### **UNITED STATES** SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

#### **CURRENT REPORT**

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): September 23, 2009

# SONIC AUTOMOTIVE, INC. (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

1-13395 (Commission File Number)

56-201079 (IRS Employer Identification No.)

6415 Idlewild Road, Suite 109 Charlotte, North Carolina (Address of principal executive offices)

28212 (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (704) 566-2400

N/A (Former name or former address, if changed since last report.)

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	Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))		

#### Item 1.01. Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement

On September 23, 2009, Sonic Automotive, Inc. ("Sonic") sold \$172.5 million aggregate principal amount of convertible senior notes due 2029 (the "Notes") pursuant to the terms of a previously disclosed underwriting agreement. The Notes were issued under the terms of an Indenture dated as of September 23, 2009 by and among Sonic, the guarantors named therein, and U.S. Bank National Association, as trustee (the "Base Indenture") and the First Supplemental Indenture dated as of September 23, 2009 to the Base Indenture between Sonic and the Trustee (the Supplemental Indenture" and together with the Base Indenture, the "Indenture").

The Notes are unsecured senior obligations of Sonic and are not guaranteed by Sonic's subsidiaries. The Notes bear interest at an annual rate of 5.0%, which is payable semi-annually on April 1 and October 1 each year (beginning on April 1, 2010), until maturity on October 1, 2029 or earlier redemption, conversion or repurchase. Sonic will be required to pay additional interest in respect of the Notes under specified circumstances.

The Notes will be convertible, under certain circumstances, into cash, shares of Sonic Automotive Class A common stock, or a combination of cash and shares of Sonic Class A common stock, at the option of Sonic, at an initial conversion rate of 74.7245 shares of Class A common stock per \$1,000 principal amount of Notes, which is equivalent to an initial conversion price of approximately \$13.38 per share of Class A common stock. The conversion rate will be subject to adjustment in some circumstances.

Holders may convert their Notes at their option prior to the close of business on the business day immediately preceding July 1, 2029 only under the following circumstances: (1) during any fiscal quarter commencing after December 31, 2009, if the last reported sale price of Sonic's Class A common stock for at least 20 trading days (whether or not consecutive) during a period of 30 consecutive trading days ending on the last trading day of the preceding fiscal quarter is greater than or equal to 130% of the applicable conversion price on each applicable trading day; (2) during the five business day period after any 10 consecutive trading day period (the "measurement period") in which the trading price (as defined below) per \$1,000 principal amount of Notes for each day of that measurement period was less than 98% of the product of the last reported sale price of Sonic's Class A common stock and the applicable conversion rate on each such day; (3) if we call any or all of the Notes for redemption, at any time prior to the close of business on the third scheduled trading day prior to the redemption date; or (4) upon the occurrence of specified corporate events. On and after July 1, 2029 to (and including) the close of business on the third scheduled trading day immediately preceding the maturity date, holders may convert their Notes at any time, regardless of the foregoing circumstances.

Sonic may not redeem the Notes prior to October 1, 2014. On or after October 1, 2014 and prior to the maturity date, Sonic may redeem for cash all or part of the Notes at 100% of the principal amount of the Notes to be redeemed, plus accrued and unpaid interest, including any additional interest, to but excluding the redemption date.

Holders of the Notes may require Sonic to repurchase the Notes on October 1, 2014, October 1, 2019 and October 1, 2024 for cash at a purchase price equal to 100% of the principal amount thereof to be repurchased plus accrued and unpaid interest. In addition, holders of the Notes may require Sonic to repurchase all or a portion of their Notes upon a fundamental change at a cash purchase price equal to 100% of the principal amount thereof to be repurchased plus accrued and unpaid interest to, but excluding, the fundamental change purchase date.

Sonic's obligations under the Notes may be accelerated by the holders of 25% of the outstanding principal amount of the Notes then outstanding if certain events of default occur, including: (1) defaults in the payment of principal or interest when due; (2) defaults in the satisfaction of obligations upon conversion, optional redemption or any required repurchase of the Notes; (3) defaults in the performance, or breach, of Sonic's covenants under the Notes; (4) certain defaults under other agreements under which Sonic or its subsidiaries have outstanding indebtedness in excess of \$35 million; and (5) certain bankruptcy, insolvency or reorganization events.

The foregoing summaries of documents described above are qualified in their entirety by reference to the actual documents, which are filed as exhibits hereto.

#### Item 2.03 Creation of a Direct Financial Obligation or an Obligation under an Off-Balance Sheet Arrangement of a Registrant.

The disclosure required by this item and included in Item 1.01 is incorporated by reference.

#### Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

- (d) Exhibits.
  - 4.1 Indenture dated as of September 23, 2009 by and among Sonic Automotive, Inc, the guarantors named therein, and U.S. Bank National Association, as trustee.
  - 4.2 First Supplemental Indenture dated as of September 23, 2009 to the Base Indenture between Sonic and the Trustee (the Supplemental Indenture" and together with the Base Indenture, the "Indenture").
  - 4.3 Form of 5.0% Convertible Senior Note due 2029 (included in Exhibit 4.2).

#### SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

SONIC AUTOMOTIVE, INC.

By: /s/ Stephen K. Coss

Stephen K. Coss Senior Vice President and General Counsel

Dated: September 25, 2009

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Sonic Automotive, Inc., as Issuer

and

The Subsidiary Guarantors named herein, as Subsidiary Guarantors

to

U.S. Bank National Association, As Trustee

SENIOR INDENTURE

Dated as of September 23, 2009

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#### SONIC AUTOMOTIVE INC.

### CERTAIN SECTIONS OF THIS INDENTURE RELATING TO SECTIONS 310 THROUGH 318, INCLUSIVE, OF THE TRUST INDENTURE ACT OF 1939:

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NOTE: This reconciliation and tie shall not, for any purpose, be deemed to be a part of the Indenture.

TRUST INDENTURE

INDENTURE, dated as of September 23, 2009, among Sonic Automotive, Inc., a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware (herein called the "Company"), having its principal office at 6415 Idlewild Road, Suite 109, Charlotte, North Carolina 28212, each of the Guarantors (as hereinafter defined) and U.S. Bank National Association, as Trustee (the "Trustee").

#### RECITALS OF THE COMPANY AND THE GUARANTORS

The Company has duly authorized the execution and delivery of this Indenture to provide for the issuance from time to time of its unsecured debentures, notes or other evidences of indebtedness (herein called the "Securities"), to be issued in one or more series as in this Indenture provided.

Each Guarantor has duly authorized the issuance of a guarantee of the Securities, and to provide therefore, each guarantor has duly authorized the execution and delivery of this Indenture to provide for its guarantee of the Securities to the extent provided in or pursuant to this Indenture.

This Indenture is subject to, and shall be governed by, the provisions of the Trust Indenture Act that are required to be part of and to govern indentures qualified under the Trust Indenture Act.

All acts and things necessary have been done to make (i) the Securities, when duly issued and executed by the Company and authenticated and delivered hereunder, the valid obligations of the Company, (ii) the guarantees, when executed by each of the Guarantors and delivered hereunder, the valid obligation of each of the Guarantors and (iii) this Indenture a valid agreement of the Company and each of the Guarantors in accordance with the terms of this Indenture.

#### NOW, THEREFORE, THIS INDENTURE WITNESSETH:

For and in consideration of the premises and the purchase of the Securities by the Holders thereof, it is mutually covenanted and agreed, for the equal and proportionate benefit of all Holders of the Securities or of series thereof, as follows:

#### ARTICLE ONE

#### DEFINITIONS AND OTHER PROVISIONS OF GENERAL APPLICATION

SECTION 101. Definitions.

For all purposes of this Indenture, except as otherwise expressly provided herein or in any supplemental indenture or unless the context otherwise requires:

- (1) the terms defined in this Article have the meanings assigned to them in this Article and include the plural as well as the singular;
- (2) all other terms used herein which are defined in the Trust Indenture Act, either directly or by reference therein, have the meanings assigned to them therein;
- (3) all accounting terms not otherwise defined herein have the meanings assigned to them in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles;
- (4) all references to \$, US\$, dollars or United States dollars shall refer to the lawful currency of the United States of America;
- (5) unless the context otherwise requires, any reference to an "Article" or a "Section" refers to an Article or a Section, as the case may be, of this Indenture; and
- (6) the words "herein," "hereof" and "hereunder" and other words of similar import refer to this Indenture as a whole and not to any particular Article, Section or other subdivision.
- "Act," when used with respect to any Holder, has the meaning specified in Section 104.

"Affiliate" means, with respect to any specified Person: (i) any other Person directly or indirectly controlling or controlled by or under direct or indirect common control with such specified Person; (ii) any other Person that owns, directly or indirectly, 5% or more of such specified Person's Capital Stock or any officer or director of any such specified Person or other Person or, with respect to any natural Person, any person having a relationship with such Person by blood, marriage or adoption not more remote than first cousin; or (iii) any other Person 5% or more of the Voting Stock of which is beneficially owned or held directly or indirectly by such specified Person. For the purposes of this definition, "control" when used with respect to any specified Person means the power to direct the management and policies of such Person, directly or indirectly, whether through the ownership of voting securities, by contract or otherwise; and the terms "controlling" and "controlled" have meanings correlative to the foregoing.

"Authenticating Agent" means any Person authorized by the Trustee pursuant to Section 614 to act on behalf of the Trustee to authenticate Securities of one or more series.

"Board of Directors" means, with respect to the Company, either the board of directors of the Company or any committee of that board duly authorized to act for it in respect hereof, and with respect to any Guarantor, either the board of directors of such Guarantor or any committee of that board duly authorized to act for it in respect hereof.

"Board Resolution" means, with respect to the Company or a Guarantor, a copy of a resolution certified by the Secretary or an Assistant Secretary of the Company or such Guarantor, as the case may be, to have been duly adopted by its Board of Directors and to be in full force and effect on the date of such certification, and delivered to the Trustee.

"Business Day," when used with respect to any Place of Payment, means each Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday that is not a day on which banking institutions or trust companies in that Place of Payment are authorized or obligated by law, regulation or executive order to close.

"Capital Lease Obligation" of any Person means any obligation of such Person and its Subsidiaries on a consolidated basis under any capital lease of real or personal property which, in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles, has been recorded as a capitalized lease obligation.

"Capital Stock" of any Person means any and all shares, interests, participations or other equivalents (however designated) of such Person's capital stock or other equity interests whether now outstanding or issued after the date hereof, partnership interests (whether general or limited), any other interest or participation that confers on a Person that right to receive a share of the profits and losses of, or distributions of assets of (other than a distribution in respect of Indebtedness), the issuing Person and any rights (other than debt securities convertible into Capital Stock), warrants or options exchangeable for or convertible into such Capital Stock.

"Commission" means the Securities and Exchange Commission, as from time to time constituted, created under the Exchange Act, or, if at any time after the execution of this instrument such Commission is not existing and performing the duties now assigned to it under the Securities Act, Exchange Act and Trust Indenture Act, then the body performing such duties at such time.

"Commodity Price Protection Agreement" means any forward contract, commodity swap, commodity option or other similar financial agreement or arrangement relating to, or the value, which is dependent upon, fluctuations in commodity prices.

"Company" means the Person named as the "Company" in the first paragraph of this instrument until a successor Person shall have become such pursuant to the applicable provisions of this Indenture, and thereafter "Company" shall mean such successor Person.

"Company Request" or "Company Order" means a written request or order signed in the name of the Company by its Chairman of the Board, its President, its Chief Executive Officer, its Chief Financial Officer or a Vice President (regardless of Vice Presidential designation), and by any one of its Treasurer, an Assistant Treasurer, its Secretary or an Assistant Secretary, and delivered to the Trustee.

"Corporate Trust Office" means the office of the Trustee or an Affiliate or agent thereof at which at any particular time the corporate trust business for the purposes of this Indenture shall be principally administered, which office at the date of execution of this Indenture is located at 108 East 5th Street, St. Paul, Minnesota 55101, Attn: Corporate Trust Department.

"Corporation" means a corporation, association, company, joint-stock company or business trust.

- "Covenant Defeasance" has the meaning specified in Section 1503.
- "Currency Hedging Agreements" means one or more of the following agreements which shall be entered into by one or more financial institutions: foreign exchange contracts, currency swap agreements or other similar agreements or arrangements designed to protect against the fluctuations in currency values.
  - "Default" means any event which is, or after notice or passage of any time or both would be, an Event of Default.
  - "Defaulted Interest" has the meaning specified in Section 307.
  - "Defeasance" has the meaning specified in Section 1502.
  - "Defeasance Redemption Date" has the meaning specified in Section 1504.
  - "Defeased Securities" has the meaning specified in Section 1501.
- "Depositary" means, with respect to Securities of any series issuable in whole or in part in the form of one or more Global Securities, a clearing agency registered under the Exchange Act that is designated to act as Depositary for such Securities as contemplated by Section 301.
  - "Event of Default" has the meaning specified in Section 501.
- "Exchange Act" means the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and any statute successor thereto, in each case as amended from time to time, and the rules and regulations promulgated by the Commission thereunder.
- "Fair Market Value" means, with respect to any asset or property, the sale value that would be obtained in an arm's-length free market transaction between an informed and willing seller under no compulsion to sell and an informed and willing buyer under no compulsion to buy. Fair Market Value shall be determined by the Board of Directors of the Company acting in good faith and shall be evidenced by a Board Resolution.
- "Global Security" means a Security that evidences all or part of the Securities of any series and bears the legend set forth in Section 205 (or such legend as may be specified as contemplated by Section 301 for such Securities).
- "Guaranteed Debt" of any Person means, without duplication, all Indebtedness of any other Person referred to in the definition of Indebtedness below guaranteed directly or indirectly in any manner by such Person, or in effect guaranteed directly or indirectly by such Person through an agreement (i) to pay or purchase such Indebtedness or to advance or supply funds for the payment or purchase of such Indebtedness, (ii) to purchase, sell or lease (as lessee or lessor) property, or to purchase or sell services, primarily for the purpose of enabling the debtor to make payment of such Indebtedness or to assure the holder of such Indebtedness against loss, (iii) to supply funds to, or in any other manner invest in, the debtor (including any agreement to pay for

property or services without requiring that such property be received or such services be rendered), (iv) to maintain working capital or equity capital of the debtor, or otherwise to maintain the net worth, solvency or other financial condition of the debtor or to cause such debtor to achieve certain levels of financial performance or (v) otherwise to assure a creditor against loss; provided that the term "guarantee" shall not include endorsements for collection or deposit, in either case in the ordinary course of business.

"Guarantors" means (i) the subsidiaries listed in Schedule I hereto; (ii) any successor of the foregoing; and (iii) each other Subsidiary of the Company that becomes a Guarantor in accordance with Section 1305 hereof; in each case (i), (ii) and (iii) until such Guarantor ceases to be such in accordance with Section 1304 hereof.

"Holder" means a Person in whose name a Security is registered in the Security Register.

"Indebtedness" or "Debt" means, with respect to any Person, without duplication, (i) all indebtedness of such Person for borrowed money or for the deferred purchase price of property or services, excluding any trade payables and other accrued current liabilities arising in the ordinary course of business, but including, without limitation, all obligations, contingent or otherwise, of such Person in connection with any letters of credit issued under letter of credit facilities, acceptance facilities or other similar facilities, (ii) all obligations of such Person evidenced by bonds, notes, debentures or other similar instruments, (iii) all indebtedness created or arising under any conditional sale or other title retention agreement with respect to property acquired by such Person (even if the rights and remedies of the seller or lender under such agreement in the event of default are limited to repossession or sale of such property), but excluding trade payables arising in the ordinary course of business, (iv) all obligations of such Person under Interest Rate Agreements, Currency Hedging Agreements or Commodity Price Protection Agreements of such Person, (v) all Capital Lease Obligations of such Person, (vi) all Indebtedness referred to in clauses (i) through (v) above of other Persons and all dividends of other Persons, the payment of which is secured by (or for which the holder of such Indebtedness has an existing right, contingent or otherwise, to be secured by) any Lien, upon or with respect to property (including, without limitation, accounts and contract rights) owned by such Person, even though such Person has not assumed or become liable for the payment of such Indebtedness, (vii) all Guaranteed Debt of such Person, (viii) all Redeemable Capital Stock issued by such Person valued at the greater of its voluntary or involuntary maximum fixed repurchase price plus accrued and unpaid dividends, (ix) Preferred Stock of any Significant Subsidiary of the Company which is not a Guarantor and (x) any amendment, supplement, modification, deferral, renewal, extension, refunding or refinancing of any liability of the types referred to in clauses (i) through (ix) above. For purposes hereof, the "maximum fixed repurchase price" of any Redeemable Capital Stock which does not have a fixed repurchase price shall be calculated in accordance with the terms of such Redeemable Capital Stock as if such Redeemable Capital Stock were purchased on any date on which Indebtedness shall be required to be determined pursuant to this Indenture, and if such price is based upon, or measured by, the Fair Market Value of such Redeemable Capital Stock, such Fair Market Value to be determined in good faith by the board of directors of the issuer of such Redeemable Capital Stock.

"Indenture" means this instrument as originally executed and as it may from time to time be supplemented or amended by one or more indentures supplemental hereto entered into pursuant to the applicable provisions. The term "Indenture" shall also include the terms of particular series of Securities established as contemplated by Section 301.

"Initial Period" has the meaning specified in Section 1204.

"Interest," when used with respect to an Original Issue Discount Security which by its terms bears interest only after Maturity, means interest payable after Maturity.

"Interest Payment Date," when used with respect to any Security, means the Stated Maturity of an installment of interest on such Security.

"Interest Rate Agreements" means one or more of the following agreements which shall be entered into by one or more financial institutions: interest rate protection agreements (including, without limitation, interest rate swaps, caps, floors, collars and similar agreements) and/or other types of interest rate hedging agreements from time to time.

"Investment Company Act" means the Investment Company Act of 1940 and any statute successor thereto, in each case as amended from time to time.

"Lien" means any mortgage or deed of trust, charge, pledge, lien (statutory or otherwise), privilege, security interest, assignment, deposit, arrangement, easement, hypothecation, claim, preference, priority or other encumbrance upon or with respect to any property of any kind (including any conditional sale, capital lease or other title retention agreement, any leases in the nature thereof, and any agreement to give any security interest), real or personal, movable or immovable, now owned or hereafter acquired. A Person will be deemed to own subject to a Lien any property which it has acquired or holds subject to the interest of a vendor or lessor under any conditional sale agreement, Capital Lease Obligation or other title retention agreement.

"Maturity," when used with respect to any Security, means the date on which the principal of such Security or an installment of principal becomes due and payable as therein or herein provided, whether at the Stated Maturity or by declaration of acceleration, call for redemption or otherwise.

"Notice of Default" means a written notice of the kind specified in Section 501(4).

"Officers' Certificate" means a certificate signed by the Chairman of the Board, the President, the Chief Executive Officer, the Chief Financial Officer or a Vice President (regardless of Vice Presidential designation), and by the Treasurer, an Assistant Treasurer, the Secretary or an Assistant Secretary, of the Company or a Guarantor, as the case may be, and in form and substance reasonably satisfactory to, and delivered to, the Trustee.

"Opinion of Counsel" means, as to the Company or a Guarantor, a written opinion of counsel, who may be counsel for the Company or such Guarantor, as the case may be, and who shall be acceptable to the Trustee.

"Opinion of Independent Counsel" means a written opinion of counsel which is issued by a Person who is not an employee, director or consultant (other than non-employee legal counsel) of the Company or any Guarantor and who shall be acceptable to the Trustee, and which opinion shall be in form and substance reasonably satisfactory to the Trustee.

"Original Issue Discount Security" means any Security which provides for an amount less than the principal amount thereof to be due and payable upon a declaration of acceleration of the Maturity thereof pursuant to Section 502.

"Outstanding," when used with respect to Securities, means, as of the date of determination, all Securities theretofore authenticated and delivered under this Indenture, except:

- (1) Securities theretofore cancelled by the Trustee or delivered to the Trustee for cancellation;
- (2) Securities, or portions thereof, for whose payment or redemption money in the necessary amount has been theretofore deposited with the Trustee or any Paying Agent (other than the Company or an Affiliate thereof) in trust or set aside and segregated in trust by the Company or an Affiliate thereof (if the Company or an Affiliate thereof shall act as its own Paying Agent) for the Holders of such Securities; provided that, if such Securities are to be redeemed, notice of such redemption has been duly given pursuant to this Indenture or provision therefor reasonably satisfactory to the Trustee has been made;
- (3) Securities, to the extent provided in Sections 1502 and 1503, with respect to which the Company has effected Defeasance or Covenant Defeasance as provided in Article Fifteen; and
- (4) Securities in exchange for or in lieu of which other Securities have been authenticated and delivered pursuant to this Indenture, other than any such Securities in respect of which there shall have been presented to the Trustee and the Company proof satisfactory to each of them that such Securities are held by a bona fide purchaser in whose hands such Securities are valid obligations of the Company;

provided, however, that in determining whether the Holders of the requisite principal amount of the Outstanding Securities have given, made or taken any request, demand, authorization, direction, notice, consent, waiver or other action hereunder as of any date, (A) the principal amount of an Original Issue Discount Security which shall be deemed to be Outstanding shall be the amount of the principal thereof which would be due and payable as of such date upon acceleration of the Maturity thereof to such date pursuant to Section 502, (B) if, as of such date, the principal amount payable at the Stated Maturity of a Security is not determinable, the principal amount of such Security which shall be deemed to be Outstanding shall be the amount as specified or determined as contemplated by Section 301, (C) the principal amount of a Security denominated in one or more foreign currencies or currency units which shall be deemed to be Outstanding shall be the U.S. dollar equivalent, determined as of such date in the manner

provided as contemplated by Section 301, of the principal amount of such Security (or, in the case of a Security described in Clause (A) or (B) above, of the amount determined as provided in such Clause), and (D) Securities owned by the Company, any Guarantor or any other obligor upon the Securities or any Affiliate of the Company, any Guarantor or of such other obligor shall be disregarded and deemed not to be Outstanding, except that, in determining whether the Trustee shall be protected in relying upon any such request, demand, authorization, direction, notice, consent, waiver or other action, only Securities which the Trustee knows to be so owned shall be so disregarded. Securities so owned which have been pledged in good faith may be regarded as Outstanding if the pledgee establishes to the satisfaction of the Trustee the pledgee's right so to act with respect to such Securities and that the pledgee is not the Company, a Guarantor or any other obligor upon the Securities or any Affiliate of the Company, a Guarantor or of such other obligor.

"Paying Agent" means any Person (including the Company) authorized by the Company to pay the principal of or any premium, if any, or interest on any Securities on behalf of the Company.

"Payment Blockage Period" has the meaning specified in Section 1204.

"Permitted Junior Securities" has the meaning specified in Section 1204.

"Person" means any individual, corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust, unincorporated organization or government or any agency or political subdivision thereof.

"Place of Payment," when used with respect to the Securities of any series, means the place or places where the principal of and any premium and interest on the Securities of that series are payable as specified as contemplated by Section 301.

"Predecessor Security" of any particular Security means every previous Security evidencing all or a portion of the same debt as that evidenced by such particular Security; and, for the purposes of this definition, any Security authenticated and delivered under Section 306 in exchange for or in lieu of a mutilated, destroyed, lost or stolen Security shall be deemed to evidence the same debt as the mutilated, destroyed, lost or stolen Security.

"Preferred Stock" means, with respect to any Person, any Capital Stock of any class or classes (however designated) which is preferred as to the payment of dividends or distributions, or as to the distribution of assets upon any voluntary or involuntary liquidation or dissolution of such Person, over the Capital Stock of any other class in such Person.

"Redeemable Capital Stock" means any Capital Stock that, either by its terms or by the terms of any security into which it is convertible or exchangeable or otherwise, is or upon the happening of an event or passage of time would be, required to be redeemed prior to the final Stated Maturity of the principal of the Securities or is redeemable at the option of the holder thereof at any time prior to such final Stated Maturity (other than upon a change of control of the Company in circumstances where a Holder would have similar rights), or is convertible into or

exchangeable for debt securities at any time prior to any such Stated Maturity at the option of the holder thereof.

"Redemption Date," when used with respect to any Security to be redeemed, means the date fixed for such redemption by or pursuant to this Indenture.

"Redemption Price," when used with respect to any Security to be redeemed, means the price at which it is to be redeemed pursuant to this Indenture.

"Regular Record Date" for the interest payable on any Interest Payment Date on the Securities of any series means the date specified for that purpose as contemplated by Section 301.

"Responsible Officer" when used with respect to the Trustee means any officer or employee assigned to the Corporate Trust Office or any agent of the Trustee appointed hereunder, including any vice president, assistant vice president, secretary, assistant secretary, or any other officer or assistant officer of the Trustee or any agent of the Trustee appointed hereunder to whom any corporate trust matter is referred because of his or her knowledge of and familiarity with the particular subject.

"Securities" has the meaning stated in the first recital of this Indenture and more particularly means any Securities authenticated and delivered under this Indenture.

"Securities Act" means the Securities Act of 1933 and any statute successor thereto, in each case as amended from time to time and the rules and regulations promulgated by the Commission thereunder.

"Security Register" and "Security Registrar" have the respective meanings specified in Section 305.

"Senior Representative" means any the agent, indenture trustee or other trustee or representative for any Senior Indebtedness of the Company.

"Senior Indebtedness" means the principal of, premium, if any, and interest (including interest, to the extent allowable, accruing after the filing of a petition initiating any proceeding under any state, federal or foreign bankruptcy law) on any Indebtedness of the Company (other than as otherwise provided in this definition), whether outstanding on the issue date of the Securities of any series under this Indenture or thereafter created, incurred or assumed, and whether at any time owing, actually or contingent, unless, in the case of any particular Indebtedness, the instrument creating or evidencing the same or pursuant to which the same is outstanding expressly provides that such Indebtedness shall not be senior in right of payment to the Notes. Notwithstanding the foregoing, "Senior Indebtedness" shall not include (i) Indebtedness evidenced by the Securities, (ii) Indebtedness that is subordinate or junior in right of payment to any Indebtedness of the Company, (iii) Indebtedness which when incurred and without respect to any election under Section 1111(b) of Title 11 United States Code is without recourse to the Company, (iv) Indebtedness which is represented by Redeemable Capital Stock,

(v) any liability for foreign, federal, state, local or other taxes owed or owing by the Company to the extent such liability constitutes Indebtedness, (vi) Indebtedness of the Company to a Subsidiary or any other Affiliate of the Company or any of such Affiliate's Subsidiaries, (vii) to the extent it might constitute Indebtedness, amounts owing for goods, materials or services purchased in the ordinary course of business or consisting of trade accounts payable owed or owing by the Company, and amounts owed by the Company for compensation to employees or services rendered to the Company, (viii) that portion of any Indebtedness which at the time of issuance is issued in violation of this Indenture and (ix) Indebtedness evidenced by any guarantee of any subordinated Indebtedness or pari passu Indebtedness.

"Senior Non-payment Default" has the meaning specified in Section 1204.

"Senior Payment Default" has the meaning specified in Section 1204.

"Significant Subsidiary" means, at any particular time, any Subsidiary that, together with the Subsidiaries of such Subsidiary, (i) accounted for more than 5% of the consolidated revenues of the Company and its Subsidiaries for their most recently completed fiscal year or (ii) is or are the owners of more than 5% of the consolidated assets of the Company and its Subsidiaries as at the end of such fiscal year, all as calculated in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles and as shown on the consolidated financial statements of the Company and its Subsidiaries for such fiscal year.

"Special Record Date" for the payment of any Defaulted Interest means a date fixed by the Trustee pursuant to Section 307.

"Stated Maturity," when used with respect to any Security or any installment of principal thereof or interest thereon, means the dates specified in such Security as the fixed date on which the principal of such Security or such installment of principal or interest, as the case may be, is due and payable.

"Subsidiary" of any Person means (i) a corporation more than 50% of the outstanding voting power of the Voting Stock of which is owned or controlled, directly or indirectly, by such Person or by one or more other Subsidiaries of such Person or by such Person and one or more Subsidiaries thereof, or (ii) any limited partnership of which such Person or any Subsidiary of such Person is a general partner, or (iii) any other Person in which such Person, or one or more other Subsidiaries of such Person or such Person and one or more other Subsidiaries, directly or indirectly, has more than 50% of the outstanding partnership or similar interests or has the power, by contract or otherwise, to direct or cause the direction of the policies, management and affairs thereof.

"Subsidiary Guarantee" means the guarantee by any Guarantor of the Company's obligation under this Indenture or any other obligor under this Indenture or under the Securities, including any other Guarantor to pay principal of, premium, if any, and interest when due and payable, and all other amounts due or to become due under or in connection with this Indenture, the Securities of any series and the performance of all other obligations to the Trustee and the

Holders under this Indenture and the Securities of any series, according to the respective terms hereof and thereof.

"Surviving Entity" has the meaning specified in Section 801.

"Surviving Guarantor Entity" has the meaning specified in Section 801.

"Trust Indenture Act" means the Trust Indenture Act of 1939 as in force at the date as of which this instrument was executed; provided, however, that in the event the Trust Indenture Act of 1939 is amended after such date, "Trust Indenture Act" means, to the extent required by any such amendment, the Trust Indenture Act of 1939 as so amended.

"Trustee" means the Person named as the "Trustee" in the first paragraph of this instrument until a successor Trustee shall have become such pursuant to the applicable provisions of this Indenture, and thereafter "Trustee" shall mean or include each Person who is then a Trustee hereunder, and if at any time there is more than one such Person, "Trustee" as used with respect to the Securities of any series shall mean the Trustee with respect to Securities of that series.

"Vice President," when used with respect to the Company or the Trustee, means any vice president, whether or not designated by a number or a word or words added before or after the title "vice president."

"Voting Stock" of any Person means Capital Stock of the class or classes pursuant to which the holders thereof have the general voting power under ordinary circumstances to elect at least a majority of the board of directors, managers or trustees of such Person (irrespective of whether or not at the time Capital Stock of any other class or classes shall have or might have voting power by reason of the happening of any contingency).

"Wholly Owned Subsidiary" of any Person means a Subsidiary of such Person all of the outstanding Capital Stock or other ownership interests of which (other than directors' qualifying shares) shall at the time be owned by such Person or by one or more Wholly Owned Subsidiaries of such Person or by such Person and one or more Wholly Owned Subsidiaries of such Person.

#### SECTION 102. Compliance Certificates and Opinions.

Upon any application or request by the Company or any Guarantor to the Trustee to take any action under any provision of this Indenture, the Company and any Guarantor (if applicable), and any other obligor on Securities (if applicable), shall furnish to the Trustee an Officers' Certificate in a form and substance reasonably acceptable to the Trustee stating that all conditions precedent, if any, provided for in this Indenture (including any covenant compliance with which constitutes a condition precedent) relating to the proposed action have been complied with, and an Opinion of Counsel in a form and substance reasonably acceptable to the Trustee stating that in the opinion of such counsel all such conditions precedent, if any, have been complied with, except that, in the case of any such application or request as to which the furnishing of such certificates or opinions is specifically required by any provision of this

Indenture relating to such particular application or request, no additional certificate or opinion need be furnished.

Every certificate or Opinion of Counsel with respect to compliance with a condition or covenant provided for in this Indenture shall include,

- (1) a statement that each individual signing such certificate or individual or firm signing such opinion has read and understands such covenant or condition and the definitions herein relating thereto;
- (2) a brief statement as to the nature and scope of the examination or investigation upon which the statements or opinions contained in such certificate or opinion are based;
- (3) a statement that, in the opinion of each such individual or firm, he or it has made such examination or investigation as is necessary to enable him or it to express an informed opinion as to whether or not such covenant or condition has been complied with; and
- (4) a statement as to whether, in the opinion of each such individual or such firm, such condition or covenant has been complied with.

#### SECTION 103. Form of Documents Delivered to Trustee.

In any case where several matters are required to be certified by, or covered by an opinion of, any specified Person, it is not necessary that all such matters be certified by, or covered by the opinion of, only one such Person, or that they be so certified or covered by only one document, but one such Person may certify or give an opinion with respect to some matters and one or more other such Persons as to other matters, and any such Person may certify or give an opinion as to such matters in one or several documents.

Any certificate of an officer of the Company, any Guarantor or other obligor on the Securities may be based, insofar as it relates to legal matters, upon a certificate or opinion of, or representations by, counsel, unless such officer has actual knowledge that the certificate or opinion or representations with respect to the matters upon which his certificate or opinion is based are erroneous. Any such certificate or opinion of counsel may be based, insofar as it relates to factual matters, upon a certificate or opinion of, or representations by, an officer or officers of the Company, any Guarantor or other obligor on the Securities stating that the information with respect to such factual matters is in the possession of the Company, any Guarantor or other obligor on the securities, unless such officer or counsel has actual knowledge that the certificate or opinion or representations with respect to such matters are erroneous. Opinions of Counsel required to be delivered to the Trustee may have qualifications customary for opinions of the type required and counsel delivering such Opinions of Counsel may rely on certificates of the Company or government or other officials customary for opinions of the type required, including certificates certifying as to matters of fact, including that various financial covenants have been complied with.

Any certificate or opinion of an officer of the Company, any Guarantor or other obligor on the Securities may be based, insofar as it relates to accounting matters, upon a certificate or opinion of, or representations by, an accountant or firm of accountants in the employ of the Company, unless such officer has actual knowledge that the certificate or opinion or representations with respect to the accounting matters upon which his certificate or opinion may be based are erroneous. Any certificate or opinion of any independent firm of public accounts filed with the Trustee shall contain a statement that such firm is independent with respect to the Company.

Where any Person is required to make, give or execute two or more applications, requests, consents, certificates, statements, opinions or other instruments under this Indenture, they may, but need not, be consolidated and form one instrument.

#### SECTION 104. Acts of Holders; Record Dates.

- (1) Any request, demand, authorization, direction, notice, consent, waiver or other action provided or permitted by this Indenture to be given or taken by Holders may be embodied in and evidenced by one or more instruments of substantially similar tenor signed by such Holders in person or by agent duly appointed in writing; and, except as herein otherwise expressly provided, such action shall become effective when such instrument or instruments are delivered to the Trustee and, where it is hereby expressly required, to the Company. Such instrument or instruments (and the action embodied therein and evidenced thereby) are herein sometimes referred to as the "Act" of the Holders signing such instrument or instruments. Proof of execution of any such instrument or of a writing appointing any such agent shall be sufficient for any purpose of this Indenture and conclusive in favor of the Trustee and the Company, if made in the manner provided in this Section.
  - (2) The ownership of Securities shall be proved by the Security Register.
- (3) Any request, demand, authorization, direction, notice, consent, waiver or other Act of the Holder of any Security shall bind every future Holder of the same Security or the Holder of every Security issued upon the transfer thereof or in exchange therefor or in lieu thereof, in respect of anything done, omitted or suffered to be done by the Trustee, any Paying Agent, or the Company, any Guarantor or any other obligor of the Securities in reliance thereon, whether or not notation of such action is made upon such Security.
- (4) The fact and date of the execution by any Person of any such instrument or writing may be proved by the affidavit of a witness of such execution or by a certificate of a notary public or other officer authorized by law to take acknowledgments of deeds, certifying that the individual signing such instrument or writing acknowledged to him the execution thereof. Where such execution is by a signer acting in a capacity other than his individual capacity, such certificate or affidavit shall also constitute sufficient proof of his authority. The fact and date of the execution of any such instrument or writing, or the authority of the Person executing the same, may also be proved in any other manner which the Trustee deems sufficient.

(5) If the Company shall solicit from the Holders any request, demand, authorization, direction, notice, consent, waiver or other Act, the Company may, at its option, by or pursuant to a Board Resolution, fix in advance a record date for the determination of such Holders entitled to give such request, demand, authorization, direction, notice, consent, waiver or other Act, but the Company shall have no obligation to do so. Notwithstanding Trust Indenture Act Section 316(c), any such record date shall be the record date specified in or pursuant to such Board Resolution, which shall be a date not more than 30 days prior to the first solicitation of Holders generally in connection therewith and no later than the date such first solicitation is completed.

If such a record date is fixed, such request, demand, authorization, direction, notice, consent, waiver or other Act may be given before or after such record date, but only the Holders of record at the close of business on such record date shall be deemed to be Holders for purposes of determining whether Holders of the requisite proportion of Securities then Outstanding have authorized or agreed or consented to such request, demand, authorization, direction, notice, consent, waiver or other Act, and for this purpose the Securities then Outstanding shall be computed as of such record date; provided that no such request, demand, authorization, direction, notice, consent, waiver or other Act by the Holders on such record date shall be deemed effective unless it shall become effective pursuant to the provisions of this Indenture not later than six months after such record date.

(6) For purposes of this Indenture, any action by the Holders which may be taken in writing may be taken by electronic means or as otherwise reasonably acceptable to the Trustee.

SECTION 105. Notices, Etc., to Trustee and Company.

Any request, demand, authorization, direction, notice, consent, waiver or Act of Holders or other document provided or permitted by this Indenture to be made upon, given or furnished to, or filed with:

- (1) the Trustee by any Holder or by the Company or any Guarantor or any other obligor on the Securities shall be sufficient for every purpose (except as provided in Section 501(4)) hereunder if in writing and mailed, first-class postage prepaid, or delivered by recognized overnight courier, to or with the Trustee at its Corporate Trust Office, or at any other address previously furnished in writing to the Holders or the Company, any Guarantor or any other obligor on the Securities by the Trustee; or
- (2) the Company or any Guarantor by the Trustee or by any Holder shall be sufficient for every purpose (except as provided in Section 501(4)) hereunder if in writing and mailed, first-class postage prepaid, in the case of the Company or such Guarantors addressed to it at the address of its principal office specified in the first paragraph of this instrument or at any other address previously furnished in writing to the Trustee by the Company or such Guarantor.

#### SECTION 106. Notice to Holders; Waiver.

Where this Indenture provides for notice to Holders of any event, such notice shall be sufficiently given (unless otherwise herein expressly provided) if in writing and mailed, first-class postage prepaid, or delivered by recognized overnight courier, to each Holder affected by such event, at his address as it appears in the Security Register, not later than the latest date (if any), and not earlier than the earliest date (if any), prescribed for the giving of such notice. In any case where notice to Holders is given by mail, neither the failure to mail such notice, nor any defect in any notice so mailed, to any particular Holder shall affect the sufficiency of such notice with respect to other Holders. Any notice when mailed to a Holder in the aforesaid manner shall be conclusively deemed to have been received by such Holder whether or not actually received by such Holder. Where this Indenture provides for notice in any manner, such notice may be waived in writing by the Person entitled to receive such notice, either before or after the event, and such waiver shall be the equivalent of such notice. Waivers of notice by Holders shall be filed with the Trustee, but such filing shall not be a condition precedent to the validity of any action taken in reliance upon such waiver.

In case by reason of the suspension of regular mail service or by reason of any other cause it shall be impracticable to give such notice by mail, then such notification as shall be made with the approval of the Trustee shall constitute a sufficient notification for every purpose hereunder.

#### SECTION 107. Conflict with Trust Indenture Act.

If any provision hereof limits, qualifies or conflicts with a provision of the Trust Indenture Act or another provision which is required or deemed to be included in this Indenture by any provision of the Trust Indenture Act, the provision or requirements of the Trust Indenture Act shall control. If any provision of this Indenture modifies or excludes any provision of the Trust Indenture Act that may be so modified or excluded, the latter provision shall be deemed to apply to this Indenture as so modified or to be excluded, as the case may be.

#### SECTION 108. Effect of Headings and Table of Contents.

The Article and Section headings herein and the Table of Contents are for convenience only and shall not affect the construction hereof.

#### SECTION 109. Successors and Assigns.

All covenants and agreements in this Indenture by the Company and any Guarantor shall bind its successors and assigns, whether so expressed or not.

#### SECTION 110. Separability Clause.

In case any provision in this Indenture, the Securities or the Subsidiary Guarantees shall be invalid, illegal or unenforceable, the validity, legality and enforceability of the remaining provisions shall not in any way be affected or impaired thereby.

#### SECTION 111. Benefits of Indenture.

Nothing in this Indenture, the Securities or the Subsidiary Guarantees, express or implied, shall give to any Person (other than the parties hereto and their successors hereunder, any Paying Agent, the holders of Senior Indebtedness of the Company and the Holders) any benefit or any legal or equitable right, remedy or claim under this Indenture.

#### SECTION 112. Governing Law.

This Indenture, the Securities and the Subsidiary Guarantees shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the law of the State of New York, without giving effect to the conflicts of laws principles thereof.

