any part of such payment from the Lessor for any reason whatsoever.

§2. *Delivery and Acceptance of Units.* The Lessor hereby appoints the Lessee its agent for inspection and acceptance of the Units pursuant to the Security Documents. The Lessor will cause each Unit to be delivered to the Lessee at the point or points within the United States of America at which such Unit is delivered to the Lessor under the Security Documents. Upon such delivery, the Lessee will cause an employee of the Lessee to inspect the same, and if such Unit is found to be acceptable, to accept delivery of such Unit and execute and deliver to the Lessor a certificate of acceptance (hereinafter called the Certificate of Acceptance) in accordance with the provisions of Article 3 of the Security Documents, stating that such Unit has been inspected and accepted on behalf of the Lessee and the Lessor on the date of such Certificate of Acceptance and is marked in accordance with § 5 hereof, whereupon such Unit shall be deemed to have been delivered to and accepted by the Lessee and shall be subject thereafter to all the terms and conditions of this Lease.

§ 3. *Rentals.* The Lessee agrees to pay to the Lessor, as rental for each Unit subject to this Lease, 33 consecutive semiannual payments payable on January 15 and July 15 in each year, commencing January 15, 1975. The rental payment payable on January 15, 1975 shall be in an amount equal to .030208% of the Purchase Price (as defined in the Security Documents) of each Unit then subject to this Lease for each day (computed on the basis of a 360-day year of twelve 30-day months) elapsed from the Closing Date (as defined in the Security Documents) for such Unit to and including the date of such payment. The next 32 rental payments shall each be in an amount equal to 5.00201% of the Purchase Price of each Unit then subject to this Lease.

The rental payments hereinbefore set forth are subject to adjustment pursuant to § 17 hereof. If any of the semiannual rental payment dates referred to above is not a business day the semiannual rental payment otherwise payable on such date shall be payable on the next preceding business day. The term "business day" as used herein means a calendar day, excluding Saturdays, Sundays and any other day on which banking institutions in New York, New York or Minneapolis, Minnesota are authorized or obligated to remain closed.

The Lessor irrevocably instructs the Lessee to make all the payments provided for in this Lease at the principal office of the Vendor, for the account of the Lessor, in care of the Vendor, with instructions to the Vendor first, to apply such payments to satisfy the obligations of the Lessor under the Security Documents, subject to the limitations contained in the last paragraph of Article 4 of the Security Documents and second, so long as no event of default or event which with the lapse of time and/or demand provided for in a Security Document could constitute an event of default under any Security Document (any such default, event of default or event being hereinafter called a Default) shall have occurred and be continuing, to pay any balance promptly to the Lessor at such place as the Lessor shall specify in writing *provided, however*, if a Default shall have occurred and be continuing, the Vendor shall hold the balance of such payments for the period specified in Paragraph 6 of the Finance Agreement and shall take such action as is set forth in Paragraphs 6 and 7 of the Finance Agreement. The Lessee agrees to make each payment provided for herein as contemplated by this paragraph in immediately available funds in the city where such payment is to be made.

§ 4. *Term of Lease.* The term of this Lease as to each Unit shall begin on the date of delivery and acceptance of such Unit hereunder and, subject to the provisions of §§ 7 and 10 hereof, shall terminate on the date on which the final payment of rent in respect thereof is due pursuant to §3 hereof.

Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained herein, all rights and obligations of the Lessee under this Lease and in and to the Units, or under the Security Documents in its capacity as guarantor or otherwise, are subject to the rights of the Vendor under the Security Documents. If an event of default should occur under the Security Documents, the Vendor may terminate this Lease (or rescind its termination), all as provided therein.

§ 5. *Identification Marks.* The Lessee will cause each Unit to be kept numbered with the identifying number set forth in Schedule A hereto, or in the case of any Unit not there listed such identifying number as shall be set forth in any amendment or supplement hereto extending this Lease to cover such Unit, and will keep and maintain, plainly, distinctly, permanently and conspicuously marked on each side of each Unit, in letters not less than one inch in height, the words "First National Bank of Minneapolis, Agent, Security Owner" or other appropriate words designated by the Lessor, with appropriate changes thereof and additions thereto as from time to time may be required by law in order to protect the Lessor's and Vendor's title to and property in such Unit and the rights of the Lessor under this Lease and of the Vendor under the Security Documents. The Lessor may mark each Unit to identify the Lessor's interest in such Unit. The Lessee will not place any such Unit in operation or exercise any control or dominion over the same until such words shall have been so marked on both sides thereof and will replace promptly any such words which may be removed, defaced or destroyed. The Lessee will not change the identifying number of any Unit unless and until (i) a statement of new number or numbers to be substituted therefor shall have been filed with the Vendor and the Lessor and filed, recorded and deposited by the Lessee in all public offices where this Lease and the Security Documents shall have been filed, recorded and deposited and (ii) the Lessee shall have furnished the Vendor and the Lessor an opinion of counsel to the effect set forth in subparagraph C of §15 hereof in respect of such statement.

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

§ 6. *Taxes.* All payments to be made by the Lessee hereunder will be free of expense to the Lessor for collection or other charges and will be free of expense to the Lessor and its affiliates with respect to the amount of any local, state, federal, or foreign taxes (other than (1) except as otherwise provided in §17 herein, taxes on, based on, or measured by, the net income of the Lessor imposed by the United States; (2) taxes on, based on, or measured by, the net income of the Lessor imposed by any other jurisdiction to the extent imposed by (a) the jurisdiction in which the principal office of the Lessor is located or (b) any other jurisdiction in which the Lessor shall be subject to any tax based on, or measured by, net income but only to the extent that (i) income of the Lessor attributable to this Lease or the transactions contemplated hereunder is not subject to tax imposed by the jurisdiction in which its principal office is located and (ii) the amount of the tax payable by the Lessor to such other jurisdiction does not exceed the amount of the tax that would be payable to the jurisdiction in which its principal office is located if that income were subject to tax in that jurisdiction) or license fees, interest, assessments, charges, fines or penalties (all such expenses, taxes, license fees, interest, assessments, charges, fines and penalties being hereinafter called impositions) hereafter levied or imposed upon or in connection with or measured by or resulting from, or affected by this Lease or any sale, rental, use, payment, shipment, delivery or transfer of title under the terms hereof or the Security Documents, all of which impositions the Lessee assumes and agrees to pay on demand in addition to the payments to be made by it provided for herein. The Lessee will also pay promptly all impositions which may be imposed upon any Unit or for the use or operation thereof or upon the earnings arising therefrom (except as provided above) or upon the Lessor and its affiliates solely by reason of its ownership thereof and will keep at all times all and every part of such Unit free and clear of all impositions which might in any way affect the title of the Lessor or result in a lien upon any such Unit; *provided, however*, that the Lessee shall be under no obligation to pay any impositions of any kind so long as it is contesting in good faith and by appropriate legal

proceedings such impositions and the nonpayment thereof does not, in the opinion of the Lessor, adversely affect the title, property or rights of the Lessor hereunder or the Vendor under the Security Documents. If any impositions shall have been charged or levied against the Lessor directly and paid by the Lessor, the Lessee shall reimburse the Lessor on presentation of an invoice therefor.

In the event that the Lessor shall become obligated to make any payment pursuant to any tax indemnity provision of the Security Documents not covered by the foregoing paragraph of this §6, the Lessee shall pay such additional amounts (which shall also be deemed impositions hereunder) to the Lessor as will enable the Lessor to fulfill completely its obligations pursuant to said provision.

In the event any reports with respect to impositions are required to be made, the Lessee will, at the Lessor's option, either make such reports in such manner as to show the interests of the Lessor and the Vendor in such Units or notify the Lessor and the Vendor of such requirement and make such reports in such manner as shall be satisfactory to the Lessor and the Vendor.

The indemnity provided for in this §6 shall be in an amount which, after deducting all impositions imposed with respect to the receipt thereof, shall be equal to the amount of the impositions required to be paid by the Lessor.

In the event that, during the continuance of this Lease, the Lessee becomes liable for the payment or reimbursement of any imposition, pursuant to this §6, such liability shall continue, notwithstanding the expiration or the termination of the term of this Lease, until all such impositions are paid or reimbursed by the Lessee.

§ 7. Payment for Casualty Occurrences; Insurance. In the event that any Unit shall be or become worn out, lost, stolen, destroyed, or irreparably damaged, from any cause whatsoever, or taken or requisitioned by condemnation or otherwise (such occurrences being hereinafter called Casualty Occurrences) during the term of this Lease, the Lessee shall promptly and fully notify the Lessor and the Vendor with respect thereto. On the rental payment date next succeeding such notice the Lessee shall pay to the Lessor an amount equal to the rental payment or payments in respect of such Unit due and payable on such date plus a sum equal to the Casualty Value (as

hereinafter defined) of such Unit as of the date of such payment in accordance with the schedule set out below. Upon the making of such payment by the Lessee in respect of any Unit, the rental for such Unit shall cease to accrue, the term of this Lease as to such Unit shall terminate and (except in the case of the loss, theft or complete destruction of such Unit) the Lessor shall be entitled to recover possession of such Unit. The Lessor hereby appoints the Lessee its agent to dispose of any Unit suffering a Casualty Occurrence or any component thereof, at the best price obtainable on an "as is, where is" basis. Provided that the Lessee has previously paid the Casualty Value to the Lessor, the Lessee shall be entitled to the proceeds of such sale to the extent they do not exceed the Casualty Value of such Unit, and shall pay any excess to the Lessor.

The Casualty Value of each Unit as of the payment date on which payment is to be made as aforesaid shall be that percentage of the Purchase Price of such Unit as is set forth in the following schedule opposite such date:

<u>Date</u>	<u>Percentage</u>
January 15, 1975	103.451%
July 15, 1975.....	105.045
January 15, 1976	106.023
July 15, 1976.....	106.718
January 15, 1977	107.023
July 15, 1977.....	106.947
January 15, 1978	103.642
July 15, 1978.....	101.002
January 15, 1979	100.100
July 15, 1979.....	98.948
January 15, 1980	93.581
July 15, 1980.....	90.689
January 15, 1981	89.562
July 15, 1981.....	86.636
January 15, 1982	79.501
July 15, 1982.....	76.632
January 15, 1983	73.964
July 15, 1983.....	71.147

<u>Date</u>	<u>Percentage</u>
January 15, 1984	68.195%
July 15, 1984.....	65.100
January 15, 1985	61.888
July 15, 1985.....	58.542
January 15, 1986	55.094
July 15, 1986.....	51.527
January 15, 1987	47.872
July 15, 1987.....	44.113
January 15, 1988	40.275
July 15, 1988.....	36.334
January 15, 1989	32.313
July 15, 1989.....	28.183
January 15, 1990	23.971
July 15, 1990.....	19.646
and thereafter	15.000

Except as hereinabove in this §7 provided, the Lessee shall not be released from its obligations hereunder in the event of, and shall bear the risk of, any Casualty Occurrence to any Unit from and after delivery and acceptance thereof by the Lessee hereunder.

The Lessee will, at all times while this Lease is in effect, at its own expense, cause to be carried and maintained property insurance in respect of the Units at the time subject hereto, and public liability insurance, in amounts and against risks customarily insured against by railroad companies in respect of similar equipment, and in any event comparable to those insured against by the Lessee in respect of similar equipment owned by it and the benefits thereof shall be payable to the Vendor, the Lessor and the Lessee, as their interests may appear, so long as the indebtedness, if any, evidenced by the Security Documents shall not have been paid in full, and thereafter to the Lessor and the Lessee as their interests may appear. All policies of insurance shall provide that the interests of the Vendor or the Lessor thereunder shall not be rescinded, impaired or invalidated by any act or neglect of the Lessee, and shall further provide for a thirty-day minimum written cancellation notice to the Vendor and Lessor. The Lessee agrees to furnish to the Vendor and the Lessor concurrently with the commencement of the term of this Lease and at least annually thereafter certificates or other

evidence of compliance by the Lessee with the provisions of this paragraph. In the event that the Lessee shall fail to maintain insurance as herein provided, the Lessor may at its option effect such insurance and, in such event, the Lessee shall upon demand reimburse the Lessor for the cost thereof. Any insurance proceeds as the result of insurance carried by the Lessee or condemnation payments received by the Lessor in respect of Units suffering a Casualty Occurrence shall be deducted from the amounts payable by the Lessee to the Lessor in respect of Casualty Occurrences pursuant to this §7. If the Lessor shall receive any such insurance proceeds or condemnation payments after the Lessee shall have made payments pursuant to this § 7 without deduction for such insurance proceeds or such condemnation payments, the Lessor shall pay such proceeds or condemnation payments to the Lessee up to an amount equal to the Casualty Value with respect to a Unit paid by the Lessee and any balance of such proceeds or condemnation payments shall remain the property of the Lessor. All insurance proceeds received by the Lessor in respect of any Unit not suffering a Casualty Occurrence shall be paid to the Lessee upon proof satisfactory to the Lessor that any damage to such Unit in respect of which such proceeds were paid has been fully repaired.