#### SECTION 113. Legal Holidays.

In any case where any Interest Payment Date, Redemption Date, purchase date or Stated Maturity of any Security shall not be a Business Day at any Place of Payment, then (notwithstanding any other provision of this Indenture or of the Securities (other than a provision of any Security which specifically states that such provision shall apply in lieu of this Section)) payment of interest or principal (and premium, if any) need not be made at such Place of Payment on such date, but may be made on the next succeeding Business Day at such Place of Payment with the same force and effect as if made on the Interest Payment Date, Redemption Date or purchase date, or at the Stated Maturity and no interest shall accrue with respect to such payment for the period from and after such Interest Payment Date, Redemption Date, Maturity or Stated Maturity, as the case may be, to the next succeeding Business Day.

#### ARTICLE TWO

#### SECURITY FORMS

#### SECTION 201. Forms Generally.

The Securities of each series and, if applicable, the Subsidiary Guarantees to be endorsed thereon shall be in substantially the form set forth in this Article, or in such other form as shall be established by or pursuant to a Board Resolution or in one or more indentures supplemental hereto, in each case with such appropriate insertions, omissions, substitutions and other

variations as are required or permitted by this Indenture, and may have such letters, numbers or other marks of identification and such legends or endorsements placed thereon as may be required to comply with the rules of any securities exchange or Depositary therefor or as may, consistently herewith, be determined by the officers executing such Securities or Subsidiary Guarantees, as the case may be, as evidenced by their execution thereof. If the form of Securities of any series is established by action taken pursuant to a Board Resolution, a copy of an appropriate record of such action shall be certified by the Secretary or an Assistant Secretary of the Company and delivered to the Trustee at or prior to the delivery of the Company Order contemplated by Section 303 for the authentication and delivery of such Securities.

The definitive Securities shall be printed, lithographed or engraved on steel engraved borders or may be produced in any other manner, all as determined by the officers executing such Securities, as evidenced by their execution of such Securities.

SECTION 202. Form of Face of Security.		
The form of the face of any Security authenticated and delivered hereunder shall be substantially as follows:		
[Insert any legend required by the Internal Revenue Code and the regulations thereunder.]		
Sonic Automotive, Inc.		
CUSIP NO		
No		
Sonic Automotive, Inc. a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of Delaware (herein called the "Company," which term includes any successor Person under the Indenture hereinafter referred to), for value received, hereby promises to pay to, or registered assigns, the principal sum of United States Dollars on [if the Security is to bear interest prior to Maturity, insert — , and to pay interest thereon from or from		
the most recent Interest Payment Date to which interest has been paid or duly provided for, semi-annually on and in each year, commencing, at the rate of% per annum, until the principal hereof is paid or made		
available for payment, provided that any principal and premium, and any such installment of interest, which is overdue shall bear interest at the rate of		

punctually paid or duly

provided for will forthwith cease to be payable to the Holder on such Regular Record Date and may either be paid to the Person in whose name this Security (or one or more Predecessor Securities) is registered at the close of business on a Special Record Date for the payment of such Defaulted Interest to be fixed by the Trustee, notice whereof shall be given to Holders of Securities of this series not less than 10 days prior to such Special Record Date, or be paid at any time in any other lawful manner not inconsistent with the requirements of any securities exchange on which the Securities of this series may be listed, and upon such notice as may be required by such exchange, all as more fully provided in said Indenture].			
[If the Security is not to bear interest prior to Maturity, insert — The principal of this Security shall not bear interest except in the case of default in payment of principal upon acceleration, upon redemption or at Stated Maturity and in such case the overdue principal and an overdue premium shall bear interest at the rate of% per annum (to the extent that the payment of such interest shall be legally enforceable), from the dates such amounts are due until they are paid or made available for payment. Interest on any overdue principal or premium shall be payable on demand. Any such interest on overdue principal or premium which is not paid on demand shall bear interest at the rate of% per annum (to the extent that the payment of such interest on interest shall be legally enforceable), from the date of such demand until the amount so demanded is paid or made available for payment. Interest on any overdue interest shall be payable on demand.]			
Payment of the principal of (and premium, if any) and [if applicable, insert — any such] interest on this Security will be made at the office or agency of the Company maintained for that purpose in, in such coin or currency of the United States of America as at the time of payment is legal tender for payment of public and private debts; provided, however, that at the option of the Company payment of interest may be made by check mailed to the address of the Person entitled thereto as such address shall appear in the Security Register.			
Reference is hereby made to the further provisions of this Security set forth on the reverse hereof, which further provisions shall for all purposes have the same effect as if set forth at this place.			
Unless the certificate of authentication hereon has been executed by the Trustee referred to on the reverse hereof by manual signature, this Security shall not be entitled to any benefit under the Indenture or be valid or obligatory for any purpose.			
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Company has caused this instrument to be duly executed under its corporate seal.			
Dated:			
SONIC AUTOMOTIVE, INC.			
By:			
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Attest:			
SECTION 203. Form of I	Reverse of Security.		
The form of the	reverse of the Securities shall be substan	tially as follows:	
	Sonic A	Automotive, Inc.	
This Security is one of a duly authorized issue of securities of the Company (herein called the "Securities"), issued and to be issued in one or more series under an Indenture, dated as of September 23, 2009 (herein called the "Indenture," which term shall have the meaning assigned to it in such instrument), among the Company, the Guarantors named therein and U.S. Bank National Association, as Trustee (herein called the "Trustee," which term includes any successor Trustee under the Indenture), and reference is hereby made to the Indenture for a statement of the respective rights, limitations of rights, duties and immunities thereunder of the Company, the Guarantors, the Trustee, the holders of Senior Indebtedness of the Company and the Holders of the Securities and of the terms upon which the Securities are, and are to be, authenticated and delivered. This Security is one of the series designated on the face hereof [if applicable, insert — , limited in aggregate principal amount to \$].			
[If applicable, insert — The Securities of this series are subject to redemption upon not less than 30 days' notice by mail, [if applicable, insert — (1) on in any year commencing with the year and ending with the year through operation of the sinking fund for this series at a Redemption Price equal to 100% of the principal amount, and (2)] at any time [if applicable, insert — on or after, 20], as a whole or in part, at the election of the Company, at the following Redemption Prices (expressed as percentages of the principal amount): If redeemed [if applicable, insert — on or before,%, and if redeemed] during the 12-month period beginning of the years indicated,			
<u>Year</u>	Redemption Price	<u>Year</u>	Redemption Price
insert — (whether through whose Stated Maturity is	operation of the sinking fund or otherwoon or prior to such Redemption Date wi	rise)] with accrued interest to ll be payable to the Holders	the case of any such redemption [if applicable, the Redemption Date, but interest installments of such Securities, or one or more Predecessor thereof, all as provided in the Indenture.]
	nsert — The Securities of this series are commencing with the year	e subject to redemption upon	n not less than 30 days' notice by mail, (1) on

and ending with the year through of operation of the sinking fund (expressed as percent insert — on or after ], as a substruction of the sinking of the sinking redeemed during the 12-month period beginning	whole or in part, at the election of the Compar fund (expressed as percentages of the princip	able below, and (2) at any time [if applicable, ny, at the Redemption Prices for redemption
For Otherwise Operation <u>Year Fund</u>	Redemption Price For Redemption Through Operation of the Sinking Fund	Redemption Price Redemption Than Through of the Sinking
and thereafter at a Redemption Price equal to operation of the sinking fund or otherwise) with according prior to such Redemption Date will be payable to of business on the relevant Record Dates referred to	crued interest to the Redemption Date, but inte to the Holders of such Securities, or one or more	rest installments whose Stated Maturity is on Predecessor Securities, of record at the close
[If applicable, insert — Notwithstanding this series as contemplated by [if applicable, insert operation by the application, directly or indirectly, generally accepted financial practice) of less than _	of moneys borrowed having an interest cost to	a part of, or in anticipation of, any refunding
[If applicable, insert — The sinking fund the year and ending with the year than] \$ aggregate principal amount of Secu than through [if applicable, insert — mandatory mandatory] sinking fund payments otherwise requirements.	rities of this series. Securities of this series acqual sinking fund payments may be credited a	("mandatory sinking fund") and not more uired or redeemed by the Company otherwise against subsequent [if applicable, insert —
[If the Security is subject to redemption or Securities of this series and of like tenor for t cancellation hereof.]	of any kind, insert — In the event of redemption he unredeemed portion hereof will be issued	

The indebtedness evidenced by this Security is, to the extent provided in the Indenture, subordinate and subject in right of payment to the prior payment in full of all Senior Indebtedness of the Company, and this Security is issued subject to the provisions of the

Indenture with respect thereto. Each Holder of this Security, by accepting the same, (a) agrees to and shall be bound by such provisions, (b) authorizes and directs the Trustee on his behalf to take such action as may be necessary or appropriate to effectuate the subordination so provided and (c) appoints the Trustee his attorney-in-fact for any and all such purposes.

[If applicable, insert — As provided in the Indenture and subject to certain limitations therein set forth, the obligations of the Company under this Security are guaranteed on a senior subordinated basis pursuant to the Subsidiary Guarantees endorsed hereon. The Indenture provides that a Guarantor shall be released from its Subsidiary Guarantee upon compliance with certain conditions.]

[If applicable, insert — The Indenture contains provisions for Defeasance at any time of [the entire indebtedness of this Security] [or] [certain restrictive covenants and Events of Default with respect to this Security] [, in each case] upon compliance with certain conditions set forth in the Indenture.]

[If the Security is not an Original Issue Discount Security, insert — If an Event of Default with respect to Securities of this series shall occur and be continuing, the principal of the Securities of this series may be declared due and payable in the manner and with the effect provided in the Indenture.]

[If the Security is an Original Issue Discount Security, insert — If an Event of Default with respect to Securities of this series shall occur and be continuing, an amount of principal of the Securities of this series may be declared due and payable in the manner and with the effect provided in the Indenture. Such amount shall be equal to — insert formula for determining the amount. Upon payment (i) of the amount of principal so declared due and payable and (ii) of interest on any overdue principal, premium and interest (in each case to the extent that the payment of such interest shall be legally enforceable), all of the Company's obligations in respect of the payment of the principal of and premium and interest, if any, on the Securities of this series shall terminate.]

The Indenture permits, with certain exceptions as therein provided, the amendment thereof and the modification of the rights and obligations of the Company and the rights of the Holders of the Securities of each series to be affected under the Indenture at any time by the Company and the Trustee with the consent of the Holders of a majority in principal amount of the Securities at the time Outstanding of each series to be affected. The Indenture also contains provisions permitting the Holders of specified percentages in principal amount of the Securities of each series at the time Outstanding, on behalf of the Holders of all Securities of such series, to waive compliance by the Company with certain provisions of the Indenture and certain past defaults under the Indenture and their consequences. Any such consent or waiver by the Holder of this Security shall be conclusive and binding upon such Holder and upon all future Holders of this Security and of any Security issued upon the registration of transfer hereof or in exchange herefor or in lieu hereof, whether or not notation of such consent or waiver is made upon this Security.

As provided in and subject to the provisions of the Indenture, the Holder of this Security shall not have the right to institute any proceeding with respect to the Indenture or for the appointment of a receiver or trustee or for any other remedy thereunder, unless such Holder shall have previously given the Trustee written notice of a continuing Event of Default with respect to the Securities of this series, the Holders of not less than 25% in principal amount of the Securities of this series at the time Outstanding shall have made written request to the Trustee to institute proceedings in respect of such Event of Default as Trustee and offered the Trustee reasonable indemnity, and the Trustee shall not have received from the Holders of a majority in principal amount of Securities of this series at the time Outstanding a direction inconsistent with such request, and shall have failed to institute any such proceeding, for 60 days after receipt of such notice, request and offer of indemnity. The foregoing shall not apply to any suit instituted by the Holder of this Security for the enforcement of any payment of principal hereof or any premium or interest hereon on or after the respective due dates expressed herein.

No reference herein to the Indenture and no provision of this Security or of the Indenture shall alter or impair the obligation of the Company, which is absolute and unconditional, to pay the principal of and any premium and interest on this Security at the times, place and rate, and in the coin or currency, herein prescribed.

As provided in the Indenture and subject to certain limitations therein set forth, the transfer of this Security is registrable in the Security Register, upon surrender of this Security for registration of transfer at the office or agency of the Company in any place where the principal of and any premium and interest on this Security are payable, duly endorsed by, or accompanied by a written instrument of transfer in form satisfactory to the Company and the Security Registrar duly executed by, the Holder hereof or his attorney duly authorized in writing, and thereupon one or more new Securities of this series and of like tenor, of authorized denominations and for the same aggregate principal amount, will be issued to the designated transferee or transferees.

The Securities of this series are issuable only in registered form without coupons in denominations of \$\_\_\_\_\_ and any integral multiple thereof. As provided in the Indenture and subject to certain limitations therein set forth, Securities of this series are exchangeable for a like aggregate principal amount of Securities of this series and of like tenor of a different authorized denomination, as requested by the Holder surrendering the same.

No service charge shall be made for any such registration of transfer or exchange, but the Company may require payment of a sum sufficient to cover any tax or other governmental charge payable in connection therewith.

Prior to due presentment of this Security for registration of transfer, the Company, the Trustee and any agent of the Company or the Trustee may treat the Person in whose name this Security is registered as the owner hereof for all purposes, whether or not this Security be overdue, and neither the Company, the Trustee nor any such agent shall be affected by notice to the contrary.

All terms used in this Security which are defined in the Indenture shall have the meanings assigned to them in the Indenture.

SECTION 204. Form of Subsidiary Guarantee.

The form of Subsidiary Guarantee shall be set forth on the Securities substantially as follows:

#### SUBSIDIARY GUARANTEE

For value received, each of the Guarantors named (or deemed herein to be named) below hereby absolutely, fully and unconditionally and irrevocably guarantees, jointly and severally with each other Guarantor, to the Holder of this Security the payment of principal of, and premium, if any, and interest on this Security upon which these Guarantees are endorsed in the amounts and at the time when due and payable, whether by declaration thereof, or otherwise, and interest on the overdue principal and interest, if any, of this Security, if lawful, and the payment or performance of all other obligations of the Company under the Indenture or the Securities, to the holder of this Security and the Trustee, all in accordance with and subject to the terms and limitations of this Security and the Indenture. This Subsidiary Guarantee will not become effective until the Trustee duly executes the certificate of authentication on this Security. These Subsidiary Guarantees shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of New York, without regard to conflict of law principles thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, each of the Guarantors has caused this Subsidiary Guarantee to be duly executed.

	[Insert Names of Guarantors]
	By:
Attest:	

SECTION 205. Form of Legend for Global Securities.

Unless otherwise specified as contemplated by Section 301 for the Securities evidenced thereby, every Global Security authenticated and delivered hereunder shall bear a legend in substantially the following form:

THIS SECURITY IS A GLOBAL SECURITY WITHIN THE MEANING OF THE INDENTURE HEREINAFTER REFERRED TO AND IS REGISTERED IN THE NAME OF A DEPOSITARY OR A NOMINEE THEREOF. THIS SECURITY MAY NOT BE EXCHANGED IN WHOLE OR IN PART FOR A SECURITY REGISTERED, AND NO TRANSFER OF THIS SECURITY IN WHOLE OR IN PART MAY BE REGISTERED, IN THE NAME OF ANY PERSON OTHER THAN SUCH DEPOSITARY OR A NOMINEE

#### THEREOF, EXCEPT IN THE LIMITED CIRCUMSTANCES DESCRIBED IN THE INDENTURE.

SECTION 206. Form of Trustee's Certificate of Authentication.

The Trustee's certificates of authentication shall be in substantially the following form:

This is one of the Securities of the series designated therein referred to in the within-mentioned Indenture.

As Trustee	
	By:

**Authorized Officer** 

## ARTICLE THREE THE SECURITIES

SECTION 301. Amount Unlimited; Issuable in Series.

The aggregate principal amount of Securities which may be authenticated and delivered under this Indenture is unlimited.

The Securities may be issued in one or more series. There shall be established in or pursuant to a Board Resolution and, subject to Section 303, set forth, or determined in the manner provided, in an Officers' Certificate, or established in one or more indentures supplemental hereto, prior to the issuance of Securities of any series,

- (1) the title of the Securities of the series (which shall distinguish the Securities of the series from Securities of any other series);
  - (2) if the Securities of the series will not have the benefit of the Subsidiary Guarantees of the Guarantors;
- (3) any change to the subordination provisions which applies to the Securities of the series from those contained in Article Twelve with respect to the Securities and the definitions of Senior Indebtedness of the Company which shall apply to the Securities of the series, and, if applicable, the Subsidiary Guarantees;
- (4) any limit upon the aggregate principal amount of the Securities of the series which may be authenticated and delivered under this Indenture (except for Securities authenticated and delivered upon registration of transfer of, or in exchange for, or in lieu of, other Securities of the series pursuant to Section 304, 305, 306, 906 or 1107

and except for any Securities which, pursuant to Section 303, are deemed never to have been authenticated and delivered hereunder);

- (5) the Person to whom any interest on a Security of the series shall be payable, if other than the Person in whose name that Security (or one or more Predecessor Securities) is registered at the close of business on the Regular Record Date for such interest;
  - (6) the date or dates on which the principal of any Securities of the series is payable;
- (7) the rate or rates at which any Securities of the series shall bear interest, if any, the date or dates from which any such interest shall accrue, the Interest Payment Dates on which any such interest shall be payable and the Regular Record Date for any such interest payable on any Interest Payment Date;
- (8) the place or places where the principal of and any premium and interest on any Securities of the series shall be payable;
- (9) the period or periods within which, the price or prices at which and the terms and conditions upon which any Securities of the series may be redeemed, in whole or in part, at the option of the Company and, if other than by a Board Resolution, the manner in which any election by the Company to redeem the Securities shall be evidenced;
- (10) the obligation, if any, of the Company to redeem or purchase any Securities of the series pursuant to any sinking fund or analogous provisions or at the option of the Holder thereof and the period or periods within which, the price or prices at which and the terms and conditions upon which any Securities of the series shall be redeemed or purchased, in whole or in part, pursuant to such obligation;
- (11) if other than denominations of \$1,000 and any integral multiple thereof, the denominations in which any Securities of the series shall be issuable;
- (12) if the amount of principal of or any premium or interest on any Securities of the series may be determined with reference to an index or pursuant to a formula, the manner in which such amounts shall be determined;
- (13) if other than the currency of the United States of America, the currency, currencies or currency units in which the principal of or any premium or interest on any Securities of the series shall be payable and the manner of determining the equivalent thereof in the currency of the United States of America for any purpose, including for purposes of the definition of "Outstanding" in Section 101;
- (14) if the principal of or any premium or interest on any Securities of the series is to be payable, at the election of the Company or the Holder thereof, in one or

more currencies or currency units other than that or those in which such Securities are stated to be payable, the currency, currencies or currency units in which the principal of or any premium or interest on such Securities as to which such election is made shall be payable, the periods within which and the terms and conditions upon which such election is to be made and the amount so payable (or the manner in which such amount shall be determined);

- (15) if other than the entire principal amount thereof, the portion of the principal amount of any Securities of the series which shall be payable upon declaration of acceleration of the Maturity thereof pursuant to Section 502;
- (16) if the principal amount payable at the Stated Maturity of any Securities of the series will not be determinable as of any one or more dates prior to the Stated Maturity, the amount which shall be deemed to be the principal amount of such Securities as of any such date for any purpose thereunder or hereunder, including the principal amount thereof which shall be due and payable upon any Maturity other than the Stated Maturity or which shall be deemed to be Outstanding as of any date prior to the Stated Maturity (or, in any such case, the manner in which such amount deemed to be the principal amount shall be determined);
- (17) if the Securities are convertible into the Capital Stock or other securities of the Company, the terms on which such Securities are convertible, including the conversion price, the conversion period, provisions as to whether conversion will be at the option of the Holders or the Company, events requiring adjustment of the conversion price and provisions affecting conversion in the event of the redemption of the Securities.
- if applicable, that the Securities of the series, in whole or any specified part, shall be defeasible pursuant to Section 1502 or Section 1503 or both such Sections and, if other than by a Board Resolution, the manner in which any election by the Company to defease such Securities shall be evidenced;
- (19) if applicable, that any Securities of the series shall be issuable in whole or in part in the form of one or more Global Securities and, in such case, the respective Depositories for such Global Securities, the form of any legend or legends which shall be borne by any such Global Security in addition to or in lieu of that set forth in Section 205 and any circumstances in addition to or in lieu of those set forth in Clause (2) of the last paragraph of Section 305 in which any such Global Security may be exchanged in whole or in part for Securities registered, and any transfer of such Global Security in whole or in part may be registered, in the name or names of Persons other than the Depositary for such Global Security or a nominee thereof;
- (20) any addition to or change in the Events of Default which applies to any Securities of the series and any change in the rights of the Trustee or the Holders of such Securities or the obligations, covenants, or rights of the Company under Article V;

- (21) any addition to or change in the covenants set forth in Article Ten which applies to Securities of the series; and
- (22) any other terms of the series (which terms shall not be inconsistent with the provisions of this Indenture, except as permitted by Section 901(5)).

All Securities of any one series shall be substantially identical except as to denomination and except as may otherwise be provided in or pursuant to the Board Resolution referred to above and (subject to Section 303) set forth, or determined in the manner provided, in the Officers' Certificate referred to above or in any such indenture supplemental hereto.

If any of the terms of the series are established by action taken pursuant to a Board Resolution, a copy of an appropriate record of such action shall be certified by the Secretary or an Assistant Secretary of the Company and delivered to the Trustee at or prior to the delivery of the Officers' Certificate setting forth the terms of the series.

The Securities of each series shall have the benefit of the Subsidiary Guarantees unless the Company elects otherwise upon the establishment of a series pursuant to this Section 301.

The Securities shall be subordinated in right of payment to Senior Indebtedness of the Company as provided in Article Twelve. Each Subsidiary Guarantee shall be subordinated in right of payment to Senior Indebtedness of the applicable Guarantor.

#### SECTION 302. Denominations.

The Securities of each series shall be issuable only in registered form without coupons and only in such denominations as shall be specified as contemplated by Section 301. In the absence of any such specified denomination with respect to the Securities of any series, the Securities of such series shall be issuable in denominations of \$1,000 and any integral multiple thereof.

#### SECTION 303. Execution, Authentication, Delivery and Dating.

The Securities shall be executed on behalf of the Company by its Chairman of the Board, its President, its Chief Executive Officer, its Chief Financial Officer or one of its Vice Presidents under its corporate seal reproduced thereon attested by its Secretary or one of its Assistant Secretaries. The signatures of any of these officers on the Securities may be manual or facsimile.

Securities bearing the manual or facsimile signatures of individuals who were at any time the proper officers of the Company shall bind the Company, notwithstanding that such individuals or any of them have ceased to hold such offices prior to the authentication and delivery of such Securities or did not hold such offices at the date of such Securities.

At any time and from time to time after the execution and delivery of this Indenture, the Company may deliver Securities of any series executed by the Company and, if applicable, having endorsed thereon the Subsidiary Guarantees executed as provided in Section 1303 by the

Guarantors to the Trustee for authentication, together with a Company Order for the authentication and delivery of such Securities, and the Trustee in accordance with the Company Order shall authenticate and deliver such Securities. If the form or terms of the Securities of the series have been established by or pursuant to one or more Board Resolutions as permitted by Sections 201 and 301, in authenticating such Securities, and accepting the additional responsibilities under this Indenture in relation to such Securities, the Trustee shall be entitled to receive, and (subject to Section 601) shall be fully protected in relying upon, an Opinion of Counsel stating,

- (1) if the form of such Securities has been established by or pursuant to Board Resolution as permitted by Section 201, that such form has been established in conformity with the provisions of this Indenture;
- (2) if the terms of such Securities have been established by or pursuant to Board Resolution as permitted by Section 301, that such terms have been established in conformity with the provisions of this Indenture; and
- (3) that such Securities, when authenticated and delivered by the Trustee and issued by the Company in the manner and subject to any conditions specified in such Opinion of Counsel, will constitute valid and legally binding obligations of the Company, and, if applicable, the Subsidiary Guarantees endorsed thereon will constitute valid and legally binding obligations of the Guarantors, enforceable in accordance with their terms, subject to bankruptcy, insolvency, fraudulent transfer, reorganization, moratorium and similar laws of general applicability relating to or affecting creditors' rights and to general equity principles.

If such form or terms have been so established, the Trustee shall not be required to authenticate such Securities if the issue of such Securities pursuant to this Indenture will affect the Trustee's own rights, duties or immunities under the Securities and this Indenture or otherwise in a manner which is not reasonably acceptable to the Trustee.

Notwithstanding the provisions of Section 301 and of the preceding paragraph, if all Securities of a series are not to be originally issued at one time, it shall not be necessary to deliver the Officers' Certificate otherwise required pursuant to Section 301 or the Company Order and Opinion of Counsel otherwise required pursuant to such preceding paragraph at or prior to the authentication of each Security of such series if such documents are delivered at or prior to the authentication upon original issuance of the first Security of such series to be issued.

Each Security shall be dated the date of its authentication.

No Security or Subsidiary Guarantee shall be entitled to any benefit under this Indenture or be valid or obligatory for any purpose unless there appears on such Security a certificate of authentication substantially in the form provided for herein executed by the Trustee by manual signature, and such certificate upon any Security shall be conclusive evidence, and the only evidence, that such Security has been duly authenticated and delivered hereunder and is entitled to the benefits of this Indenture. Notwithstanding the foregoing, if any Security shall have been

authenticated and delivered hereunder but never issued and sold by the Company, and the Company shall deliver such Security to the Trustee for cancellation as provided in Section 310, for all purposes of this Indenture such Security shall be deemed never to have been authenticated and delivered hereunder and shall never be entitled to the benefits of this Indenture.

### SECTION 304. Temporary Securities.

Pending the preparation of definitive Securities of any series, the Company may execute, and upon Company Order the Trustee shall authenticate and make available for delivery, temporary Securities which are printed, lithographed, typewritten, mimeographed or otherwise produced, in any authorized denomination, substantially of the tenor of the definitive Securities and, if applicable, having endorsed thereon the Subsidiary Guarantees in lieu of which they are issued and with such appropriate insertions, omissions, substitutions and other variations as the officers executing such Securities and, if applicable, Subsidiary Guarantees may determine, as conclusively evidenced by their execution of such Securities and Subsidiary Guarantees.

If temporary Securities of any series are issued, the Company will cause definitive Securities of that series to be prepared without unreasonable delay. After the preparation of definitive Securities of such series, the temporary Securities of such series shall be exchangeable for definitive Securities of such series upon surrender of the temporary Securities of such series at the office or agency of the Company in a Place of Payment for that series, without charge to the Holder. Upon surrender for cancellation of any one or more temporary Securities of any series, the Company shall execute and the Trustee shall authenticate and deliver in exchange therefor one or more definitive Securities of the same series, of any authorized denominations and of like tenor and aggregate principal amount and, if applicable, having endorsed thereon Subsidiary Guarantees executed by the Guarantors. Until so exchanged, the temporary Securities of any series shall in all respects be entitled to the same benefits under this Indenture as definitive Securities of such series and tenor.

### SECTION 305. Registration, Registration of Transfer and Exchange.

The Company shall cause to be kept at the Corporate Trust Office of the Trustee a register (the register maintained in such office and in any other office or agency of the Company in a Place of Payment being herein sometimes collectively referred to as the "Security Register") in which, subject to such reasonable regulations as the Security Registrar may prescribe, the Company shall provide for the registration of Securities and of transfers of Securities. The Trustee is hereby appointed "Security Registrar" for the purpose of registering Securities and transfers of Securities as herein provided. The Company may change the Security Registrar or appoint one or more co-Security Registrars without notice.

Upon surrender for registration of transfer of any Security of a series at the office or agency of the Company in a Place of Payment for that series, the Company shall execute, if applicable, the Guarantors shall execute the Subsidiary Guarantees endorsed thereon and the Trustee shall authenticate and deliver, in the name of the designated transferee or transferees, one or more new Securities of the same series, of any authorized denominations and of like tenor and aggregate principal amount.

At the option of the Holder, Securities of any series may be exchanged for other Securities of the same series, of any authorized denominations and of like tenor and aggregate principal amount, upon surrender of the Securities to be exchanged at such office or agency. Whenever any Securities are so surrendered for exchange, the Company shall execute, if applicable, the Guarantors shall execute the Subsidiary Guarantees endorsed thereon and the Trustee shall authenticate and make available for delivery, the Securities which the Holder making the exchange is entitled to receive.

All Securities and, if applicable, the Subsidiary Guarantees endorsed thereon issued upon any registration of transfer or exchange of Securities shall be the valid obligations of the Company and, if applicable, the respective Guarantors, evidencing the same debt, and entitled to the same benefits under this Indenture, as the Securities and Subsidiaries Guarantees surrendered upon such registration of transfer or exchange.

Every Security presented or surrendered for registration of transfer or for exchange, repurchase or redemption, shall (if so required by the Company or the Trustee) be duly endorsed, or be accompanied by a written instrument of transfer in form satisfactory to the Company and the Security Registrar, duly executed by the Holder thereof or his attorney duly authorized in writing.

No service charge shall be made to a Holder for any registration of transfer, exchange or redemption of Securities, but the Company may require payment of a sum sufficient to cover any tax or other governmental charge that may be imposed in connection with any registration of transfer or exchange of Securities, other than exchanges pursuant to Sections 303, 304, 305, 306, 906 or 1107 not involving any transfer.

If the Securities of any series (or of any series and specified tenor) are to be redeemed in part, the Company shall not be required (i) to issue, register the transfer of or exchange any Securities of that series (or of that series and specified tenor, as the case may be) during a period beginning at the opening of business 15 days before the day of the mailing of a notice of redemption of any such Securities selected for redemption under Section 1103 and ending at the close of business on the day of such mailing, or (ii) to register the transfer of or exchange any Security so selected for redemption, in whole or in part, except the unredeemed portion of any Security being redeemed in part.

The provisions of Clauses (1), (2), (3) and (4) below shall apply only to Global Securities:

- (1) Each Global Security authenticated under this Indenture shall be registered in the name of the Depositary designated for such Global Security or a nominee thereof and delivered to such Depositary or a nominee thereof or custodian therefor, and each such Global Security shall constitute a single Security for all purposes of this Indenture.
- (2) Notwithstanding any other provision in this Indenture, no Global Security may be exchanged in whole or in part for Securities registered, and no transfer of a

Global Security in whole or in part may be registered, in the name of any Person other than the Depositary for such Global Security or a nominee thereof unless (A) such Depositary (i) has notified the Company that it is unwilling or unable to continue as Depositary for such Global Security or (ii) has ceased to be a clearing agency registered under the Exchange Act, (B) there shall have occurred and be continuing an Event of Default with respect to such Global Security or (C) there shall exist such circumstances, if any, in addition to or in lieu of the foregoing as have been specified for this purpose as contemplated by Section 301.

- (3) Subject to Clause (2) above, any exchange of a Global Security for other Securities may be made in whole or in part, and all Securities issued in exchange for a Global Security or any portion thereof shall be registered in such names as the Depositary for such Global Security shall direct.
- (4) Every Security authenticated and delivered upon registration of transfer of, or in exchange for or in lieu of, a Global Security or any portion thereof, whether pursuant to this Section, Section 304, 306, 906 or 1107 or otherwise, shall be authenticated and delivered in the form of, and shall be, a Global Security, unless such Security is registered in the name of a Person other than the Depositary for such Global Security or a nominee thereof.

SECTION 306. Mutilated, Destroyed, Lost and Stolen Securities.

If (i) any mutilated Security is surrendered to the Trustee, or (ii) the Company and the Trustee receive evidence to their satisfaction of the destruction, loss or theft of any Security, and there is delivered to the Company, any Guarantor and the Trustee, such security or indemnity, in each case, as may be required by them to save each of them and any agent of either of them harmless, then, in the absence of notice to the Company, any Guarantor or the Trustee that such Security has been acquired by a bona fide purchaser, the Company shall execute and upon a Company Request the Trustee shall authenticate and deliver, in exchange for any such mutilated Security or in lieu of any such destroyed, lost or stolen Security, a replacement Security of like tenor and principal amount, bearing a number not contemporaneously outstanding and each Guarantor shall execute a replacement Subsidiary Guarantee.

In case any such mutilated, destroyed, lost or stolen Security has become or is about to become due and payable, the Company in its discretion may, instead of issuing a new Security, pay such Security.

Upon the issuance of any replacement Security under this Section, the Company may require the payment of a sum sufficient to pay all documentary, stamp, or similar issue or transfer taxes or other governmental charge that may be imposed in relation thereto and any other expenses (including the fees and expenses of the Trustee) connected therewith.

Every replacement Security of any series issued pursuant to this Section in lieu of any destroyed, lost or stolen Security, and, if applicable, the Subsidiary Guarantees endorsed thereon, shall constitute an original additional contractual obligation of the Company and, if applicable,

the respective Guarantors, whether or not the destroyed, lost or stolen Security shall be at any time enforceable by anyone, and shall be entitled to all the benefits of this Indenture equally and proportionately with any and all other Securities of that series duly issued hereunder.

The provisions of this Section are exclusive and shall preclude (to the extent lawful) all other rights and remedies with respect to the replacement or payment of mutilated, destroyed, lost or stolen Securities.

SECTION 307. Payment of Interest; Interest Rights Preserved.

Except as otherwise provided as contemplated by Section 301 with respect to any series of Securities, interest on any Security which is payable, and is punctually paid or duly provided for, on any Interest Payment Date shall be paid to the Person in whose name that Security (or one or more Predecessor Securities) is registered at the close of business on the Regular Record Date for such interest.

Any interest on any Security of any series which is payable, but is not punctually paid or duly provided for, on any Interest Payment Date (herein called "Defaulted Interest") shall forthwith cease to be payable to the Holder on the relevant Regular Record Date by virtue of having been such Holder, and such Defaulted Interest may be paid by the Company, at its election in each case, as provided in Clause (1) or (2) below:

The Company may elect to make payment of any Defaulted Interest to the Persons in whose names the Securities of such series (or their respective Predecessor Securities) are registered at the close of business on a Special Record Date for the payment of such Defaulted Interest, which shall be fixed in the following manner. The Company shall notify the Trustee in writing of the amount of Defaulted Interest proposed to be paid on each Security of such series and the date of the proposed payment, and at the same time the Company shall deposit with the Trustee an amount of money equal to the aggregate amount proposed to be paid in respect of such Defaulted Interest or shall make arrangements satisfactory to the Trustee for such deposit prior to the date of the proposed payment, such money when deposited to be held in trust for the benefit of the Persons entitled to such Defaulted Interest as in this Clause provided. Thereupon the Trustee shall fix a Special Record Date for the payment of such Defaulted Interest which shall be not more than 15 days and not less than 10 days prior to the date of the proposed payment and not less than 10 days after the receipt by the Trustee of the notice of the proposed payment. The Trustee shall promptly notify the Company of such Special Record Date and, in the name and at the expense of the Company, shall cause notice of the proposed payment of such Defaulted Interest and the Special Record Date therefor to be given to each Holder of Securities of such series in the manner set forth in Section 106, not less than 10 days prior to such Special Record Date. Notice of the proposed payment of such Defaulted Interest and the Special Record Date therefor having been so mailed, such Defaulted Interest shall be paid to the Persons in whose names the Securities of such series (or their respective Predecessor Securities) are registered at the close of business on such Special Record Date and shall no longer be payable pursuant to the following Clause (2).

(2) The Company may make payment of any Defaulted Interest on the Securities of any series in any other lawful manner not inconsistent with the requirements of any securities exchange on which such Securities may be listed, and upon such notice as may be required by such exchange, if, after notice given by the Company to the Trustee of the proposed payment pursuant to this Clause, such manner of payment shall be deemed practicable by the Trustee.

Subject to the foregoing provisions of this Section, each Security delivered under this Indenture upon registration of transfer of or in exchange for or in lieu of any other Security shall carry the rights to interest accrued and unpaid, and to accrue, which were carried by such other Security.

# SECTION 308. CUSIP Numbers.

The Company in issuing the Securities may use "CUSIP" numbers (if then generally in use), and the Company, or the Trustee on behalf of the Company, shall use CUSIP numbers in notices of redemption or exchange as a convenience to Holders; provided, however, that any such notice shall state that no representation is made as to the correctness of such numbers either as printed on the Securities or as contained in any notice of redemption or exchange and that reliance may be placed only on the other identification numbers printed on the Securities; and provided further, however, that failure to use CUSIP numbers in any notice of redemption or exchange shall not affect the validity or sufficiency of such notice.

### SECTION 309. Persons Deemed Owners.

Prior to due presentment of a Security for registration of transfer, the Company, the Guarantors, the Trustee and any agent of the Company, the Guarantors, or the Trustee may treat the Person in whose name such Security is registered as the owner of such Security for the purpose of receiving payment of principal of and any premium and (subject to Section 307) any interest on such Security and for all other purposes whatsoever, whether or not such Security be overdue, and neither the Company, any Guarantor, the Trustee nor any agent of the Company, any Guarantor, or the Trustee shall be affected by notice to the contrary.

### SECTION 310. Cancellation.

All Securities surrendered for payment, redemption, purchase, registration of transfer or exchange or for credit against any sinking fund payment shall, if surrendered to any Person other than the Trustee, be delivered to the Trustee and shall be promptly cancelled by it. The Company may at any time deliver to the Trustee for cancellation any Securities previously authenticated and delivered hereunder which the Company may have acquired in any manner whatsoever, and may deliver to the Trustee (or to any other Person for delivery to the Trustee) for cancellation any Securities previously authenticated hereunder which the Company has not issued and sold, and all Securities so delivered shall be promptly cancelled by the Trustee. No Securities shall be authenticated in lieu of or in exchange for any Securities cancelled as provided in this Section, except as expressly permitted by this Indenture. All cancelled Securities held by the Trustee shall

be returned to the Company. The Trustee shall provide the Company a list of all securities that have been cancelled from time to time as requested by the Company.

SECTION 311. Computation of Interest.

Except as otherwise specified as contemplated by Section 301 for Securities of any series, interest on the Securities of each series shall be computed on the basis of a 360-day year of twelve 30-day months.

#### ARTICLE FOUR

#### SATISFACTION AND DISCHARGE

SECTION 401. Satisfaction and Discharge of Indenture.

This Indenture shall, upon Company Request, be discharged and cease to be of further effect (except as to any surviving rights of registration of transfer or exchange of Securities herein expressly provided for), and the Trustee, at the expense of the Company, shall execute proper instruments acknowledging satisfaction and discharge of this Indenture, when

- (1) either
- (A) all Securities theretofore authenticated and delivered (other than (i) Securities which have been destroyed, lost or stolen and which have been replaced or paid as provided in Section 306 or (ii) Securities for whose payment money has theretofore been deposited in trust or segregated and held in trust by the Company and thereafter repaid to the Company or discharged from such trust, as provided in Section 1003) have been delivered to the Trustee for cancellation; or
  - (B) all such Securities not theretofore delivered to the Trustee for cancellation
    - (i) have become due and payable, or
    - (ii) will become due and payable at their Stated Maturity within one year, or
  - (iii) are to be called for redemption within one year under arrangements reasonably satisfactory to the Trustee for the giving of notice of redemption by the Trustee in the name, and at the expense, of the Company,

and the Company or, if applicable, a Guarantor, has irrevocably deposited or caused to be deposited with the Trustee as trust funds in trust in an

amount sufficient to pay and discharge the entire indebtedness on such Securities not theretofore delivered to the Trustee for cancellation, for principal and any premium and interest to the date of such deposit (in the case of Securities which have become due and payable) or to the Stated Maturity or Redemption Date, as the case may be;

- (2) the Company or a Guarantor has paid or caused to be paid all other sums payable hereunder by the Company and the Guarantors; and
- (3) the Company has delivered to the Trustee an Officers' Certificate and an Opinion of Counsel, each stating that (i) all conditions precedent herein relating to the satisfaction and discharge of this Indenture have been complied with and (ii) such satisfaction and discharge will not result in a breach or violation of, or constitute default under, this Indenture or any other material agreement or instrument to which the Company or any Guarantor is a party or is bound.

Notwithstanding the satisfaction and discharge of this Indenture, the obligations of the Company to the Trustee under Section 607, the obligations of the Trustee to any Authenticating Agent under Section 614 and, if money shall have been deposited with the Trustee pursuant to subclause (B) of Clause (1) of this Section, the obligations of the Trustee under Section 402 and the last paragraph of Section 1003 shall survive.

SECTION 402. Application of Trust Money.