§ 8. *Reports.* On or before March 31 in each year, commencing with the calendar year 1975, the Lessee will furnish to the Lessor and the Vendor an accurate statement (a) setting forth as at the preceding December 31 the amount, description and numbers of all Units then leased hereunder and covered by the Security Documents, the amount, description and numbers of all Units that have suffered a Casualty Occurrence or are then undergoing repairs (other than running repairs) or have been withdrawn from use pending repairs (other than running repairs) during the preceding calendar year and such other information regarding the condition and state of repair of the Units as the Lessor or the Vendor may reasonably request, (b) stating that, in the case of all Units repainted or repaired during the period covered by such statement, the numbers and the markings required by §5 hereof and the Security Documents have been preserved or replaced and (c) stating that all reports required to be made to the Lessor hereunder during the preceding year have been made. The Lessor shall have the right by its agents, to inspect the Units and the Lessee's records with respect thereto at such reasonable times as the Lessor may request during the continuance of this Lease.

Within 30 days after its annual audit has been completed, but in no event later than four months after the close of each fiscal year, the Lessee will promptly furnish to the Lessor, the Vendor and any party for whom the Vendor is acting as agent who shall so request (i) a balance sheet as of the end of such year and a profit and loss statement for the year then ended prepared in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles or the regulations of the Interstate Commerce Commission, in either case applied on a basis consistent with that of the preceding fiscal year and certified by the Lessee's independent certified public accountants and (ii) a certificate of such independent certified public accountants stating that such accountants, in making their customary audit in connection with the financial statements referred to in clause (i) have obtained no knowledge, in so far as accounting matters are concerned, of any condition or event existing during the fiscal year under examination which constitutes an Event of Default hereunder, or if, in the opinion of such accountants, such condition or event existed, specifying the nature and period of existence thereof, it being understood that such accountants shall not be liable directly or indirectly to anyone for failure to obtain knowledge of any such condition or event. The Lessee shall also furnish to the Lessor, the Vendor and any party for whom the Vendor is acting as agent who shall so request unaudited quarterly reports of similar tenor within 45 days after the end of each quarterly accounting period and such other financial information as the Lessor, the Vendor or any party for whom the Vendor is acting as agent may reasonably request from time to time.

As soon as available and in any event within 120 days after the end of each fiscal year, the Lessee will deliver to the Lessor and the Vendor a certificate signed by the President, any Vice President, the Treasurer or any Assistant Treasurer of the Lessee stating that a review of the activities of the Lessee during such year has been made under his supervision with a view to determining whether the Lessee has kept, observed, performed and fulfilled all of its covenants and obligations under this Lease and the Security Documents and that to the best of his knowledge the Lessee during such year has kept, observed, performed and fulfilled each and every covenant and obligation contained herein and in the Security Documents, or if an Event of Default under this Lease or an event of default under the Security Documents shall exist or shall have existed or if an event has occurred which, with the giving of notice or the passage of time or both, would

constitute such an Event of Default or an event of default, specifying such Event of Default, event of default or such event and the nature and status thereof.

§ 9. *Disclaimer of Warranties; Compliance with Laws and Rules; Maintenance; Indemnification.* **The Lessor makes no warranty or representation, either express or implied, as to the design or condition of, or as to the quality of the material, equipment or workmanship in, the Units delivered to the Lessee hereunder, and the Lessor makes no warranty of merchantability or fitness of the Units for any particular purpose or as to title to the Units or any component thereof, it being agreed that all such risks, as between the Lessor and the Lessee, are to be borne by the Lessee; but the Lessor hereby irrevocably appoints and constitutes the Lessee its agent and attorney-in-fact during the term of this Lease to assert and enforce from time to time, in the name of and for the account of the Lessor and/or the Lessee, as their interests may appear, at the Lessee's sole cost and expense, whatever claims and rights the Lessor may have against the Builders under the provisions of Items 3 and 4 of Annex A to the Security Documents. The Lessee's delivery of a Certificate of Acceptance shall be conclusive evidence as between the Lessee and the Lessor that the Units described therein are in all the foregoing respects satisfactory to the Lessee, and the Lessee will not assert any claim of any nature whatsoever against the Lessor based on any of the foregoing matters.**

The Lessee agrees, for the benefit of the Lessor and the Vendor, to comply in all respects (including, without limitation, with respect to the use, maintenance and operation of each Unit) with all laws of the jurisdictions in which its operations involving the Units may extend, with the interchange rules of the Association of American Railroads and with all lawful rules of the Department of Transportation, the Interstate Commerce Commission and any other legislative, executive, administrative or judicial body exercising any power or jurisdiction over the Units, to the extent that such laws and rules affect the title, operation or use of the Units, and in the event that such laws or rules require any alteration, replacement or addition of or to any part on any Unit, the Lessee will conform therewith at its own expense; *provided, however,* that 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 opinion of the Lessor or the Vendor, adversely affect the property or rights of the Lessor or the Vendor under this Lease or under the Security Documents.

The Lessee agrees that, at its own cost and expense, it will maintain and keep each Unit in good order and repair.

Any and all additions to any Unit (except communications, signal and automatic control equipment or devices having a similar use which have been added to such Unit by the Lessee, the cost of which is not included in the Purchase Price of such Unit and which are not required for the operation or use of such Unit by the Interstate Commerce Commission, the Department of Transportation or any other applicable regulatory body), and any and all parts installed on and additions and replacements made to any Unit shall constitute accessions to such Unit and, at the cost and expense of the Lessee, full ownership thereof free from any lien, charge, security interest or encumbrance (except for those created by the Security Documents) shall immediately be vested in the Lessor and the Vendor as their respective interests appear in the Unit itself.

The Lessee agrees to indemnify, protect and hold harmless the Lessor and the Vendor from and against all losses, damages, injuries, liabilities, claims and demands whatsoever, regardless of the cause thereof, and expenses in connection therewith, including, but not limited to, counsel fees and expenses, patent liabilities, penalties and interest, arising out of or as the result of the entering into or the performance of or the occurrence of a default or an Event of Default under the Security Documents or this Lease, the ownership of any Unit, the ordering, acquisition, use, operation, condition, purchase, delivery, rejection, storage or return of any Unit or any accident in connection with the operation, use, condition, possession, storage or return of any Unit resulting in damage to property or injury or death to any person, except as otherwise provided in § 14 of this Lease. The indemnities arising under this paragraph shall continue in full force and effect notwithstanding the full payment of all obligations under this Lease or the expiration or the termination of the term of this Lease.

The indemnity provided by this Section 9 shall be in an amount which, after deducting all taxes, fees, or other charges imposed with respect to the receipt thereof, shall be equal to the amount of the loss, expense or liability with respect to which the indemnification payment is made.