Subject to the provisions of the last paragraph of Section 1003, all money deposited with the Trustee pursuant to Section 401 shall be held in trust and applied by it, in accordance with the provisions of the Securities and this Indenture, to the payment, either directly or through any Paying Agent (including the Company acting as its own Paying Agent) as the Trustee may determine, to the Persons entitled thereto, of the principal and any premium and interest for whose payment such money has been deposited with the Trustee.

#### ARTICLE FIVE

#### REMEDIES

SECTION 501. Events of Default.

"Event of Default," wherever used herein with respect to Securities of any series, means any one of the following events (whatever the reason for such Event of Default and whether it shall be occasioned by the provisions of Article Twelve or be voluntary or involuntary or be effected by operation of law or pursuant to any judgment, decree or order of any court or any order, rule or regulation of any administrative or governmental body):

- (1) default in the payment of any interest upon any Security of that series when it becomes due and payable, and continuance of such default for a period of 30 days;
  - (2) default in the payment of the principal of or any premium on any Security of that series at its Maturity;
  - (3) default in the deposit of any sinking fund payment, when and as due by the terms of a Security of that series;
- (4) default in the performance, or breach, of any covenant or warranty of the Company in this Indenture (other than a default in the performance, or breach, of a covenant or agreement which is elsewhere in this Section specifically dealt with or which has expressly been included in this Indenture solely for the benefit of series of Securities other than that series), and continuance of such default or breach for a period of 60 days after there has been given, by registered or certified mail, (x) to the Company by the Trustee or (y) to the Company and the Trustee by the Holders of at least 25% in principal amount of the Outstanding Securities of that series a written notice specifying such default or breach and requiring it to be remedied and stating that such notice is a "Notice of Default" hereunder:
- (5) one or more defaults, individually or in the aggregate, shall have occurred under any of the agreements, indentures or instruments under which the Company or any Guarantor then has outstanding Indebtedness in excess of \$20 million in principal amount individually or in the aggregate, and either (i) such default results from the failure to pay such Indebtedness at its stated final maturity or (ii) such default or defaults resulted in the acceleration of the maturity of such Indebtedness;
- (6) one or more final judgments, orders or decrees (not subject to appeal) of any court or regulatory or administrative agency for the payment of money in excess of \$20 million, either individually or in the aggregate (exclusive of any portion of any such payment covered by insurance, if and to the extent the insurer has acknowledged in writing its liability therefor), shall be rendered against the Company, any Guarantor or any Significant Subsidiary or any of their respective properties and shall not be discharged or fully binded and there shall have been a period of 60 consecutive days during which a stay of enforcement of such judgment or order, by reason of an appeal or otherwise, shall not be in effect;
- (7) the entry by a court of competent jurisdiction of (A) a decree or order for relief in respect of the Company, any Significant Subsidiary Guarantor in an involuntary case or proceeding under any applicable federal or state bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization or other similar law or (B) a decree or order adjudging the Company or any Significant Subsidiary Guarantor bankrupt or insolvent, or seeking reorganization, arrangement, adjustment or composition of or in respect of the Company or any Significant Subsidiary Guarantor under any applicable federal or state law, or appointing a custodian, receiver, liquidator, assignee, trustee, sequestrator or other similar official of

the Company or any Significant Subsidiary Guarantor or of any substantial part of their properties, or ordering the winding up or liquidation of their affairs, and the continuance of any such decree or order for relief or any such other decree or order unstayed and in effect for a period of 60 consecutive days; or

- (8) (A) the commencement by the Company or any Significant Subsidiary Guarantor of a voluntary case or proceeding under any applicable federal or state bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization or other similar law or of any other case or proceeding to be adjudicated bankrupt or insolvent, (B) the Company or any Significant Subsidiary Guarantor consents to the entry of a decree or order for relief in respect of the Company or any Significant Subsidiary Guarantor in an involuntary case or proceeding under any applicable federal or state bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization or other similar law or to the commencement of any bankruptcy or insolvency case or proceeding against it, (C) the Company or any Significant Subsidiary Guarantor files a petition or answer or consent seeking reorganization or relief under any applicable federal or state law, (D) the Company or any Significant Subsidiary Guarantor (i) consents to the filing of such petition or to the appointment of or taking possession by a custodian, receiver, liquidator, assignee, trustee, sequestrator or other similar official of the Company or such Significant Subsidiary Guarantor or of any substantial part of their respective properties, (ii) makes an assignment for the benefit of creditors or (iii) admits in writing of its inability to pay its debts generally as they become due, or (E) the Company or any Significant Subsidiary Guarantor takes any corporate action in furtherance of any such action in this paragraph (8); or
- (9) In the event the Guarantors have issued Subsidiary Guarantees with respect to the Securities of such series, any Subsidiary Guarantee shall for any reason cease to be, or shall for any reason be asserted in writing by any Guarantor or the Company not to be, in full force and effect and enforceable in accordance with its terms, except to the extent contemplated by this Indenture and any such Subsidiary Guarantee; or
  - (10) any other Event of Default provided with respect to Securities of that series.

SECTION 502. Acceleration of Maturity; Rescission and Annulment.

If an Event of Default (other than an Event of Default specified in Section 501(7) or 501(8)) with respect to Securities of any series at the time Outstanding occurs and is continuing, then in every such case the Trustee or the Holders of not less than 25% in principal amount of the Outstanding Securities of that series may, and the Trustee at the request of such Holders shall, declare all unpaid principal of, premium, if any, and accrued interest on all Securities of that series (or, if any Securities of that series are Original Issue Discount Securities, such portion of the principal amount of such Securities as may be specified by the terms thereof) to be due and payable immediately, by a notice in writing to the Company (and to the Trustee if given by Holders), and upon any such declaration, such principal, premium, if any, and interest shall ipso facto become immediately due and payable. If an Event of Default specified in Section 501(7) or

501 (8) with respect to Securities of any series at the time Outstanding occurs, then all the Securities of that series (or, if any Securities of that series are Original Issue Discount Securities, such portion of the principal amount of such Securities as may be specified by the terms thereof) shall become and be due and payable immediately in an amount equal to the principal amount of the Securities of that Series, together with accrued and unpaid interest, if any, to the date the Securities become due and payable, without any declaration or other act on the part of the Trustee or any Holder. Thereupon, the Trustee may, at its discretion, proceed to protect the rights of the Holders of the Securities by appropriate judicial proceedings.

After a declaration of acceleration with respect to Securities of any series, but before a judgment or decree for payment of the money due has been obtained by the Trustee as hereinafter in this Article provided, the Holders of a majority in aggregate principal amount of the Outstanding Securities of that series, by written notice to the Company and the Trustee, may rescind and annul such declaration and its consequences if

- (1) the Company or, if applicable, any Guarantor has paid or deposited with the Trustee a sum sufficient to pay
- (A) all sums paid or advanced by the Trustee under this Indenture and the reasonable compensation, expenses, disbursements and advances of the Trustee, its agents and counsel;
  - (B) all overdue interest on all Outstanding Securities of that series;
- (C) the principal of and premium, if any, on any Outstanding Securities of that series which have become due otherwise than by such declaration of acceleration and any interest thereon at the rate or rates prescribed therefor in such Securities; and
- (D) to the extent that payment of such interest is lawful, interest upon overdue interest at the rate or rates prescribed therefor in such Securities.
  - (2) the rescission would not conflict with any judgment or decree of a court of competent jurisdiction; and
- (3) all Events of Default with respect to Securities of that series, other than the non-payment of the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Securities of that series which have become due solely by such declaration of acceleration, have been cured or waived as provided in Section 513.

No such rescission shall affect any subsequent default or impair any right consequent thereon.

SECTION 503. Collection of Indebtedness and Suits for Enforcement by Trustee.

The Company and, if applicable, each Guarantor covenants that if

- (1) default is made in the payment of any interest on any Security when such interest becomes due and payable and such default continues for a period of 30 days, or
  - (2) default is made in the payment of the principal of or premium, if any, on any Security at the Maturity thereof or otherwise,

the Company and, if applicable, such Guarantor will, upon demand of the Trustee, pay to it, for the benefit of the Holders of such Securities, the whole amount then due and payable on such Securities for principal and premium, if any, and interest, with interest upon the overdue principal and premium, if any, and, to the extent that payment of such interest shall be legally enforceable, upon overdue installments of interest, at the rate or rates prescribed therefor in such Securities, and, in addition thereto, such further amount as shall be sufficient to cover the costs and expenses of collection, including the reasonable compensation, expenses, disbursements and advances of the Trustee, its agents and counsel.

If the Company or any Guarantor, as the case may be, fails to pay such amounts forthwith upon such demand, the Trustee, in its own name and as trustee of any express trust, may institute a judicial proceeding for the collection of the sums so due and unpaid and may prosecute such proceeding to judgment or final decree, and may enforce the same against the Company or any Guarantor or any other obligor upon the Securities and collect the moneys adjudged or decreed to be payable in the manner provided by law out of the property of the Company, any Guarantor or any other obligor upon the Securities, wherever situated.

If an Event of Default with respect to Securities of any series occurs and is continuing, the Trustee may in its discretion proceed to protect and enforce its rights and the rights of the Holders of Securities of such series by such appropriate private or judicial proceedings as the Trustee shall deem most effectual to protect and enforce any such rights, whether for the specific enforcement of any covenant or agreement in this Indenture or in aid of the exercise of any power granted herein, or to enforce any other proper remedy, subject however to Section 512. No recovery of any such judgment upon any property of the Company shall affect or impair any rights, powers or remedies of the Trustee or the Holders.

SECTION 504. Trustee May File Proofs of Claim.

In case of the pendency of any receivership, insolvency, liquidation, bankruptcy, reorganization, arrangement, adjustment, composition or other judicial proceeding relative to the Company, any Guarantor or any other obligor upon the Securities, or the property or creditors of the Company, any Guarantor or any other obligor upon the Securities, the Trustee (irrespective of whether the principal of the Securities shall then be due and payable as therein expressed or by declaration or otherwise and irrespective of whether the Trustee shall have made any demand on the Company for the payment of overdue principal or interest) shall be entitled and empowered, by intervention in such proceeding or otherwise,

(1) to file and proved a claim for the whole amount of principal, and premium, if any, and interest owing and unpaid in respect of the Securities and to file such other papers or documents as may be necessary or advisable in order to have the claims

- of the Trustee (including any claim for the reasonable compensation, expenses, disbursements and advances of the Trustee, its agents and counsel) and of the Holders allowed in such judicial proceeding, and
- (2) to collect and receive any moneys or other property payable or deliverable on any such claims and to distribute the same; and
- any custodian, receiver, assignee, trustee, liquidator, sequestrator or other similar official in any such judicial proceeding is hereby authorized by each Holder to make such payments to the Trustee and, in the event that the Trustee shall consent to the making of such payments directly to the Holders, to pay to the Trustee any amount due it for the reasonable compensation, expenses, disbursements and advances of the Trustee, its agents and counsel, and any other amounts due the Trustee under Section 607.

No provision of this Indenture shall be deemed to authorize the Trustee to authorize or consent to or accept or adopt on behalf of any Holder any plan of reorganization, arrangement, adjustment or composition affecting the Securities or any Subsidiary Guarantee or the rights of any Holder thereof or to authorize the Trustee to vote in respect of the claim of any Holder in any such proceeding.

SECTION 505. Trustee May Enforce Claims Without Possession of Securities.

All rights of action and claims under this Indenture or the Securities or any Subsidiary Guarantee may be prosecuted and enforced by the Trustee without the possession of any of the Securities or the production thereof in any proceeding relating thereto, and any such proceeding instituted by the Trustee shall be brought in its own name as trustee of an express trust, and any recovery of judgment shall, after provision for the payment of the reasonable compensation, expenses, disbursements and advances of the Trustee, its agents and counsel, be for the ratable benefit of the Holders of the Securities in respect of which such judgment has been recovered.

SECTION 506. Application of Money Collected.

Any money collected by the Trustee pursuant to this Article or otherwise on behalf of the Holders or the Trustee pursuant to this Article or through any proceeding or arrangement or restructuring in anticipation or in lieu of any proceeding contemplated by this Article shall be applied, subject to applicable law, in the following order, at the date or dates fixed by the Trustee and, in case of the distribution of such money on account of principal or any premium or interest, upon presentation of the Securities and the notation thereon of the payment if only partially paid and upon surrender thereof if fully paid:

FIRST: To the payment of all amounts due the Trustee under Section 607;

SECOND: Subject to Article Twelve, to the payment of the amounts then due and unpaid for principal of and any premium and interest on the Securities in respect of which or for the benefit of which such money has been collected, ratably, without preference or priority of

any kind, according to the amounts due and payable on such Securities for principal and any premium and interest, respectively; and

THIRD: The balance, if any, to the Person or Persons entitled thereto, including the Company, provided that all sums due and owing to the Holders and the Trustee have been paid in full as required by this Indenture.

#### SECTION 507. Limitation on Suits.

No Holder of any Security of any series shall have any right to institute any proceeding, judicial or otherwise, with respect to this Indenture, or for the appointment of a receiver or trustee, or for any other remedy hereunder, unless

- (1) such Holder has previously given written notice to the Trustee of a continuing Event of Default with respect to the Securities of that series;
- (2) the Holders of not less than 25% in principal amount of the Outstanding Securities of that series shall have made written request to the Trustee to institute proceedings in respect of such Event of Default in its own name as Trustee hereunder;
- (3) such Holder or Holders have offered to the Trustee reasonable indemnity against the costs, expenses and liabilities to be incurred in compliance with such request;
- (4) the Trustee for 15 days after its receipt of such notice, request and offer (and if requested, provision) of indemnity has failed to institute any such proceeding; and
- (5) no direction inconsistent with such written request has been given to the Trustee during such 15-day period by the Holders of a majority in principal amount of the Outstanding Securities of that series;

it being understood and intended that no one or more of such Holders shall have any right in any manner whatever by virtue of, or by availing of, any provision of this Indenture, any Security or any Subsidiary Guarantee, if any, to affect, disturb or prejudice the rights of any other of such Holders, or to obtain or to seek to obtain priority or preference over any other of such Holders or to enforce any right under this Indenture, except in the manner herein provided and for the equal and ratable benefit of all of such Holders.

SECTION 508. Unconditional Right of Holders to Receive Principal, Premium and Interest.

Notwithstanding any other provision in this Indenture, the Holder of any Security shall have the right based on the rights stated herein, which is absolute and unconditional, to receive payment of the principal of and any premium and (subject to Section 307) interest on such Security on the respective Stated Maturities expressed in such Security (or, in the case of redemption or offer by the Company to purchase the Securities pursuant to the terms of this Indenture, on the Redemption Date or purchase date, as applicable) and to institute suit for the

enforcement of any such payment, and such rights shall not be impaired without the consent of such Holder.

### SECTION 509. Restoration of Rights and Remedies.

If the Trustee or any Holder has instituted any proceeding to enforce any right or remedy under this Indenture and such proceeding has been discontinued or abandoned for any reason, or has been determined adversely to the Trustee or to such Holder, then and in every such case, subject to any determination in such proceeding, the Company, the Guarantors, the Trustee and the Holders shall be restored severally and respectively to their former positions hereunder and thereafter all rights and remedies of the Trustee and the Holders shall continue as though no such proceeding had been instituted.

### SECTION 510. Rights and Remedies Cumulative.

Except as otherwise provided with respect to the replacement or payment of mutilated, destroyed, lost or stolen Securities in the last paragraph of Section 306, no right or remedy herein conferred upon or reserved to the Trustee or to the Holders is intended to be exclusive of any other right or remedy, and every right and remedy shall, to the extent permitted by law, be cumulative and in addition to every other right and remedy given hereunder or now or hereafter existing at law or in equity or otherwise. The assertion or employment of any right or remedy hereunder, or otherwise, shall not prevent the concurrent assertion or employment of any other appropriate right or remedy.

### SECTION 511. Delay or Omission Not Waiver.

No delay or omission of the Trustee or of any Holder of any Securities to exercise any right or remedy accruing upon any Event of Default shall impair any such right or remedy or constitute a waiver of any such Event of Default or an acquiescence therein. Every right and remedy given by this Article or by law to the Trustee or to the Holders may be exercised from time to time, and as often as may be deemed expedient, by the Trustee or by the Holders, as the case may be.

### SECTION 512. Control by Holders.

The Holders of not less than a majority in aggregate principal amount of the Outstanding Securities of any series shall have the right to direct the time, method and place of conducting any proceeding for any remedy available to the Trustee, or exercising any trust or power conferred on the Trustee, with respect to the Securities of such series, provided that

(1) such direction shall not be in conflict with any rule of law or with this Indenture, expose the Trustee to personal liability, or be unduly prejudicial to Holders not joining therein, and

(2) subject to the provisions of Section 315 of the Trust Indenture Act, the Trustee may take any other action deemed proper by the Trustee which is not inconsistent with such direction.

### SECTION 513. Waiver of Past Defaults.

The Holders of not less than a majority in principal amount of the Outstanding Securities of any series may on behalf of the Holders of all the Securities of such series waive any past default hereunder with respect to such series and its consequences, except a default

- (1) in the payment of the principal of or any premium or interest on any Security of such series (including any Security which is required to have been purchased by the Company pursuant to an offer to purchase by the Company made pursuant to the terms of this Indenture) (which may only be waived with the consent of each Holder of the Securities affected), or
- (2) in respect of a covenant or provision hereof which under this Indenture cannot be modified or amended without the consent of the Holder of each Outstanding Security of such series affected by such modification or amendment.

Upon any such waiver, such default shall cease to exist, and any Event of Default arising therefrom shall be deemed to have been cured, for every purpose of this Indenture; but no such waiver shall extend to any subsequent or other default or impair any right consequent thereon.

#### SECTION 514. Undertaking for Costs.

All parties to this Indenture agree, and each Holder of any Security by his acceptance thereof shall be deemed to have agreed, that any court may in its discretion require, in any suit for the enforcement of any right or remedy under this Indenture, or in any suit against the Trustee for any action taken, suffered or omitted by it as Trustee, the filing by any party litigant in such suit of an undertaking to pay the costs of such suit, and that such court may in its discretion assess reasonable costs, including reasonable attorneys' fees, against any party litigant in such suit, having due regard to the merits and good faith of the claims or defenses made by such party litigant, but the provisions of this Section shall not apply to any suit instituted by the Trustee, to any suit instituted by any Holder, or group of Holders, holding in the aggregate more than 10% in principle amount of the Outstanding Securities, or to any suit instituted by any Holder for the enforcement of the payment of the principal of, premium, if any, or interest on, any Security on or after the respective Stated Maturity expressed in such Security (or, in the case of redemption, on or after the Redemption Date).

### SECTION 515. Waiver of Usury, Stay or Extension Laws.

Each of the Company and the Guarantors covenants (to the extent that it may lawfully do so) that it will not at any time insist upon, or plead, or in any manner whatsoever claim or take the benefit or advantage of, any usury, stay or extension law wherever enacted, now or at any time hereafter in force, which would prohibit or forgive the Company or any Guarantor from paying all or any portion of the principal of, premium, if any, or interest on the Securities

contemplated herein or in the Securities of such series, or which may affect the covenants or the performance of this Indenture; and each of the Company and the Guarantors (to the extent that it may lawfully do so) hereby expressly waives all benefit or advantage of any such law, and covenants that it will not hinder, delay or impede the execution of any power herein granted to the Trustee, but will suffer and permit the execution of every such power as though no such law had been enacted.

SECTION 516. Remedies Subject to Applicable Law.

All rights, remedies and powers provided by this Article Five may be exercised only to the extent that the exercise thereof does not violate any applicable provision of law in the premises, and all the provisions of this Indenture are intended to be subject to all applicable mandatory provisions of law which may be controlling in the premises and to be limited to the extent necessary so that they will not render this Indenture invalid, unenforceable or not entitled to be recorded, registered or filed under the provisions of any applicable law.

#### ARTICLE SIX

#### THE TRUSTEE

SECTION 601. Certain Duties and Responsibilities.

Subject to the provisions of Trust Indenture Sections 315(a) through 315(d):

- (1) if a Default or an Event of Default has occurred and is continuing, the Trustee shall exercise such of the rights and powers vested in it by this Indenture and use the same degree of care and skill in its exercise thereof as a prudent person would exercise or use under the circumstances in the conduct of his own affairs;
  - (2) except during the continuance of a Default or an Event of Default:
  - (A) the Trustee need perform only those duties as are specifically set forth in this Indenture and no covenants or obligations shall be implied in this Indenture that are adverse to the Trustee; and
  - (B) in the absence of bad faith or willful misconduct on its part, the Trustee may conclusively rely, as to the truth of the statements and the correctness of the opinions expressed therein, upon certificates or opinions furnished to the Trustee and conforming to the requirements of this Indenture. However, the Trustee shall examine the certificates and opinions to determine whether or not they conform to the requirements of this Indenture;
- (3) the Trustee may not be relieved from liability for its own negligent action, its own negligent failure to act, or its own willful misconduct, except that:
  - (A) this Subsection (3) does not limit the effect of Subsection (2) of this Section 601;

- (B) the Trustee shall not be liable for any error of judgment made in good faith by a Responsible Officer, unless it is proved that the Trustee was negligent in ascertaining the pertinent facts; and
- (C) the Trustee shall not be liable with respect to any action it takes or omits to take in good faith, in accordance with a direction of the Holders of a majority in principal amount of Outstanding Securities of any series relating to the time, method and place of conducting any proceeding for any remedy available to the Trustee, or exercising any trust or power confirmed upon the Trustee under this Indenture with respect to Securities of such series;
- (4) no provision of this Indenture shall require the Trustee to expend or risk its own funds or otherwise incur any financial liability in the performance of any of its duties hereunder or in the exercise of any of its rights or powers if it shall have reasonable grounds for believing that repayment of such funds or adequate indemnity against such risk or liability is not reasonably assured to it;
- (5) whether or not therein expressly so provided, every provision of this Indenture that in any way relates to the Trustee is subject to Subsections (1), (2), (3) and (4) and (5) of this Section 601; and
- (6) the Trustee shall not be liable for interest on any money or assets received by it except as the Trustee may agree with the Company. Assets held in trust by the Trustee need not be segregated from other assets except to the extent required by law.

#### SECTION 602. Notice of Defaults.

Within 30 days after a Responsible Officer of the Trustee receives notice of the occurrence of any Default with respect to Securities of any series, the Trustee shall transmit by mail to all Holders of Securities of such series and any other Persons entitled to receive reports pursuant to Section 313(c) of the Trust Indenture Act, as their names and addresses appear in the Security Register, notice of such Default hereunder known to the Trustee, unless such Default shall have been cured or waived; provided, however, that, except in the case of a Default in the payment of the principal of, premium, if any, or interest on any Security, the Trustee shall be protected in withholding such notice if and so long as a trust committee of Responsible Officers of the Trustee in good faith determines that the withholding of such notice is in the interest of the Holders.

### SECTION 603. Certain Rights of Trustee.

Subject to the provisions of Section 601 hereof and Trust Indenture Act Sections 315(a) through 315(d):

- (1) the Trustee may rely and shall be protected in acting or refraining from acting upon any resolution, certificate, statement, instrument, opinion, report, notice, request, direction, consent, order, bond, debenture, note, other evidence of indebtedness or other paper or document believed by it to be genuine and to have been signed or presented by the proper party or parties;
- (2) any request or direction of the Company mentioned herein shall be sufficiently evidenced by a Company Request or Company Order, and any resolution of the Board of Directors shall be sufficiently evidenced by a Board Resolution;
- (3) the Trustee may consult with counsel and any advice of such counsel or any Opinion of Counsel shall be full and complete authorization and protection in respect of any action taken, suffered or omitted by it hereunder in good faith and in reliance thereon;
- (4) the Trustee shall be under no obligation to exercise any of the rights or powers vested in it by this Indenture at the request or direction of any of the Holders pursuant to this Indenture, unless such Holders shall have offered to the Trustee reasonable security or indemnity against the costs, expenses and liabilities which might be incurred by it in compliance with such request or direction;
- (5) the Trustee shall not be liable for any action taken or omitted by it in good faith and believed by it to be authorized or within the discretion, rights or powers conferred upon it by this Indenture other than any liabilities arising out of the negligence, bad faith or willful misconduct of the Trustee;
- (6) the Trustee shall not be bound to make any investigation into the facts or matters stated in any resolution, certificate, statement, instrument, opinion, report, notice, request, direction, consent, order, approval, appraisal, bond, debenture, note, coupon, security or other paper or document unless requested in writing to do so by the Holders of not less than a majority in aggregate principal amount of Securities of any series then Outstanding; provided that, if the payment within a reasonable time to the Trustee of the costs, expenses or liabilities likely to be incurred by it in the making of such investigation is, in the opinion of the Trustee, not reasonably assured to the Trustee by the security afforded to it by the terms of this Indenture, the Trustee may require reasonable indemnity against such expenses or liabilities as a condition to proceeding; the reasonable expenses of every such investigation so requested by the Holders of not less than 25% in aggregate principal amount of the Securities Outstanding of such series shall be paid by the Company or, if paid by the Trustee or any predecessor Trustee, shall be repaid by the Company upon demand; provided, further, the Trustee in its discretion may make such further inquiry or investigation into such facts or matters as it may deem fit, and, if

Trustee shall determine to make such further inquiry or investigation, it shall be entitled to examine the books, records and premises of the Company, personally or by agent or attorney;

- (7) the Trustee may execute any of the trusts or powers hereunder or perform any duties hereunder either directly or by or through agents or attorneys and the Trustee shall not be responsible for any misconduct or negligence on the part of any agent or attorney appointed with due care by it hereunder;
- (8) Except with respect to Section 1001, the Trustee shall have no duty to inquire as to the performance of the Company with respect to the covenants contained in Article 10. In addition, the Trustee shall not be deemed to have knowledge of an Event of Default except (A) any Default or Event of Default occurring pursuant to Sections 1001, 501(1), 501(2) or 501(3) or (B) any Default or Event of Default of which the Trustee shall have received written notification or obtained actual knowledge; and
- (9) Delivery of reports, information and documents to the Trustee is for informational purposes only and the Trustee's receipt of the foregoing shall not constitute constructive notice of any information contained therein or determinable from information contained therein, including the Company's compliance with any of their covenants hereunder (as to which the Trustee is entitled to rely exclusively on Officer's Certificates).

### SECTION 604. Not Responsible for Recitals or Issuance of Securities.

The recitals contained herein and in the Securities and the Subsidiary Guarantees, except the Trustee's certificates of authentication, shall be taken as the statements of the Company or the Guarantors, as the case may be, and neither the Trustee nor any Authenticating Agent assumes any responsibility for their correctness. The Trustee makes no representations as to the validity or sufficiency of this Indenture or of the Securities or the Subsidiary Guarantees endorsed thereon, except that the Trustee represents that it is duly authorized to execute and deliver this Indenture, authenticate the Securities and perform its obligations hereunder and that the statements made by it in any Statement of Eligibility and Qualification on Form T-1 supplied to the Company are true and accurate subject to the qualifications set forth therein. Neither the Trustee nor any Authenticating Agent shall be accountable for the use or application by the Company of Securities or the proceeds thereof.

# SECTION 605. May Hold Securities.

The Trustee, any Authenticating Agent, any Paying Agent, any Security Registrar or any other agent of the Company or any Guarantor, in its individual or any other capacity, may become the owner or pledgee of Securities, with the same rights it would have if it were not the Trustee, Paying Agent, Authenticating Agent, Security Registrar or such other agent and, subject to Trust Indenture Act Sections 310 and 311, may otherwise deal with the Company and any Guarantor and receive, collect, hold and return collections from the Company with the same

rights it would have if it were not Trustee, Authenticating Agent, Paying Agent, Security Registrar or such other agent.

SECTION 606. Money Held in Trust.

All moneys received by the Trustee shall, until used or applied as herein provided, be held in trust for the purposes for which they were received, but need not be segregated from other funds except to the extent required by mandatory provisions of law. Except for funds or securities deposited with the Trustee pursuant to Article Fifteen, the Trustee shall be required to invest all moneys received by the Trustee, until used or applied as herein provided, in temporary cash investments in accordance with the directions of the Company.

SECTION 607. Compensation and Reimbursement.

The Company covenants and agrees to pay to the Trustee from time to time, and the Trustee shall be entitled to, such compensation as the parties shall agree in writing from time to time for all services rendered by it hereunder (which compensation shall not be limited by any provision of law in regard to the compensation of a trustee of an express trust) and the Company covenants and agrees to pay or reimburse the Trustee and each predecessor Trustee upon its request for all reasonable expenses, disbursements and advances incurred or made by or on behalf of the Trustee in accordance with any of the provisions of this Indenture (including the reasonable compensation and the expenses and disbursements of its counsel and of all agents and other persons not regularly in its employ) except any such expense, disbursement or advance as may arise from its negligence, bad faith or willful misconduct. The Company also covenants and agrees to indemnify the Trustee and each predecessor Trustee for, and to hold it harmless against, any claim, loss, liability, tax, assessment or other governmental charge (other than taxes applicable to the Trustee's compensation hereunder) or expense incurred without negligence, bad faith or willful misconduct on its part arising out of or in connection with the acceptance or administration of this Indenture or the trusts hereunder and its duties hereunder, including enforcement of this Section 607 and also including any liability which the Trustee may incur as a result of failure to withhold, pay or report any tax, assessment or other governmental charge, and the costs and expenses of defending itself against or investigating any claim or liability in connection with the exercise or performance of any of its powers or duties hereunder. The obligations of the Company under this Section 607 to compensate and indemnify the Trustee and each predecessor Trustee and to pay or reimburse the Trustee and each predecessor Trustee for reasonable expenses, disbursements and advances shall constitute an additional obligation hereunder and shall survive the satisfaction and discharge of this Indenture and the resignation or removal of the Trustee and each predecessor Trustee.

SECTION 608. Conflicting Interests.

The Trustee shall comply with the provisions of Section 310(b) of the Trust Indenture Act.

### SECTION 609. Corporate Trustee Required; Eligibility.

There shall at all times be one (and only one) Trustee hereunder with respect to the Securities of each series, which may be Trustee hereunder for Securities of one or more other series. Each Trustee shall be a Person that is eligible to act as trustee under Trust Indenture Act Section 310(a) and is a member of a bank holding company which shall have a combined capital and surplus of at least \$250,000,000, to the extent there is an institution eligible and willing to serve. If the Trustee does not have a Corporate Trust Office in The City of New York, the Trustee may appoint an agent in The City of New York reasonably acceptable to the Company to conduct any activities which the Trustee may be required under this Indenture to conduct in the City of New York. If such Trustee publishes reports of condition at least annually, pursuant to law or to the requirements of federal, state, territorial or District of Columbia supervising or examining authority, then for the purposes of this Section 609, the combined capital and surplus of such corporation shall be deemed to be its combined capital and surplus as set forth in its most recent report of condition so published. If at any time the Trustee with respect to the Securities of any series shall cease to be eligible in accordance with the provisions of this Section 609, the Trustee shall resign immediately in the manner and with the effect hereinafter specified in this Article.

#### SECTION 610. Resignation and Removal; Appointment of Successor.

- (1) No resignation or removal of the Trustee and no appointment of a successor Trustee pursuant to this Article shall become effective until the acceptance of appointment by the successor Trustee in accordance with the applicable requirements of Section 611.
- (2) The Trustee may resign at any time with respect to the Securities of one or more series by giving written notice thereof to the Company no later than 20 Business Days prior to the proposed date of resignation. Upon receiving such notice of resignation, the Company shall promptly appoint a successor Trustee by written instrument executed by authority of the Board of Directors of the Company, a copy of which shall be delivered to the resigning Trustee and a copy to the successor Trustee. If an instrument of acceptance by a successor Trustee shall not have been delivered to the Trustee within 30 days after the giving of such notice of resignation, the resigning Trustee may, or any Holder who has been a bona fide Holder of a Security for at least six months may, on behalf of himself and all others similarly situated, petition any court of competent jurisdiction for the appointment of a successor Trustee with respect to the Securities of such series. Such court may thereupon, after such notice, if any, as it may deem proper, appoint and prescribe a successor Trustee.
- (3) The Trustee may be removed at any time for any cause or for no cause with respect to the Securities of any series by Act of the Holders of not less than a majority in aggregate principal amount of the Outstanding Securities of such series, delivered to the Trustee and to the Company.
  - (4) If at any time:

- (A) the Trustee shall fail to comply with the provisions of Trust Indenture Act Section 310(b) after written request therefor by the Company or by any Holder who has been a bona fide Holder of a Security for at least six months, or
- (B) the Trustee shall cease to be eligible under Section 609 and shall fail to resign after written request therefor by the Company or by any Holder who has been a bona fide Holder of a Security for at least six months, or
- (C) the Trustee shall become incapable of acting or shall be adjudged a bankrupt or insolvent or a receiver of the Trustee or of its property shall be appointed or any public officer shall take charge or control of the Trustee or of its property or affairs for the purpose of rehabilitation, conservation or liquidation,

then, in any such case, (i) the Company by a Board Resolution may remove the Trustee with respect to all Securities, or (ii) subject to Section 514, any Holder who has been a bona fide Holder of a Security for at least six months may, on behalf of himself and all others similarly situated, petition any court of competent jurisdiction for the removal of the Trustee with respect to all Securities and the appointment of a successor Trustee or Trustees. Such court may thereupon, after such notice, if any, as it may deem proper and prescribe, remove the Trustee and appoint a successor Trustee.

- (5) If the Trustee shall resign, be removed or become incapable of acting, or if a vacancy shall occur in the office of Trustee for any cause, with respect to the Securities of one or more series, the Company, by a Board Resolution, shall promptly appoint a successor Trustee or Trustees with respect to the Securities of that or those series (it being understood that any such successor Trustee may be appointed with respect to the Securities of one or more or all of such series and that at any time there shall be only one Trustee with respect to the Securities of any particular series) and shall comply with the applicable requirements of Section 611. If, within 60 days after such resignation, removal or incapability, or the occurrence of such vacancy, the Company has not appointed a successor Trustee, a successor Trustee with respect to the Securities of any series shall be appointed by Act of the Holders of a majority in principal amount of the Outstanding Securities of such series delivered to the Company and the retiring Trustee. Such successor Trustee so appointed shall, forthwith upon its acceptance of such appointment, become the successor Trustee with respect to the Securities of such series and to that extent supersede the successor Trustee appointed by the Company. If no successor Trustee with respect to the Securities of any series shall have been so appointed by the Company or the Holders and accepted appointment in the manner required by Section 611, the Trustee or any Holder who has been a bona fide Holder of a Security of such series for at least six months may subject to Section 514, on behalf of himself and all others similarly situated, petition any court of competent jurisdiction for the appointment of a successor Trustee with respect to the Securities of such series.
- (6) The Company shall give notice of each resignation and each removal of the Trustee with respect to the Securities of any series and each appointment of a successor Trustee with respect to the Securities of any series by mailing written notice of such event by first-class

mail, postage prepaid to all Holders of Securities of such series as their names and addresses appear in the Security Register. Each notice shall include the name of the successor Trustee with respect to the Securities of such series and the address of its Corporate Trust Office or agent thereunder.

### SECTION 611. Acceptance of Appointment by Successor.

Every successor Trustee appointed hereunder shall execute, acknowledge and deliver to the Company, the Guarantors and to the retiring Trustee an instrument accepting such appointment, and thereupon the resignation or removal of the retiring Trustee shall become effective and such successor Trustee, without any further act, deed or conveyance, shall become vested with all the rights, powers, trusts and duties of the retiring Trustee as if originally named as Trustee hereunder; but, nevertheless, on the written request of the Company or the successor Trustee, upon payment of its charges pursuant to Section 607 then unpaid, such retiring Trustee shall pay over to the successor Trustee all moneys at the time held by it hereunder and shall execute and deliver an instrument transferring to such successor Trustee all such rights, powers, duties and obligations. Upon request of any such successor Trustee, the Company shall execute any and all instruments for more fully and certainly vesting in and confirming to such successor Trustee all such rights and powers.

No successor Trustee with respect to the Securities shall accept appointment as provided in this Section 611 unless at the time of such acceptance such successor Trustee shall be eligible to act as trustee under the provisions of Trust Indenture Act Section 310(a) and this Article Six and shall have a combined capital and surplus of at least \$250,000,000 and have a corporate trust office or an agent selected in accordance with Section 609.

Upon acceptance of appointment by any successor Trustee as provided in this Section 611, the Company shall give notice thereof to the Holders of the Securities, by mailing such notice to such Holders at their addresses as they shall appear on the Security Register. If the acceptance of appointment is substantially contemporaneous with the appointment, then the notice called for by the preceding sentence may be combined with the notice called for by Section 610. If the Company fails to give such notice within 10 days after acceptance of appointment by the successor Trustee, the successor Trustee shall cause such notice to be given at the expense of the Company.

# SECTION 612. Merger, Conversion, Consolidation or Succession to Business.

Any corporation into which the Trustee may be merged or converted or with which it may be consolidated, or any corporation resulting from any merger, conversion or consolidation to which the Trustee shall be a party, or any corporation succeeding to all or substantially all of the corporate trust business of the Trustee (including the trust created by this Indenture) shall be the successor of the Trustee hereunder, provided that such corporation shall be eligible under Trust Indenture Act Section 310(a) and this Article Six and shall have a combined capital and surplus of at least \$250,000,000 and have a Corporate Trust Office or an agent selected in accordance with Section 609, without the execution or filing of any paper or any further act on the part of any of the parties hereto.

In case at the time such successor to the Trustee shall succeed to the trusts created by this Indenture any of the Securities shall have been authenticated but not delivered, any such successor to the Trustee may adopt the certificate of authentication of any predecessor Trustee and deliver such Securities so authenticated; and, in case at that time any of the Securities shall not have been authenticated, any successor to the Trustee may authenticate such Securities either in the name of any predecessor hereunder or in the name of the successor Trustee; and in such cases such certificate shall have the full force which it is anywhere in the Securities or in this Indenture provided that the certificate of the Trustee shall have; provided that the right to adopt the certificate of authentication of any predecessor Trustee or to authenticate Securities in the name of any predecessor Trustee shall apply only to its successor or successors by merger, conversion or consolidation.

### SECTION 613. Preferential Collection of Claims Against Company and Guarantors.

If and when the Trustee shall be or become a creditor of the Company, any Guarantor or any other obligor upon the Securities, the Trustee shall be subject to the provisions of the Trust Indenture Act regarding the collection of claims against the Company, such Guarantor or any such other obligor.

### SECTION 614. Appointment of Authenticating Agent.

The Trustee may appoint an Authenticating Agent or Agents with respect to one or more series of Securities which shall be authorized to act on behalf of the Trustee to authenticate Securities of such series issued upon original issue and upon exchange, registration of transfer or partial redemption thereof or pursuant to Section 306, and Securities so authenticated shall be entitled to the benefits of this Indenture and shall be valid and obligatory for all purposes as if authenticated by the Trustee hereunder. Wherever reference is made in this Indenture to the authentication and delivery of Securities by the Trustee or the Trustee's certificate of authentication, such reference shall be deemed to include authentication and delivery on behalf of the Trustee by an Authenticating Agent and a certificate of authentication executed on behalf of the Trustee by an Authenticating Agent. Each Authenticating Agent shall be acceptable to the Company and shall at all times be a corporation organized and doing business under the laws of the United States of America, any State thereof or the District of Columbia, authorized under such laws to act as Authenticating Agent, having a combined capital and surplus of not less than \$250,000,000 and subject to supervision or examination by Federal or State authority. If such Authenticating Agent publishes reports of condition at least annually, pursuant to law or to the requirements of said supervising or examining authority, then for the purposes of this Section, the combined capital and surplus of such Authenticating Agent shall be deemed to be its combined capital and surplus as set forth in its most recent report of condition so published. If at any time an Authenticating Agent shall cease to be eligible in accordance with the provisions of this Section, such Authenticating Agent shall resign immediately in the manner and with the effect specified in this Section.

Any corporation into which an Authenticating Agent may be merged or converted or with which it may be consolidated, or any corporation resulting from any merger, conversion or

consolidation to which such Authenticating Agent shall be a party, or any corporation succeeding to the corporate agency or corporate trust business of an Authenticating Agent, shall continue to be an Authenticating Agent, provided such corporation shall be otherwise eligible under this Section, without the execution or filing of any paper or any further act on the part of the Trustee or the Authenticating Agent.

An Authenticating Agent may resign at any time by giving written notice thereof to the Trustee and to the Company. The Trustee may at any time terminate the agency of an Authenticating Agent by giving written notice thereof to such Authenticating Agent and to the Company. Upon receiving such a notice of resignation or upon such a termination, or in case at any time such Authenticating Agent shall cease to be eligible in accordance with the provisions of this Section, the Trustee may appoint a successor Authenticating Agent which shall be acceptable to the Company and shall give notice of such appointment in the manner provided in Section 106 to all Holders of Securities of the series with respect to which such Authenticating Agent will serve. Any successor Authenticating Agent upon acceptance of its appointment hereunder shall become vested with all the rights, powers and duties of its predecessor hereunder, with like effect as if originally named as an Authenticating Agent. No successor Authenticating Agent shall be appointed unless eligible under the provisions of this Section.

The Trustee agrees to pay to each Authenticating Agent from time to time reasonable compensation for its services under this Section, and the Trustee shall be entitled to be reimbursed for such payments, subject to the provisions of Section 607.

If an appointment with respect to one or more series is made pursuant to this Section, the Securities of such series may have endorsed thereon, in addition to the Trustee's certificate of authentication, an alternative certificate of authentication in the following form:

This is one of the Securities of the series designated therein referred to in the within-mentioned Indenture.

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	Authorized Officer

#### ARTICLE SEVEN

#### HOLDERS' LISTS AND REPORTS BY TRUSTEE AND COMPANY

SECTION 701. Company to Furnish Trustee Names and Addresses of Holders.

The Company will furnish or cause to be furnished to the Trustee

- (1) semi-annually, not more than 10 days after each Regular Record Date, a list, in such form as the Trustee may reasonably require, of the names and addresses of the Holders of Securities of each series as of such Regular Record Date; and
- (2) at such other times as the Trustee may reasonably request in writing, within 30 days after the receipt by the Company of any such request, a list of similar form and content to that in subsection (1) hereof as of a date not more than 15 days prior to the time such list is furnished:

provided, however, that if and so long as the Trustee shall be the Security Registrar, no such list need be furnished.

SECTION 702. Disclosure of Names and Addresses of Holders.

Holders may communicate pursuant to Trust Indenture Act Section 312(b) with other Holders with respect to their rights under this Indenture or the Securities, and the Trustee shall comply with Trust Indenture Act Section 312(b). The Company, the Trustee, the Security Registrar and any other Person shall have the protection of Trust Indenture Act Section 312(c). Further, every Holder of Securities, by receiving and holding the same, agrees with the Company and the Trustee that neither the Company nor the Trustee or any agent of either of them shall be held accountable by reason of the disclosure of any information as to the names and addresses of the Holders in accordance with Trust Indenture Act Section 312, regardless of the source from which such information was derived, and that the Trustee shall not be held accountable by reason of mailing any material pursuant to a request made under Trust Indenture Act Section 312.

### SECTION 703. Reports by Trustee.

- (1) The Trustee, if so required under the Trust Indenture Act, shall transmit by mail to all Holders, at the times, in the manner and to the extent provided in Trust Indenture Act Section 313(c), a brief report dated as of such mailing date in accordance with and with respect to the matters required by Trust Indenture Act Section 313(a). The Trustee shall also transmit by mail to all Holders, at the times, in the manner and to the extent provided in Trust Indenture Act Section 313(c), a brief report in accordance with and with respect to the matters required by Trust Indenture Act Section 313(b)(2).
- (2) A copy of each such report shall, at the time of such transmission to Holders, be filed by the Trustee with each stock exchange upon which any Securities are listed, with the Commission and with the Company and with the Guarantors. The Company will notify the Trustee when any Securities are listed on any stock exchange.

SECTION 704. Reports by Company and Guarantors.

The Company and each Guarantor, as the case may be, shall:

- (1) file with the Trustee, within 15 days after the Company or any Guarantor, as the case may be, is required to file the same with the Commission, copies of the annual reports and of the information, documents and other reports (or copies of such portions of any of the foregoing as the Commission may from time to time by rules and regulations prescribe) which the Company or any Guarantor may be required to file with the Commission pursuant to Section 13 or Section 15(d) of the Exchange Act; or, if the Company or any Guarantor, as the case may be, is not required to file information, documents or reports pursuant to either of said Sections, then it shall (A) deliver to the Trustee annual audited financial statements of the Company and its Subsidiaries, prepared on a consolidated basis in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles, within 120 days after the end of each fiscal year of the Company, and (B) file with the Trustee and, to the extent permitted by law, the Commission, in accordance with the rules and regulations prescribed from time to time by the Commission, such of the supplementary and periodic information, documents and reports which may be required pursuant to Section 13 of the Exchange Act in respect of a security listed and registered on a national securities exchange as may be prescribed from time to time in such rules and regulations;
- (2) file with the Trustee and the Commission, in accordance with the rules and regulations prescribed from time to time by the Commission, such additional information, documents and reports with respect to compliance by the Company or any Guarantor, as the case may be, with the conditions and covenants of this Indenture as are required from time to time by such rules and regulations (including such information, documents and reports referred to in Trust Indenture Act Section 314(a)); and
- (3) within 15 days after the filing thereof with the Trustee, transmit by mail to all Holders in the manner and to the extent provided in Trust Indenture Act Section 313(c), such summaries of any information, documents and reports required to be filed by the Company or any Guarantor, as the case may be, pursuant to Section 1019 hereunder and subsections (1) and (2) of this Section as are required by rules and regulations prescribed from time to time by the Commission.

#### ARTICLE EIGHT

### CONSOLIDATION, MERGER OR SALE OF ASSETS

SECTION 801. Company and Guarantors May Consolidate, Etc., Only on Certain Terms.

(1) The Company will not, in a single transaction or through a series of related transactions, consolidate with or merge with or into any other Person or sell assign, convey, transfer, lease or otherwise dispose of all or substantially all of its properties and assets to any Person or group of Persons, or permit any of its Significant Subsidiaries to enter into any such transaction or series of related transactions if such transaction or series of related transactions, in the aggregate, would result in a sale, assignment, conveyance, transfer, lease or disposition of all or substantially all of the properties and assets of the Company and its Significant Subsidiaries on a consolidated basis to any other Person or group of Persons, unless at the time and after giving effect thereto:

- (A) either (i) the Company will be the continuing corporation (in the case of a consolidation or merger involving the Company) or (ii) the Person (if other than the Company) formed by such consolidation or into which the Company is merged or the Person which acquires by sale, assignment, conveyance, transfer, lease or disposition all or substantially all of the properties and assets of the Company and its Subsidiaries on a consolidated basis (the "Surviving Entity") will be a corporation duly organized and validly existing under the laws of the United States of America, any state thereof or the District of Columbia and such Person expressly assumes, by a supplemental indenture, in a form reasonably satisfactory to the Trustee, all the obligations of the Company under the Securities and this Indenture will remain in full force and effect as so supplemented;
- (B) immediately before and immediately after giving effect to such transaction on a *pro forma* basis (and treating any Indebtedness not previously an obligation of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries which becomes the obligation of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries as a result of such transaction as having been incurred at the time of such transaction), no Default or Event of Default will have occurred and be continuing;
- (C) at the time of the transaction, each Guarantor, if any, unless it is the other party to the transactions described above, will have by supplemental indenture confirmed that its Subsidiary Guarantee shall apply to such Person's obligations under this Indenture and under the Securities;
- (D) at the time of the transactions the Company or the Surviving Entity will have delivered, or caused to be delivered, to the Trustee, in form and substance reasonably satisfactory to the Trustee, an Officers' Certificate and an Opinion of Counsel, each to the effect that such consolidation, merger, transfer, sale, assignment, conveyance, transfer, lease or other transaction and the supplemental indenture in respect thereof comply with this Indenture and that all conditions precedent herein provided for relating to such transaction have been complied with.
- Each Guarantor will not, and the Company will not permit a Guarantor to, in a single transaction or through a series of related transactions, consolidate with or merge with or into any other Person (other than the Company or any Guarantor) or sell, assign, convey, transfer, lease or otherwise dispose of all or substantially all of its properties and assets on a consolidated basis to any Person or group of Persons (other than the Company or any Guarantor), or permit any of its Significant Subsidiaries to enter into any such transaction or series of transactions if such transaction or series of transactions, in the aggregate, would result in a sale, assignment, conveyance, transfer, lease or disposition of all or substantially all of the properties and assets of the Guarantor and its Subsidiaries on a consolidated basis to any other Person or group of Persons (other than the Company or any Guarantor), unless at the time and after giving effect thereto:
  - (A) either (i) the Guarantor will be the continuing corporation (in the case of a consolidation or merger involving the Guarantor) or (ii) the Person (if other than the Guarantor) formed by such consolidation or into which such Guarantor is merged or the

Person which acquires by sale, assignment, conveyance, transfer, lease or disposition all or substantially all of the properties and assets of the Guarantor and its Significant Subsidiaries on a consolidated basis (the "Surviving Guarantor Entity") duly organized and validly existing under the laws of the United States of America, any state thereof or the District of Columbia and such Person expressly assumes, by a supplemental indenture, in a form satisfactory to the Trustee, all the obligations of such Guarantor under its Subsidiary Guarantee of the Securities and this Indenture and such Subsidiary Guarantee and Indenture will remain in full force and effect;

- (B) immediately before and immediately after giving effect to such transaction, on a *pro forma* basis, no Default or Event of Default will have occurred and be continuing; and
- (C) at the time of the transaction such Guarantor or the Surviving Guarantor Entity will have delivered, or caused to be delivered, to the Trustee, in form and substance reasonably satisfactory to the Trustee, an Officers' Certificate and an Opinion of Counsel, each to the effect that such consolidation, merger, transfer, sale, assignment, conveyance, lease or other transaction and the supplemental indenture in respect thereof comply with this Indenture and that all conditions precedent therein provided for relating to such transaction have been complied with.
- (3) Notwithstanding the foregoing, the provisions of Section 801(2) shall not apply to any Guarantor whose Subsidiary Guarantee is unconditionally released and discharged in accordance with Article Thirteen.

### SECTION 802. Successor Substituted.

Upon any consolidation or merger, or any sale, assignment, conveyance, transfer, lease or disposition of all or substantially all of the properties and assets of the Company or any Guarantor, if any, in accordance with Section 801, the successor Person formed by such consolidation or into which the Company or such Guarantor, as the case may be, is merged or the successor Person to which such sale, assignment conveyance, transfer, lease or disposition is made shall succeed to, and be substituted for, and may exercise every right and power of the Company or such Guarantor, as the case may be, under this Indenture, the Securities and/or the related Subsidiary Guarantee, as the case may be, with the same effect as if such successor had been named as the Company or such Guarantor, as the case may be, herein, in the Securities and/or in the Subsidiary Guarantee, as the case may be, and the Company or such Guarantor, as the case may be, shall be discharged from all obligations and covenants under this Indenture and the Securities or its Subsidiary Guarantee, as the case may be; provided that in the case of a transfer by lease or a sale of substantially all of the assets of the Company or a Guarantor that results in the sale, assignment, conveyance, transfer or other disposition of assets constituting or accounting for less than 95% of the consolidated assets, revenues or consolidated net income (loss) of the Company or such Guarantor, as the case may be, the predecessor shall not be released from the payment of principal and interest on the Securities or its Subsidiary Guarantee, as the case may be.

#### ARTICLE NINE

#### SUPPLEMENTAL INDENTURES

SECTION 901. Supplemental Indentures and Agreements Without Consent of Holders.

Without the consent of any Holders, the Company, when authorized by a Board Resolution, the Guarantors, when authorized by their respective Board Resolutions, and the Trustee, at any time and from time to time, may enter into one or more indentures supplemental hereto or agreements or other instruments with respect to this Indenture, in form satisfactory to the Trustee, for any of the following purposes:

- (1) to evidence the succession of another Person to the Company or any Guarantor and the assumption by any such successor of the covenants of the Company or any Guarantor herein and in the Securities or Subsidiary Guarantees, as the case may be; or
- (2) to add to the covenants of the Company for the benefit of the Holders of all or any series of Securities (and if such covenants are to be for the benefit of less than all series of Securities, stating that such covenants are expressly being included solely for the benefit of such series) or to surrender any right or power herein conferred upon the Company; or
- (3) to add any additional Events of Default for the benefit of the Holders of all or any series of Securities (and if such additional Events of Default are to be for the benefit of less than all series of Securities, stating that such additional Events of Default are expressly being included solely for the benefit of such series); or
- (4) to add to or change any of the provisions of this Indenture to such extent as shall be necessary to permit or facilitate the issuance of Securities in bearer form, registrable or not registrable as to principal, and with or without interest coupons, or to permit or facilitate the issuance of Securities in uncertificated form; or
- (5) to add to, change or eliminate any of the provisions of this Indenture in respect of one or more series of Securities, provided that any such addition, change or elimination (A) shall neither (i) apply to any Security of any series created prior to the execution of such supplemental indenture and entitled to the benefit of such provision nor (ii) modify the rights of the Holder of any such Security with respect to such provision or (B) shall become effective only when there is no such Security Outstanding; or
  - (6) to secure the Securities; or
  - (7) to establish the form or terms of Securities of any series as permitted by Sections 201 and 301; or

- (8) to evidence and provide for the acceptance of appointment hereunder by a successor Trustee with respect to the Securities of one or more series and to add to or change any of the provisions of this Indenture as shall be necessary to provide for or facilitate the administration of the trusts hereunder by more than one Trustee, pursuant to the requirements of Section 611; or
- (9) to cure any ambiguity, to correct or supplement any provision herein which may be defective or inconsistent with any other provision herein, or to make any other provisions with respect to matters or questions arising under this Indenture, provided that such action pursuant to this Clause (9) shall not adversely affect the interests of the Holders of Securities of any series in any material respect; or
  - (10) to add new Guarantors.

SECTION 902. Supplemental Indentures With Consent of Holders.

Except as permitted by Section 901, with the consent of the Holders of at least a majority in aggregate principal amount of the Outstanding Securities of each series affected by such supplemental indenture, by Act of said Holders delivered to the Company, the Guarantors, if any, and the Trustee, the Company, when authorized by a Board Resolution, the Guarantors, if any, when authorized by their respective Board Resolutions and the Trustee may (i) enter into an indenture or indentures supplemental hereto or agreements or other instruments with respect to this Indenture, in form satisfactory to the Trustee for the purpose of adding any provisions to or amending, modifying or changing in any manner or eliminating any of the provisions of this Indenture (including, but not limited to, for the purpose of modifying in any manner the rights of the Holders of Securities of such series under this Indenture) or (ii) waive compliance with any provision in this Indenture (other than waivers of past Defaults covered by Section 513 and waivers of covenants which are covered by Section 1009); provided, however, that no such supplemental indenture agreement or instrument shall, without the consent of the Holder of each Outstanding Security affected thereby,

- (1) change the Stated Maturity of the principal of, or any installment of principal of or interest on, any Security, or reduce the principal amount thereof or the rate of interest thereon or any premium payable upon the redemption thereof, or reduce the amount of the principal of an Original Issue Discount Security or any other Security which would be due and payable upon a declaration of acceleration of the Maturity thereof pursuant to Section 502, or change any Place of Payment where, or the coin or currency in which, any Security or any premium or interest thereon is payable, or impair the right to institute suit for the enforcement of any such payment on or after the Stated Maturity thereof (or, in the case of redemption, on or after the Redemption Date or in the case of an offer to purchase Securities which has been made pursuant to a covenant contained in this Indenture, on or after the applicable purchase date);
- (2) reduce the percentage in principal amount of the Outstanding Securities of any series, the consent of whose Holders is required for any such supplemental indenture,

or the consent of whose Holders is required for any waiver or compliance with certain provisions of this Indenture;

- (3) modify any of the provisions of this Section 902, Section 513 or Section 1009, except to increase any such percentage of Outstanding Securities required for any such actions or to provide that certain other provisions of this Indenture cannot be modified or waived without the consent of the Holder of each Outstanding Security affected thereby; provided, however, that this clause shall not be deemed to require the consent of any Holder with respect to changes in the references to "the Trustee" and concomitant changes in this Section 902 and Section 1009, or the deletion of this proviso, in accordance with the requirements of Sections 611 and 901(8);
- (4) except as otherwise permitted under Article Eight, consent to the assignment or transfer by the Company or any Guarantor of any of its rights and obligations hereunder;
- (5) amend or modify any of the provisions of this Indenture in any manner which subordinates the Securities issued hereunder in right of payment to any other Indebtedness of the Company or which subordinates any Subsidiary Guarantee in right of payment to any other Indebtedness of the Guarantor issuing such Subsidiary Guarantee; or
- (6) following the making of an offer to purchase Securities which has been made pursuant to a covenant contained in this Indenture, modify the provisions of this Indenture with respect to such offer to purchase in a manner adverse to such Holder. A supplemental indenture which changes or eliminates any covenant or other provision of this Indenture which has expressly been included solely for the benefit of one or more particular series of Securities, or which modifies the rights of the Holders of Securities of such series with respect to such covenant or other provision, shall be deemed not to affect the rights under this Indenture of the Holders of Securities of any other series.

Upon a Company Request accompanied by a copy of a Board Resolution authorizing the execution of any such supplemental indenture, and upon the filing with the Trustee of evidence of the consent of Holders as aforesaid, the Trustee shall join with the Company in the execution of such supplemental indenture.

It shall not be necessary for any Act of Holders under this Section to approve the particular form of any proposed supplemental indenture, but it shall be sufficient if such Act shall approve the substance thereof.

SECTION 903. Execution of Supplemental Indentures.

In executing, or accepting the additional trusts created by, any supplemental indenture, agreement, instrument or waiver permitted by this Article Nine or the modifications thereby of the trusts created by this Indenture, the Trustee shall be entitled to receive, and (subject to Trust Indenture Act Sections 315(a) through 315(d) and Section 603(1) hereof) shall be fully protected

in relying upon, an Opinion of Counsel and an Officers' Certificate stating that the execution of such supplemental indenture, agreement or instrument (i) is authorized or permitted by this Indenture and (ii) does not violate the provisions of any agreement or instrument evidencing any other Indebtedness of the Company, any Guarantor or any other Significant Subsidiary. The Trustee may, but shall not be obligated to, enter into any such supplemental indenture, agreement or instrument which affects the Trustee's own rights, duties or immunities under this Indenture, any Subsidiary Guarantee or otherwise.

SECTION 904. Effect of Supplemental Indentures.

Upon the execution of any supplemental indenture under this Article, this Indenture shall be modified in accordance therewith, and such supplemental indenture shall form a part of this Indenture for all purposes; and every Holder of Securities theretofore or thereafter authenticated and delivered hereunder shall be bound thereby.

SECTION 905. Conformity with Trust Indenture Act.

Every supplemental indenture executed pursuant to this Article shall conform to the requirements of the Trust Indenture Act.

SECTION 906. Reference in Securities to Supplemental Indentures.

Securities of any series authenticated and delivered after the execution of any supplemental indenture pursuant to this Article may, and shall if required by the Trustee, bear a notation in form approved by the Trustee as to any matter provided for in such supplemental indenture. If the Company shall so determine, new Securities of any series so modified as to conform, in the opinion of the Trustee and the Company, to any such supplemental indenture may be prepared and executed by the Company, if applicable the Subsidiary Guarantees may be endorsed thereon and such new Securities may be authenticated and delivered by the Trustee in exchange for Outstanding Securities of such series.

# ARTICLE TEN

### **COVENANTS**

SECTION 1001. Payment of Principal, Premium and Interest.

The Company covenants and agrees for the benefit of each series of Securities that it will duly and punctually pay the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Securities of that series in accordance with the terms of the Securities and this Indenture.

### SECTION 1002. Maintenance of Office or Agency.

The Company shall maintain in each Place of Payment for any series of Securities an office or agency where Securities of that series may be presented or surrendered for payment, where Securities of that series may be surrendered for registration of transfer or exchange and where notices and demands to or upon the Company or any Guarantor in respect of the Securities of that series or any Subsidiary Guarantee and this Indenture may be served. The Company will give prompt written notice to the Trustee of the location, and any change in the location, of such office or agency. If at any time the Company shall fail to maintain any such required office or agency or shall fail to furnish the Trustee with the address thereof, such presentations, surrenders, notices and demands may be made or served at the Corporate Trust Office of the Trustee, and the Company and each Guarantor hereby appoints the Trustee as its agent to receive all such presentations, surrenders, notices and demands.

The Company may also from time to time designate one or more other offices or agencies where the Securities of one or more series may be presented or surrendered for any or all such purposes and may from time to time rescind such designations; provided, however, that no such designation or rescission shall in any manner relieve the Company of its obligation to maintain an office or agency in each Place of Payment for Securities of any series for such purposes. The Company will give prompt written notice to the Trustee of any such designation or rescission and of any change in the location of any such other office or agency.

### SECTION 1003. Money for Securities Payments to Be Held in Trust.

If the Company or any of its Affiliates shall at any time act as Paying Agent with respect to any series of Securities, it will, on or before each due date of the principal of or any premium or interest on any of the Securities of that series, segregate and hold in trust for the benefit of the Holders entitled thereto a sum sufficient to pay the principal and any premium and interest so becoming due until such sums shall be paid to such Persons or otherwise disposed of as herein provided and will promptly notify the Trustee of its action or failure so to act.

Whenever the Company shall have one or more Paying Agents, and if the Company or any of its Affiliates are not acting as Paying Agent for any series of Securities, it will, on or before each due date of the principal of or any premium or interest on any Securities of that series, deposit with a Paying Agent a sum in same day funds sufficient to pay such amount so becoming due, such sum to be held in trust for the benefit of the Persons entitled to such principal, or any premium or interest, and (unless such Paying Agent is the Trustee) the Company will promptly notify the Trustee of its action or failure so to act.

If the Company is not acting as Paying Agent, the Company will cause each Paying Agent for any series of Securities other than the Trustee to execute and deliver to the Trustee an instrument in which such Paying Agent shall agree with the Trustee, subject to the provisions of this Section, that such Paying Agent will (i) hold all sums held by it for the payment of the principal of, and any premium or interest on the Securities in trust for the benefit of the Persons entitled thereto until such sums shall be paid to such Persons or otherwise disposed of as herein provided, (ii) give the Trustee notice of any default by the Company, any Guarantor, if any, or

other obligor upon the Securities of that series in the making of any payment of principal of or any premium or interest on the Securities, (iii) during the continuance of any default by the Company, the Guarantors, if applicable, or any other obligor upon the Securities of that series, upon the written request of the Trustee, forthwith pay to the Trustee all sums held in trust by such Paying Agent for payment in respect of the Securities of that series, and (iv) acknowledge, accept and agree to comply in all respects with the provisions of this Indenture relating to the duties, rights and liabilities of such Paying Agent.

The Company may at any time, for the purpose of obtaining the satisfaction and discharge of this Indenture or for any other purpose, pay, or by Company Order direct any Paying Agent to pay, to the Trustee all sums held in trust by the Company or such Paying Agent, such sums to be held by the Trustee upon the same trusts as those upon which such sums were held by the Company or such Paying Agent; and, upon such payment by any Paying Agent to the Trustee, such Paying Agent shall be released from all further liability with respect to such money.

Any money deposited with the Trustee or any Paying Agent, or then held by the Company, in trust for the payment of the principal of or any premium or interest on any Security of any series and remaining unclaimed for two years after such principal, premium or interest has become due and payable shall promptly be paid to the Company on Company Request, or (if then held by the Company) shall be discharged from such trust; and the Holder of such Security shall thereafter, as an unsecured general creditor, look only to the Company for payment thereof, and all liability of the Trustee or such Paying Agent with respect to such trust money, and all liability of the Company as trustee thereof, shall thereupon cease; provided, however, that the Trustee or such Paying Agent, before being required to make any such repayment, may at the expense of the Company cause to be published once, in a newspaper published in the English language, customarily published on each Business Day and of general circulation in The City of New York, New York, and mail to each Holder, notice that such money remains unclaimed and that, after a date specified therein, which shall not be less than 30 days from the date of such notification, publication and mailing any unclaimed balance of such money then remaining will be repaid to the Company.

#### SECTION 1004. Statement by Officers as to Default.

(1) The Company will deliver to the Trustee on or before a date not more than 120 days after the end of each fiscal year of the Company ending after the date hereof, and 60 days after the end of each fiscal quarter ending after the date hereof, a written statement signed by two executive officers of the Company, and the Guarantors, one of whom shall be the principal executive officer, principal financial officer or principal accounting officer of the Company and the Guarantors, as to compliance herewith, including whether or not, after a review of the activities of the Company during such year and of the Company's and each Guarantor's performance under this Indenture, to the best knowledge, based on such review, of the signers thereof, the Company and each Guarantor have fulfilled all of their respective obligations and are in compliance with all conditions and covenants under this Indenture throughout such year, and, if there has been a default hereunder, specifying each default and the nature and status thereof and any actions being taken by the Company thereto.

(2) When any Default or Event of Default has occurred and is continuing, or if the Trustee or any Holder or the trustee for or the holder of any other evidence of Indebtedness of the Company or any Subsidiary gives any notice or takes any other action with respect to a claimed default the Company shall deliver to the Trustee by registered or certified mail or facsimile transmission followed by an originally executed copy of an Officers' Certificate specifying such Default, Event of Default, notice or other action, the status thereof and what actions the Company is taking or proposes to take with respect thereto, within five Business Days after the occurrence of such Default or Event of Default.

#### SECTION 1005. Existence.

Subject to Article Eight, the Company shall do or cause to be done all things necessary to preserve and keep in full force and effect the corporate existence and related rights and franchises (charter and statutory) of the Company and each Guarantor; provided, however, that the Company shall not be required to preserve any such right or franchise or the corporate existence of any Guarantor if the Board of Directors of the Company shall determine that the preservation thereof is no longer necessary or desirable in the conduct of the business of the Company and its Subsidiaries as a whole; and provided further, however, that the foregoing shall not prohibit a sale, transfer or conveyance of a Subsidiary or any of its assets in compliance with the terms of this Indenture.

#### SECTION 1006. Maintenance of Properties.

The Company will cause all material properties owned by the Company or any of its Subsidiaries or used or held for use in the conduct of its business or the business of any of its Subsidiaries to be maintained and kept in good condition, repair and working order (ordinary wear and tear excepted) and supplied with all necessary equipment and will cause to be made all necessary repairs, renewals, replacements, betterments and improvements thereof, all as in the reasonable judgment of the Company may be consistent with sound business practice and necessary so that the business carried on in connection therewith may be properly conducted at all times; provided, however, that nothing in this Section shall prevent the Company from discontinuing the maintenance of any of such properties if such discontinuance is, in the reasonable judgment of the Company, desirable in the conduct of its business or the business of any Subsidiaries; and provided, further, however, that the foregoing shall not prohibit a sale, transfer or conveyance of a Subsidiary or any of its assets in compliance with the terms of this Indenture.

#### SECTION 1007. Payment of Taxes and Other Claims.

The Company shall pay or discharge or cause to be paid or discharged, on or before the date the same shall become due and payable, (i) all taxes, assessments and governmental charges levied or imposed upon the Company or any of its Subsidiaries shown to be due on any return of the Company or of its Subsidiaries or otherwise assessed, or upon the income, profits or property of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries if failure to pay or discharge the same could reasonably be expected to have a material adverse effect on the ability of the Company or any

Guarantor to perform its obligations hereunder, and (ii) all lawful claims for labor, materials and supplies, which, if unpaid, would by law become a Lien upon the property of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries if failure to pay or discharge the same could reasonably be expected to have a material adverse effect on the ability of the Company or any Guarantor to perform its obligations hereunder; provided, however, that the Company shall not be required to pay or discharge or cause to be paid or discharged any such tax, assessment, charge or claim whose amount, applicability or validity is being contested in good faith by appropriate proceedings properly instituted and diligently conducted and in respect of which appropriate reserves (in the good faith judgment of management of the Company) are being maintained in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles.

#### SECTION 1008. Maintenance of Insurance.

The Company shall, and shall cause its Subsidiaries to, keep at all times all of their properties which are of an insurable nature insured against loss or damage with insurers believed by the Company in good faith to be financially sound and responsible, against loss or damage, to the extent that property of similar character is usually so insured by corporations similarly situated and owning like properties in the same general geographic areas in which the Company and its Subsidiaries operate, except where the failure to do so could not reasonably be expected to have a material adverse effect on the condition (financial or otherwise), earnings, business affairs or prospects of the Company and its Subsidiaries, taken as a whole.

#### SECTION 1009. Waiver of Certain Covenants.

Except as otherwise specified as contemplated by Section 301 for Securities of such series, the Company may, with respect to the Securities of any series, omit in any particular instance to comply with any term, provision or condition set forth in any covenant provided pursuant to Section 301(21), 901(2) or 901(7) for the benefit of the Holders of such series if before the time for such compliance, the Holders of not less than a majority in aggregate principal amount of the Outstanding Securities of such series shall, by Act of such Holders, either waive such compliance in such instance or generally waive compliance with such term, provision or condition, but no such waiver shall extend to or affect such term, provision or condition except to the extent so expressly waived, and, until such waiver shall become effective, the obligations of the Company and the duties of the Trustee in respect of any such term, provision or condition shall remain in full force and effect.

#### ARTICLE ELEVEN

#### REDEMPTION OF SECURITIES

#### SECTION 1101. Applicability of Article.

Securities of any series which are redeemable before their Stated Maturity shall be redeemable in accordance with their terms and (except as otherwise specified as contemplated by Section 301 for such Securities) in accordance with this Article.

#### SECTION 1102. Election to Redeem; Notice to Trustee.

The election of the Company to redeem any Securities shall be evidenced by a Board Resolution or in another manner specified as contemplated by Section 301 for such Securities. In case of any redemption at the election of the Company of less than all the Securities of any series (including any such redemption affecting only a single Security), the Company shall, at least 60 days prior to the Redemption Date fixed by the Company (unless a shorter notice shall be satisfactory to the Trustee), notify the Trustee of such Redemption Date, of the principal amount of Securities of such series to be redeemed and, if applicable, of the tenor of the Securities to be redeemed. In the case of any redemption of Securities prior to the expiration of any restriction on such redemption provided in the terms of such Securities or elsewhere in this Indenture, the Company shall furnish the Trustee with an Officers' Certificate evidencing compliance with such restriction.

### SECTION 1103. Selection by Trustee of Securities to Be Redeemed.

If less than all the Securities of any series are to be redeemed (unless all the Securities of such series and of a specified tenor are to be redeemed or unless such redemption affects only a single Security), the particular Securities to be redeemed shall be selected not more than 60 days prior to the Redemption Date by the Trustee, from the Outstanding Securities of such series not previously called for redemption, by such method as the Trustee shall deem fair and appropriate and which may provide for the selection for redemption of a portion of the principal amount of any Security of such series, provided that the unredeemed portion of the principal amount of any Security shall be in an authorized denomination (which shall not be less than the minimum authorized denomination) for such Security. If less than all the Securities of such series and of a specified tenor are to be redeemed (unless such redemption affects only a single Security), the particular Securities to be redeemed shall be selected not more than 60 days prior to the Redemption Date by the Trustee, from the Outstanding Securities of such series and specified tenor not previously called for redemption in accordance with the preceding sentence.

The Trustee shall promptly notify the Company in writing of the Securities selected for redemption as aforesaid and, in case of any Securities selected for partial redemption as aforesaid, the principal amount thereof to be redeemed.

The provisions of the two preceding paragraphs shall not apply with respect to any redemption affecting only a single Security, whether such Security is to be redeemed in whole or in part. In the case of any such redemption in part, the unredeemed portion of the principal amount of the Security shall be in an authorized denomination (which shall not be less than the minimum authorized denomination) for such Security.

For all purposes of this Indenture, unless the context otherwise requires, all provisions relating to the redemption of Securities shall relate, in the case of any Securities redeemed or to be redeemed only in part, to the portion of the principal amount of such Securities which has been or is to be redeemed.

#### SECTION 1104. Notice of Redemption.

Notice of redemption shall be given by first-class mail, postage prepaid, mailed not less than 30 nor more than 60 days prior to the Redemption Date, to each Holder of Securities to be redeemed, at his address appearing in the Security Register.

All notices of redemption shall state:

- (1) the Redemption Date,
- (2) the Redemption Price,
- (3) if less than all the Outstanding Securities of any series consisting of more than a single Security are to be redeemed, the identification (and, in the case of partial redemption of any such Securities, the principal amounts) of the particular Securities to be redeemed and, if less than all the Outstanding Securities of any series consisting of a single Security are to be redeemed, the principal amount of the particular Security to be redeemed,
- (4) that on the Redemption Date the Redemption Price will become due and payable upon each such Security to be redeemed and, if applicable, that interest thereon will cease to accrue on and after said date,
  - (5) the place or places where each such Security is to be surrendered for payment of the Redemption Price, and
  - (6) that the redemption is for a sinking fund, if such is the case.

Notice of redemption of Securities to be redeemed at the election of the Company shall be given by the Company or, at the Company's request, by the Trustee in the name and at the expense of the Company and shall be irrevocable.

#### SECTION 1105. Deposit of Redemption Price.

On or prior to any Redemption Date, the Company shall deposit with the Trustee or with a Paying Agent (or, if the Company is acting as its own Paying Agent, segregate and hold in trust as provided in Section 1003) an amount of money sufficient to pay the Redemption Price of, and (except if the Redemption Date shall be an Interest Payment Date) accrued interest on, all the Securities which are to be redeemed on that date.

### SECTION 1106. Securities Payable on Redemption Date.

Notice of redemption having been given as aforesaid, the Securities so to be redeemed shall, on the Redemption Date, become due and payable at the Redemption Price therein specified, and from and after such date (unless the Company shall default in the payment of the

Redemption Price and accrued interest) such Securities shall cease to bear interest. Upon surrender of any such Security for redemption in accordance with said notice, such Security shall be paid by the Company at the Redemption Price, together with accrued interest to the Redemption Date; provided, however, that, unless otherwise specified as contemplated by Section 301, installments of interest whose Stated Maturity is on or prior to the Redemption Date will be payable to the Holders of such Securities, or one or more Predecessor Securities, registered as such at the close of business on the relevant Record Dates according to their terms and the provisions of Section 307.

If any Security called for redemption shall not be so paid upon surrender thereof for redemption, the principal and any premium shall, until paid, bear interest from the Redemption Date at the rate prescribed therefor in the Security.

SECTION 1107. Securities Redeemed in Part.

Any Security which is to be redeemed only in part shall be surrendered at a Place of Payment therefor (with, if the Company or the Trustee so requires, due endorsement by, or a written instrument of transfer in form satisfactory to the Company and the Trustee duly executed by, the Holder thereof or his attorney duly authorized in writing), and the Company shall execute, if applicable to Guarantors shall execute the Subsidiary Guarantee endorsed thereon, and the Trustee shall authenticate and deliver to the Holder of such Security without service charge, a new Security or Securities of the same series and of like tenor, of any authorized denomination as requested by such Holder, in aggregate principal amount equal to and in exchange for the unredeemed portion of the principal of the Security so surrendered.

# ARTICLE TWELVE [INTENTIONALLY DELETED]

## ARTICLE THIRTEEN SUBSIDIARY GUARANTEE

SECTION 1301. Applicability of Article.

Unless the Company elects to issue any series of Securities without the benefit of the Subsidiary Guarantees, which election shall be evidenced in or pursuant to the Board Resolution or supplemental indenture establishing such series of Securities pursuant to Section 301, the provisions of this Article shall be applicable to each series of Securities except as otherwise specified in or pursuant to the Board Resolution or supplemental indenture establishing such series pursuant to Section 301.

#### SECTION 1302. Subsidiary Guarantee.

- (1) Subject to Section 1301, each Guarantor hereby, jointly and severally, fully and unconditionally guarantees to each Holder of a Security authenticated and delivered by the Trustee, the due and punctual payment of the principal of (and premium, if any) and interest on such Security when and as the same shall become due and payable, whether at the Stated Maturity, by acceleration, call for redemption, offer to purchase or otherwise, in accordance with the terms of such Security and of this Indenture, and each Guarantor similarly guarantees to the Trustee the payment of all amounts owing to the Trustee in accordance with the terms of this Indenture. In case of the failure of the Company punctually to make any such payment, each Guarantor hereby, jointly and severally, agrees to cause such payment to be made punctually when and as the same shall become due and payable, whether at the Stated Maturity or by acceleration, call for redemption, offer to purchase or otherwise, and as if such payment were made by the Company.
- Each of the Guarantors hereby jointly and severally agrees that its obligations hereunder shall be absolute, unconditional, irrespective of, and shall be unaffected by, the validity, regularity or enforceability of such Security or this Indenture, the absence of any action to enforce the same or any release, amendment, waiver or indulgence granted to the Company or any guarantor or any consent to departure from any requirement of any other guarantee of all or any of the Securities of such series or any other circumstances which might otherwise constitute a legal or equitable discharge or defense of a surety or guarantor; provided, however, that, notwithstanding the foregoing, no such release, amendment, waiver or indulgence shall, without the consent of such Guarantor, increase the principal amount of such Security, or increase the interest rate thereon, or alter the Stated Maturity thereof. Each of the Guarantors hereby waives the benefits of diligence, presentment, demand for payment, any requirement that the Trustee or any of the Holders protect, secure, perfect or insure any security interest in or other Lien on any property subject thereto or exhaust any right or take any action against the Company or any other Person or any collateral, filing of claims with a court in the event of insolvency or bankruptcy of the Company, any right to require a proceeding first against the Company, protest or notice with respect to such Security or the indebtedness evidenced thereby and all demands whatsoever, and covenants that this Subsidiary Guarantee will not be discharged in respect of such Security except by complete performance of the obligations contained in such Security and in such Subsidiary Guarantee. Each Guarantor agrees that if, after the occurrence and during the continuance of an Event of Default, the Trustee or any of the Holders are prevented by applicable law from exercising their respective rights to accelerate the maturity of the Securities of a series, to collect interest on the Securities of a series, or to enforce or exercise any other right or remedy with respect to the Securities of a series, such Guarantor agrees to pay to the Trustee for the account of the Holders, upon demand therefor, the amount that would otherwise have been due and payable had such rights and remedies been permitted to be exercised by the Trustee or any of the Holders.
- (3) The indebtedness of each Guarantor evidenced by the Subsidiary Guarantees is, to the extent provided in this Indenture, subordinate and subject in right of payment to the prior

payment in full of all Senior Indebtedness of each Guarantor, and the Subsidiary Guarantees are issued subject to the provisions of this Indenture with respect thereto. Each Holder of such Security, by accepting the same, will be deemed to have (i) agreed to and be bound by such provisions, (ii) authorized and directed the Trustee on his behalf to take such action as may be necessary or appropriate to effectuate the subordination so provided and (iii) appointed the Trustee his attorney-in-fact for any and all such purposes.

- (4) Each Guarantor shall be subrogated to all rights of the Holders of the Securities upon which its Subsidiary Guarantee is endorsed against the Company in respect of any amounts paid by such Guarantor on account of such Security pursuant to the provisions of its Subsidiary Guarantee or this Indenture; provided, however, that no Guarantor shall be entitled to enforce or to receive any payments arising out of, or based upon, such right of subrogation until the principal of (and premium, if any) and interest on all Securities of the relevant series issued hereunder shall have been paid in full.
- (5) Each Guarantor that makes or is required to make any payment in respect of its Subsidiary Guarantee shall be entitled to seek contribution from the other Guarantors to the extent permitted by applicable law; provided, however, that no Guarantor shall be entitled to enforce or receive any payments arising out of, or based upon, such right of contribution until the principal of (and premium, if any) and interest on all Securities of the relevant series issued hereunder shall have been paid in full.
- (6) Each Subsidiary Guarantee shall remain in full force and effect and continue to be effective should any petition be filed by or against the Company for liquidation or reorganization, should the Company become insolvent or make an assignment for the benefit of creditors or should a receiver or trustee be appointed for all or any part of the Company's assets, and shall, to the fullest extent permitted by law, continue to be effective or be reinstated, as the case may be, if at any time payment and performance of the Securities of a series, is, pursuant to applicable law, rescinded or reduced in amount, or must otherwise be restored or returned by any Holder of the Securities, whether as a "voidable preference," "fraudulent transfer," or otherwise, all as though such payment or performance had not been made. In the event that any payment, or any part thereof, is rescinded, reduced, restored or returned, the Securities shall, to the fullest extent permitted by law, be reinstated and deemed reduced only by such amount paid and not so rescinded, reduced, restored or returned.

## SECTION 1303. Execution and Delivery of Subsidiary Guarantees.

The Subsidiary Guarantees to be endorsed on the Securities shall include the terms of the Subsidiary Guarantee set forth in Section 1302 and any other terms that may be set forth in the form established pursuant to Section 204. Subject to Section 1301, each of the Guarantors hereby agrees to execute its Subsidiary Guarantee, in a form established pursuant to Section 204, to be endorsed on each Security authenticated and delivered by the Trustee.