The Lessee agrees to prepare and deliver to the Lessor within a reasonable time prior to the required date of filing (or, to the extent permissible, file on behalf of the Lessor) any and all reports (other than

income tax returns) to be filed by the Lessor with any federal, state or other regulatory authority by reason of the ownership by the Lessor or the Vendor of the Units or the leasing thereof to the Lessee.

§ 10. *Default.* If, during the continuance of this Lease, one or more of the following events (each such event being hereinafter sometimes called an Event of Default) shall occur:

A. default shall be made in payment of any part of the rental provided in § 3 hereof, and such default shall continue for five days;

B. the Lessee shall make or permit any unauthorized assignment or transfer of this Lease or of possession of the Units, or any thereof;

C. default shall be made in the observance or performance of any other of the covenants, conditions and agreements on the part of the Lessee contained herein or in the Security Documents, and such default shall continue for 30 days;

D. a petition for reorganization under Section 77 of the Bankruptcy Act, as now constituted or as said Section 77 may hereafter be 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 Security Documents and this Lease 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 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;

E. any other proceedings shall be commenced by or against the Lessee for any relief which includes, or might result in, any modification of the obligations of the Lessee hereunder or under the Security Documents under any bankruptcy or insolvency laws, or laws relating to the relief of debtors, readjustments of indebtedness, reorganizations, arrangements, compositions or extension (other than a law which does not permit any readjustments of the obligations of the Lessee hereunder or under the Security Documents), 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 Lessee under this Lease and under the Security Documents 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 or receiver or receivers appointed (whether or not subject to ratification) for the Lessee or for the property of the Lessee in connection with any such proceedings in such manner that such obligations shall have the same status as obligations incurred by such a 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

F. an event of default shall occur under any lease, agreement, equipment trust agreement or indenture under which the Lessee is an obligor (the term "event of default" being used in this subparagraph shall mean any event which, after applicable notice and/or period of grace provided in the instrument in question, permits the obligee or obligees thereunder to declare the principal amount of the obligation issued or secured thereby to become immediately due or payable);

then, in any such case, the Lessor, at its option, may:

(a) proceed by appropriate court action or actions either at law or in equity, to enforce performance by the Lessee of the applicable covenants of this Lease or to recover damages for the breach thereof including net after-tax losses of Federal and state income tax benefits to which the Lessor would otherwise be entitled under this Lease; or

(b) by notice in writing to the Lessee terminate the term of this Lease, whereupon all rights of the Lessee to the use of the Units shall absolutely cease and terminate as though this Lease had never been made, but the Lessee shall remain liable as hereinafter provided; and thereupon the Lessor may by its agents enter upon the premises of the Lessee or other premises where any of the Units may be and take possession of all or any of such Units and thenceforth hold, possess and enjoy the same free from any right of the Lessee, or its successors or assigns, to use the Units for any purposes whatever; but the Lessor shall, nevertheless, have a right to recover from the Lessee any and all amounts which under the terms of this Lease may be then due or which

may have accrued to the date of such termination (computing the rental for any number of days less than a full rental period by multiplying the rental for such full rental period by a fraction of which the numerator is such number of days and the denominator is the total number of days in such full rental period) and also to recover forthwith from the Lessee

(A) (i) as damages for loss of the bargain and not as a penalty, a sum, with respect to each Unit, which represents the excess of (x) the present value, at the time of such termination, of the entire unpaid balance of all rental for such Unit which would otherwise have accrued hereunder from the date of such termination to the end of the term of this Lease as to such Unit plus the present value of 10% of the Purchase Price of such Unit over (y) the then present value of the rentals which the Lessor reasonably estimates to be obtainable for the Unit during such period, such present value to be computed in each case on the basis of a 6.29% per annum discount, compounded semiannually from the respective dates upon which rentals would have been payable hereunder had this Lease not been terminated, (ii) any damages and expenses, including reasonable attorneys' fees, in addition thereto which the Lessor shall have sustained by reason of the breach of any covenant, representation or warranty of this Lease, and (iii) an amount which, after deduction of all taxes required to be paid by the Lessor in respect of the receipt thereof under the laws of the United States of America or any political subdivision thereof, shall, in the reasonable opinion of the Lessor, cause the Lessor's net return under this Lease to be equal to the net return that would have been available to the Lessor if it had been entitled to utilization of all or such portion of the Investment Credit (as defined in § 17 hereof) lost, not claimed, not available for claim, disallowed or recaptured by or from the Lessor as a result of the breach of one or more of the representations, warranties and covenants made by the Lessee in § 17 or any other provision of this Lease or the sale or other disposition of the Lessor's interest in any Unit after the occurrence of an Event of Default, plus such sum as shall, in the reasonable opinion of the Lessor, cause the Lessor's net return under this Lease to be equal to the net return that would have been available to the Lessor if it had been entitled to

utilization of all or such portion of the ADR Deduction (as defined in § 17 hereof) which was lost, not claimed, not available for claim or disallowed or recaptured in respect of a Unit as a result of the breach of one or more of the representations, warranties and covenants made by the Lessee in § 17 or any other provision of this Lease, the inaccuracy of any statement in any letter or document furnished to the Lessor by the Lessee, the termination of this Lease, the Lessee's loss of the right to use such Unit or the sale or other disposition of the Lessor's interest in such Unit after the occurrence of an Event of Default;

In the event of any sale or other disposition of any Unit (other than a sale or disposition described in subparagraphs (i) and (ii) of the fifth paragraph of §17), the Lessee shall indemnify the Lessor in such amount as will, after taking account of all taxes imposed with respect to the receipt thereof, be equal to any additional income taxes incurred, or income tax benefits lost, by reason of such sale, exchange or other disposition of any Unit or portion thereof resulting in a loss to the Lessor which is not deductible in full as an ordinary loss for federal income tax purposes.

(B) on the election of the Lessor to sell any or all Units of Equipment, after giving 30 days notice to the Lessee, at one or more public or private sales, as liquidated damages for Lessee's default hereunder, an amount equal to the amount, if any, by which (i) the sum of (x) the aggregate Casualty Value of such Units of Equipment on the rental payment date next preceding the date such notice is given, (y) the amount set forth in clause (ii) of paragraph (A) above, and (z) the amount set forth in clause (iii) of paragraph (A) above, exceeds (ii) the amount received by the Lessor upon such public or private sales of such Units of Equipment; or

(C) upon notice to the Lessee, payment from the Lessee in an amount equal to the aggregate Casualty Value on the rental payment date next preceding the date such notice is given of all Units of Equipment which have not been sold by the Lessor pursuant to paragraph (B) above plus, to the extent not otherwise recovered by the Lessee pursuant to paragraph (B) above, the sum

of the amount set forth in clause (ii) of paragraph (A) above and the amount set forth in clause (iii) of paragraph (A) above in connection with a conveyance by the Lessor pursuant to the fourth paragraph of § 13 hereof.