The Subsidiary Guarantee shall be executed on behalf of each respective Guarantor by any two of such Guarantor's Chairman of the Board, Vice Chairman of the Board, Chief

Executive Officer, President, one of its Vice Presidents, or its Secretary. The signature of any or all of these persons on the Subsidiary Guarantee may be manual or facsimile.

A Subsidiary Guarantee bearing the manual or facsimile signature of individuals who were at any time the proper officers of a Guarantor shall bind such Guarantor, notwithstanding that such individuals or any of them have ceased to hold such offices prior to the authentication and delivery of the Security on which such Subsidiary Guarantee is endorsed or did not hold such offices at the date of such Subsidiary Guarantee.

The delivery of any Security by the Trustee, after the authentication thereof hereunder, shall constitute due delivery of the Subsidiary Guarantee endorsed thereon on behalf of the Guarantors and shall bind each Guarantor notwithstanding the fact that Subsidiary Guarantee does not bear the signature of such Guarantor. Each of the Guarantors hereby jointly and severally agrees that its Subsidiary Guarantee set forth in Section 1302 and in the form of Subsidiary Guarantee established pursuant to Section 204 shall remain in full force and effect notwithstanding any failure to endorse a Subsidiary Guarantee on any Security.

#### SECTION 1304. Release of Guarantors.

Unless otherwise specified pursuant to Section 301 with respect to a series of Securities, each Subsidiary Guarantee will remain in effect with respect to the respective Guarantor until the entire principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Securities to which such Subsidiary Guarantee relates shall have been paid in full or otherwise discharged in accordance with the provisions of such Securities and this Indenture and all amounts owing to the Trustee hereunder have been paid; provided, however, that if (i) such Guarantor ceases to be a Subsidiary in compliance with the applicable provisions of this Indenture, (ii) the Securities are defeased and discharged pursuant to Section 1502 or (iii) all or substantially all of the assets of such Guarantor or all of the Capital Stock of such Guarantor are sold (including by issuance, merger, consolidation or otherwise) by the Company or any Subsidiary in a transaction complying with the requirements of this Indenture, then, in each case of (i), (ii) or (iii), upon delivery by the Company of an Officers' Certificate and an Opinion of Counsel stating that all conditions precedent herein provided for relating to the release of such Guarantor from its obligations under its Subsidiary Guarantee and this Article Thirteen have been complied with, such Guarantor or the Person acquiring such assets (in the event of a sale or other disposition of all or substantially all of the assets or Capital Stock of such Guarantor) shall be released and discharged of its obligations under its Subsidiary Guarantee and under this Article Thirteen without any action on the part of the Trustee or any Holder, and the Trustee shall execute any documents reasonably required in order to acknowledge the release of such Guarantor from its obligations under its Subsidiary Guarantee endorsed on the Securities of a series and under this Article Thirteen.

#### SECTION 1305. Additional Guarantors.

Unless otherwise specified pursuant to Section 301 with respect to a series of Securities, the Company will cause any Subsidiary of the Company that becomes a Subsidiary after the date the Securities of a series are first issued hereunder to become a Guarantor as soon as practicable after such Subsidiary becomes a Subsidiary. The Company shall cause any such Subsidiary to

become a Guarantor with respect to the Securities by executing and delivering to the Trustee (i) a supplemental indenture, in form and substance satisfactory to the Trustee, which subjects such Person to the provisions (including the representations and warranties) of this Indenture as a Guarantor and (ii) an Opinion of Counsel to the effect that such supplemental indenture has been duly authorized and executed by such Person and such supplemental indenture and such Person's obligations under its Subsidiary Guarantee and this Indenture constitute the legal, valid, binding and enforceable obligations of such Person (subject to such customary exceptions concerning creditors' rights and equitable principles as may be acceptable to the Trustee in its discretion).

# ARTICLE FOURTEEN [INTENTIONALLY DELETED]

#### ARTICLE FIFTEEN

#### DEFEASANCE AND COVENANT DEFEASANCE

SECTION 1501. Company's Option to Effect Defeasance or Covenant Defeasance.

The Company may elect, at its option, at any time to have, Section 1502 or Section 1503 applied to any Securities or any series of Securities, as the case may be, designated pursuant to Section 301 as being defeasible pursuant to such Section 1502 or 1503, in accordance with any applicable requirements provided pursuant to Section 301 and, upon compliance with the conditions set forth below in this Article Fifteen (the "Defeased Securities"). Any such election shall be evidenced in or pursuant to a Board Resolution or in another manner specified as contemplated by Section 301 for such Securities.

SECTION 1502. Defeasance and Discharge.

Upon the Company's exercise under Section 1501 of the option (if any) applicable to this Section 1502, the Company, each Guarantor and any other obligor upon the Securities, if any, shall be deemed to have been discharged from its obligations with respect to the Defeased Securities on the date the conditions set forth in Section 1504 below are satisfied hereinafter ("Defeasance"). For this purpose, such Defeasance means that the Company, each Guarantor and any other obligor under this Indenture shall be deemed to have paid and discharged the entire Indebtedness represented by the Defeased Securities, which shall thereafter be deemed to be "Outstanding" only for the purposes of Section 1505 and the other Sections of this Indenture referred to in (i) and (ii) below, and to have satisfied all its other obligations under such Securities and this Indenture insofar as such Securities are concerned (and the Trustee, at the expense of the Company and upon Company Request, shall execute proper instruments acknowledging the same), except for the following which shall survive until otherwise terminated or discharged hereunder: (i) the rights of Holder of Defeased Securities to receive, solely from the trust fund described in Section 1504 and as more fully set forth in such Section,

payments in respect of the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on, such Securities, when such payments are due, (ii) the Company's obligations with respect to such Defeased Securities under Sections 304, 305, 306, 1002 and 1003, (iii) the rights, powers, trusts, duties and immunities of the Trustee hereunder, including, without limitation, the Trustee's rights under Section 607, and (iv) this Article Fifteen. Subject to compliance with this Article Fifteen, the Company may exercise its option (if any) under this Section 1502 notwithstanding the prior exercise of its option (if any) under Section 1503 with respect to such Securities.

#### SECTION 1503. Covenant Defeasance.

Upon the Company's exercise under Section 1501 of the option (if any) applicable to this Section 1503, the Company and each Guarantor shall be released from its obligations under any covenant or provision contained or referred to in Sections 1006 through 1008, inclusive, the provisions of clause (iii) of Section 801 (1), and any covenants or provisions provided pursuant to Section 301(21), 901(2), 902(5) or 901(7) for the benefit of the Holders of such Securities with respect to the Defeased Securities, on and after the date the conditions set forth in Section 1504 below are satisfied (hereinafter, "Covenant Defeasance"), and the Defeased Securities shall thereafter be deemed to be not "Outstanding" for the purposes of any direction, waiver, consent or declaration or Act of Holders (and the consequences of any thereof) in connection with such covenants, but shall continue to be deemed "Outstanding" for all other purposes hereunder. For this purpose, such Covenant Defeasance means that, with respect to the Defeased Securities, the Company and each Guarantor may omit to comply with and shall have no liability in respect of any term, condition or limitation set forth in or provided pursuant to any such Section, whether directly or indirectly, by reason of any reference elsewhere herein to any such Section or by reason of any reference in any such Section to any other provision herein or in any other document and such omission to comply shall not constitute a Default or an Event of Default under Section 501, (4), (5), (6) or (10) but, except as specified above, the remainder of this Indenture and such Defeased Securities shall be unaffected thereby.

#### SECTION 1504. Conditions to Defeasance or Covenant Defeasance.

The following shall be the conditions to the application of Section 1502 or Section 1503 to any Securities or any series of Securities, as the case may be:

(1) The Company shall irrevocably have deposited or caused to be deposited with the Trustee (or another trustee that satisfies the requirements contemplated by Section 609 and agrees to comply with the provisions of this Article Fifteen applicable to it) as trust funds in trust for the purpose of making the following payments, specifically pledged as security for, and dedicated solely to, the benefits of the Holders of such Securities, money, cash in United States dollars or U.S. Government Obligations or a combination thereof, in such amounts as will be sufficient, in the opinion of a nationally recognized firm of independent public accountants or a nationally recognized investment banking firm expressed in a written certification thereof delivered to the Trustee, to pay and discharge, and which shall be applied by the Trustee or any such other qualifying trustee to pay and discharge, the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on, such Securities on the Stated Maturities of such principal or interest (or on any date after which such Securities or series of Securities, as the case may be defeased as designated

pursuant to Section 301 (such date being referred to as the "Defeasance Redemption Date") if at or prior to electing to either its option applicable to Section 1502 or its option applicable to Section 1503, the Company has delivered to the Trustee an irrevocable notice to redeem such Securities on the Defeasance Redemption Date). For this purpose, "U.S. Government Obligation" means (x) any security which is (i) a direct obligation of the United States of America for the timely payment of which its full faith and credit is pledged or (ii) an obligation of a Person controlled or supervised by and acting as an agency or instrumentality of the United States of America the timely payment of which is unconditionally guaranteed as a full faith and credit obligation by the United States of America, which, in either case, is not callable or redeemable at the option of the issuer thereof, and shall also include (y) any depositary receipt issued by a bank (as defined in Section 3(a)(2) of the Securities Act) as custodian with respect to any U.S. Government Obligation or a specific payment of principal of or interest on any such U.S. Government Obligation held by such custodian for the account of the holder of such depositary receipt, provided that (except as required by law) such custodian is not authorized to make any deduction from the amount payable to the holder of such depositary receipt from any amount received by the custodian in respect of the U.S. Government Obligation or the specific payment of principal of or interest on the U.S. Government Obligation evidenced by such depositary receipt;

- (2) In the case of an election under Section 1502, the Company shall have delivered to the Trustee an Opinion of Counsel stating that (A) the Company has received from, or there has been published by, the Internal Revenue Service a ruling or (B) since the date hereof, there has been a change in the applicable federal income tax law, in either case to the effect that, and based thereon such opinion shall confirm that, the Holders of such Securities will not recognize income, gain or loss for federal income tax purposes as a result of such Defeasance and will be subject to federal income tax on the same amounts, in the same manner and at the same times as would be the case if such Defeasance had not occurred;
- (3) In the case of an election under Section 1503, the Company shall have delivered to the Trustee an Opinion of Counsel to the effect that the Holders of such Securities will not recognize income, gain or loss for federal income tax purposes as a result of such Covenant Defeasance and will be subject to federal income tax on the same amount, in the same manner and at the same times as would be the case if such Covenant Defeasance had not occurred;
- (4) No Default or Event of Default shall have occurred and be continuing on the date of such deposit or insofar as Section 501(7) or (8) is concerned, at any time during the period ending on the 91st days after the date of deposit (it being understood that this condition shall not be deemed satisfied until the expiration of such period) (other than a Default which results from the borrowing of amounts to finance the defeasance and which borrowing does not result in a breach or violation of, or constitute a default, under any other material agreement or instrument to which the Company or any Significant Subsidiary Guarantor is a party or to which it is bound);

- (5) The Company shall have delivered to the Trustee an Officer's Certificate to the effect that neither such Securities nor any other Securities of the same series, if then listed on any securities exchange, will be delisted as a result of such deposit;
- (6) Such Defeasance or Covenant Defeasance shall not cause the Trustee for the Securities to have a conflicting interest in violation of and for purposes of the Trust Indenture Act (with respect to any other securities of the Company or any Guarantor);
- (7) Such Defeasance or Covenant Defeasance shall not result in a breach or violation of, or constitute a default under, this Indenture any other material agreement or instrument to which the Company, any Guarantor or any Significant Subsidiary is a party or by which it is bound;
- (8) Such defeasance or covenant defeasance shall not result in the trust arising from such deposit constituting an investment company within the meaning of the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended, unless such trust shall be registered under such Act or exempt from registration thereunder;
- (9) The Company shall have delivered to the Trustee an Opinion of Independent Counsel in the United States to the effect that (assuming that no Holder of any Securities would be considered an insider of the Company under any applicable bankruptcy or insolvency law) after the 91st day following the deposit, the trust funds will not be subject to the effect of any applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization or similar laws affecting creditors' rights generally;
- (10) The Company shall have delivered to the Trustee an Officers' Certificate stating that the deposit was not made by the Company with the intent of preferring the Holders of the Securities or any Subsidiary Guarantee over the other creditors of the Company or any Guarantor with the intent of defeating, hindering, delaying or defrauding creditors of the Company, any Guarantor or others:
- (11) No event or condition shall exist that would prevent the Company from making payments of the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Securities on the date of such deposit or at any time ending on the 91st day after the date of such deposit; and
- (12) The Company shall have delivered to the Trustee an Officers' Certificate and an Opinion of Independent Counsel, each stating that all conditions precedent provided for relating to either the Defeasance under Section 1502 or the Covenant Defeasance under Section 1503 (as the case may be) have been complied with.

Opinions of Counsel or Opinions of Independent Counsel required to be delivered under this Section shall be in form and substance reasonably satisfactory to the Trustee may have qualifications customary for opinions of the type required and counsel delivering such opinions may rely on certificates of the Company or government or other officials customary for opinions

of the type required, which certificates shall be limited as to matters of fact, including that various financial covenants have been complied with

SECTION 1505. Deposited Money and U.S. Government Obligations to Be Held in Trust; Miscellaneous Provisions.

Subject to the provisions of the last paragraph of Section 1003, all money, United States dollars and U.S. Government Obligations (including the proceeds thereof) deposited with the Trustee or other qualifying trustee (solely for the purposes of this Section and Section 1506, the Trustee and any such other trustee are referred to collectively as the "Trustee") pursuant to Section 1504 in respect of any Securities shall be held in trust and applied by the Trustee, in accordance with the provisions of such Securities and this Indenture, to the payment, either directly or through any such Paying Agent (excluding the Company or any of its Affiliates acting as its own Paying Agent), as the Trustee may determine, to the Holders of such Securities of all sums due and to become due thereon in respect of principal, premium, if any, and interest, but such money need not be segregated from other funds except to the extent required by law.

The Company shall pay and indemnify the Trustee against any tax, fee or other charge imposed on or assessed against the U.S. Government Obligations deposited pursuant to Section 1504 or the principal and interest received in respect thereof other than any such tax, fee or other charge which by law is imposed, assessed or for the account of the Holders of Outstanding Securities.

Anything in this Article to the contrary notwithstanding, the Trustee shall deliver or pay to the Company from time to time upon Company Request any money, United States dollars or U.S. Government Obligations held by it as provided in Section 1504 with respect to any Securities which, in the opinion of a nationally recognized firm of independent public accountants expressed in a written certification thereof delivered to the Trustee, are in excess of the amount thereof which would then be required to be deposited to effect the Defeasance or Covenant Defeasance.

#### SECTION 1506. Reinstatement.

If the Trustee or the Paying Agent is unable to apply any money, United States dollars or U.S. Government Obligations in accordance with Section 1502 or 1503, as the case may be, by reason of any order or judgment of any court or governmental authority enjoining, restraining or otherwise prohibiting such application, then the Company's obligations under this Indenture and the Securities and any Guarantor's obligations under any Subsidiary Guarantee shall be revived and reinstated, with present and prospective effect, as though no deposit had occurred pursuant to Section 1502 or 1503, as the case may be, until such time as the Trustee or Paying Agent is permitted to apply all such money, United States dollars or U.S. Government Obligations in accordance with Section 1502 or 1503, as the case may be; provided, however, that if the Company makes any payment to the Trustee or Paying Agent of principal, premium, if any, or interest on any Security following such reinstatement of its obligations, the Trustee or Paying Agent shall promptly pay and such amount to the Holders of the Securities and the Company shall be subrogated to the rights of the Holders of such Securities to receive such payment from

the money, United States dollars or U.S. Government Obligations held by the Trustee or Paying Agent.

#### ARTICLE SIXTEEN

#### SINKING FUNDS

SECTION 1601. Applicability of Article.

The provisions of this Article shall be applicable to any sinking fund for the retirement of Securities of any series except as otherwise specified as contemplated by Section 301 for such Securities. The minimum amount of any sinking fund payment provided for by the terms of any Securities is herein referred to as a "mandatory sinking fund payment," and any payment in excess of such minimum amount provided for by the terms of such Securities is herein referred to as an "optional sinking fund payment," If provided for by the terms of any Securities, the cash amount of any sinking fund payment may be subject to reduction as provided in Section 1602. Each sinking fund payment shall be applied to the redemption of Securities as provided for by the terms of such Securities.

SECTION 1602. Satisfaction of Sinking Fund Payments with Securities.

The Company (i) may deliver Outstanding Securities of a series (other than any previously called for redemption) and (ii) may apply as a credit Securities of a series which have been redeemed either at the election of the Company pursuant to the terms of such Securities or through the application of permitted optional sinking fund payments pursuant to the terms of such Securities, in each case in satisfaction of all or any part of any sinking fund payment with respect to any Securities of such series required to be made pursuant to the terms of such Securities as and to the extent provided for by the terms of such Securities; provided that the Securities to be so credited have not been previously so credited. The Securities to be so credited shall be received and credited for such purpose by the Trustee at the Redemption Price, as specified in the Securities so to be redeemed, for redemption through operation of the sinking fund and the amount of such sinking fund payment shall be reduced accordingly.

SECTION 1603. Redemption of Securities for Sinking Fund.

Not less than 35 days prior to each sinking fund payment date for any Securities, the Company will deliver to the Trustee an Officers' Certificate specifying the amount of the next ensuing sinking fund payment for such Securities pursuant to the terms of such Securities, the portion thereof, if any, which is to be satisfied by payment of cash and the portion thereof, if any, which is to be satisfied by delivering and crediting Securities pursuant to Section 1602 and will also deliver to the Trustee any Securities to be so delivered. Not less than 32 days prior to each such sinking fund payment date, the Trustee shall select the Securities to be redeemed upon such sinking fund payment date in the manner specified in Section 1103 and cause notice of the redemption thereof to be given in the name of and at the expense of the Company in the manner

provided in Section 1104. Such notice having been duly given, the redemption of such Securities shall be made upon the terms and in the manner stated in Sections 1106 and 1107.

This instrument may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which so executed shall be deemed to be an original, but all such counterparts shall together constitute but one and the same instrument.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this Indenture to be duly executed, and their respective corporate seals to be hereunto affixed and attested, all as of the day and year first above written.

SONIC AUTOMOTIVE, INC.

By: /s/ David P. Cosper

> Name: David P. Cosper Title: Vice Chairman and Chief Financial Officer

/s/ Stephen K. Coss Attest:

Name: Stephen K. Coss

Title: Senior Vice President, General

Counsel and Secretary

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ANTREV, LLC (a North Carolina limited liability company)

ARNGAR, INC. (a North Carolina corporation) AUTOBAHN, INC. (a California corporation)

AVALON FORD, INC. (a Delaware corporation)

CASA FORD OF HOUSTON, INC. (a Texas corporation)

CORNERSTONE ACCEPTANCE

CORPORATION (a Florida corporation)

FAA AUTO FACTORY, INC. (a California corporation)

FAA BEVERLY HILLS, INC. (a California corporation)

FAA CAPITOL F, INC. (a California corporation)

FAA CAPITOL N, INC. (a California corporation)

FAA CONCORD H, INC. (a California

corporation)

- FAA CONCORD N, INC. (a California corporation)
- FAA CONCORD T, INC. (a California corporation)
- FAA DUBLIN N, INC. (a California corporation)
- FAA DUBLIN VWD, INC. (a California corporation)
- FAA HOLDING CORP. (a California corporation)
- FAA LAS VEGAS H, INC. (a Nevada corporation)
- FAA MARIN F, INC. (a California corporation)
- FAA MARIN LR, INC. (a California corporation)
- FAA POWAY G, INC. (a California corporation)
- FAA POWAY H, INC. (a California corporation)
- FAA POWAY T, INC. (a California corporation)
- FAA SAN BRUNO, INC. (a California corporation)
- FAA SANTA MONICA V, INC. (a California corporation)
- FAA SERRAMONTE, INC. (a California corporation)
- FAA SERRAMONTE H, INC. (a California corporation)
- FAA SERRAMONTE L, INC. (a California corporation)
- FAA STEVENS CREEK, INC. (a California corporation)
- FAA TORRANCE CPJ, INC. (a California corporation)
- FIRSTAMERICA AUTOMOTIVE, INC. (a Delaware corporation)
- FORT MILL FORD, INC. (a South Carolina corporation)
- FORT MYERS COLLISION CENTER, LLC (a Florida limited liability company)
- FRANCISCAN MOTORS, INC. (a California corporation)
- FRANK PARRA AUTOPLEX, INC. (a Texas corporation)
- FRONTIER OLDSMOBILE-CADILLAC, INC. (a North Carolina corporation)
- HMC FINANCE ALABAMA, INC. (an Alabama corporation)
- KRAMER MOTORS INCORPORATED (a California corporation)
- L DEALERSHIP GROUP, INC. (a Texas corporation)
- MARCUS DAVID CORPORATION (a North Carolina corporation)

- MASSEY CADILLAC, INC. (a Tennessee corporation)
- MASSEY CADILLAC, INC. (a Texas corporation)
  MOUNTAIN STATES MOTORS CO., INC. (a
  Colorado corporation)
- ONTARIO L, LLC (a California limited liability company)
- PHILPOTT MOTORS, LTD. (a Texas limited partnership)
- ROYAL MOTOR COMPANY, INC. (an Alabama corporation)
- SAI AL HC1, INC. (an Alabama corporation)
- SAI AL HC2, INC. (an Alabama corporation)
- SAI ANN ARBOR IMPORTS, LLC (a Michigan limited liability company)
- SAI ATLANTA B, LLC (a Georgia limited liability company)
- SAI BROKEN ARROW C, LLC (an Oklahoma limited liability company)
- SAI CHARLOTTE M, LLC (a North Carolina limited liability company)
- SAI CLEARWATER T, LLC (a Florida limited liability company)
- SAI COLUMBUS MOTORS, LLC (an Ohio limited liability company)
- SAI COLUMBUS T, LLC (an Ohio limited liability company)
- SAI COLUMBUS VWK, LLC (an Ohio limited liability company)
- SAI FL HC1, INC. (a Florida corporation)
- SAI FL HC2, INC. (a Florida corporation)
- SAI FL HC3, INC. (a Florida corporation)
- SAI FL HC4, INC. (a Florida corporation)
- SAI FL HC5, INC. (a Florida corporation)
- SAI FL HC6, INC. (a Florida corporation)
- SAI FL HC7, INC. (a Florida corporation)
- SAI FORT MYERS B, LLC (a Florida limited liability company)
- SAI FORT MYERS H, LLC (a Florida limited liability company)
- SAI FORT MYERS M, LLC (a Florida limited liability company)
- SAI FORT MYERS VW, LLC (a Florida limited liability company)
- SAI GA HC1, LP (a Georgia limited partnership)

- SAI GEORGIA, LLC (a Georgia limited liability company)
- SAI IRONDALE IMPORTS, LLC (an Alabama limited liability company)
- SAI IRONDALE L, LLC (an Alabama limited liability company)
- SAI LANSING CH, LLC (a Michigan limited liability company)
- SAI LONG BEACH B, INC. (a California corporation)
- SAI MD HC1, INC. (a Maryland corporation)
- SAI MONROVIA B, INC. (a California corporation)
- SAI MONTGOMERY B, LLC (an Alabama limited liability company)
- SAI MONTGOMERY BCH, LLC (an Alabama limited liability company)
- SAI MONTGOMERY CH, LLC (an Alabama limited liability company)
- SAI NASHVILLE CSH, LLC (a Tennessee limited liability company)
- SAI NASHVILLE H, LLC (a Tennessee limited liability company)
- SAI NASHVILLE M, LLC (a Tennessee limited liability company)
- SAI NASHVILLE MOTORS, LLC (a Tennessee limited liability company)
- SAI NC HC2, INC. (a North Carolina corporation)
- SAI OH HC1, INC. (an Ohio corporation)
- SAI OK HC1, INC. (an Oklahoma corporation)
- SAI OKLAHOMA CITY C, LLC (an Oklahoma limited liability company)
- SAI OKLAHOMA CITY H, LLC (an Oklahoma limited liability company)
- SAI OKLAHOMA CITY T, LLC (an Oklahoma limited liability company)
- SAI ORLANDO CS, LLC (a Florida limited liability company)
- SAI PEACHTREE, LLC (a Georgia limited liability company)
- SAI PLYMOUTH C, LLC (a Michigan limited liability company)
- SAI RIVERSIDE C, LLC (an Oklahoma limited liability company)
- SAI ROCKVILLE IMPORTS, LLC (a Maryland limited liability company)

- SAI ROCKVILLE L, LLC (a Maryland limited liability company)
- SAI STONE MOUNTAIN T, LLC (a Georgia limited liability company)
- SAI TN HC1, LLC (a Tennessee limited liability company)
- SAI TN HC2, LLC (a Tennessee limited liability company)
- SAI TN HC3, LLC (a Tennessee limited liability company)
- SAI TULSA N, LLC (an Oklahoma limited liability company)
- SAI TULSA T, LLC (an Oklahoma limited liability company)
- SAI VA HC1, INC. (a Virginia corporation)
- SANTA CLARA IMPORTED CARS, INC. (a California corporation)
- SONIC ADVANTAGE PA, LP (a Texas limited partnership)
- SONIC AGENCY, INC. (a Michigan corporation) SONIC AUTOMOTIVE F&I, LLC (a Nevada limited liability company)
- SONIC AUTOMOTIVE OF CHATTANOOGA, LLC (a Tennessee limited liability company)
- SONIC AUTOMOTIVE OF NASHVILLE, LLC (a Tennessee limited liability company)
- SONIC AUTOMOTIVE OF NEVADA, INC. (a Nevada corporation)
- SONIC AUTOMOTIVE OF TEXAS, L.P. (a Texas limited partnership)
- SONIC AUTOMOTIVE SUPPORT, LLC (a Nevada limited liability company)
- SONIC AUTOMOTIVE WEST, LLC (a Nevada limited liability company)
- SONIC AUTOMOTIVE-1495 AUTOMALL DRIVE, COLUMBUS, INC. (an Ohio corporation)
- SONIC AUTOMOTIVE 1720 MASON AVE., DB, INC. (a Florida corporation)
- SONIC AUTOMOTIVE 1720 MASON AVE., DB, LLC (a Florida limited liability company)
- SONIC AUTOMOTIVE 2424 LAURENS RD., GREENVILLE, INC. (a South Carolina corporation)

- SONIC AUTOMOTIVE 2490 SOUTH LEE HIGHWAY, LLC (a Tennessee limited liability company)
- SONIC AUTOMOTIVE 2752 LAURENS RD., GREENVILLE, INC. (a South Carolina corporation)
- SONIC AUTOMOTIVE 3401 N. MAIN, TX, L.P. (a Texas limited partnership)
- SONIC AUTOMOTIVE-3700 WEST BROAD STREET, COLUMBUS, INC. (an Ohio corporation)
- SONIC AUTOMOTIVE-4000 WEST BROAD STREET, COLUMBUS, INC. (an Ohio corporation)
- SONIC AUTOMOTIVE 4701 I-10 EAST, TX, L.P. (a Texas limited partnership)
- SONIC AUTOMOTIVE 5221 I-10 EAST, TX, L.P. (a Texas limited partnership)
- SONIC AUTOMOTIVE 5260 PEACHTREE INDUSTRIAL BLVD., LLC (a Georgia limited liability company)
- SONIC AUTOMOTIVE 6008 N. DALE MABRY, FL, INC. (a Florida corporation)
- SONIC AUTOMOTIVE 9103 E.
  INDEPENDENCE, NC, LLC (a North Carolina limited liability company)
- SONIC 2185 CHAPMAN RD., CHATTANOOGA, LLC (a Tennessee limited liability company)
- SONIC BUENA PARK H, INC. (a California corporation)
- SONIC CADILLAC D, L.P. (a Texas limited partnership)
- SONIC CALABASAS A, INC. (a California corporation)
- SONIC CALABASAS M, INC. (a California corporation)
- SONIC CALABASAS V, INC. (a California corporation)
- SONIC CAMP FORD, L.P. (a Texas limited partnership)
- SONIC CAPITOL CADILLAC, INC. (a Michigan corporation)
- SONIC CAPITOL IMPORTS, INC. (a South Carolina corporation)

- SONIC CARROLLTON V, L.P. (a Texas limited partnership)
- SONIC CARSON F, INC. (a California corporation)
- SONIC CARSON LM, INC. (a California corporation)
- SONIC CHATTANOOGA D EAST, LLC (a Tennessee limited liability company)
- SONIC CLEAR LAKE N, L.P. (a Texas limited partnership)
- SONIC CLEAR LAKE VOLKSWAGEN, L.P. (a Texas limited partnership)
- SONIC COAST CADILLAC, INC. (a California corporation)
- SONIC DENVER T, INC. (a Colorado corporation)
- SONIC DENVER VOLKSWAGEN, INC. (a Colorado corporation)
- SONIC DEVELOPMENT, LLC (a North Carolina limited liability company)
- SONIC DIVISIONAL OPERATIONS, LLC (a Nevada limited liability company)
- SONIC DOWNEY CADILLAC, INC. (a California corporation)
- SONIC ENGLEWOOD M, INC. (a Colorado corporation)
- SONIC ESTORE, INC. (a North Carolina corporation)
- SONIC FORT MILL CHRYSLER JEEP, INC. (a South Carolina corporation)
- SONIC FORT MILL DODGE, INC. (a South Carolina corporation)
- SONIC FORT WORTH T, L.P. (a Texas limited partnership)
- SONIC FRANK PARRA AUTOPLEX, L.P. (a Texas limited partnership)
- SONIC FREMONT, INC. (a California corporation)
- SONIC HARBOR CITY H, INC. (a California corporation)
- SONIC HOUSTON JLR, LP (a Texas limited partnership)
- SONIC HOUSTON LR, LP (a Texas limited partnership)
- SONIC HOUSTON V, L.P. (a Texas limited partnership)

- SONIC INTEGRITY DODGE LV, LLC (a Nevada limited liability company)
- SONIC JERSEY VILLAGE VOLKSWAGEN, L.P. (a Texas limited partnership)
- SONIC LS, LLC (a Delaware limited liability company)
- SONIC LS CHEVROLET, L.P. (a Texas limited partnership)
- SONIC LAKE NORMAN CHRYLSER JEEP, LLC (a North Carolina limited liability company)
- SONIC LAS VEGAS C EAST, LLC (a Nevada limited liability company)
- SONIC LAS VEGAS C WEST, LLC (a Nevada limited liability company)
- SONIC LLOYD NISSAN, INC. (a Florida corporation)
- SONIC LLOYD PONTIAC CADILLAC, INC. (a Florida corporation)
- SONIC LONE TREE CADILLAC, INC. (a Colorado corporation)
- SONIC LUTE RILEY, L. P. (a Texas limited partnership)
- SONIC MANHATTAN FAIRFAX, INC. (a Virginia corporation)
- SONIC MASSEY CADILLAC, L.P. (a Texas limited partnership)
- SONIC MASSEY CHEVROLET, INC. (a California corporation)
- SONIC MASSEY PONTIAC BUICK GMC, INC. (a Colorado corporation)
- SONIC MESQUITE HYUNDAI, L.P. (a Texas limited partnership)
- SONIC MOMENTUM B, L.P. (a Texas limited partnership)
- SONIC MOMENTUM JVP, L.P. (a Texas limited partnership)
- SONIC MOMENTUM VWA, L.P. (a Texas limited partnership)
- SONIC NEWSOME CHEVROLET WORLD, INC. (a South Carolina corporation)
- SONIC NEWSOME OF FLORENCE, INC. (a South Carolina corporation)
- SONIC NORTH CHARLESTON, INC. (a South Carolina corporation)

- SONIC NORTH CHARLESTON DODGE, INC. (a South Carolina corporation)
- SONIC OF TEXAS, INC. (a Texas corporation)
- SONIC OKEMOS IMPORTS, INC. (a Michigan corporation)
- SONIC PEACHTREE INDUSTRIAL BLVD., L.P. (a Georgia limited partnership)
- SONIC PLYMOUTH CADILLAC, INC. (a Michigan corporation)
- SONIC READING, L.P. (a Texas limited partnership)
- SONIC RESOURCES, INC. (a Nevada corporation)
- SONIC RICHARDSON F, L.P. (a Texas limited partnership)
- SONIC RIVERSIDE AUTO FACTORY, INC. (an Oklahoma corporation)
- SONIC SAM WHITE NISSAN, L.P. (a Texas limited partnership)
- SONIC SANFORD CADILLAC, INC. (a Florida corporation)
- SONIC SANTA MONICA M, INC. (a California corporation)
- SONIC SANTA MONICA S, INC. (a California corporation)
- SONIC SATURN OF SILICON VALLEY, INC. (a California corporation)
- SONIC SERRAMONTE I, INC. (a California corporation)
- SONIC SHOTTENKIRK, INC. (a Florida corporation)
- SONIC SOUTH CADILLAC, INC. (a Florida corporation)
- SONIC STEVENS CREEK B, INC. (a California corporation)
- SONIC STONE MOUNTAIN T, L.P. (a Georgia limited partnership)
- SONIC TYSONS CORNER H, INC. (a Virginia corporation)
- SONIC TYSONS CORNER INFINITI, INC. (a Virginia corporation)
- SONIC UNIVERSITY PARK A, L.P. (a Texas limited partnership)
- SONIC-VOLVO LV, LLC (a Nevada limited liability company)

- SONIC WALNUT CREEK M, INC. (a California corporation)
- SONIC WEST COVINA T, INC. (a California corporation)
- SONIC WILLIAMS CADILLAC, INC. (an Alabama corporation)
- SONIC WILSHIRE CADILLAC, INC. (a California corporation)
- SRE ALABAMA 2, LLC (an Alabama limited liability company)
- SRE ALABAMA 3, LLC (an Alabama limited liability company)
- SRE ALABAMA 4, LLC (an Alabama limited liability company)
- SRE ALABAMA 5, LLC (an Alabama limited liability company)
- SREALESTATE ARIZONA 1, LLC (an Arizona limited liability company)
- SREALESTATE ARIZONA 2, LLC (an Arizona limited liability company)
- SREALESTATE ARIZONA 3, LLC (an Arizona limited liability company)
- SREALESTATE ARIZONA 4, LLC (an Arizona limited liability company)
- SREALESTATE ARIZONA 5, LLC (an Arizona limited liability company)
- SREALESTATE ARIZONA 6, LLC (an Arizona limited liability company)
- SREALESTATE ARIZONA 7, LLC (an Arizona limited liability company)
- SRE CALIFORNIA 1, LLC (a California limited liability company)
- SRE CALIFORNIA 2, LLC (a California limited liability company)
- SRE CALIFORNIA 3, LLC (a California limited liability company)
- SRE CALIFORNIA 4, LLC (a California limited liability company)
- SRE CALIFORNIA 5, LLC (a California limited liability company)
- SRE CALIFORNIA 6, LLC (a California limited liability company)
- SRE COLORADO 1, LLC (a Colorado limited liability company)
- SRE COLORADO 2, LLC (a Colorado limited liability company)

- SRE COLORADO 3, LLC (a Colorado limited liability company)
- SRE FLORIDA 1, LLC (a Florida limited liability company)
- SRE FLORIDA 2, LLC (a Florida limited liability company)
- SRE FLORIDA 3, LLC (a Florida limited liability company)
- SRE GEORGIA 1, L.P. (a Georgia limited partnership)
- SRE GEORGIA 2, L.P. (a Georgia limited partnership)
- SRE GEORGIA 3, L.P. (a Georgia limited partnership)
- SRE HOLDING, LLC (a North Carolina limited liability company)
- SRE MARYLAND 1, LLC (a Maryland limited liability company)
- SRE MARYLAND 2, LLC (a Maryland limited liability company)
- SRE MICHIGAN 3, LLC (a Michigan limited liability company)
- SRE NEVADA 1, LLC (a Nevada limited liability company)
- SRE NEVADA 2, LLC (a Nevada limited liability company)
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- SRE NEVADA 4, LLC (a Nevada limited liability company)
- SRE NEVADA 5, LLC (a Nevada limited liability company)
- SRE NORTH CAROLINA 1, LLC (a North Carolina limited liability company)
- SRE NORTH CAROLINA 2, LLC (a North Carolina limited liability company)
- SRE NORTH CAROLINA 3, LLC (a North Carolina limited liability company)
- SRE OKLAHOMA 1, LLC (an Oklahoma limited liability company)
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- SRE OKLAHOMA 5, LLC (an Oklahoma limited liability company)
- SRE SOUTH CAROLINA 2, LLC (a South Carolina limited liability company)
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- SRE SOUTH CAROLINA 4, LLC (a South Carolina limited liability company)
- SRE TENNESSEE 1, LLC (a Tennessee limited liability company)
- SRE TENNESSEE 2, LLC (a Tennessee limited liability company)
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- SRE TENNESSEE 7, LLC (a Tennessee limited liability company)
- SRE TENNESSEE 8, LLC (a Tennessee limited liability company)
- SRE TENNESSEE 9, LLC (a Tennessee limited liability company)
- SRE TEXAS 1, L.P. (a Texas limited partnership)
- SRE TEXAS 2, L.P. (a Texas limited partnership)
- SRE TEXAS 3, L.P. (a Texas limited partnership)
- SRE TEXAS 4, L.P. (a Texas limited partnership)
- SRE TEXAS 5, L.P. (a Texas limited partnership)
- SRE TEXAS 6, L.P. (a Texas limited partnership)
- SRE TEXAS 7, L.P. (a Texas limited partnership)
- SRE TEXAS 8, L.P. (a Texas limited partnership)
- SRE VIRGINIA 1, LLC (a Virginia limited liability company)
- SRE VIRGINIA 2, LLC (a Virginia limited liability company)
- STEVENS CREEK CADILLAC, INC. (a California corporation)
- TOWN AND COUNTRY FORD,
  - INCORPORATED (a North Carolina corporation)
- VILLAGE IMPORTED CARS, INC. (a Maryland corporation)
- WINDWARD, INC. (a Hawaii corporation)

## Z MANAGEMENT, INC. (a Colorado corporation)

By: /s/ David P. Cosper

Name: David P. Cosper

Title: Vice President and Treasurer

Attest: /s/ Stephen K. Coss

Name: Stephen K. Coss

Title: Senior Vice President, General

Counsel and Secretary

### U.S. BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION

By: /s/ Richard Prokosch

Name: Richard Prokosch Title: Vice President

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA	)
	)
COUNTY OF NORTH CAROLINA	)

On the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of September, 2009, before me personally came David P. Cosper, to me known, who, being by me duly sworn, did depose and say that he is Vice Chairman and Chief Financial Officer of Sonic Automotive, Inc., one of the corporations described in and which executed the foregoing instrument; that he knows the seal of said corporation; that the seal affixed to said instrument is such corporate seal; that it was so affixed by authority of the Board of Directors of said corporation; and that he signed his name thereto by like authority.

		/s/ Glenda Howell	
		Commission expires 5/17/2010	
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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA	) ) ss:		
COUNTY OF NORTH CAROLINA	)		

On the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of September, 2009, before me personally came David P. Cosper, to me known, who, being by me duly sworn, did depose and say that he is Vice President and Treasurer of the corporations, limited liability companies or the corporation or limited liability company that is the general partner, manager or managing member of the limited partnerships or limited liability companies, as applicable, described below and which executed the foregoing instrument; that he knows the seal of said corporation or limited liability company; that the seal affixed to said instrument is such corporate or limited liability company seal; that it was so affixed by authority of the Board of Directors or Board of Managers of said corporation or limited liability company; and that he signed his name thereto by like authority.

/s/ Glenda Howell
Commission expires 5/17/2010

#### **SCHEDULE 1**

#### **GUARANTORS**

Subsidiary
ADI of the Southeast LLC

AnTrev, LLC Arngar, Inc. Autobahn, Inc.

Avalon Ford, Inc.

Casa Ford of Houston, Inc.

Cornerstone Acceptance Corporation

FAA Auto Factory, Inc. FAA Beverly Hills, Inc. FAA Capitol F, Inc. FAA Capitol N, Inc. FAA Concord H, Inc.

FAA Concord N, Inc. FAA Concord T, Inc.

FAA Colleold 1, life. FAA Dublin N, Inc.

FAA Dublin VWD, Inc.

FAA Holding Corp. FAA Las Vegas H, Inc.

FAA Las Vegas H, IIIC.

FAA Marin LR, Inc.

FAA Poway G, Inc.

FAA Poway H, Inc. FAA Poway T, Inc.

FAA San Bruno, Inc.

FAA Santa Monica V, Inc.

FAA Serramonte, Inc.

FAA Serramonte H, Inc.

FAA Serramonte L, Inc.

FAA Stevens Creek, Inc.

FAA Torrance CPJ, Inc.

FirstAmerica Automotive, Inc.

Fort Mill Ford, Inc.

Fort Myers Collision Center, LLC

Franciscan Motors, Inc. Frank Parra Autoplex, Inc.

Frontier Oldsmobile-Cadillac, Inc.

HMC Finance Alabama, Inc.

Kramer Motors Incorporated

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L Dealership Group, Inc.

Marcus David Corporation

Massey Cadillac, Inc.

Massey Cadillac, Inc.

Mountain States Motors Co., Inc.

Ontario L, LLC

Philpott Motors, Ltd.

Royal Motor Company, Inc.

SAI AL HC1, Inc.

SAI AL HC2, Inc.

SAI Ann Arbor Imports, LLC

SAI Atlanta B, LLC

SAI Broken Arrow C, LLC

SAI Charlotte M, LLC

SAI Clearwater T, LLC

SAI Columbus Motors, LLC

SAI Columbus T, LLC

SAI Columbus VWK, LLC

SAI FL HC1, Inc.

SAI FL HC2, Inc.

SAI FL HC3, Inc.

SAI FL HC4, Inc.

SAI FL HC5, Inc.

SAI FL HC6, Inc.

SAI FL HC7, Inc. SAI Fort Myers B, LLC

SAI Fort Myers H, LLC

SAI Fort Myers M, LLC

SAI Fort Myers VW, LLC

SAI GA HC1, LP

SAI Georgia, LLC

SAI Irondale Imports, LLC

SAI Irondale L, LLC

SAI Lansing CH, LLC

SAI Long Beach B, Inc.

SAI MD HC1, Inc.

SAI Monrovia B, Inc.

SAI Montgomery B, LLC SAI Montgomery BCH, LLC

SAI Montgomery CH, LLC

SAI Nashville CSH, LLC

SAI Nashville H, LLC

SAI Nashville M, LLC

SAI Nashville Motors, LLC

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SAI NC HC2, Inc. SAI OH HC1, Inc.

SAI OK HC1, Inc.

SAI Oklahoma City C, LLC

SAI Oklahoma City H, LLC

SAI Oklahoma City T, LLC

SAI Orlando CS, LLC

SAI Peachtree, LLC

SAI Plymouth C, LLC

SAI Riverside C, LLC

SAI Rockville Imports, LLC

SAI Rockville L, LLC

SAI Stone Mountain T, LLC

SAI TN HC1, LLC

SAI TN HC2, LLC

SAI TN HC3, LLC

SAI Tulsa N, LLC

SAI Tulsa T, LLC

SAI VA HC1, Inc.

Santa Clara Imported Cars, Inc.

Sonic Advantage PA, LP

Sonic Agency, Inc.

Sonic Automotive F&I, LLC

Sonic Automotive of Chattanooga, LLC

Sonic Automotive of Nashville, LLC

Sonic Automotive of Nevada, Inc.

Sonic Automotive of Texas, L.P.

Sonic Automotive Support, LLC

Sonic Automotive West, LLC

Sonic Automotive-1495 Automall Drive, Columbus, Inc.

Sonic Automotive-1720 Mason Ave., DB, Inc.

Sonic Automotive-1720 Mason Ave., DB, LLC

Sonic Automotive 2424 Laurens Rd., Greenville, Inc.

Sonic Automotive – 2490 South Lee Highway, LLC

Sonic Automotive 2752 Laurens Rd., Greenville, Inc.

Sonic Automotive-3401 N. Main, TX, L.P.

Sonic Automotive-3700 West Broad Street, Columbus, Inc.

Sonic Automotive-4000 West Broad Street, Columbus, Inc.

Sonic Automotive-4701 I-10 East, TX, L.P.

Sonic Automotive-5221 I-10 East, TX, L.P.

Sonic Automotive 5260 Peachtree Industrial Blvd., LLC

Sonic Automotive-6008 N. Dale Mabry, FL, Inc.

Sonic Automotive-9103 E. Independence, NC, LLC

Sonic-2185 Chapman Rd., Chattanooga, LLC

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Sonic – Buena Park H, Inc.

Sonic - Cadillac D. L.P.

Sonic – Calabasas A, Inc.

Sonic - Calabasas M, Inc.

Sonic - Calabasas V. Inc.

Sonic-Camp Ford, L.P.

Sonic - Capitol Cadillac, Inc.

Sonic – Capitol Imports, Inc.

Sonic - Carrollton V, L.P.

Sonic – Carson F, Inc.

Sonic - Carson LM, Inc.

Sonic - Chattanooga D East, LLC

Sonic – Clear Lake N, L.P.

Sonic - Clear Lake Volkswagen, L.P.

Sonic – Coast Cadillac, Inc.

Sonic – Denver T, Inc.

Sonic – Denver Volkswagen, Inc.

Sonic Development, LLC

Sonic Divisional Operations, LLC

Sonic – Downey Cadillac, Inc.

Sonic - Englewood M, Inc.

Sonic eStore, Inc.

Sonic – Fort Mill Chrysler Jeep, Inc.

Sonic - Fort Mill Dodge, Inc.

Sonic-Fort Worth T, L.P

Sonic – Frank Parra Autoplex, L.P.

Sonic Fremont, Inc.

Sonic - Harbor City H, Inc.

Sonic Houston JLR, LP

Sonic Houston LR, LP

Sonic - Houston V, L.P.

Sonic-Integrity Dodge LV, LLC

Sonic – Jersey Village Volkswagen, L.P.

Sonic – Lake Norman Chrysler Jeep, LLC

Sonic-Las Vegas C East, LLC

Sonic-Las Vegas C West, LLC

Sonic-Lloyd Nissan, Inc.

Sonic-Lloyd Pontiac-Cadillac, Inc.

Sonic - Lone Tree Cadillac, Inc.

Sonic – LS, LLC

Sonic - LS Chevrolet, L.P.

Sonic-Lute Riley, L. P.

Sonic-Manhattan Fairfax, Inc.

Sonic - Massey Cadillac, L.P.

State of Organization

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Sonic - Massey Chevrolet, Inc.

Sonic - Massey Pontiac Buick GMC, Inc.

Sonic – Mesquite Hyundai, L.P.

Sonic Momentum B, L.P.

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Sonic Momentum VWA, L.P.

Sonic-Newsome Chevrolet World, Inc.

Sonic-Newsome of Florence, Inc.

Sonic-North Charleston, Inc.

Sonic-North Charleston Dodge, Inc.

Sonic of Texas, Inc.

Sonic – Okemos Imports, Inc.

Sonic Peachtree Industrial Blvd., L.P.

Sonic – Plymouth Cadillac, Inc.

Sonic-Reading, L.P.

Sonic Resources, Inc.

Sonic-Richardson F, L.P.

Sonic-Riverside Auto Factory, Inc.

Sonic-Sam White Nissan, L.P.

Sonic - Sanford Cadillac, Inc.

Sonic Santa Monica M, Inc.

Sonic Santa Monica S, Inc.

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Sonic – Saturn of Silicon Valley, Inc.

Sonic – Serramonte I, Inc.

Sonic-Shottenkirk, Inc.

Sonic - South Cadillac, Inc.

Sonic-Stevens Creek B, Inc.

Sonic – Stone Mountain T, L.P.

Sonic Tysons Corner H, Inc.

Sonic Tysons Corner Infiniti, Inc.

Sonic – University Park A, L.P.

Sonic-Volvo LV, LLC

Sonic Walnut Creek M, Inc.

Sonic – West Covina T, Inc.

Sonic-Williams Cadillac, Inc.

Sonic Wilshire Cadillac, Inc.

SRE Alabama – 2, LLC

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SrealEstate Arizona-1, LLC

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SrealEstate Arizona-4, LLC

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SRE Colorado – 3, LLC SRE Florida-1, LLC SRE Florida-2, LLC

SRE Florida-3, LLC SRE Georgia-1, L.P. SRE Georgia-2, L.P.

SRE Georgia-3, L.P. SRE Holding, LLC

SRE Maryland – 1, LLC SRE Maryland – 2, LLC SRE Michigan – 3, LLC SRE Nevada – 1, LLC

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SRE Nevada – 5, LLC SRE North Carolina – 1, LLC SRE North Carolina – 2, LLC

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SRE North Carolina – 3, LLC

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SRE South Carolina – 3, LLC

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SRE Tennessee-5, LLC

SRE Tennessee-6, LLC

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SRE Tennessee-7, LLC SRE Tennessee-8, LLC SRE Tennessee-9, LLC SRE Texas-1, L.P. SRE Texas-2, L.P. SRE Texas-3, L.P. SRE Texas-4, L.P. SRE Texas-5, L.P. SRE Texas-6, L.P. SRE Texas-7, L.P. SRE Texas-7, L.P.

SRE Virginia - 1, LLC

SRE Virginia – 2, LLC Stevens Creek Cadillac, Inc. Town and Country Ford, Incorporated

Village Imported Cars, Inc.

Windward, Inc.

Z Management, Inc.

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# SONIC AUTOMOTIVE, INC.

AND

U.S. BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION,

as Trustee

FIRST SUPPLEMENTAL INDENTURE

Dated as of September 23, 2009

TO THE INDENTURE

Dated as of September 23, 2009

5.0% Convertible Senior Notes due 2029

FIRST SUPPLEMENTAL INDENTURE dated as of September 23, 2009 between Sonic Automotive, Inc., a Delaware corporation, as issuer (hereinafter sometimes called the "Company") and U.S. Bank National Association, a national banking association organized and existing under the laws of the United States, as trustee (hereinafter sometimes called the "Trustee").

# WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, the Company, the guarantors named therein and the Trustee executed and delivered an indenture, dated as of September 23, 2009 (the 'Base Indenture,' and as supplemented by this First Supplemental Indenture, the "Indenture"), to provide for the issuance by the Company from time to time of Securities (as defined in the Base Indenture) to be issued in one or more series as provided in the Indenture; and

WHEREAS, the Company has duly authorized the issue of its 5.0% Convertible Senior Notes due 2029 (hereinafter sometimes called the 'Notes'), initially in an aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$172,500,000, and in order to provide the terms and conditions upon which the Notes are to be authenticated, issued and delivered, the Company has duly authorized the execution and delivery of this First Supplemental Indenture; and

WHEREAS, Section 901 of the Base Indenture provides that without the consent of any Holders, the Company, when authorized by a Board Resolution, and the Trustee, at any time and from time to time, may enter into one or more indentures supplemental to the Base Indenture to, among other things, to (a) add to the covenants of the Company for the benefit of the Holders of all or any series of Securities, (b) to add additional Events of Default for the benefit of the Holders of all or any series of Securities, (c) to establish the form or terms of any series of Securities, and (d) to cure any ambiguity, to correct or supplement any provision in the Base Indenture which may be inconsistent with any other provision in the Base Indenture, or to make any other provisions with respect to matters or questions arising under the Base Indenture; and

WHEREAS, the Company desires to (a) establish the form and terms of the Notes, (b) add covenants, Events of Default and other provisions for the benefit of the Holders of the Notes and (c) provide whether certain Articles of the Indenture will apply to the Notes; and

WHEREAS, the Form of Note, the Certificate of Authentication to be borne by each Note, the form of Notice of Conversion, the Form of Fundamental Change Repurchase Notice and the Form of Assignment and Transfer to be borne by the Notes are to be substantially in the forms hereinafter provided for; and

WHEREAS, all acts and things necessary to make this First Supplemental Indenture a valid supplement to the Base Indenture according to its terms and the terms of the Base Indenture have been done; and

WHEREAS, all acts and things necessary to make the Notes, when executed by the Company and authenticated and delivered by the Trustee or a duly authorized authenticating agent, as in the Indenture provided, the valid, binding and legal obligations of the Company, and to constitute these presents a valid agreement according to its terms, have been done and performed, and the execution of this First Supplemental Indenture and the issue hereunder of the Notes have in all respects been duly authorized.

#### NOW, THEREFORE, THIS INDENTURE WITNESSETH:

That in order to declare the terms and conditions upon which the Notes are, and are to be, authenticated, issued and delivered, and in consideration of the premises and of the purchase and acceptance of the Notes by the Holders thereof, the Company covenants and agrees with the Trustee for the equal and proportionate benefit of the respective Holders from time to time of the Notes as follows:

# ARTICLE I DEFINITIONS

Section 1.01 Certain Terms Defined in the Base Indenture. Except as may be provided in a supplemental Indenture entered into subsequent to the date hereof (a Future Supplemental Indenture"), or as herein otherwise expressly provided or unless the context otherwise requires, all capitalized terms used but not defined in this First Supplemental Indenture shall have the meanings ascribed to such terms in the Base Indenture, as amended hereby; provided, however, that any term defined in the Base Indenture that is also defined in this First Supplemental Indenture shall for all purposes of this First Supplemental Indenture, and all matters relating to the Notes, have the meaning set forth in this First Supplemental Indenture.

Section 1.02 Definitions. Except as may be provided in a Future Supplemental Indenture, or as herein otherwise expressly provided or unless the context otherwise requires, with respect to the Notes and no other class of Securities issued pursuant to the Indenture, Section 101 of the Indenture shall be amended (i) if such definitions are not contained in the Base Indenture, by adding the following new definitions and (ii) if the terms set forth below are contained in the Base Indenture, by replacing the terms and their meanings set forth in the Base Indenture with those set forth below:

- "Additional Interest" shall have the meaning specified in Section 502.
- "Applicable Conversion Price" means the Conversion Price in effect at any given time.
- "Applicable Conversion Rate" means the Conversion Rate in effect at any given time.
- "Bid Solicitation Agent" shall have the meaning specified in Section 1701(b)(i).
- "Business Day" means, with respect to any Note, any day other than a Saturday, a Sunday or a day on which the Federal Reserve Bank of New York is authorized or required by law or executive order to close or be closed.
  - "Cash Settlement" shall have the meaning specified in Section 1702(b).
  - A "Change of Control" means the occurrence after the original issuance of the Notes of any of the following:
- (a) a "person" or "group" within the meaning of Section 13(d)(3) of the Exchange Act, other than the Company, its Subsidiaries, a Smith Holder(s) or an employee benefit plan of the Company, a Smith Holder or a Subsidiary of the Company, files a Schedule TO or any schedule, form or report under the Exchange Act disclosing that such person or group has become the direct or indirect "beneficial owner," as defined in Rule 13d-3 under the Exchange Act, of shares of Class A Common Stock representing more than 50% of the voting power of the Common Equity of the Company;

- (b) the first day on which a majority of the members of the Company's Board of Directors does not consist of Continuing Directors;
- (c) the shareholders of the Company approve any plan or proposal for liquidation or dissolution of the Company;
- (d) consummation of (A) any recapitalization, reclassification or change of the Company's common stock (other than changes resulting from a subdivision or combination) as a result of which common stock would be converted into, or exchanged for, stock, other securities, other property or assets or (B) any consolidation, merger or binding share exchange, or any conveyance, transfer, sale, lease or other disposition of all or substantially all of the Company's properties and assets to another Person, other than:
  - (i) any transaction:
    - (A) that does not result in any reclassification, conversion, exchange or cancellation of outstanding shares of the Company's Capital Stock; and
    - (B) pursuant to which holders of the Capital Stock immediately prior to the transaction have the entitlement to exercise, directly or indirectly, 50% or more of the total voting power of all shares of Capital Stock entitled to vote generally in elections of directors of the continuing or surviving or successor Person immediately after giving effect to such issuance; or
  - (ii) any merger, share exchange, transfer of assets or similar transaction solely for the purpose of changing the jurisdiction of incorporation of the Company and resulting in a reclassification, conversion or exchange of outstanding shares of common stock, if at all, solely into shares of common stock, ordinary shares or American Depositary Shares of the surviving entity or a direct or indirect parent of the surviving corporation; or
  - (iii) any consolidation or merger with or into any of the Subsidiaries of the Company, so long as such merger or consolidation is not part of a plan or a series of transactions designed to or having the effect of merging or consolidating with any other Person;
- (e) the occurrence of any "going private transaction" with respect to the Class A Common Stock under Rule 13e-3 of the Securities Act; or
- (f) any Smith Holder(s), individually or in the aggregate, directly or beneficially own(s) greater than 50% of the outstanding Common Equity of the Company, without regard to voting power.

For the purposes of this definition, the term "Person" shall include any syndicate or group that would be deemed to be a "person" under Section 13(d)(3) of the Exchange Act.

"Class A Common Stock" means, subject to Section 1706, shares of Class A common stock of the Company, par value \$0.01 per share, at the date of this Indenture or shares of any class or classes resulting from any reclassification or reclassifications thereof and that have no preference in respect of dividends or of amounts payable in the event of any voluntary or involuntary liquidation, dissolution or winding up of the Company and that are not subject to redemption by the Company; provided that if at any time there shall be more than one such resulting class, the shares of each such class then so issuable shall be substantially in the proportion that the total number of shares of such class resulting from all such reclassifications.

- "close of business" means 5:00 p.m. (New York City time).
- "Common Equity" of any Person means Capital Stock of such Person that is generally entitled (a) to vote in the election of directors of such Person or (b) if such Person is not a corporation, to vote or otherwise participate in the selection of the governing body, partners, managers or others that will control the management or policies of such Person.
- "Continuing Director" means any member of the Company's Board of Directors who (i) was a member of the Company's Board of Directors on September 23, 2009 or (ii) was nominated for election to the Company's Board of Directors with the approval of, or whose election to the Company's Board of Directors was ratified by, at least a majority of the Continuing Directors who were members of the Company's Board of Directors at the time of such nomination or election.
  - "Conversion" means a conversion of Notes pursuant to Article Seventeen.
  - "Conversion Agent" shall have the meaning specified in Section 1105(d).
  - "Conversion Date" shall have the meaning specified in Section 1702(e).
  - "Conversion Obligation" shall have the meaning specified in Section 1701(a).
  - "Conversion Price" means as of any date, \$1,000, divided by the Conversion Rate as of such date.
  - "Conversion Rate" shall have the meaning specified in Section 1701(a).
  - "Custodian" means U.S. Bank National Association, as custodian for The Depositary Trust Company, with respect to the Global Notes, or any successor entity thereto.
  - "Daily Cash Amount" is equal to 3 1/3% of the cash amount specified by the Company in the notice regarding the chosen Settlement Method.
- "Daily Conversion Value" means, for each of the thirty consecutive Trading Days during the Observation Period, 31/3 % of the product of (a) the Applicable Conversion Rate and (b) the Daily VWAP of the Class A Common Stock on such day.
- "Daily Settlement Amount," for each of the thirty Trading Days during the Observation Period, shall consist of (a) cash in an amount equal to the lesser of the Daily Cash Amount and the Daily Conversion Value for such Trading Day and (b) if the Daily Conversion Value on such day exceeds the Daily Cash Amount, a number of shares of Class A Common Stock (together with cash in lieu of any fractional shares) equal to (i) the difference between such Daily Conversion Value and the Daily Cash Amount, divided by (ii) the Daily WVAP on such Trading Day.
- "Daily VWAP" means, for each of the thirty consecutive Trading Days during the Observation Period, the per share volume-weighted average price as displayed under the heading "Bloomberg VWAP" on Bloomberg page "SAH.N <equity> AQR" (or its equivalent successor if such page is not available) in respect of the period from the scheduled open of trading until the scheduled close of trading of the primary trading session on such Trading Day (or if such volume-weighted average price is unavailable, the market value of one share of Class A Common Stock on such Trading Day determined, using a volume-weighted average method, by a nationally recognized independent investment banking

firm retained for this purpose by the Company); it being understood that Daily VWAP will be determined without regard to after hours trading or any other trading outside of the regular trading session trading hours.

- "Descendants" means the lineal descendants of Mr. O. Bruton Smith.
- "Designated Institution" shall have the meaning specified in Section 1711(a).
- "Effective Date," in reference to a Make-Whole Fundamental Change, shall have the meaning specified in Section 1703(a).
- "Ex-Dividend Date" means, with respect to any issuance, dividend or distribution in which the holders of the Class A Common Stock have the right to receive any cash, securities or other property, the first date on which the shares of the Class A Common Stock trade on the applicable exchange or in the applicable market, regular way, without the right to receive the issuance, dividend or distribution in question.
- "Family Controlled Entity" means (a) any not-for-profit corporation if at least 80% of its Board of Directors is composed of Smith Holders and/or Descendants, (b) any other corporation if at least 80% of the value of its outstanding equity is owned directly or indirectly by one or more Smith Holders, (c) any partnership if at least 80% of the value of the partnership interests are owned directly or indirectly by one or more Smith Holders, (d) any limited liability or similar company if at least 80% of the value of the company is owned directly or indirectly by one or more Smith Holders and (e) any trusts created for the benefit of any of the Persons listed in clauses (a) to (d) of this definition.
  - "Fiscal Quarter" means a fiscal quarter of any Fiscal Year.
  - "Fiscal Year" means a fiscal year of the Company ending on December 31 of each calendar year.
  - "Fundamental Change" means either a Change of Control or a Termination of Trading.
- A Fundamental Change as a result of clauses (a) or (d) in the definition of "Change of Control" will not be deemed to have occurred, however, if 100% of the consideration received or to be received by the Company's common stockholders, excluding cash payments for fractional shares, in connection with the transaction or transactions constituting the Fundamental Change consists of shares of common stock, depositary receipts or other certificates representing Publicly Traded Securities and as a result of this transaction or transactions the Notes become convertible into Publicly Traded Securities, excluding cash payments for fractional shares (subject to the provisions set forth in Section 1702).
  - "Fundamental Change Repurchase Date" shall have the meaning specified in Section 1010(a).
  - "Fundamental Change Repurchase Notice" shall have the meaning specified in Section 1010(a)(i).
  - "Fundamental Change Repurchase Price" shall have the meaning specified in Section 1010(a).
  - "Global Note" shall have the meaning specified in Section 305(b).

"Holder" as applied to any Note, or other similar terms (but excluding the term "beneficial holder"), shall mean any Person in whose name at the time a particular Note is registered on the Note Register.

"Interest Payment Date" means each April 1 and October 1 of each year, beginning on April 1, 2010; provided, however, that if any Interest Payment Date falls on a date that is not a Business Day, such payment of interest (or principal in the case of the Maturity Date), including any Additional Interest, will be postponed until the next succeeding Business Day, and no interest or other amount will be paid as a result of such postponement.

"Interest Record Date," with respect to any Interest Payment Date, shall mean the March 15 or September 15 (whether or not such day is a Business Day) immediately preceding the applicable April 1 or October 1 Interest Payment Date, respectively.

"Last Reported Sale Price" of the Class A Common Stock on any date means (a) if the Class A Common Stock is listed for trading on a U.S. national or regional securities exchange on the relevant date, the closing sale price per share (or if no closing sale price is reported, the average of the bid and ask prices or, if more than one in either case, the average of the average bid and the average asked prices) on that date as reported in composite transactions for the principal U.S. securities exchange on which the Class A Common Stock is traded, or (b) if the Class A Common Stock is not listed for trading on a U.S. national or regional securities exchange on the relevant date, (i) if the Class A Common Stock is quoted in the over-the-counter market, the last quoted bid price for the Class A Common Stock in the over-the-counter market on the relevant date as reported by Pink Sheets LLC or a similar organization, or (ii) if the Class A Common Stock is not quoted in the over-the-counter market, the average of the mid-point of the last bid and ask prices for the Class A Common Stock on the relevant date from each of at least three nationally recognized independent investment banking firms selected by the Company for this purpose.

"Make-Whole Conversion Rate Adjustment" shall have the meaning specified in Section 1703(a).

"Make-Whole Fundamental Change" means any transaction or event that constitutes a Fundamental Change, giving effect to the exceptions and exclusions in the definition of "Change of Control," but without regard to the exclusions in clause (d) of the definition thereof.

"Market Disruption Event" means (a) a failure by the primary United States national or regional securities exchange or market on which the Class A Common Stock is listed or admitted to trading to open for trading during its regular trading session or (ii) the occurrence or existence prior to 1:00 p.m., New York City time, on any Scheduled Trading Day for the Class A Common Stock for more than one half-hour period in the aggregate during regular trading hours of any suspension or limitation imposed on trading (by reason of movements in price exceeding limits permitted by the relevant stock exchange or otherwise) in the Class A Common Stock or in any options, contracts or future contracts relating to the Class A Common Stock.

"Maturity Date" means October 1, 2029.

"Measurement Period" shall have the meaning specified in Section 1701(b)(i).

"Merger Event" shall have the meaning specified in Section 1706.

- "Net Share Settlement' shall have the meaning specified in Section 1702(b).
- "Note Register" shall have the meaning specified in Section 305(a).
- "Note Registrar" shall have the meaning specified in Section 305(a).
- "Notice of Conversion" shall have the meaning specified in Section 1702(d).
- "Observation Period" means, with respect to any Note, (a) if the relevant Conversion Date occurs prior to July 1, 2029, the thirty consecutive Trading Day period beginning on and including the third Trading Day after the related Conversion Date, and (b) if the relevant Conversion Date occurs on or after July 1, 2029, the thirty consecutive Trading Days beginning on and including the thirty-second Scheduled Trading Day immediately preceding the Maturity Date.
- "Officer" means, with respect to the Company, the Chairman, the President, the Chief Executive Officer, the Chief Financial Officer, the Treasurer, the Secretary, any Executive or Senior Vice President, or any Vice President (whether or not designated by a number or numbers or word added before or after the title "Vice President").
  - "opening of business" means 9:00 a.m. (New York City time).
  - "Physical Settlement" shall have the meaning specified in Section 1702(b).
- "Publicly Traded Securities" means common equity interests traded on a national securities exchange or which will be so traded or quoted when issued or exchanged in connection with a Fundamental Change.
  - "Purchase Date" shall have the meaning specified in Section 1011(a).
  - "Purchase Notice" shall have the meaning specified in Section 1011(a)(i).
  - "Purchase Price" shall have the meaning specified in Section 1011(a).
  - "Redemption" means a redemption of Notes pursuant to Article Eleven.
  - "Redemption Date" means the Business Day on which Notes are redeemed by the Company pursuant to Section 1101.
  - "Redemption Price" shall have the meaning specified in Section 1101.
  - "Reference Property" shall have the meaning specified in Section 1706(b).
  - "Repurchase" means a purchase of Notes upon a Fundamental Change pursuant to Section 1010 or at the option of a Holder pursuant to Section 1011.
- "Scheduled Trading Day" means a day that is scheduled to be a Trading Day on the primary United States national securities exchange or market on which the Class A Common Stock is listed or admitted for trading or, if the Class A Common Stock is not so listed or admitted for trading, any Business Day.

- "Settlement Amount" shall have the meaning specified in Section 1702(b).
- "Settlement Method" means each of a Physical Settlement, Cash Settlement or Net Share Settlement.
- "Settlement Notice" shall have the meaning specified in Section 1702(b)(iii).
- "Significant Subsidiary" means any "Significant Subsidiary" of the Company as defined under Article 1, Rule 1-02 of Regulation S-X (17 C.F.R. pt. 210).
- "Smith Holders" means (a) Mr. O. Bruton Smith and his guardians, conservators, committees or attorneys-in-fact, (b) Descendants and their respective guardians, conservators, committees or attorneys-in-fact and (c) each Family Controlled Entity.
  - "Special Payment Date" means the date on which Defaulted Interest is paid pursuant to Section 307.
  - "Specified Dollar Amount" means the amount of cash per \$1,000 principal amount of converted Note specified in the Settlement Notice related to such converted Note.
  - "Spin-Off" shall have the meaning specified in Section 1704(c).
- "Stock Price" means (a) if the Holders of the Class A Common Stock receive only cash in a Make-Whole Fundamental Change described in clause (d) of the definition of "Change of Control," the cash amount paid (or deemed paid) per share of Class A Common Stock or (b) otherwise, the average of the Last Reported Sale Prices of the Class A Common Stock over the five Trading Day period ending on, and including, the Trading Day immediately preceding the Effective Date of the Make-Whole Fundamental Change.
  - "Successor Company" shall have the meaning specified in Section 801(a).
- "Termination of Trading" means the Class A Common Stock (or other common stock into which the Notes are then convertible) is neither listed for trading nor quoted on a U.S. securities exchange.
- "Trading Day" means (a) if the Class A Common Stock (or other security for which a closing sale price must be determined) is listed or traded, a day on which (i) (A) if the Class A Common Stock is listed on the New York Stock Exchange, trading in the Class A Common Stock generally occurs on The New York Stock Exchange, (B) if the Class A Common Stock is not then listed on The New York Stock Exchange, trading in the Class A Common Stock generally occurs on the principal other United States national or regional securities exchange on which the Class A Common Stock is then listed, or (C) if the Class A Common Stock is not then listed on a United States national or regional securities exchange, trading in the Class A Common Stock generally occurs on the principal other market on which the Class A Common Stock is then traded, and (ii) a Last Reported Sale Price for the Class A Common Stock is available on such securities exchange or market, or (b) if the Class A Common Stock (or other security for which a closing sale price must be determined) is not so listed or traded, a Business Day.

For the purposes of determining payment upon Conversion only, "Trading Day" means a day on which (a) there is no Market Disruption Event and (b) trading in the Class A Common Stock generally occurs on The New York Stock Exchange or, if the Class A Common Stock is not then listed on

The New York Stock Exchange, on the principal other United States national or regional securities exchange on which the Class A Common Stock is then listed or, if the Class A Common Stock is not then listed on a United States national or regional securities exchange, on the principal other market on which the Class A Common Stock is then traded; provided, however, that if the Class A Common Stock (or other security for which a Daily VWAP must be determined) is not so listed or traded, "Trading Day" shall mean a Business Day.

"Trading Price" means, with respect to the Notes on any date of determination, the average of the secondary market bid quotations obtained by the Bid Solicitation Agent for \$5.0 million principal amount of the Notes at approximately 3:30 p.m., New York City time, on such determination date from three independent nationally recognized securities dealers selected by the Company; provided that, if three such bids cannot reasonably be obtained by the Bid Solicitation Agent but two such bids are obtained, then the average of the two bids shall be used, if only one such bid can reasonably be obtained by the Bid Solicitation Agent, then that one bid shall be used, if the Bid Solicitation Agent cannot reasonably obtain at least one bid for \$5.0 million principal amount of the Notes from a nationally recognized securities dealer, the Trading Price per \$1,000 principal amount of Notes shall be deemed to be less than 98% of the product of the Last Reported Sale Price of the Class A Common Stock and the Applicable Conversion Rate or, if the Company does not so instruct the Bid Solicitation Agent to obtain bids when required, the Trading Price per \$1,000 principal amount of the Notes shall be deemed to be less than 98% of the product of the Last Reported Sale Price of the Class A Common Stock and the Applicable Conversion Rate on each day the Company fails to do so.

"Valuation Period" shall have the meaning specified in Section 1704(c).

"Weighted Average Consideration" shall have the meaning specified in Section 1706(c)(iv).

# ARTICLE II FORM AND TERMS OF THE NOTES

Section 2.01 Designation and Amount. The Notes shall be designated as the "5.0% Convertible Senior Notes due 2029." The aggregate principal amount of Notes that may be authenticated and delivered under this Indenture is initially limited to \$172,500,000, subject to the next succeeding paragraph and except for Notes authenticated and delivered upon registration or transfer of, or in exchange for, or in lieu of other Notes pursuant to Section 305(a), Section 306, Section 906, Section 1010(d)(iii) and Section 1702(f) hereof.

The Company may, without the consent of the Holders of Notes, reopen this Indenture and issue additional notes hereunder with the same terms and with the same CUSIP number as the Notes initially issued hereunder in an unlimited aggregate principal amount, which will form the same series with the Notes initially issued hereunder, provided that no such additional notes may be issued unless they will be fungible with the original Notes for U.S. federal income tax and securities law purposes. Prior to the issuance of any such additional notes, the Company shall deliver to the Trustee a Company Order, an Officers' Certificate and an Opinion of Counsel, such Officers' Certificate and Opinion of Counsel to cover such matters as the Trustee shall reasonably request. The Company may also from time to time repurchase the Notes in open market purchases or negotiated transactions without prior notice to the Holders of Notes.

The Notes will bear cash interest at a rate of 5.0% per year until Maturity. Interest on the Notes will accrue from September 23, 2009 or from the most recent date on which interest has been paid or duly provided for. Interest will be payable semi-annually in arrears on April 1 and October 1 of each year, beginning April 1, 2010, to the Person in whose name a Note is registered on March 15 or September 15, as the case may be, preceding the Interest Payment Date.

The Notes will mature on October 1, 2029 unless earlier converted, redeemed or repurchased.

The Company shall pay principal of any certificated Notes at the office or agency designated by the Company for that purpose. The Company hereby designates the Trustee as the Paying Agent and Note Registrar and its agency in New York, New York as a place where Notes may be presented for payment or for registration of transfer. The Company may, however, change the Paying Agent and Note Registrar without prior notice to the Holders of the Notes, and the Company may act as Paying Agent and Note Registrar. Interest (including Additional Interest, if any) on certificated Notes will be payable (i) to Holders having an aggregate principal amount of \$5.0 million or less, by check mailed to the Holders of these Notes and (ii) to Holders having an aggregate principal amount of more than \$5.0 million, either by check mailed to each Holder or, upon application by a Holder to the Note Registrar not later than the relevant Interest Record Date, by wire transfer in immediately available funds to that Holder's account within the United States, which application shall remain in effect until the Holder notifies, in writing, the Note Registrar to the contrary.

A Holder of Notes may transfer or exchange Notes at the office of the Note Registrar in accordance with this Indenture. The Note Registrar and the Trustee may require a Holder, among other things, to furnish appropriate endorsements and transfer documents. No service charge will be imposed by the Company, the Trustee or the Note Registrar for any registration of transfer or exchange of Notes, but the Company may require a Holder to pay a sum sufficient to cover any transfer tax or other similar governmental charge required by law or permitted by this Indenture. The Company is not required to transfer or exchange any Note selected for Redemption or surrendered for Conversion

If any Interest Payment Date, the Maturity Date or any earlier required Fundamental Change Repurchase Date or a Purchase Date falls on a day that is not a Business Day, the required payment will be made on the next succeeding Business Day and no interest on such payment will accrue in respect of the delay.

Section 2.02 Form of Face of Note. Except as may be provided in a Future Supplemental Indenture, with respect to the Notes and no other class or series of Securities pursuant to the Indenture, Section 202 of the Base Indenture shall be replaced in its entirety with the following:

Section 202. Form and Face of Note. The form of the face of any Notes authenticated and delivered hereunder and of the Trustee's certificate of authentication shall be substantially as attached as Exhibit A.

Section 2.03 Form of Reverse of Note. Except as may be provided in a Future Supplemental Indenture, the provisions of Section 203 of the Base Indenture are amended (with respect to the Notes only) in their entirety and restated as follows:

Section 203. Form of Reverse of Note. The form of the reverse of any Notes authenticated and delivered hereunder shall be substantially as attached as Exhibit A.

Section 2.04 Applicability of Provisions Regarding Form of Subsidiary Guarantee. Except as may be provided in a Future Supplemental Indenture, with respect to the Notes and no other class or series of Securities issued pursuant to the Indenture, Section 204 of the Base Indenture shall not apply.

Section 2.05 Applicability of Provisions Regarding Form of Legend for Global Securities. Except as may be provided in a Future Supplemental Indenture, with respect to the Notes and no other class or series of Securities issued pursuant to the Indenture, Section 205 of the Base Indenture shall not apply.

Section 2.06 Applicability of Provisions Regarding Form of Trustee's Certificate of Authentication. Except as may be provided by a Future Supplemental Indenture, for the sole benefit of the Holders of the Notes, Section 206 of the Base Indenture shall not apply to the Notes.

Section 2.07 Execution, Authentication, Delivery and Discharge. Except as may be provided in a Future Supplemental Indenture, with respect to the Notes and no other class or series of Securities issued pursuant to the Indenture, Section 303 of the Base Indenture shall be replaced in its entirety with the following:

# Section 303. Execution, Authentication, Delivery and Dating

The Notes shall be signed in the name and on behalf of the Company by the manual or facsimile signature of its Chief Executive Officer, Chief Financial Officer, President, Treasurer, Secretary or any of its Executive or Senior Vice Presidents.

At any time and from time to time after the execution and delivery of this Indenture, the Company may deliver Notes executed by the Company to the Trustee for authentication, together with a Company Order for the authentication and delivery of such Notes, and the Trustee in accordance with such Company Order shall authenticate and deliver such Notes, without any further action by the Company hereunder.

Only such Notes as shall bear thereon a certificate of authentication substantially in the form set forth as Exhibit A hereto, executed manually or by facsimile by an authorized officer of the Trustee (or an Authenticating Agent appointed by the Trustee as provided by Section 614), shall be entitled to the benefits of this Indenture or be valid or obligatory for any purpose. Such certificate by the Trustee (or such an Authenticating Agent) upon any Note executed by the Company shall be conclusive evidence that the Note so authenticated has been duly authenticated and delivered hereunder and that the Holder is entitled to the benefits of this Indenture.

In case any Officer of the Company who shall have signed any of the Notes shall cease to be such Officer before the Notes so signed shall have been authenticated and delivered by the Trustee, or disposed of by the Company, such Notes nevertheless may be authenticated and delivered or disposed of as though the person who signed such Notes had not ceased to be such Officer of the Company; and any Note may be signed on behalf of the Company by such persons as, at the actual date of the execution of such Note, shall be the proper Officers of the Company, although at the date of the execution of this Indenture any such person was not such an Officer.

Section 2.08 Registration, Registration of Transfer and Exchange. Except as may be provided in a Future Supplemental Indenture, with respect to the Notes and no other class or series of Se-

curities issued pursuant to the Indenture, Section 305 of the Base Indenture shall be replaced in its entirety with the following:

#### Section 305. Registration, Registration of Transfer and Exchange.

(a) The Company shall cause to be kept at the Corporate Trust Office a register (the register maintained in such office or in any other office or agency of the Company designated pursuant to Section 1002 being herein sometimes collectively referred to as the "Note Register") in which, subject to such reasonable regulations as it may prescribe, the Company shall provide for the registration of Notes and of transfers of Notes. Such register shall be in written form or in any form capable of being converted into written form within a reasonable period of time. The Trustee is hereby appointed "Note Registrar" for the purpose of registering Notes and transfers of Notes as herein provided. The Company may appoint one or more co-registrars without notice. The Trustee is appointed also as Paying Agent, Custodian, Conversion Agent and Bid Solicitation Agent with respect to the Notes.

Upon surrender for registration of transfer of any Note to the Note Registrar or any co-registrar, and satisfaction of the requirements for such transfer set forth in this Section 305, the Company shall execute, and the Trustee shall authenticate and deliver, in the name of the designated transferee or transferees, one or more new Notes of any authorized denominations and of a like aggregate principal amount and bearing such restrictive legends as may be required by this Indenture.

Notes may be exchanged for other Notes of any authorized denominations and of a like aggregate principal amount, upon surrender of the Notes to be exchanged at any such office or agency maintained by the Company pursuant to Section 1002. Whenever any Notes are so surrendered for exchange, the Company shall execute, and the Trustee shall authenticate and deliver, the Notes that the Holder making the exchange is entitled to receive, bearing registration numbers not contemporaneously outstanding.

All Notes presented or surrendered for registration of transfer or for exchange, Repurchase, Redemption or Conversion shall (if so required by the Company, the Trustee, the Note Registrar or any co-registrar) be duly endorsed, or be accompanied by a written instrument or instruments of transfer in form satisfactory to the Company and duly executed, by the Holder thereof or its attorney-in-fact duly authorized in writing.

No service charge shall be charged to the Holder for any exchange or registration of transfer of Notes, but the Company or the Trustee may require payment of a sum sufficient to cover any tax, assessments or other governmental charges that may be imposed in connection therewith as a result of the name of the Holder of the new Notes issued upon such exchange or registration of transfer of Notes being different from the name of the Holder of the old Notes presented or surrendered for such exchange or registration of transfer.

None of the Company, the Trustee, the Note Registrar or any co-registrar shall be required to exchange or register a transfer of (i) any Notes surrendered for Conversion or, if a portion of any Note is surrendered for Conversion, such portion thereof surrendered for Conversion or (ii) any Notes, or a portion of any Note, surrendered for Repurchase (and not withdrawn) or for Redemption.

All Notes issued upon any registration of transfer or exchange of Notes in accordance with this Indenture shall be the valid obligations of the Company, evidencing the same debt, and entitled to the same benefits under this Indenture as the Notes surrendered upon such registration of transfer or exchange.