The remedies in this Lease provided in favor of the Lessor shall not be deemed exclusive, but shall be cumulative, and shall be in addition to all other remedies in its favor existing at law or in equity. The Lessee hereby waives any mandatory requirements of law, now or hereafter in effect, which might limit or modify the remedies herein provided, to the extent that such waiver is not, at the time in question, prohibited by law. The Lessee hereby waives any and all existing or future claims to any offset against the rental payments due hereunder, and agrees to make such payments regardless of any offset or claim which may be asserted by the Lessee or on its behalf.

The failure of the Lessor to exercise the rights granted it hereunder upon the occurrence of any of the contingencies set forth herein shall not constitute a waiver of any such right upon the continuation or recurrence of any such contingencies or similar contingencies.

§ 11. *Return of Units Upon Default.* If this Lease shall terminate pursuant to § 10 hereof, the Lessee shall forthwith deliver possession of the Units to the Lessor. For the purpose of delivering possession of any Unit or Units to the Lessor as above required, the Lessee shall at its own cost, expense and risk:

(a) forthwith and in the usual manner (including, but not by way of limitation, giving prompt telegraphic and written notice to the Association of American Railroads and all railroads to which any Unit or Units have been interchanged to return the Unit or Units so interchanged) place such Units upon such storage tracks of the Lessee as the Lessor reasonably may designate;

(b) permit the Lessor to store such Units on such tracks at the risk of the Lessee without charge for rent or storage until such Units have been sold, leased or otherwise disposed of by the Lessor; and

(c) transport the same to any 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 Lessor.

The assembling, delivery, storage and transporting of the Units as hereinafore provided shall be at the expense and risk of the Lessee and are of the essence of this Lease, and upon application to any court of equity having jurisdiction in the premises the Lessor shall be entitled to a decree against the Lessee requiring specific performance of the covenants of the Lessee so to assemble, deliver, store and transport the Units. During any storage period, the Lessee will, at its own cost and expense, maintain and keep the Equipment in good order and repair and will permit the Lessor or any person designated by it, including the authorized representative or representatives of any prospective purchaser of any such Unit, to inspect the same. In the event that the Units or any thereof are sold pursuant to the exercise of the Vendor's remedies under the Security Documents, the Lessee shall pay to the Vendor the per diem interchange for each such Unit which shall not have been assembled, delivered and stored, as hereinbefore provided, by the date of such sale for each day from the date of such sale to the date of delivery to the purchaser thereof.

Without in any way limiting the obligation of the Lessee under the foregoing provisions of this § 11, the Lessee hereby irrevocably appoints the Lessor as the agent and attorney of the Lessee, with full power and authority, at any time while the Lessee is obligated to deliver possession of any Unit to the Lessor, to demand and take possession of such Unit in the name and on behalf of the Lessee from whomsoever shall be in possession of such Unit at the time.

§ 12. *Assignment; Possession and Use.* This Lease shall be assignable in whole or in part by the Lessor without the consent of the Lessee, but the Lessee shall be under no obligation to any assignee of the Lessor except upon written notice of such assignment from the Lessor. All the rights of the Lessor hereunder (including, but not limited to, the rights under §§ 6, 7, 10 and 17 and the rights to receive the rentals payable under this Lease) shall inure to the benefit of the Lessor's assigns (including the partners or any beneficiary of any such assignee if such assignee is a partnership or a trust, respectively).

So long as the Lessee shall not be in default under this Lease or under the Security Documents in its capacity as guarantor or otherwise, the Lessee shall be entitled to the possession and use of the Units in accordance with the terms of this Lease and the Security Documents, but, without the prior written consent of the Lessor, the Lessee shall not assign or transfer its

leasehold interest under this Lease in the Units or any of them. The Lessee, at its own expense, will promptly pay or discharge any and all sums claimed by any party which, if unpaid, might become a lien, charge, security interest or other encumbrance (other than an encumbrance created by the Lessor or the Vendor or resulting from claims against the Lessor or the Vendor not related to the ownership of the Units) upon or with respect to any Unit, including any accession thereto, or the interest of the Lessor, the Vendor or the Lessee therein, and will promptly discharge any such lien, claim, security interest or other encumbrance which arises. The Lessee shall not, without the prior written consent of the Lessor, part with the possession or control of, or suffer or allow to pass out of its possession or control, any of the Units, except to the extent permitted by the provisions of the immediately succeeding paragraph.

So long as the Lessee shall not be in default under this Lease or under the Security Documents in its capacity as guarantor or otherwise, the Lessee shall be entitled to the possession of the Units and to the use of the Units by it or any affiliate upon lines of railroad owned or operated by it or any such affiliate or upon lines of railroad over which the Lessee or any such affiliate has trackage or other operating rights or over which railroad equipment of the Lessee or any such affiliate is regularly operated pursuant to contract, and also to permit the use of the Units upon connecting and other carriers in the usual interchange of traffic or pursuant to run-through agreements, but only upon and subject to all the terms and conditions of this Lease and the Security Documents; *provided, however*, that the Lessee shall not assign or permit the assignment of any Unit to service involving the regular operation and maintenance thereof outside the United States of America. The Lessee may receive and retain compensation for such use from other railroads so using any of the Units.

Nothing in this § 12 shall be deemed to restrict the right of the Lessee to assign or transfer its leasehold interest under this Lease in the Units or possession of the Units to any railroad corporation incorporated under the laws of any state of the United States of America or the District of Columbia (which shall have duly assumed the obligations of the Lessee hereunder and under the Security Documents) into or with which the Lessee shall have become merged or consolidated or which shall have acquired the property of the Lessee as an entirety or substantially as an entirety, *provided* that such assignee or transferee will not, upon the effectiveness of such merger, consolidation or acquisition be in default under any provision of this Lease.

§ 13. *Purchase Option.* Provided that this Lease has not been earlier terminated and the Lessee is not in default hereunder, the Lessee may by written notice delivered to the Lessor not less than six months prior to the end of the term of this Lease elect to purchase at the end of such term all, but not fewer than all, the Units then covered by this Lease for a purchase price equal to the "Fair Market Value" of such Units as of the end of the term of this Lease.