(b) So long as the Notes are eligible for book-entry settlement with the Depositary, unless otherwise required by law, all Notes shall be represented by one or more Notes in global form without interest coupons (each, a "Global Note") registered in the name of the Depositary or the nominee of the Depositary. The transfer and exchange of beneficial interests in a Global Note that does not involve the issuance of a definitive Note, shall be effected through the Depositary (but not the Trustee or the Custodian) in accordance with this Indenture (including the restrictions on transfer set forth herein) and the procedures of the Depositary therefor.

Notwithstanding any other provisions of this Indenture (other than the provisions set forth in this Section 305(b)), a Global Note may not be transferred as a whole or in part except (i) by the Depositary to a nominee of the Depositary or by a nominee of the Depositary or another nominee of the Depositary or any such nominee to a successor Depositary or a nominee of such successor Depositary and (ii) for transfers of portions of a Global Note in certificated form made upon request of a member of, or a participant in, the Depositary (for itself or on behalf of a beneficial owner) by written notice given to the Trustee by or on behalf of the Depositary in accordance with customary procedures of the Depositary and in compliance with this Section.

(c) The Depositary shall be a clearing agency registered under the Exchange Act. The Company initially appoints The Depository Trust Company to act as Depositary with respect to the Global Note. Initially, the Global Note shall be issued to the Depositary, registered in the name of Cede & Co., as the nominee of the Depositary, and deposited with the Trustee as custodian for Cede & Co.

So long as the Depositary's nominee is the registered owner of the Global Note, that nominee will be considered the sole owner or Holder of the Notes represented by such Global Note for all purposes under this Indenture. Except as provided below, owners of beneficial interests in a Global Note will not be entitled to have Notes represented by the Global Note registered in their names, will not receive or be entitled to receive physical, certificated Notes, and will not be considered the owners or Holders of the Notes under this Indenture for any purpose.

If (i) the Depositary notifies the Company at any time that the Depositary is unwilling or unable to continue as depositary for the Global Notes and a successor depositary is not appointed within ninety days, (ii) the Depositary ceases to be registered as a clearing agency under the Exchange Act and a successor depositary is not appointed within ninety days or (iii) an Event of Default in respect of the Notes has occurred and is continuing, upon the request of the beneficial owner of the Notes, the Company will execute, and the Trustee, upon receipt of an Officers' Certificate and a Company Order for the authentication and delivery of Notes, will authenticate and deliver Notes in definitive form to each such beneficial owner of the related Notes (or a portion thereof) in an aggregate principal amount equal to the principal amount of such Global Note, in exchange for such Global Note, and upon delivery of the Global Note to the Trustee such Global Note shall be canceled.

Definitive Notes issued in exchange for all or a part of the Global Note pursuant to this Section 305(c) shall be registered in such names and in such authorized denominations as the Depositary, pursuant to instructions from its direct or indirect participants or otherwise, shall instruct the Trustee. Upon execution and authentication, the Trustee shall deliver such definitive Notes to the Persons in whose names such definitive Notes are so registered.

At such time as all interests in a Global Note have been converted, canceled, repurchased or transferred, such Global Note shall be, upon receipt thereof, canceled by the Trustee in accordance with standing procedures and instructions existing between the Depositary and the Custodian. At any time prior to such

cancellation, if any interest in a Global Note is exchanged for definitive Notes, converted, canceled, repurchased or transferred to a transferree who receives definitive Notes therefor or any definitive Note is exchanged or transferred for part of such Global Note, the principal amount of such Global Note shall, in accordance with the standing procedures and instructions existing between the Depositary and the Custodian, be appropriately reduced or increased, as the case may be, and an endorsement shall be made on such Global Note, by the Trustee or the Custodian, at the direction of the Trustee, to reflect such reduction or increase.

Payments of principal and interest (including Additional Interest, if any) with respect to the Notes represented by a Global Note will be made by the Trustee to the Depositary's nominee as the registered Holder of the Global Note. None of the Company, the Trustee nor any agent of the Company or the Trustee will have any responsibility or liability for the payment of amounts to owners of beneficial interests in a Global Note, for any aspect of the records relating to or payments made on account of beneficial ownership interests of a Global Note or maintaining, supervising or reviewing any records relating to such beneficial ownership interests.

Section 2.09 Satisfaction and Discharge. Except as may be provided in a Future Supplemental Indenture, with respect to the Notes and no other class or series of Securities issued pursuant to the Indenture, Article Four of the Base Indenture shall be replaced in its entirety with the following:

#### ARTICLE FOUR

# SATISFACTION AND DISCHARGE

Section 401. <u>Satisfaction and Discharge</u>. This Indenture shall upon request of the Company contained in an Officers' Certificate cease to be of further effect, and the Trustee, at the expense of the Company, shall execute proper instruments acknowledging satisfaction and discharge of this Indenture, when (a) either (i) all Notes theretofore authenticated and delivered (other than (x) Notes which have been destroyed, lost or stolen and which have been replaced or paid as provided in Section 306 and (y) Notes for whose payment money has theretofore been deposited in trust or segregated and held in trust by the Company and thereafter repaid to the Company or discharged from such trust, as provided in Section 1003) have been delivered to the Note Registrar for cancellation; or (ii) the Company has deposited with the Trustee or delivered to Holders, as applicable, after the Notes have become due and payable, whether at the Maturity Date, any Fundamental Change Repurchase Date, Purchase Date or Redemption Date, upon Conversion or otherwise, cash, shares of Class A Common Stock (in the case of Conversion) or a combination of cash and shares of Class A Common Stock (solely to satisfy the Company's Conversion Obligation, if applicable), sufficient to pay all of the Outstanding Notes and all other sums due payable under this Indenture by the Company; and (b) the Company has delivered to the Trustee an Officers' Certificate and an Opinion of Counsel, each stating that all conditions precedent herein provided for relating to the satisfaction and discharge of this Indenture, the obligations of the Company to the Trustee under Section 607 shall survive.

# Section 402. Repayment to the Company.

The Trustee and the Paying Agent shall return to the Company upon written request any money or securities held by them for the payment of any amount with respect to the Notes that remains unclaimed for two years, subject to applicable unclaimed property law. After return to the Company, Holders entitled to the money or securities must look to the Company for payment as general creditors unless an applicable

abandoned property law designates another Person and the Trustee and the Paying Agent shall have no further liability to the Holders with respect to such money or securities for that period commencing after the return thereof.

Section 2.10 Events of Default. Except as may be provided in a Future Supplemental Indenture, with respect to the Notes and no other class or series of Securities issued pursuant to the Indenture, Article Five of the Base Indenture shall be replaced in its entirety with the following:

# ARTICLE FIVE

#### REMEDIES

#### Section 501. Events of Default.

Each of the following is an "Event of Default":

- (a) default in any payment of interest, including any Additional Interest, on any Note when due and payable and the default continues for a period of thirty days;
- (b) default in the payment of principal of any Note when due and payable on the Maturity Date, upon Repurchase or Redemption, upon declaration or otherwise;
- (c) failure by the Company to comply with its obligation to convert the Notes into cash, shares of Class A Common Stock or a combination of cash and shares of Class A Common Stock, as applicable, upon exercise of a Holder's Conversion right;
- (d) failure by the Company to give a Fundamental Change Repurchase Notice as described in Section 1010(a)(i) or the notice required to be given pursuant to Section 1701(b)
- (ii) or Section 1701(b)(iii), as applicable, in each case when due;
- (e) failure by the Company to comply with its obligations under Article Eight;
- (f) failure by the Company for sixty days after written notice from the Trustee or the Holders of at least 25% in principal amount of the Notes then Outstanding has been received to comply with any of its other agreements contained in the Notes or this Indenture;
- (g) default by the Company or any Subsidiary of the Company with respect to any mortgage, agreement or other instrument under which there may be outstanding, or by which there may be secured or evidenced, any indebtedness for money borrowed in excess of \$35.0 million in the aggregate of the Company and/or any Subsidiary, whether such indebtedness now exists or shall hereafter be created (i) resulting in such indebtedness becoming or being declared due and payable or (ii) constituting a failure to pay the principal or interest of any such debt when due and payable at its stated maturity, upon required repurchase, upon declaration or otherwise;
- (h) the Company or any Subsidiary of the Company that is a Significant Subsidiary shall commence a voluntary case or other proceeding seeking liquidation, reorganization or other relief with respect to the Company or any such Subsidiary or its debts under any bankruptcy, insolvency or other similar law now or hereafter in effect or seeking the appointment of a trustee, receiver, liquidator, custodian or other similar official of the Company or any such Subsidiary or any substantial part of its property, or shall consent

to any such relief or to the appointment of or taking possession by any such official in an involuntary case or other proceeding commenced against it, or shall make a general assignment for the benefit of creditors, or shall fail generally to pay its debts as they become due;

(i) an involuntary case or other proceeding shall be commenced against the Company or any Subsidiary of the Company that is a Significant Subsidiary seeking liquidation, reorganization or other relief with respect to the Company or such Subsidiary or its debts under any bankruptcy, insolvency or other similar law now or hereafter in effect or seeking the appointment of a trustee, receiver, liquidator, custodian or other similar official of the Company or such Subsidiary or any substantial part of its property, and such involuntary case or other proceeding shall remain undismissed and unstayed for a period of thirty consecutive days; or

(j) a final judgment for the payment of \$35.0 million or more (excluding any amounts covered by insurance) rendered against the Company or any Significant Subsidiary, which judgment is not discharged or stayed within sixty days after (i) the date on which the right to appeal thereof has expired if no such appeal has commenced, or (ii) the date on which all rights to appeal have been extinguished.

#### Section 502. Acceleration of Maturity; Rescission and Annulment.

In case one or more Events of Default shall have occurred and be continuing (whatever the reason for such Event of Default and whether it shall be voluntary or involuntary or be effected by operation of law or pursuant to any judgment, decree or order of any court or any order, rule or regulation of any administrative or governmental body), then, and in each and every such case (other than an Event of Default specified in Section 501(h) or Section 501(i) with respect to the Company or a Significant Subsidiary of the Company), unless the principal of all of the Notes shall have already become due and payable, either the Trustee or the Holders of at least 25% in aggregate principal amount of the Notes then Outstanding determined in accordance with Section 104, by notice in writing to the Company (and to the Trustee if given by Holders), may declare 100% of the principal of and accrued and unpaid interest and accrued and unpaid Additional Interest, if any, on all the Notes to be due and payable immediately, and upon any such declaration the same shall become and shall automatically be immediately due and payable, anything in this Indenture or in the Notes contained to the contrary notwithstanding. If an Event of Default specified in Section 501(h) or Section 501(i) with respect to the Company (or a Significant Subsidiary of the Company) occurs and is continuing, the principal of all the Notes and accrued and unpaid interest and accrued and unpaid Additional Interest, if any, shall be immediately due and payable. This provision, however, is subject to the conditions that if, at any time after the principal of the Notes shall have been so declared due and payable, and before any judgment or decree for the payment of the monies due shall have been obtained or entered as hereinafter provided, the Company shall pay or shall deposit with the Trustee a sum sufficient to pay installments of accrued and unpaid interest and accrued and unpaid Additional Interest, if any upon all Notes and the principal of any and all Notes that shall have become due otherwise than by acceleration (with interest on overdue installments of accrued and unpaid interest and accrued and unpaid Additional Interest, if any, (to the extent that payment of such interest is enforceable under applicable law) and on such principal at the rate borne by the Notes at such time) and amounts due to the Trustee pursuant to Section 607, and if (a) rescission would not conflict with any judgment or decree of a court of competent jurisdiction and (b) any and all Events of Defaults under this Indenture, other than the nonpayment of principal of and accrued and unpaid interest and accrued and unpaid Additional Interest, if any, on Notes that shall have become due solely by such acceleration, shall have been cured or waived pursuant to Section 513, then and in every such case the Holders of a majority in aggregate principal amount of the Notes then Outstanding, by written notice to the Company and to the Trustee, may waive all Defaults or Events of Default with respect to the Notes (other than a Default or an Event of Default

resulting from a failure to deliver, upon Conversion, Repurchase or Redemption, cash, shares of Class A Common Stock, as applicable, due upon conversion, repurchase or redemption) and rescind and annul such declaration and its consequences (other than a declaration or consequences, as the case may be, resulting from a failure to deliver, upon Conversion, Repurchase, Redemption, cash, shares of Class A Common Stock or a combination of cash and shares of Class A Common Stock, as applicable, due upon conversion, repurchase or redemption) and such Default (other than a Default resulting from a failure to deliver, upon Conversion, Repurchase or Redemption, cash, shares of Class A Common Stock or a combination of cash and shares of Class A Common Stock as applicable, due upon conversion, repurchase or redemption) shall cease to exist, and any Event of Default arising therefrom (other than a Default resulting from a failure to deliver, upon Conversion, Repurchase or Redemption, cash, shares of Class A Common Stock or a combination of cash and shares of Class A Common Stock, as applicable, due upon conversion, repurchase or redemption) shall be deemed to have been cured for every purpose of this Indenture; but no such waiver or rescission and annulment shall extend to or shall affect any subsequent Default or Event of Default, or shall impair any right consequent thereon.

Notwithstanding anything in this Indenture or in the Notes to the contrary, for the first sixty days immediately following any violation of any obligations the Company may be deemed to have pursuant to Section 314(a)(1) of the Trust Indenture Act, or Section 704, and the continuation thereof, if the Company notifies all Holders of Notes and the Trustee and Paying Agent prior to the beginning of such sixty-day period of its election to pay additional interest on the Notes at a rate per year equal to 0.50% of the Outstanding principal amount of the Notes ("Additional Interest"), the sole remedy during the first sixty days immediately following any violation of any obligations the Company may be deemed to have pursuant to Section 314(a)(1) of the Trust Indenture Act, or Section 704 shall be the payment of Additional Interest. In no event shall Additional Interest accrue at an annualized rate in excess of 0.50%, regardless of the number of events or circumstances giving rise to the requirement to pay Additional Interest. In addition to the accrual of Additional Interest, on and after the sixty-first day after any violation of any obligations the Company may be deemed to have pursuant to Section 314(a)(1) of the Trust Indenture Act or Section 704 (if the Event of Default has not been cured or waived prior to such sixty-first day), either the Trustee or the Holders of not less than 25% in aggregate principal amount of the Notes then Outstanding may declare the principal amount of the Notes and any accrued and unpaid interest, including any Additional Interest, through the date of such declaration, to be immediately due and payable. Whenever in this Indenture there is mentioned, in any context, the payment of interest on, or in respect of, any Note, such mention shall be deemed to include mention of the payment of Additional Interest provided for in this paragraph to the extent that, in such context, Additional Interest is, was or would be payable in respect thereof pursuant to the provisions of this paragraph, and ex

If the Company elects to pay Additional Interest, such Additional Interest will be payable in the same manner and on the same dates as the stated interest payable on the Notes. The provisions herein related to Additional Interest will not affect the rights of the Holders of Notes in the event of the occurrence of any other Event of Default. In the event the Company does not elect to pay Additional Interest following an Event of Default in accordance with this Section, the Notes will be subject to acceleration as provided above. In addition, if the Company fails to timely give the notice required by this Section of its election to pay Additional Interest, the Notes will be irrevocably subject to acceleration as provided above.

Additional Interest will be payable in arrears on each Interest Payment Date following accrual in the same manner as regular interest on the Notes.

In case the Trustee shall have proceeded to enforce any right under this Indenture and such proceedings shall have been discontinued or abandoned because of such waiver or rescission and annulment or for any other reason or shall have been determined adversely to the Trustee, then and in every such case the Company, the Holders, and the Trustee shall, subject to any determination in such proceeding, be restored respectively to their several positions and rights hereunder, and all rights, remedies and powers of the Company, the Holders, and the Trustee shall continue as though no such proceeding had been instituted.

#### Section 503. Collection of Indebtedness and Suits for Enforcement by Trustee.

If an Event of Default described in Section 501(a) or Section 501(b) shall have occurred, the Company shall, upon demand of the Trustee, pay to it, for the benefit of the Holders of the Notes, the whole amount then due and payable on the Notes for principal and interest and Additional Interest, if any, with interest on any overdue principal interest and Additional Interest, if any, at the rate borne by the Notes at such time, and, in addition thereto, such further amount as shall be sufficient to cover any amounts due to the Trustee under Section 607. If the Company shall fail to pay such amounts forthwith upon such demand, the Trustee, in its own name and as trustee of an express trust, may institute a judicial proceeding for the collection of the sums so due and unpaid, may prosecute such proceeding to judgment or final decree and may enforce the same against the Company or any other obligor upon the Notes and collect the moneys adjudged or decreed to be payable in the manner provided by law out of the property of the Company or any other obligor upon the Notes, wherever situated.

#### Section 504. Trustee May File Proofs of Claim.

In the event there shall be pending proceedings for the bankruptcy or for the reorganization of the Company or any other obligor on the Notes under title 11 of the United States Code, or any other applicable law, or in case a receiver, assignee or trustee in bankruptcy or reorganization, liquidator, sequestrator or similar official shall have been appointed for or taken possession of the Company or such other obligor, the property of the Company or such other obligor, or in the event of any other judicial proceedings relative to the Company or such other obligor upon the Notes, or to the creditors or property of the Company or such other obligor, the Trustee, irrespective of whether the principal of the Notes shall then be due and payable as therein expressed or by declaration or otherwise and irrespective of whether the Trustee shall have made any demand pursuant to the provisions of this Section 504, shall be entitled and empowered, by intervention in such proceedings or otherwise, to file and prove a claim or claims for the whole amount of principal and accrued and unpaid interest and accrued and unpaid Additional Interest, if any, in respect of the Notes, and, in case of any judicial proceedings, to file such proofs of claim and other papers or documents and to take such other actions as it may deem necessary or advisable in order to have the claims of the Trustee (including any claim for the reasonable compensation, expenses, disbursements and advances of the Trustee, its agents and counsel) and of the Holders allowed in such judicial proceedings relative to the Company or any other obligor on the Notes, its or their creditors, or its or their property, and to collect and receive any monies or other property payable or deliverable on any such claims, and to distribute the same after the deduction of any amounts due the Trustee under Section 607; and any receiver, assignee or trustee in bankruptcy or reorganization, liquidator, custodian or similar official is hereby authorized by each of the Holders to mak

shall be denied for any reason, payment of the same shall be secured by a lien on, and shall be paid out of, any and all distributions, dividends, monies, securities and other property that the Holders of the Notes may be entitled to receive in such proceedings, whether in liquidation or under any plan of reorganization or arrangement or otherwise.

Nothing herein contained shall be deemed to authorize the Trustee to authorize or consent to or accept or adopt on behalf of any Holder any plan of reorganization, arrangement, adjustment or composition affecting the Holder or the rights of any Holder thereof, or to authorize the Trustee to vote in respect of the claim of any Holder in any such proceeding.

All rights of action and of asserting claims under this Indenture, or under any of the Notes, may be enforced by the Trustee without the possession of any of the Notes, or the production thereof at any trial or other proceeding relative thereto, and any such suit or proceeding instituted by the Trustee shall be brought in its own name as trustee of an express trust, and any recovery of judgment shall, after provision for the payment of the reasonable compensation, expenses, disbursements and advances of the Trustee, its agents and counsel, be for the ratable benefit of the Holders of the Notes.

# Section 505. <u>Trustee May Enforce Claims without Possession of Notes.</u>

In any proceedings brought by the Trustee (and in any proceedings involving the interpretation of any provision of this Indenture to which the Trustee shall be a party) the Trustee shall be held to represent all the Holders of the Notes, and it shall not be necessary to make any Holders of the Notes parties to any such proceedings.

#### Section 506. Application of Money Collected.

Any monies collected by the Trustee pursuant to this Article Five with respect to the Notes shall be applied in the order following, at the date or dates fixed by the Trustee for the distribution of such monies, upon presentation of the several Notes, and stamping thereon the payment, if only partially paid, and upon surrender thereof, if fully paid:

FIRST, to the payment of all amounts due the Trustee under Section 607;

SECOND, in case the principal of the Outstanding Notes shall not have become due and be unpaid, to the payment of interest on the Notes, including Additional Interest, if any, in default in the order of the date due of the installments of such interest, with interest (to the extent that such interest has been collected by the Trustee) upon the overdue installments of interest at the rate borne by the Notes at such time, such payments to be made ratably to the Persons entitled thereto;

THIRD, in case the principal of the Outstanding Notes shall have become due, by declaration or otherwise, and be unpaid to the payment of the whole amount including the payment of the Fundamental Change Repurchase Price, the Purchase Price, the Redemption Price and the cash component of the Conversion Obligation, if any, then owing and unpaid upon the Notes for principal and interest, including Additional Interest, if any, with interest on the overdue principal and (to the extent that such interest has been collected by the Trustee) upon overdue installments of interest at the rate borne by the Notes at such time, and in case such monies shall be insufficient to pay in full the whole amounts so due and unpaid upon the Notes, then to the payment of such principal and in-

terest without preference or priority of principal over interest, or of interest over principal or of any installment of interest over any other installment of interest, or of any Note over any other Note, ratably to the aggregate of such principal and accrued and unpaid interest; and

FOURTH, to the payment of the remainder, if any, to the Company.

#### Section 507. Limitation on Suits.

Subject to Article Six, and any other section of this Indenture relating to the duties of the Trustee, if an Event of Default occurs and is continuing, the Trustee will be under no obligation to exercise any of the rights or powers under this Indenture at the request or direction of any of the Holders unless such Holders have offered to the Trustee indemnity or security reasonably satisfactory to it against any loss, liability or expense. Except to enforce the right to receive payment of principal or interest, including any Additional Interest, when due, or the right to receive payment or delivery of the consideration due upon consideration, no Holder may pursue any remedy with respect to this Indenture or the Notes unless:

- (a) such Holder has previously given the Trustee notice that an Event of Default is continuing;
- (b) Holders of at least 25% in principal amount of the Outstanding Notes have requested the Trustee to pursue the remedy;
- (c) such Holders have offered the Trustee security or indemnity reasonably satisfactory to it against any loss, liability or expense;
- (d) the Trustee has not complied with such request within sixty days after the receipt of the request and the offer of security or indemnity; and
- (e) the Holders of a majority in principal amount of the Outstanding Notes have not given the Trustee a direction that, in the opinion of the Trustee, is inconsistent with such request within such sixty-day period.

It is understood and intended, and being expressly covenanted by the taker and Holder of every Note with every other taker and Holder and the Trustee that no one or more Holders shall have any right in any manner whatever by virtue of or by availing of any provision of this Indenture to affect, disturb or prejudice the rights of any other Holder, or to obtain or seek to obtain priority over or preference to any other such Holder, or to enforce any right under this Indenture, except in the manner herein provided and for the equal, ratable and common benefit of all Holders (except as otherwise provided herein). For the protection and enforcement of this Section 507, each and every Holder and the Trustee shall be entitled to such relief as can be given either at law or in equity.

# Section 508. Unconditional Right of Holders to Receive Principal and Interest

Notwithstanding any other provision in this Indenture, the Holder of a Note shall have the right based on the rights stated herein, which is absolute and unconditional, to receive payment of the principal of and accrued but unpaid interest, including any accrued but unpaid Additional Interest, on such Note on the Maturity Date (or, in the case of Repurchase or Redemption, on the Purchase Date, Repurchase Date, or Redemption Date, as applicable) and to institute suit for the enforcement of any such payment, and such rights shall not be impaired without the consent of such Holder.

#### Section 509. Restoration of Rights and Remedies.

If the Trustee or any Holder has instituted any proceeding to enforce any right or remedy under this Indenture and such proceeding has been discontinued or abandoned for any reason, or has been determined adversely to the Trustee or to such Holder, then and in every such case, subject to any determination in such proceeding, the Company, the Trustee and the Holders shall be restored severally and respectively to their former positions hereunder and thereafter all rights and remedies of the Trustee and the Holders shall continue as though no such proceeding had been instituted.

#### Section 510. Rights and Remedies Cumulative.

Except as provided in the last paragraph of Section 507, all powers and remedies given by this Article Five to the Trustee or to the Holders shall, to the extent permitted by law, be deemed cumulative and not exclusive of any thereof or of any other powers and remedies available to the Trustee or the Holders of the Notes, by judicial proceedings or otherwise, to enforce the performance or observance of the covenants and agreements contained in this Indenture.

#### Section 511. Delay or Omission Not Waiver.

No delay or omission of the Trustee or of any Holder of any of the Notes to exercise any right or power accruing upon any Default or Event of Default shall impair any such right or power, or shall be construed to be a waiver of any such Default or any acquiescence therein; and, subject to the provisions of Section 512, every power and remedy given by this Article Five or by law to the Trustee or to the Holders may be exercised from time to time, and as often as shall be deemed expedient, by the Trustee or by the Holders.

#### Section 512. Control by Holders.

The Holders of a majority in aggregate principal amount of the Notes at the time Outstanding determined in accordance with Section 104 shall have the right to direct the time, method and place of conducting any proceeding for any remedy available to the Trustee or exercising any trust or power conferred on the Trustee with respect to Notes; provided, however, that (a) such direction shall not be in conflict with any rule of law or with this Indenture, and (b) the Trustee may take any other action deemed proper by the Trustee that conflicts with law or that is not inconsistent with such direction. The Trustee may refuse to follow any direction that it determines is unduly prejudicial to the rights of any other Holder or that would involve the Trustee in personal liability. Prior to taking any action under this Indenture, the Trustee will be entitled to indemnification satisfactory to it in its sole discretion against all losses and expenses caused by taking or not taking such action.

#### Section 513. Waiver of Past Defaults.

The Holders of a majority in aggregate principal amount of the Notes at the time Outstanding determined in accordance with Section 104 may on behalf of the Holders of all of the Notes waive any past Default or Event of Default hereunder and its consequences except (i) a default in the payment of accrued and unpaid interest or accrued and unpaid Additional Interest, if any, on, or the principal (including any Fundamental Change Repurchase Price, Purchase Price or Redemption Price) of, the Notes when due that has not been cured pursuant to the provisions of Section 501, (ii) a failure by the Company to deliver cash, shares of Class A Common Stock or a combination of cash and shares of Class A Common Stock, as applicable, upon Conversion or (iii) a default in respect of a covenant or provision hereof which under Article Nine cannot be modified or amended without the consent of each Holder of an Outstanding Note af-

fected. Upon any such waiver the Company, the Trustee and the Holders of the Notes shall be restored to their former positions and rights hereunder; but no such waiver shall extend to any subsequent or other Default or Event of Default or impair any right consequent thereon. Whenever any Default or Event of Default hereunder shall have been waived as permitted by this Section 513, said Default or Event of Default or all purposes of the Notes and this Indenture be deemed to have been cured and to be not continuing; but no such waiver shall extend to any subsequent or other Default or Event of Default or impair any right consequent thereon.

#### Section 514. Undertaking for Costs.

All parties to this Indenture agree, and each Holder of any Note by its acceptance thereof shall be deemed to have agreed, that any court may, in its discretion, require, in any suit for the enforcement of any right or remedy under this Indenture, or in any suit against the Trustee for any action taken or omitted by it as Trustee, the filing by any party litigant in such suit of an undertaking to pay the costs of such suit and that such court may in its discretion assess reasonable costs, including reasonable attorneys' fees and expenses, against any party litigant in such suit, having due regard to the merits and good faith of the claims or defenses made by such party litigant; *provided* that the provisions of this Section 514 (to the extent permitted by law) shall not apply to any suit instituted by the Trustee, to any suit instituted by any Holder, or group of Holders, holding in the aggregate more than 10% in principal amount of the Notes at the time Outstanding determined in accordance with Section 104, or to any suit instituted by any Holder for the enforcement of the payment of the principal of or accrued and unpaid interest or accrued and unpaid Additional Interest, if any, on any Note (including, but not limited to, the Fundamental Change Repurchase Price, Purchase Price or Redemption Price with respect to the Notes being repurchased as provided in this Indenture) on or after the due date expressed or provided for in such Note or to any suit for the enforcement of the right to convert any Note in accordance with the provisions of Article Seventeen.

#### Section 515. Waiver of Stay, Extension or Usury Laws.

The Company covenants (to the extent that it may lawfully do so) that it shall not at any time insist upon, plead, or in any manner whatsoever claim or take the benefit or advantage of, any stay, extension or usury law or other law that would prohibit or forgive the Company from paying all or any portion of the principal of or interest, including any Additional Interest, on the Notes as contemplated herein, wherever enacted, now or at any time hereafter in force, or that may affect the covenants or the performance of this Indenture; and the Company (to the extent it may lawfully do so) hereby expressly waives all benefit or advantage of any such law, and covenants that it will not, by resort to any such law, hinder, delay or impede the execution of any power herein granted to the Trustee, but will suffer and permit the execution of every such power as though no such law had been enacted.

# Section 516. Remedies Subject to Applicable Law.

All rights, remedies and powers provided by this Article Five may be exercised only to the extent that the exercise thereof does not violate any applicable provision of law in the premises, and all the provisions of this Indenture are intended to be subject to all applicable mandatory provisions of law which may be controlling in the premises and to be limited to the extent necessary so that they will not render this Indenture invalid, unenforceable or not entitled to be recorded, registered or filed under the provisions of any applicable law.

Section 2.11 Notice of Defaults. Except as may be provided in a Future Supplemental Indenture, with respect to the Notes and no other class or series of Securities pursuant to this Indenture, Section 602 of the Base Indenture shall be replaced in its entirety with the following:

#### Section 602. Notice of Defaults.

Within ninety days of the occurrence of a Default that becomes known to the Trustee, the Trustee shall transmit by mail to all Holders of Notes and any other Persons entitled to receive reports pursuant to Section 313(c) of the Trust Indenture Act, as their names and addresses appear in the Note Register, notice of such Default hereunder known to the Trustee, unless such Default shall have been cured or waived; *provided, however*, that, except in the case of a Default in the payment of the principal of or interest on the Notes, or a Default in the payment or delivery of the consideration due upon Conversion, Repurchase or Redemption, the Trustee shall be protected in withholding such notice if and so long as a committee of trust officers of the Trustee in good faith determines that the withholding of such notice is in the interests of the Holders.

Section 2.12 Reports by Trustee. Except as may be provided in a Future Supplemental Indenture, with respect to the Notes and no other class of Securities pursuant to this Indenture, Section 703 of the Base Indenture shall be replaced in its entirety with the following:

#### Section 703. Reports by Trustee.

- (a) If required by Section 313(a) of the Trust Indenture Act, the Trustee shall, within sixty days after each May 15 following the date of this Indenture, transmit by mail to all Holders a brief report, dated as of such May 15, that complies with the provisions of Section 313(a). The Trustee shall also transmit by mail to all Holders, at the times, in the manner and to the extent provided in Section 313(c), a brief report in accordance with and with respect to the matters required by Trust Indenture Act Section 313(b)(2).
- (b) A copy of each such report shall, at the time of such transmission to Holders, be filed by the Trustee with any exchange upon which any Notes are listed, with the Commission and with the Company. The Company will notify the Trustee when any Notes are listed on any exchange.
- Section 2.13 Reports by Company and Guarantors. Except as may be provided in a Future Supplemental Indenture, with respect to the Notes and no other class or series of Securities pursuant to this Indenture, Section 704 of the Base Indenture shall be replaced in its entirety with the following:

#### Section 704. Reports by Company and Guarantors.

#### The Company shall:

(a) file with the Trustee, within fifteen days after giving effect to any grace period provided by Rule 12b-25 under the Exchange Act after the Company is required to file the same with the Commission, copies of the annual reports and of the information, documents and other reports (or copies of such portions of any of the foregoing as the Commission may from time to time by rules and regulations prescribe) which the Company may be required to file with the Commission pursuant to Section 13 or Section 15(d) of the Exchange Act; or, if the Company is not required to file information, documents or reports pursuant to either of said Sections, then it shall (i) deliver to the Trustee annual audited financial statements of the Company and its Subsidiaries, prepared on a consolidated basis in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles, within one hundred twenty days after the end of each Fiscal Year, and (ii) file with

the Trustee and, to the extent permitted by law, the Commission, in accordance with the rules and regulations prescribed from time to time by the Commission, such of the supplementary and periodic information, documents and reports which may be required pursuant to Section 13 of the Exchange Act in respect of a security listed and registered on a national securities exchange as may be prescribed from time to time in such rules and regulations; *provided, however*, that documents filed by the Company with the Commission via the EDGAR system (or any successor system) will be deemed filed with the Trustee as of the time such documents are filed via EDGAR (or any successor system);

- (b) file with the Trustee and the Commission, in accordance with the rules and regulations prescribed from time to time by the Commission, such additional information, documents and reports with respect to compliance by the Company with the conditions and covenants of this Indenture as are required from time to time by such rules and regulations (including such information, documents and reports referred to in Trust Indenture Act Section 314(a)); and
- (c) within fifteen days after the filing thereof with the Trustee, transmit by mail to all Holders in the manner and to the extent provided in Trust Indenture Act Section 313(c), such summaries of any information, documents and reports required to be filed by the Company pursuant to subsections (a) and (b) of this Section as are required by rules and regulations prescribed from time to time by the Commission.

Section 2.14 Consolidation, Merger, Sale or Conveyance. Except as may be provided in a Future Supplemental Indenture, with respect to the Notes and no other class or series of Securities issued pursuant to the Indenture, Article Eight of the Base Indenture shall be replaced in its entirety with the following:

#### ARTICLE EIGHT

# CONSOLIDATION, MERGER, SALE OR CONVEYANCE

#### Section 801. Company May Consolidate, etc., Only on Certain Terms.

Subject to the provisions of Section 802, the Company shall not consolidate with, merge with or into, or sell, convey, transfer or lease all or substantially all of its properties and assets to, another Person, unless:

- (a) the resulting, surviving or transferee Person (the 'Successor Company"), if not the Company, shall be a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the United States of America, any State thereof or the District of Columbia, and such corporation (if not the Company) shall expressly assume, by supplemental indenture, executed and delivered to the Trustee, in form satisfactory to the Trustee, all the obligations of the Company under the Notes and this Indenture; and
- (b) immediately after giving effect to such transaction, no Default or Event of Default shall have occurred and be continuing under this Indenture.

Upon any such consolidation, merger, sale, conveyance, transfer or lease the Successor Company shall succeed to, and may exercise every right and power of, the Company under this Indenture.

For purposes of this Section 801, the conveyance, transfer or lease of all or substantially all of the properties and assets of one or more Subsidiaries of the Company to another Person, which properties and assets, if held by the Company instead of such Subsidiaries, would constitute all or substantially all of the

properties and assets of the Company on a consolidated basis, shall be deemed to be the transfer of all or substantially all of the properties and assets of the Company to another Person.

#### Section 802. Successor Substituted.

In case of any consolidation, merger, sale, conveyance, transfer or lease and upon the assumption by the Successor Company, by supplemental indenture, executed and delivered to the Trustee and satisfactory in form to the Trustee, of the due and punctual payment of the principal of and accrued and unpaid interest and accrued and unpaid Additional Interest, if any, on all of the Notes, the due and punctual delivery or payment, as the case may be, of any consideration due upon Conversion and the due and punctual performance of all of the covenants and conditions of this Indenture to be performed by the Company, such Successor Company shall succeed to and be substituted for the Company, with the same effect as if it had been named herein as the party of the first part. Such Successor Company thereupon may cause to be signed, and may issue either in its own name or in the name of the Company any or all of the Notes issuable hereunder which theretofore shall not have been signed by the Company and delivered to the Trustee; and, upon the order of such Successor Company instead of the Company and subject to all the terms, conditions and limitations in this Indenture prescribed, the Trustee shall authenticate and shall deliver, or cause to be authenticated and delivered, any Notes that previously shall have been signed and delivered by the Officers of the Company to the Trustee for authentication, and any Notes that such Successor Company thereafter shall cause to be signed and delivered to the Trustee for that purpose. All the Notes so issued shall in all respects have the same legal rank and benefit under this Indenture as the Notes theretofore or thereafter issued in accordance with the terms of this Indenture as though all of such Notes had been issued at the date of the execution hereof. In the event of any such consolidation, merger, conveyance or transfer (but not in the case of a lease), the Person named as the "Company" in the first paragraph of this Indenture or any successor that shall thereafter have become

In case of any such consolidation, merger, conveyance, transfer or lease, such changes in phraseology and form (but not in substance) may be made in the Notes thereafter to be issued as may be appropriate.

Section 2.15 Supplemental Indentures. Except as may be provided in a future Supplemental Indenture, with respect to the Notes and no other class or series of Securities issued pursuant to the Indenture, Article Nine of the Base Indenture shall be replaced in its entirety with the following:

#### ARTICLE NINE

#### SUPPLEMENTAL INDENTURES

#### Section 901. Supplemental Indentures and Agreements without Consent of Holders.

The Company, when authorized by the resolutions of the Board of Directors and the Trustee, at the Company's expense, may from time to time and at any time enter into an indenture or indentures supplemental hereto for one or more of the following purposes, without the consent of any Holder:

(a) to cure any ambiguity, omission, defect or inconsistency in this Indenture that does not adversely affect Holders of the Notes;

- (b) to provide for the assumption by a Successor Company of the obligations of the Company under this Indenture pursuant to Article Eight;
- (c) to add guarantees with respect to the Notes;
- (d) to secure the Notes;
- (e) to add to the covenants of the Company for the benefit of the Holders or surrender any right or power conferred upon the Company;
- (f) to make any change that does not adversely affect the rights of any Holder;
- (g) to comply with any requirements of the Commission in connection with the qualification of this Indenture under the Trust Indenture Act; or
- (h) to conform the provisions of this Indenture to the "Description of Notes" contained in the prospectus supplement used to initially offer the Notes.

Upon the written request of the Company, the Trustee is hereby authorized to join with the Company in the execution of any such supplemental indenture, to make any further appropriate agreements and stipulations that may be therein contained, but the Trustee shall not be obligated to, but may in its discretion, enter into any supplemental indenture that affects the Trustee's own rights, duties or immunities under this Indenture or otherwise.

Any supplemental indenture authorized by the provisions of this Section 901 may be executed by the Company and the Trustee without the consent of the Holders of any of the Notes at the time Outstanding, notwithstanding any of the provisions of Section 902.

# Section 902. Supplemental Indentures and Agreements with Consent of Holders.

With the consent (evidenced as provided in Section 104) of the Holders of at least a majority in aggregate principal amount of the Notes at the time Outstanding (determined in accordance with Section 104 and including, without limitation, consents obtained in connection with a purchase of, or tender offer or exchange offer for, Notes), the Company, when authorized by the resolutions of the Board of Directors and the Trustee, at the Company's expense, may from time to time and at any time enter into an indenture or indentures supplemental hereto for the purpose of adding any provisions to or changing in any manner or eliminating any of the provisions of this Indenture or any supplemental indenture or of modifying in any manner the rights of the Holders of the Notes; provided, however, that no such supplemental indenture shall:

- (a) reduce the amount of Notes whose Holders must consent to an amendment of this Indenture;
- (b) reduce the rate of or extend the stated time for payment of interest, including any Additional Interest, on any Note;
- (c) reduce the principal of, or extend the Stated Maturity of, any Note;
- (d) make any change that adversely affects the conversion rights of any Notes;

- (e) reduce the Redemption Price, Purchase Price or Fundamental Change Repurchase Price of any Note or amend or modify in any manner adverse to the Holders of the Notes the Company's obligation to make such payments, whether through an amendment or waiver of provisions in the covenants, definitions or otherwise;
- (f) make any Note payable in money other than that stated in the Note;
- (g) change the ranking of the Notes;
- (h) impair the right of any Holder to receive payment of principal of and interest, including Additional Interest, on such Holder's Notes on or after the due dates therefor or to institute suit for the enforcement of any payment on or with respect to such Holder's Note; or
- (i) make any change in this list of items that requires each Holder's consent or in the waiver provisions in Section 501 or Section 513,

in each case without the consent of each Holder of an Outstanding Note affected.

Upon the written request of the Company, and upon the filing with the Trustee of evidence of the consent of Holders as aforesaid and subject to Section 903, the Trustee shall join with the Company in the execution of such supplemental indenture unless such supplemental indenture affects the Trustee's own rights, duties or immunities under this Indenture or otherwise, in which case the Trustee may in its discretion, but shall not be obligated to, enter into such supplemental indenture.

It shall not be necessary for the consent of the Holders under this Section 902 to approve the particular form of any proposed supplemental indenture, but it shall be sufficient if such consent shall approve the substance thereof.

#### Section 903. Execution of Supplemental Indentures and Agreements.

In addition to the documents required by Section 102, the Trustee shall receive an Officers' Certificate and an Opinion of Counsel as conclusive evidence that any supplemental indenture executed pursuant hereto complies with the requirements of this Article Nine and is permitted or authorized by this Indenture.