Fair Market Value shall be determined on the basis of, and shall be equal in amount to, the value which would obtain in an arm's-length transaction between an informed and willing buyer-user (other than a lessee currently in possession and a used equipment dealer) and an informed and willing seller under no compulsion to sell and, in such determination, costs of removal from the location of current use shall not be a deduction from such value. If on or before four months prior to the expiration of the term of this Lease, the Lessor and the Lessee are unable to agree upon a determination of the Fair Market Value of the Units, such value shall be determined in accordance with the preceding definition by the Appraiser. The term Appraiser shall mean such independent appraiser as the Lessor may select with the approval of the Lessee, or failing such approved selection, a panel of three independent appraisers, one of whom shall be selected by the Lessor, the second by the Lessee and the third designated by the first two so selected. The Appraiser shall be instructed to make such determination within a period of 30 days following appointment, and shall promptly communicate such determination in writing to the Lessor and the Lessee. The determination so made shall be conclusively binding upon both Lessor and Lessee. The expenses and fee of the Appraiser shall be borne by the Lessee.

Notwithstanding the foregoing, if upon the expiration of the term of this Lease the Fair Market Value of the Units is less than 10% of the original Purchase Price of such Units, Lessor and Lessee agree that such deficiency shall be deemed to be caused directly by excessive use of the Units by Lessee, and Lessee shall compensate Lessor for such excessive use in accordance with the provisions of this § 13. If Lessee shall exercise its purchase option under this § 13 at the end of the term of this Lease, and the purchase price determined as aforesaid is less than 10% of the original Purchase Price, then Lessee shall pay to Lessor in cash, on the date when such purchase price is payable, an amount equal to the difference between

such purchase price and 10% of the original Purchase Price. If Lessee shall not exercise such purchase option and the Fair Market Value of the Units is less than 10% of the original Purchase Price of such Units, the Lessor may require the Lessee, and the Lessee agrees, to purchase the Units subject to this Lease at the end of the term of this Lease for a purchase price equal to 10% of the original Purchase Price of the Units.

Upon payment of the purchase price, the Lessor shall upon request of the Lessee execute and deliver to the Lessee, or to the Lessee's assignee or nominee, a bill of sale (without representations or warranties except that such Units are free and clear of all claims, liens, security interests and other encumbrances by or in favor of any person claiming by, through or under the Lessor other than claims, liens, security interests and other encumbrances arising from the Security Documents) for such Units and such other documents as may be required to release such Units, from the terms and scope of this Lease and to transfer title thereto to the Lessee or such assignee or nominee, in such form as may reasonably be requested by the Lessee, all at the Lessee's expense.

§ 14. *Return of Units upon Expiration of Term.* As soon as practicable on or after the expiration of the term of this Lease with respect to any Unit not purchased by the Lessee, the Lessee will, at its own cost and expense, at the request of the Lessor, deliver possession of such Unit to the Lessor upon such storage tracks of the Lessee as the Lessor may designate, or, in the absence of such designation, as the Lessee may select, and permit the Lessor to store such Unit on such tracks for a period not exceeding three months and transport the same, at any time within such three-month period, to any reasonable place on the lines of railroad operated by the Lessee, or to any connecting carrier for shipment, all as directed by the Lessor, the movement and storage of such Unit to be at the expense and risk of the Lessee. During any such storage period the Lessee will permit the Lessor or any person designated by it, including the authorized representative or representatives of any prospective purchaser of such Unit, to inspect the same; *provided, however,* that the Lessee shall not be liable, except in the case of negligence of the Lessee or of its employees or agents, for any injury to, or the death of, any person exercising, either on behalf of the Lessor or any prospective purchaser, the rights of inspection granted under this sentence. The assembling, delivery, storage and transporting of the Units as hereinbefore provided are of the essence of this Lease, and upon application to any court of equity having jurisdiction in the premises, the Lessor shall be entitled to a

decree against the Lessee requiring specific performance of the covenants of the Lessee so to assemble, deliver, store and transport the Units. Each Unit returned to the Lessor pursuant to this § 14 shall (i) be in the same operating order, repair and condition as when originally delivered to the Lessee, reasonable wear and tear excepted, and (ii) meet the standards then in effect under the Interchange Rules of the Association of American Railroads and/or the applicable rules of any governmental agency or other organization with jurisdiction. If the Lessor shall elect to abandon any Unit which has suffered a Casualty Occurrence or which after the expiration of this Lease the Lessor shall have deemed to have suffered a Casualty Occurrence, it may deliver written notice to such effect to the Lessee and the Lessee shall thereupon assume and hold the Lessor harmless from all liability arising in respect of any responsibility of ownership thereof, from and after receipt of such notice. The Lessor shall execute and deliver to the Lessee a bill of sale or bills of sale transferring to the Lessee, or upon its order, the Lessor's title to and property in any Unit abandoned by it pursuant to the immediately preceding sentence. The Lessee shall have no liability to the Lessor in respect of any Unit abandoned by the Lessor after termination of the Lease; *provided, however*, that the foregoing clause shall not in any way effect the survival of the indemnities of the Lessee under this Lease which continue after the termination of this Lease or relieve the Lessee of its obligations pursuant to § 7 hereof to make payments equal to the Casualty Value of any Unit experiencing a Casualty Occurrence while this Lease is in effect.

§ 15. *Opinion of Counsel.* On each Closing Date the Lessee will deliver to the Lessor two counterparts of the written opinion of counsel for the Lessee, addressed to the Lessor and the Vendor, in scope and substance satisfactory to the Lessor, the Vendor and their respective counsel, to the effect that:

A. the Lessee is a corporation legally incorporated, validly existing and in good standing under the laws of its state of incorporation (specifying the same) with adequate corporate power to own its properties and to carry on its business as now conducted, and to enter into the Security Documents and this Lease;

B. the Security Documents and this Lease have been duly authorized, executed and delivered by the Lessee and constitute legal, valid and binding agreements of the Lessee, enforceable in accordance with their respective terms;

C. the Security Documents (and any assignment thereof) and this Lease (and any assignment hereof) have been duly filed and recorded with the Interstate Commerce Commission pursuant to Section 20c of the Interstate Commerce Act and such filing and recordation will protect the Vendor's and the Lessor's interests in and to the Units and no filing, recording or deposit (or giving of notice) with any other federal, state or local government or agency thereof is necessary in order to protect the interests of the Vendor or the Lessor in and to the Units in the United States of America;

D. no approval is required from any public regulatory body with respect to the entering into or performance of the Security Documents or this Lease;

E. the entering into and performance of the Security Documents or this Lease will not result in any breach of, or constitute a default under, any indenture, mortgage, deed of trust, bank loan or credit agreement or other agreement or instrument to which the Lessee is a party or by which it may be bound; and

F. no mortgage, deed of trust, or other lien of any nature whatsoever which now covers or affects, or which may hereafter cover or affect, any property or interests therein of the Lessee, now attaches or hereafter will attach to the Units or in any manner affects or will affect adversely the Vendor's or Lessor's right, title and interest therein; *provided, however*, that such liens may attach to the leasehold interest of the Lessee hereunder in and to the Units.

§ 16. *Recording.* The Lessee, at its own expense, will cause this Lease, the Security Documents and any assignment hereof or thereof to be filed and recorded with the Interstate Commerce Commission in accordance with Section 20c of the Interstate Commerce Act. The Lessee will undertake the filing, registering, deposit, and recording required of the Lessor under the Security Documents and will from time to time do and perform any other act and will execute, acknowledge, deliver, file, register, record (and will refile, re-register, deposit and redeposit or re-record whenever required) any and all further instruments required by law or reasonably requested by the Lessor or the Vendor for the purpose of proper protection, to their satisfaction, of the Vendor's and the Lessor's respective interests in the Units, or for the purpose of carrying out the intention of this Lease, the Security Documents or the assignment thereof to the Vendor; and the Lessee

will promptly furnish to the Vendor and the Lessor evidences of all such filing, registering, depositing or recording, and an opinion or opinions of counsel for the Lessee with respect thereto satisfactory to the Vendor and the Lessor. This Lease and the Security Documents shall be filed and recorded with the Interstate Commerce Commission prior to the delivery and acceptance hereunder of any Unit.

§ 17. *Income Taxes.* As each Unit is accepted as provided in Section 2 hereof, the Lessor shall thereupon be treated the Owner of the Unit for purposes of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, as amended to the date hereof (the "Code"), the New York State Franchise Tax Law and the New York City Franchise Tax (collectively with the Code, the "Tax Laws") and a lessor under a true lease. As Owner of the Units, Lessor shall be entitled to such deductions, credits and other benefits as are provided by the Tax Laws to an owner of tangible personal property, including without limitation, deductions for depreciation of the property, deductions with respect to interest payable under the Security Documents (the "Interest Deductions"), and the investment tax credit provided by Section 38 (the "Investment Credit") and related sections of the Code computed at a rate of 7% with respect to the Purchase Price of the Units. The deductions for depreciation may be taken under the asset depreciation range system (the "ADR Deduction") on a cost basis equal to the Purchase Price using one or more accelerated methods described in Section 167(b), under asset guideline class 00.25, over a lower limit depreciation period of 12 years, to a salvage value (after application of Section 167(f)) of zero. Federal, New York State and New York City income or franchise taxes may be computed on the basis of a consolidated or combined return with an affiliated group that includes a bank.

The Lessee agrees that neither it nor any corporation controlled by it, in control of it, or under common control with it, directly or indirectly, will at any time take any action or file any returns or other documents inconsistent with the foregoing and that each of such corporations will file such returns, take such actions and execute such documents as may be reasonable and necessary to facilitate accomplishment of the intent hereof.

Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in § 12 hereof or in any other documents pertaining to this Lease, the Lessee represents and warrants that (i) all the Units constitute property the full Purchase Price of which qualifies for the Investment Credit under section 50 of the Code; (ii)

at the time the Lessor becomes the owner of the Units, the Units will constitute "new section 38 property" within the meaning of section 48(b) of the Code and at the time the Lessor becomes the owner of the Units, the Units will not have been used by any person so as to preclude "the original use of such property" within the meaning of sections 48(b) and 167(c)(2) of the Code from commencing with the Lessor; (iii) at all times during the term of this Lease, each Unit will constitute "section 38 property" within the meaning of section 48(a) of the Code, will not be used predominantly outside the United States within the meaning of said section 48(a) (or any exception thereto) and will be used by railroad companies; (iv) the Lessee will maintain sufficient records to verify such use; and (v) upon request of the Lessor, the Lessee will provide written reports establishing such use.

If for any reason (including the inaccuracy in law or in fact of the representations and warranties set forth in the preceding paragraph or any act or omission of the Lessee or the inaccuracy of any statement in any letter or document furnished to the Lessor by the Lessee in connection with any application for ruling of the Internal Revenue Service or otherwise) the Lessor shall lose, or shall not have, or shall lose the right to claim, or shall suffer a disallowance of or shall be required to recapture (any such event being hereinafter called a Loss), all or any portion of the Investment Credit, the ADR Deduction, or the Interest Deduction with respect to all or part of any Unit, then at the option of the Lessee on the rental payment date next succeeding written notice to the Lessee by the Lessor of such fact (such option to be elected by written notice to the Lessor on or before such rental payment date), (x) the rentals for the Units set forth in §3 hereof shall be increased to such amount or amounts as shall, in the reasonable opinion of the Lessor, cause the Lessor's annual net after-tax cash flows to equal the annual net after-tax cash flows that would have been realized by the Lessor if the Lessor had been entitled to utilize all the Investment Credit, the ADR Deduction and the Interest Deduction, and the Lessee shall forthwith pay to the Lessor as additional rental the amount of any interest and/or penalties which may be assessed by the United States of America against the Lessor attributable to the loss of all or such portion of the Investment Credit, the ADR Deduction or Interest Deduction or (y) the Lessee shall pay to the Lessor an amount equal to the present value of the difference between the rentals set forth in §3 hereof and the rentals as increased by the preceding clause (x), such present value to be computed on the basis of a 6.29% per annum discount, compounded semi-annually, and the Lessee shall forthwith

pay to the Lessor as additional rental the amount of any interest and/or penalties which may be assessed by the United States of America, the State of New York and the City of New York against the Lessor attributable to the loss of all or such portion of the Investment Credit, the ADR Deduction or Interest Deduction.

Notwithstanding the provisions of the fourth paragraph of this §17, the payments under (x) or (y) thereof need not be made if the Lessor shall have lost, or shall not have, or shall have lost the right to claim, or shall have suffered a disallowance of, or shall have been required to recapture all or any portion of the Investment Credit, the ADR Deduction or the Interest Deduction with respect to all or part of such Unit as a direct result of the occurrence of any of the following events:

(i) a Casualty Occurrence with respect to such Unit, if the Lessee shall have paid to the Lessor the amounts stipulated under §7 hereof;

(ii) a voluntary transfer or other voluntary disposition by the Lessor of any interest in such Unit or the voluntary reduction by the Lessor of its interest in the rentals from such Unit under this Lease (except pursuant to or assignment of this Lease to the Vendor), unless, in each case, an Event of Default shall have occurred and be continuing at the time of such disposition;

(iii) the failure of the Lessor to claim in a timely manner the Investment Credit, the ADR Deduction or the Interest Deduction; or

(iv) the failure of the Lessor to have sufficient liability for Federal income tax against which to credit such Investment Credit or sufficient income to benefit from the ADR Deduction or the Interest Deduction, as applicable.

In the event of any sale or other disposition of any Unit (other than a sale or disposition described in subparagraphs (i) or (ii) of the preceding paragraph), the Lessee shall indemnify the Lessor in such amount as will, after taking account of all taxes imposed with respect to the receipt thereof, be equal to any additional income taxes incurred, or income tax benefits lost, by reason of such sale, exchange or other disposition of any Unit or portion thereof resulting in a loss to the Lessor which is not deductible in full as an ordinary loss for federal income tax purposes.

In the event the rental rates shall be adjusted as hereinbefore provided, the Casualty Values set forth in §7 hereof and the damages and amounts set forth in subparagraph (b) of §10 hereof shall be adjusted accordingly.

If on or before December 31, 1975, the Internal Revenue Service for any reason whatsoever shall not have issued to the Lessor, upon a request by it, a favorable tax ruling to the effect that: (i) this Lease constitutes a true lease and the Lessor will be treated as owner of the Units; (ii) the Lessor is entitled to the Interest Deduction in computing its taxable income; (iii) the Lessor is entitled to the Investment Credit in respect of 100% of the Purchase Price of the Units; (iv) the Lessor is entitled to the ADR Deduction in respect of 100% of the Purchase Price of the Units; and (v) the payments to be paid by the Lessee under this Lease for the use of the Units constitute rent and are deductible by the Lessee pursuant to Section 162(a)(3) of the Code or if prior to December 31, 1975 such ruling is denied, then in either event, the Lessee shall, in respect of all Units delivered hereunder and settled for under the Security Documents (excluding any Units for which payment in respect of a Casualty Occurrence has been made), on the next succeeding rental payment date following the earlier of December 31, 1975 or the date such ruling is denied, at the option of the Lessor, purchase the interest of the Lessor in such Units and in payment therefor assume and agree to discharge the Lessor's obligations relating to such Units under the Security Documents (without regard to the limitations set forth in the last paragraph of Article 4 and Article 23 of the Security Documents) and shall pay to the Lessor an amount equal to rental payable on such rental payment date plus the aggregate Casualty Value of such Units, less the unpaid Conditional Sale Indebtedness (as defined in the Security Documents) in respect thereof, determined as of such date plus all fees or expenses paid or incurred by the Lessor in respect of this transaction.

§ 18. *Interest on Overdue Rentals.* Anything to the contrary herein contained notwithstanding, any nonpayment of rentals and other obligations due hereunder shall result in the obligation on the part of the Lessee promptly to pay, to the extent legally enforceable, an amount equal to 11 $\frac{7}{8}$ % per annum of the overdue rentals and other obligations for the period of time during which they are overdue or such lesser amount as may be legally enforceable.

§ 19. *Notices.* Any notice required or permitted to be given by either party hereto to the other shall be deemed to have been given when mailed, first-class certified, addressed as follows:

(a) if to the Lessor, One Chase Manhattan Plaza, New York, New York 10015, attention of Administrative Assistant, and

(b) if to the Lessee, at Missouri Pacific Building, St. Louis, Missouri 63103 attention of D. J. Maurer, Treasurer.

or addressed to either party at such other address as such party shall hereafter furnish to the other party in writing.

§ 20. *Severability; Effect and Modification of Lease.* Any provision of this Lease which is prohibited or unenforceable in any jurisdiction, shall be, as to such jurisdiction, ineffective to the extent of such prohibition or unenforceability without invalidating the remaining provisions hereof, and any such prohibition or unenforceability in any jurisdiction shall not invalidate or render unenforceable such provision in any other jurisdiction.

This Lease exclusively and completely states the rights of the Lessor and the Lessee with respect to the leasing of the Units and supersedes all other agreements, oral or written, with respect thereto. No variation or modification of this Lease and no waiver of any of its provisions or conditions shall be valid unless in writing and signed by duly authorized signatories for the Lessor and the Lessee.

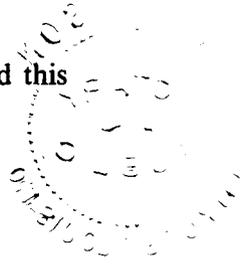
§ 21. *Execution.* This Lease may be executed in several counterparts, such counterparts together constituting but one and the same instrument, but the counterpart delivered to the Vendor shall be deemed to be the original counterpart. Although for convenience this Lease is dated as of the date first set forth above, 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.

§ 22. *Law Governing.* The terms of this Lease and all rights and obligations hereunder shall be governed by the laws of the State of Missouri; *provided, however,* that the parties shall be entitled to all rights conferred by Section 20c of the Interstate Commerce Act.

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

MISSOURI PACIFIC RAILROAD COMPANY

by M. M. Henney
Vice President



[CORPORATE SEAL]

Attest:

[Signature]
Assistant Secretary

CHASE MANHATTAN SERVICE CORPORATION

by C. Rogers Childs, Jr.
Vice President

[CORPORATE SEAL]

Attest:

[Signature]



STATE OF MISSOURI }
COUNTY OF ST. LOUIS } ss.:

On this ^{18th} day of September 1974, before me personally appeared M. M. HENNELLY, to me personally known, who, being by me duly sworn, says that he is a Vice President of MISSOURI PACIFIC RAILROAD 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.

R. C. Mason
Notary Public

[NOTARIAL SEAL]
My Commission expires *Sept 28, 1974* R. C. MASON
NOTARY PUBLIC, CITY OF ST. LOUIS, MO.

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

On this ^{20th} day of September, before me personally appeared C. Rogers Childs, Jr., to me personally known, who, being by me duly sworn, says that he is a Vice President of CHASE MANHATTAN SERVICE CORPORATION, that one of the seals affixed to the foregoing instrument is the 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.

Albert F. Marcellino
Notary Public

[NOTARIAL SEAL]
My Commission expires

ALBERT F. MARCELLINO
Notary Public, State of New York
No. 43-2519700
Qualified in Richmond County
Certificate filed in New York County
Commission Expires March 30, 1975

**Schedule A
to Lease**

<u>Type</u>	<u>Quantity</u>	<u>Lessee's Road Numbers (Both Inclusive)</u>
GP 38-2 2,000 H.P. General Motors Diesel Electric Locomotive	10	2111-2120
MP 15 1,500 H.P. General Motors Diesel Electric Locomotive	10	1535-1544
U233 2,250 H.P. General Electric Diesel Electric Locomotive	11	2257-2267