# Section 904. Effect on Supplemental Indentures.

Upon the execution of any supplemental indenture pursuant to the provisions of this Article Nine, this Indenture shall be and be deemed to be modified and amended in accordance therewith and the respective rights, limitation of rights, obligations, duties and immunities under this Indenture of the Trustee, the Company and the Holders shall thereafter be determined, exercised and enforced hereunder subject in all respects to such modifications and amendments and all the terms and conditions of any such supplemental indenture shall be and be deemed to be part of the terms and conditions of this Indenture for any and all purposes.

#### Section 905. Conformity with the Trust Indenture Act.

Any supplemental indenture executed pursuant to the provisions of this Article Nine shall comply with the Trust Indenture Act, as then in effect; provided that this Section 905 shall not require such supplemen-

tal indenture to be qualified under the Trust Indenture Act prior to the time such qualification is in fact required under the terms of the Trust Indenture Act or this Indenture has been qualified under the Trust Indenture Act, nor shall any such qualification constitute any admission or acknowledgment by any party to such supplemental indenture that any such qualification is required prior to the time such qualification is in fact required under the terms of the Trust Indenture Act or this Indenture has been qualified under the Trust Indenture Act.

#### Section 906. Reference in Notes to Supplemental Indentures.

Notes authenticated and delivered after the execution of any supplemental indenture pursuant to the provisions of this Article Nine may, at the Company's expense, bear a notation in form approved by the Trustee as to any matter provided for in such supplemental indenture. If the Company or the Trustee shall so determine, new Notes so modified as to conform, in the opinion of the Trustee and the Board of Directors, to any modification of this Indenture contained in any such supplemental indenture may, at the Company's expense, be prepared and executed by the Company, authenticated by the Trustee (or an Authenticating Agent duly appointed by the Trustee pursuant to Section 614) and delivered in exchange for the Notes then Outstanding, upon surrender of such Notes then Outstanding.

#### Section 907. Notice of Supplemental Indentures.

After an amendment under this Indenture becomes effective, the Company shall mail to the Holders a notice briefly describing such amendment. However, the failure to give such notice to all the Holders, or any defect in the notice, will not impair or affect the validity of the amendment.

Section 2.16 Statement by Officers as to Default. Except as may be provided in a Future Supplemental Indenture, with respect to the Notes and no other class or series of Securities issued pursuant to the Indenture, Section 1004 of the Base Indenture shall be replaced in its entirety with the following:

#### Section 1004. Statement by Officers as to Default.

- (a) The Company will deliver to the Trustee, on or before a date not more than one hundred twenty days after the end of each Fiscal Year ending after the date hereof, a written statement signed by two executive officers of the Company, one of whom shall be the principal executive officer, principal financial officer or principal accounting officer of the Company, as to compliance herewith, including whether or not, after a review of the activities of the Company during such year and of the Company's performance under this Indenture, to the best knowledge, based on such review, of the signers thereof, the Company have fulfilled all of their respective obligations and are in compliance with all conditions and covenants under this Indenture throughout such year, and, if there has been a default hereunder, specifying each default and the nature and status thereof and any actions being taken by the Company thereto.
- (b) When any Default or Event of Default has occurred and is continuing, or if the Trustee or any Holder or the trustee for or the holder of any other evidence of Indebtedness of the Company or any Subsidiary gives any notice or takes any other action with respect to a claimed default the Company shall deliver to the Trustee by registered or certified mail or facsimile transmission followed by an originally executed copy of an Officers' Certificate specifying such Default, Event of Default, notice or other action, the status thereof and what actions the Company is taking or proposes to take with respect thereto, within thirty calendar days after the occurrence of such Default or Event of Default.

Section 2.17 Application of Certain Sections of the Indenture Regarding Covenants of the Company. The provisions of Section 1006, Section 1007, Section 1008 and Section 1009 of the Indenture shall not apply to the Notes or the Holders.

Section 2.18 Repurchase at Option of Holders upon a Fundamental Change. Except as may be provided in a Future Supplemental Indenture, with respect to the Notes and no other class or series of Securities issued pursuant to the Indenture, a new Section 1010 shall be added to the Indenture as follows:

## Section 1010. Repurchase at Option of Holders upon a Fundamental Change.

- (a) If there shall occur a Fundamental Change at any time prior to the Maturity Date, then each Holder shall have the right, at such Holder's option, to require the Company to repurchase for cash all of such Holder's Notes, or any portion thereof that is an integral multiple of \$1,000 principal amount, on the date (the "Fundamental Change Repurchase Date") specified by the Company that is not less than twenty calendar days and not more than thirty five calendar days after the date of the Fundamental Change Repurchase Notice (as defined below) at a repurchase price equal to 100% of the principal amount thereof, together with accrued and unpaid interest, including unpaid Additional Interest, if any, thereon to, but excluding, the Fundamental Change Repurchase Date (the "Fundamental Change Repurchase Price"), unless the Fundamental Change Repurchase Date is after an Interest Record Date and on or prior to the related Interest Payment Date, in which case interest accrued to the Interest Payment Date will be paid to Holders of the Notes as of the preceding Interest Record Date and the Fundamental Change Repurchase Price payable to the Holder surrendering the Note for repurchase pursuant to this Section 1010 shall be equal to the principal amount of Notes subject to repurchase. Repurchases of Notes under this Section 1010(a) shall be made, at the option of the Holder thereof, upon:
  - (i) delivery to the Paying Agent by a Holder of a duly completed notice (the 'Fundamental Change Repurchase Notice') in the form set forth as Exhibit C hereto on or prior to the Business Day immediately preceding the Fundamental Change Repurchase Date; and
  - (ii) delivery or book-entry transfer of the Notes to the Paying Agent at any time after delivery of the Fundamental Change Repurchase Notice (together with all necessary endorsements) at the offices of the Paying Agent, such delivery being a condition to receipt by the Holder of the Fundamental Change Repurchase Price therefor; *provided* that such Fundamental Change Repurchase Price shall be so paid pursuant to this Section 1010(a) only if the Note so delivered to the Paying Agent shall conform in all respects to the description thereof in the related Fundamental Change Repurchase Notice.

The Fundamental Change Repurchase Notice shall state:

- (A) if certificated, the certificate numbers of Notes to be delivered for repurchase;
- (B) the portion of the principal amount of Notes to be repurchased, which must be \$1,000 or a multiple thereof; and
- (C) that the Notes are to be repurchased by the Company pursuant to the applicable provisions of the Notes and the Indenture;

provided, however, that if the Notes are not in certificated form, the Fundamental Change Repurchase Notice must comply with appropriate Depositary procedures.

Any repurchase by the Company contemplated pursuant to the provisions of this Section 1010(a) shall be consummated by the payment of the Fundamental Change Repurchase Price on the later of the Fundamental Change Repurchase Date and the time of the book-entry transfer or delivery of the Note as described in Section 1010(d)(i).

Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, any Holder delivering to the Paying Agent the Fundamental Change Repurchase Notice contemplated by this Section 1010(a) shall have the right to withdraw, in whole or in part, such Fundamental Change Repurchase Notice at any time prior to the close of business on the Business Day immediately preceding the Fundamental Change Repurchase Date by delivery of a written notice of withdrawal to the Paying Agent in accordance with Section 1010(c) below.

The Paying Agent shall promptly notify the Company of the receipt by it of any Fundamental Change Repurchase Notice or written notice of withdrawal thereof.

(b) Notwithstanding the foregoing, no Notes may be repurchased by the Company at the option of the holders upon a Fundamental Change if the principal amount of the Notes has been accelerated, and such acceleration has not been rescinded, on or prior to the Fundamental Change Repurchase Date (except in the case of an acceleration resulting from a default by the Company in the payment of the Fundamental Change Repurchase Price with respect to such Notes).

In connection with any purchase offer, the Company shall:

- (i) comply with the provisions of Rule 13e-4, Rule 14e-1 and any other tender offer rules under the Exchange Act, if required under the Exchange Act;
- (ii) file a Schedule TO or any successor or similar schedule, if required under the Exchange Act; and
- (iii) otherwise comply with all federal and state securities laws in connection with any offer by the Company to purchase the Notes.
- (c) A Fundamental Change Repurchase Notice may be withdrawn by means of a written notice of withdrawal delivered to the Corporate Trust Office of the Paying Agent in accordance with this Section 1010(c) at any time prior to the close of business on the Business Day immediately preceding the Fundamental Change Repurchase Date, specifying:
  - (i) the certificate number, if any, of the Note in respect of which such notice of withdrawal is being submitted, or the appropriate Depositary information if the Note in respect of which such notice of withdrawal is being submitted is represented by a Global Note,
  - (ii) the principal amount of the Note with respect to which such notice of withdrawal is being submitted, and
  - (iii) the principal amount, if any, of such Note that remains subject to the original Fundamental Change Repurchase Notice, which portion must be in principal amounts of \$1,000 or an integral multiple of \$1,000; provided, however, that if the Notes are not in certificated form, the notice must comply with appropriate procedures of the Depositary.

- (d)(i) The Company will deposit with the Trustee (or other Paying Agent appointed by the Company) on or prior to 11:00 a.m., New York City time, on the Fundamental Change Repurchase Date an amount of money sufficient to repurchase all of the Notes to be repurchased at the appropriate Fundamental Change Repurchase Price. Subject to receipt of funds and/or Notes by the Trustee (or other Paying Agent appointed by the Company), payment for Notes surrendered for repurchase will be made on the later of (A) the Fundamental Change Repurchase Date with respect to such Note (provided the holder has satisfied the conditions in Section 1010(a)) and (B) the time of book-entry transfer or the delivery of such Note to the Trustee (or other Paying Agent appointed by the Company) by the holder thereof in the manner required by Section 1010(a) by mailing checks for the amount payable to the holders of such Notes entitled thereto as they shall appear in the Note Register; provided, however, that payments to the Depositary shall be made by wire transfer of immediately available funds to the account of the Depositary or its nominee. The Trustee shall, promptly after such payment and upon written demand by the Company, return to the Company any funds in excess of the Fundamental Change Repurchase Price.
  - (ii) If by 11:00 a.m. New York City time, on the Fundamental Change Repurchase Date, the Trustee (or other Paying Agent appointed by the Company) holds money sufficient to make payment on all the Notes or portions thereof that are to be repurchased as a result of the corresponding Fundamental Change, then (A) such Notes will cease to be Outstanding and interest will cease to accrue on such Notes, whether or not book-entry transfer of the Notes has been made or the Notes have been delivered to the Paying Agent, and (B) all other rights of the holders of such Notes will terminate (other than the right to receive the Fundamental Change Repurchase Price, and previously accrued but unpaid interest, including Additional Interest, if any, upon delivery of the Notes).
  - (iii) Upon surrender of a Note that is to be repurchased in part pursuant to 1010(a), the Company shall execute and the Trustee shall authenticate and deliver to the holder a new Note in an authorized denomination equal in principal amount to the unrepurchased portion of the Note surrendered.
- (e) On or before the twentieth day after the occurrence of a Fundamental Change, the Company shall provide to all Holders of the Notes and the Trustee and Paying Agent a notice of the occurrence of the Fundamental Change and of the resulting purchase right. Such notice shall state:
  - (i) the events causing a Fundamental Change;
  - (ii) the date of the Fundamental Change;
  - (iii) the last date on which a Holder may exercise the repurchase right;
  - (iv) the Fundamental Change Repurchase Price;
  - (v) the Fundamental Change Repurchase Date;
  - (vi) the name and address of the Paying Agent and the Conversion Agent, if applicable;
  - (vii) if applicable, the Applicable Conversion Rate and any adjustments to the Applicable Conversion Rate;

- (viii) if applicable, that the Notes with respect to which a Fundamental Change Repurchase Notice has been delivered by a Holder may be converted only if the Holder withdraws the Fundamental Change Repurchase Notice in accordance with the terms of the indenture; and
- (ix) the procedures that Holders must follow to require the Company to purchase their Notes.

Simultaneously with providing such notice, the Company shall publish a notice containing this information in a newspaper of general circulation in The City of New York or publish the information on its website or through such other public medium as the Company may use at that time.

Section 2.19 Purchase of Notes at the Option of the Holder. Except as may be provided in a Future Supplemental Indenture, with respect to the Notes and no other class or series of Securities issued pursuant to the Indenture, a new Section 1011 shall be added to the Indenture as follows:

#### Section 1011. Purchase of Notes at the Option of the Holder.

- (a) On October 1, 2014, October 1, 2019 and October 1, 2024 (each, a 'Purchase Date'), at a 'Purchase Price' which shall be paid in cash, equal to 100% of the principal amount of the Notes to be repurchased plus accrued and unpaid interest, including any Additional Interest, to but excluding the Purchase Date (unless the Purchase Date is between an Interest Record Date and the Interest Payment Date to which it relates, in which case such accrued and unpaid interest will be paid to the Holder as of such Interest Record Date), a Holder shall have the option to require the Company to purchase any Outstanding Notes, upon:
  - (i) delivery to the Paying Agent by the Holder of a written notice of purchase (a "Purchase Notice") at any time from the opening of business on the date that is twenty Business Days prior to a Purchase Date until the close of business on the Business Day prior to such Purchase Date, stating:
    - (A) if certificated, the certificate numbers of the Notes which the Holder will deliver to be purchased, or, if not certificated, the Purchase Notice must comply with appropriate Depositary procedures;
    - (B) the portion of the principal amount of the Notes which the Holder will deliver to be purchased, which portion must be \$1,000 in principal amount or an integral multiple thereof; and
    - (C) that such Notes shall be purchased as of the Purchase Date pursuant to the terms and conditions specified in the Notes and in this Indenture, and
  - (ii) delivery or book-entry transfer of such Notes to the Paying Agent prior to, on or after the Purchase Date (together with all necessary endorsements) at the offices of the Paying Agent, such delivery or transfer being a condition to receipt by the Holder of the Purchase Price therefor;

provided, however, that such Purchase Price shall be so paid pursuant to this Section 1011(a) only if the Notes so delivered or transferred to the Paying Agent shall conform in all respects to the description thereof in the related Purchase Notice.

(b) The Company shall purchase from a Holder, pursuant to this Section 1011, Notes if the principal amount of such Notes is \$1,000 or a multiple of \$1,000 if so requested by such Holder.

- (c) Any purchase by the Company contemplated pursuant to the provisions of this Section 1011 shall be consummated by the delivery of the Purchase Price to be received by the Holder promptly following the later of the Purchase Date or the time of book-entry transfer or delivery of the Notes; *provided* that any interest, including any Additional Interest, that is accrued but unpaid as of a Purchase Date shall be paid to the Holder of record as of the relevant Interest Record Date.
- (d) On or before the twentieth Business Day prior to each Purchase Date, the Company shall provide to the Trustee, the Paying Agent and to all Holders of the Notes at their addresses shown in the Note Register of the Note Registrar, and to beneficial owners as required by applicable law, a notice stating, among other things:
  - (i) the last date on which a Holder may exercise the purchase right;
  - (ii) the Purchase Price;
  - (iii) the name and address of the Paying Agent; and
  - (iv) the procedures that Holders must follow to require the Company to purchase their Notes.

Simultaneously with providing such notice, the Company shall publish a notice containing this information in a newspaper of general circulation in The City of New York or publish the information on its website or through such other public medium as the Company may use at that time.

- (e) Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, any Holder delivering to the Paying Agent the Purchase Notice contemplated by Section 1011(a)(i) shall have the right at any time prior to the close of business on the Business Day prior to the Purchase Date to withdraw such Purchase Notice (in whole or in part) by delivery of a written notice of withdrawal to the Paying Agent. The notice of withdrawal must state:
  - (i) the principal amount of the withdrawn Notes;
  - (ii) if certificated Notes have been issued, the certificate numbers of the withdrawn Notes, or if not certificated, the notice must comply with appropriate DTC procedures; and
  - (iii) the principal amount, if any, that remains subject to the Purchase Notice.
- (f) The Paying Agent shall promptly notify the Company of the receipt by it of any Purchase Notice or written notice of withdrawal thereof.
- (g) On or before 10:00 a.m. (New York City time) on the Purchase Date, the Company shall deposit with the Paying Agent (or if the Company or an Affiliate of the Company is acting as the Paying Agent, shall segregate and hold in trust) cash sufficient to pay the aggregate Purchase Price of the Notes to be purchased pursuant to this Section 1011. Payment by the Paying Agent of the Purchase Price for such Notes shall be made on the later of the Purchase Date or the time of book-entry transfer or delivery of such Notes. Subject to Section 1704 herein and the Notes, no payment or adjustment shall be made for dividends on the Class A Common Stock the record date for which occurred on or prior to the Purchase Date. If the Paying Agent holds, in accordance with the terms of the Indenture, cash sufficient to pay the Purchase Price of such Notes on the Purchase Date, then, on and after such date, such Notes shall cease to be Outstanding and interest (including any Additional Interest), on such Notes shall cease to accrue, whether or not book-entry transfer of such Notes is made or such Notes are delivered to the Paying Agent, and all other rights of the Holder shall terminate (other than the right to receive the Purchase Price

and previously accrued and unpaid interest (including any Additional Interest), upon delivery of the Notes). Nothing herein shall preclude any withholding tax required by law.

- (h) The Company shall require each Paying Agent (other than the Trustee) to agree in writing that the Paying Agent shall hold in trust for the benefit of Holders or the Trustee all cash held by the Paying Agent for the payment of the Purchase Price and shall notify the Trustee of any default by the Company in making any such payment. If the Company or an Affiliate of the Company acts as Paying Agent, it shall segregate the cash held by it as Paying Agent and hold it as a separate trust fund. The Company at any time may require a Paying Agent to deliver all cash held by it to the Trustee and to account for any funds disbursed by the Paying Agent. Upon doing so, the Paying Agent shall have no further liability for the cash delivered to the Trustee.
- (i) No Notes may be purchased at the option of Holders if the principal amount of the Notes has been accelerated, and such acceleration has not been rescinded, on or prior to the relevant Purchase Date.
- (j) The Company shall comply with the provisions of Rule 13e-4 and any other rule under the Exchange Act that may be applicable.

Section 2.20 Redemption of Notes. Except as may be provided in a Future Supplemental Indenture, with respect to the Notes and no other class or series of Securities issued pursuant to the Indenture, Article Eleven of the Base Indenture shall be replaced in its entirety with the following:

#### ARTICLE ELEVEN

#### REDEMPTION OF THE NOTES

#### Section 1101. Rights of Redemption.

The Notes are subject to redemption at any time on or after October 1, 2014, at the option of the Company, in whole or in part, subject to the conditions specified in the form of Note, at 100% of the principal amount of the Notes to be redeemed together with accrued and unpaid interest, including any Additional Interest, if any (the "Redemption Price"), to (but excluding) the Redemption Date (unless the Redemption Date falls after an Interest Record Date or Special Record Date on or prior to the immediately succeeding Interest Payment Date or Special Payment Date, as applicable, in which case the Company will instead pay the full amount of accrued and unpaid interest, including any Additional Interest, to the Holder of record as of the close of business on such Interest Record Date or Special Record Date and the Redemption Price will be equal to 100% of the principal amount of the Notes to be redeemed). The Redemption Date must be a Business Day.

## Section 1102. Applicability of Article.

Redemption of Notes at the election of the Company or otherwise, as permitted or required by any provision of this Indenture, shall be made in accordance with such provision and this Article Eleven.

### Section 1103. Election to Redeem; Notice to Trustee.

The election of the Company to redeem any Notes pursuant to Section 1101 shall be evidenced by a Company Order and an Officers' Certificate. In case of any redemption at the election of the Company, the Company shall, not less than fifty nor more than sixty days prior to the Redemption Date fixed by the

Company (unless a shorter notice period shall be satisfactory to the Trustee), notify the Trustee and the Paying Agent in writing of such Redemption Date and of the principal amount of Notes to be redeemed.

# Section 1104. Selection by Trustee of Notes to Be Redeemed

If less than all the Notes are to be redeemed, the Trustee will select the Notes to be (in principal amounts of \$1,000 or multiples thereof) by lot, on a pro rata basis or by another method the Trustee considers fair and appropriate.

The Trustee shall promptly notify the Company and the Note Registrar in writing of the Notes selected for redemption and, in the case of any Notes selected for partial redemption, the principal amount thereof to be redeemed.

For all purposes of this Indenture, unless the context otherwise requires, all provisions relating to redemption of Notes shall relate, in the case of any Note redeemed or to be redeemed only in part, to the portion of the principal amount of such Note which has been or is to be redeemed.

If the Trustee selects a portion of a Note for partial redemption and a portion of the same Note is converted, the converted portion will be deemed to be from the portion selected for redemption.

In the event of any redemption in part, the Company will not be required to register the transfer of or exchange any Note so selected for redemption, in whole or in part, except the unredeemed portion of any Note being redeemed in part.

No Notes may be redeemed if the principal amount of the Notes has been accelerated, and such acceleration has not been rescinded, on or prior to the Redemption Date.

# Section 1105. Notice of Redemption.

Notice of redemption shall be given by first-class mail, postage prepaid, mailed not less than forty-five days nor more than sixty days prior to the Redemption Date, to each Holder of Notes to be redeemed, at its address appearing in the Note Register.

All notices of redemption shall state:

- (a) the Redemption Date;
- (b) the Redemption Price;
- (c) the Conversion Rate;
- (d) the name and address of the Paying Agent and the office or agency maintained by the Company where the Notes may be surrendered for Conversion (**Conversion Agent**") (and the Company will give prompt written notice to the Trustee of the location, and any change in the location, of the Conversion Agent);
- (e) that Notes called for redemption may be converted at any time before the close of business on the third Scheduled Trading Day immediately preceding the Redemption Date;
- (f) that Holders who want to convert Notes must satisfy the requirements of Section 1702;

- (g) if less than all Notes then Outstanding are to be redeemed, the identification of the particular Notes to be redeemed;
- (h) in the case of a Note to be redeemed in part, the principal amount of such Note to be redeemed;
- (i) that upon surrender of a Note to be redeemed in part, a new Note or Notes in the aggregate principal amount equal to the unredeemed portion thereof will be issued;
- (j) that Notes called for redemption must be surrendered to the Paying Agent to collect the Redemption Price;
- (k) that on the Redemption Date the Redemption Price will become due and payable upon each such Note or portion thereof to be redeemed, and that (unless the Company shall default in payment of the Redemption Price) interest thereon shall cease to accrue on and after said date;
- (l) the names and addresses of the Paying Agent and the offices or agencies referred to in Section 1002 where such Notes are to be surrendered for payment of the Redemption Price:
- (m) the CUSIP number, if any, relating to such Notes; and
- (n) the procedures that a Holder must follow to surrender the Notes to be redeemed.

Notice of redemption of Notes to be redeemed at the election of the Company shall be given by the Company or, at the Company's written request, by the Trustee in the name and at the expense of the Company. If the Company elects to give notice of redemption, it shall provide the Trustee with a certificate stating that such notice has been given in compliance with the requirements of this Section 1105.

The notice if mailed in the manner herein provided shall be conclusively presumed to have been given, whether or not the Holder receives such notice. In any case, failure to give such notice by mail or any defect in the notice to the Holder of any Note designated for redemption as a whole or in part shall not affect the validity of the proceedings for the redemption of any other Note.

# Section 1106. Deposit of Redemption Price.

On or prior to any Redemption Date, the Company shall deposit with the Trustee or with a Paying Agent (or, if the Company or any of its Affiliates is acting as Paying Agent, segregate and hold in trust as provided in Section 1003) an amount of money in same day funds sufficient to pay the Redemption Price of, and (except if the Redemption Date shall be an Interest Payment Date or Special Payment Date) accrued interest, including any accrued Additional Interest, on, all the Notes or portions thereof which are to be redeemed on that date. The Paying Agent shall promptly mail or deliver to Holders of Notes so redeemed payment in an amount equal to the Redemption Price of the Notes purchased from each such Holder. All money, if any, earned on funds held in trust by the Trustee or any Paying Agent shall be remitted to the Company. For purposes of this Section 1106, the Company shall choose a Paying Agent which shall not be the Company.

# Section 1107. Notes Payable on Redemption Date.

Notice of redemption having been given as aforesaid, the Notes so to be redeemed shall, on the Redemption Date, become due and payable at the Redemption Price therein specified and from and after such date (unless the Company shall default in the payment of the Redemption Price and accrued interest, including

accrued Additional Interest, if any) such Notes shall cease to bear interest. Holders will be required to surrender the Notes to be redeemed to the Paying Agent at the address specified in the notice of redemption at least one Business Day prior to the Redemption Date. Upon surrender of any such Note for redemption in accordance with said notice, such Note shall be paid by the Company at the Redemption Price together with accrued interest and accrued Additional Interest, if any, to the Redemption Date; provided, however, that installments of interest whose Stated Maturity is on or prior to the Redemption Date shall be payable to the Holders of such Notes, or one or more Predecessor Securities, registered as such on the relevant Interest Record Dates and Special Record Dates according to the terms and the provisions of Section 307.

If any Note called for redemption shall not be so paid upon surrender thereof for redemption, the principal shall, until paid, bear interest from the Redemption Date at the rate borne by such Note.

#### Section 1108. Notes Redeemed or Purchased in Part

Any Note which is to be redeemed or purchased only in part (whether pursuant to this Article Eleven or to Section 1010 hereof) shall be surrendered to the Paying Agent at the office or agency maintained for such purpose pursuant to Section 1002 (with, if the Company, the Note Registrar or the Trustee so requires, due endorsement by, or a written instrument of transfer in form satisfactory to the Company, the Note Registrar or the Trustee, as the case may be, duly executed by, the Holder thereof or such Holder's attorney duly authorized in writing), and the Company shall execute, and the Trustee shall authenticate and deliver to the Holder of such Note without service charge, a new Note or Notes, of any authorized denomination as requested by such Holder in aggregate principal amount equal to, and in exchange for, the unredeemed portion of the principal of the Note so surrendered that is not redeemed or purchased.

- Section 2.21 Application of the Article of the Indenture Regarding Subsidiary Guarantee. The provisions of Article Thirteen of the Base Indenture shall not apply to the Notes, and the Notes shall not be deemed guaranteed by any Subsidiary Guarantor.
- Section 2.22 Application of the Article of the Indenture Regarding Defeasance and Covenant Defeasance. The provisions of Article Fifteen of the Base Indenture shall not apply to the Notes.
  - Section 2.23 Application of the Article of the Indenture Regarding Sinking Funds. The provisions of Article Sixteen of the Base Indenture shall not apply to the Notes.
- Section 2.24 Conversion. Except as may be provided in a Future Supplemental Indenture, with respect to the Notes and no other class or series of Securities issued pursuant to the Indenture, a new Article Seventeen shall be added to the Indenture as follows:

#### ARTICLE SEVENTEEN

#### CONVERSION OF THE NOTES

#### Section 1701. Conversion Privilege

(a) Upon compliance with the provisions of this Article Seventeen, a Holder shall have the right, at such Holder's option, to convert all or any portion (if the portion to be converted is \$1,000 principal amount or an integral multiple thereof) of such Note (i) subject to satisfaction of the conditions described in Section 1701(b) below, at any time prior to July 1, 2029, under the circumstances and during the peri-

ods set forth in Section 1701(b) below, and (ii) irrespective of the conditions described in Section 1701(b) below, at any time on or after July 1, 2029 and prior to the close of business on the third Scheduled Trading Day immediately preceding the Maturity Date, in each case, at an initial conversion rate (the "Conversion Rate") of 74.7245 shares of Class A Common Stock (subject to adjustment as provided in Section 1703 and 1704 of this Indenture) per \$1,000 principal amount of Notes (subject to the settlement provisions of Section 1702, the "Conversion Obligation").

- Prior to the close of business on the Business Day immediately preceding July 1, 2029, the Notes may be surrendered for conversion during the five Business Day period immediately after any ten consecutive Trading Day period (the "Measurement Period") in which the Trading Price per \$1,000 principal amount of Notes, as determined following a request by a Holder of Notes in accordance with the procedures described below, for each day of such Measurement Period was less than 98% of the product of the Applicable Conversion Rate on such Trading Day and the Last Reported Sale Price of the Class A Common Stock on such Trading Day. The Trading Prices shall be determined by a bid solicitation agent appointed by the Company (the "Bid Solicitation Agent") pursuant to this clause and the definition of Trading Price set forth in this Indenture. The Company shall provide written notice to the Bid Solicitation Agent of the three independent nationally recognized securities dealers selected by the Company pursuant to the definition of Trading Price, along with appropriate contact information for each. The Bid Solicitation Agent shall have no obligation to determine the Trading Price of the Notes unless requested by the Company, and the Company shall have no obligation to make such request unless a Holder provides the Company with reasonable evidence that the Trading Price per \$1,000 principal amount of the Notes would be less than 98% of the product of the Applicable Conversion Rate and the Last Reported Sale Price of the Class A Common Stock at such time, at which time the Company shall instruct the Bid Solicitation Agent to determine the Trading Price of the Notes beginning on the next Trading Day and on each successive Trading Day until the Trading Price per Note is greater than or equal to 98% of the product of the Applicable Conversion Rate and the Last Reported Sale Price of the Class A Common Stock on such Trading Day. If the Company or the Bid Solicitation Agent cannot reasonably obtain at least one bid for \$5.0 million principal amount of the Notes from a nationally recognized securities dealer or the Company does not, when obligated to, instruct the Bid Solicitation Agent to determine the Trading Price of the Notes as provided in the preceding sentence, then the Trading Price per \$1,000 principal amount of Notes will be deemed to be less than 98% of the product of the Last Reported Sale Price of the Class A Common Stock and the Applicable Conversion Rate. If the Trading Price condition set forth above has been met, the Company shall so notify the Holders, the Trustee and the Conversion Agent. If, at any time after the Trading Price condition set forth above has been met, the Trading Price per \$1,000 principal amount of Notes is greater than 98% of the product of the Conversion Rate for such Trading Day and the Last Reported Sale Price of the Class A Common Stock on such Trading Day, the Company shall so notify the Holders, the Trustee and the Conversion Agent. In either case, the Company shall promptly publish a notice indicating that the Trading Price condition set forth above has been met or, at any time after the Trading Price condition set forth above has been met, that the Trading Price per \$1,000 principal amount of Notes is greater than 98% of the product of the Applicable Conversion Rate and the Last Reported Sale Price of the Class A Common Stock on the relevant Trading Day, as the case may be, in a newspaper of general circulation in The City of New York or publish such information on its website or through such other public medium as the Company may use at that time.
  - (ii) In the event that the Company elects to issue to all or substantially all holders of its Class A Common Stock rights or warrants entitling them, for a period of not more than sixty calendar

days from the announcement date of such issuance, to subscribe for or purchase its Class A Common Stock, at a price per share less than the average of the Last Reported Sale Prices of the Class A Common Stock for the ten consecutive Trading Day period ending on the Trading Day immediately preceding the date of announcement of such issuance or distribute to all or substantially all holders of its Class A Common Stock the Company's assets, debt securities, or rights to purchase securities of the Company, which distribution has a per share value (as reasonably determined by the Company's Board of Directors) exceeding 10% of the average of the Last Reported Sale Price of the Class A Common Stock on the five consecutive Trading Days immediately preceding the date of announcement for such distribution, then, in each case, the Company shall notify all Holders of the Notes, the Trustee and the Conversion Agent not less than thirty-five Scheduled Trading Days prior to the Ex-Dividend Date for such issuance or distribution. Once the Company has given such notice, the Notes may be surrendered for conversion at any time until the earlier of (1) the close of business on the Business Day immediately prior to such Ex-Dividend Date and (2) the Company's announcement that such issuance or distribution will not take place, even if the Notes are not otherwise convertible at such time.

- (iii) In the event of a Fundamental Change or a Make-Whole Fundamental Change, regardless of whether a Holder has the right to require the Company to repurchase the Notes as described in Section 1010 or if the Company is a party to a consolidation, merger, binding share exchange, or transfer or lease of all or substantially all of the assets of the Company, pursuant to which the Class A Common Stock would be converted into cash, securities or other assets, the Notes may be surrendered for conversion at any time from and after the date which is thirty-five Scheduled Trading Days prior to the anticipated effective date of the transaction until forty Trading Days after the actual effective date of such transaction or, if such transaction also constitutes a Fundamental Change, until the related Fundamental Change Repurchase Date. The Company shall notify Holders and the Trustee as promptly as practicable following the date the Company publicly announces such transaction but in no event less than thirty-five Scheduled Trading Days prior to the anticipated effective date of such transaction. If a Holder of Notes has submitted Notes for Repurchase, the Holder may convert these Notes only if that Holder first withdraws its purchase or repurchase election, as applicable.
- (iv) Prior to the close of business on the Business Day immediately preceding July 1, 2029, the Notes may be surrendered for conversion during any Fiscal Quarter (and only during such fiscal quarter) commencing after December 31, 2009, if the Last Reported Sale Price of the Class A Common Stock for at least twenty Trading Days (whether or not consecutive) during the period of thirty consecutive Trading Days ending on the last Trading Day of the preceding Fiscal Quarter is greater than or equal to 130% of the Applicable Conversion Price on each applicable Trading Day. The Conversion Agent, on behalf of the Company, shall determine at the beginning of each Fiscal Quarter commencing after December 31, 2009 whether the Notes may be surrendered for conversion in accordance with this clause (iv) and shall notify the Company and the Trustee.
- (v) If the Company calls any or all of the Notes for redemption as provided under Article Eleven, Holders may convert Notes that have been so called for redemption at any time prior to the close of business on the third Scheduled Trading Day prior to the Redemption Date, even if the Notes are not otherwise convertible at such time, after which time the Holder's right to convert will expire unless the Company defaults in the payment of the Redemption Price.

#### Section 1702. Conversion Procedure

#### (a) [Reserved.]

- (b) Subject to this Section 1702, upon any conversion of any Note, the Company shall deliver to converting Holders, at its election and in full satisfaction of its Conversion Obligation, in respect of each \$1,000 principal amount of Notes being converted, solely cash (a "Cash Settlement"), solely shares of Class A Common Stock, together with cash in lieu of fractional shares (a "Physical Settlement"), or a combination of cash and shares of Class A Common Stock, together with cash in lieu of fractional shares (a "Net Share Settlement") (the amount of which cash, shares or combination of cash and shares of Class A Common Stock delivered shall equal the 'Settlement Amount"), as set forth in this Section 1702.
  - (i) All conversions on or after July 1, 2029 will be settled using the same relative proportions of cash and/or shares of Class A Common Stock.
  - (ii) Prior to July 1, 2009, the Company shall elect (or be deemed to have elected) the same Settlement Method for all conversions occurring on any given Conversion Date. Except for any conversions that occur on after July 1, 2029, the Company need not elect the same Settlement Method with respect to conversions that occur on different Trading Days.
  - (iii) If, in respect of any Conversion Date (or the period beginning on, and including, July 1, 2029 and ending on, and including, the Business Day immediately preceding the Maturity Date, as the case may be), the Company elects to deliver a notice (the "Settlement Notice") of the relevant Settlement Method in respect of such Conversion Date (or such period, as the case may be), the Company, through the Trustee, shall deliver such Settlement Notice to converting Holders no later than the second Trading Day immediately following the relevant Conversion Date. Such Settlement Notice shall specify whether the Company shall satisfy its Conversion Obligation by Physical Settlement, Cash Settlement or Net Share Settlement. In the case of an election to pay and deliver, as the case may be, a combination of cash and shares of Class A Common Stock, the relevant Settlement Notice shall indicate the Specified Dollar Amount. If the Company does not deliver a Settlement Notice on or prior to July 1, 2029, the Company will be deemed to have elected to effect a Net Share Settlement in respect of its Conversion Obligation, and the Specified Dollar Amount shall be deemed to be equal to \$1,000. If the Company delivers a Settlement Notice electing to pay and deliver, as the case may be, a combination of cash and shares of Class A Common Stock in respect of its Conversion Obligation but does not indicate a Specified Dollar Amount in such Settlement Notice, the Specified Dollar Amount shall be deemed to be equal to \$1,000.
  - (iv) The Settlement Amount in respect of any conversion of Notes shall be computed as follows:
    - (A) If the Company elects Physical Settlement upon conversion of the Notes, the Company shall deliver to a converting Holder a number of shares of Class A Common Stock equal to (i) the aggregate principal amount of Notes to be converted divided by \$1,000, multiplied by (ii) the Applicable Conversion Rate. The Company shall deliver such shares of Class A Common Stock on the third Business Day immediately following the relevant Conversion Date. The Company shall deliver cash in lieu of any fractional share of Class A Common Stock issuable upon conversion based upon the Last Reported Sale Price on the relevant Conversion Date.

- (B) If the Company elects Cash Settlement upon conversion of the Notes, the Company shall deliver, for each \$1,000 principal amount of Notes, a cash payment equal to the sum of the Daily Conversion Values for each Trading Day during the relevant Observation Period. The Company shall make such payment on the third Business Day following the last day of the applicable Observation Period.
- (C) If the Company elects (or is deemed to have elected) Net Share Settlement upon conversion of the Notes, the Company shall pay or deliver, as the case may be, to a converting Holder in respect of each \$1,000 principal amount of Notes being converted, cash and shares of Class A Common Stock, if any, equal to the sum of the Daily Settlement Amounts for each of the thirty Trading Days during the relevant Observation Period. The Company shall deliver such cash and shares of Class A Common Stock, if any, on the third Business Day immediately following the last Trading Day of the relevant Observation Period. The Company shall deliver cash in lieu of any fractional share of Class A Common Stock issuable upon conversion based upon the Last Reported Sale Price on the last Trading Day of the relevant Observation Period.
- (v) The Daily Settlement Amounts (if applicable) and the Daily Conversion Values (if applicable) shall be determined by the Company promptly following the last day of the Observation Period. Promptly after such determination of the Daily Settlement Amounts or the Daily Conversion Values, as the case may be, and the amount of cash deliverable in lieu of fractional shares (if any), the Company shall notify the Trustee and the Conversion Agent of the Daily Settlement Amounts or the Daily Conversion Values, as the case may be, and the amount of cash deliverable in lieu of fractional shares of Class A Common Stock. The Trustee and the Conversion Agent shall have no responsibility for any such determination.

#### (c) [Reserved.]

(d) Before any Holder of a Note shall be entitled to convert the same as set forth above, such Holder shall (i) in the case of a Global Note, comply with the procedures of the Depositary in effect at that time and, if required, pay funds equal to interest payable, including any Additional Interest payable, on the next Interest Payment Date or Special Payment Date to which such Holder is not entitled as set forth in Section 1702(j) and, if required, all transfer or similar taxes, if any, and (ii) in the case of a Note issued in certificated form, (1) complete and manually sign and deliver an irrevocable notice to the Conversion Agent in the form on the reverse of such certificated Note (or a facsimile thereof) (Exhibit B hereto) (a "Notice of Conversion") at the office of the Conversion Agent and shall state in writing therein the principal amount of Notes to be converted and the name or names (with addresses) in which such Holder wishes the certificates for any shares of Class A Common Stock, if any, to be delivered upon settlement of the Conversion Obligation to be registered, (2) surrender such Notes, duly endorsed to the Company or in blank (and accompanied by appropriate endorsement and transfer documents), at the office of the Conversion Agent, (3) if required, pay funds equal to interest payable, including any Additional Interest payable, on the next Interest Payment Date or Special Payment Date to which such Holder is not entitled as set forth in Section 1702(j), (4) if required, furnish appropriate endorsements and transfer documents, and (5) if required, pay all transfer or similar taxes, if any as set forth in Section 1702(g). The Trustee (and if different, the relevant Conversion Agent) shall notify the Company of any conversion pursuant to this Article Seventeen on the date of such conversion. No Notice of Conversion with respect to any Notes may be surrendered by a Holder thereof if such Holder has also delivered a Fundamental Change Repurchase Notice or a Purchase Notice to the Company in respect

withdrawn such Fundamental Change Repurchase Notice or Purchase Notice in accordance with Section 1010(c) and Section 1011(f), respectively.

If more than one Note shall be surrendered for conversion at one time by the same Holder, the Conversion Obligation with respect to such Notes, if any, that shall be payable upon conversion shall be computed on the basis of the aggregate principal amount of the Notes (or specified portions thereof to the extent permitted thereby) so surrendered.

- (e) A Note shall be deemed to have been converted immediately prior to the close of business on the date (the 'Conversion Date') that the Holder has complied with the requirements set forth in clause (d). The Company shall pay and deliver, as the case may be, the cash and/or shares of Class A Common Stock due in respect of it Conversion Obligation at the time specified in Section 1702(b). If any shares of Class A Common Stock are due to converting Holders, the Company shall issue or cause to be issued, and deliver to the Conversion Agent or to such Holder, or such Holder's nominee or nominees, certificates or a book-entry transfer through the Depositary for the number of full shares of Class A Common Stock to which such Holder shall be entitled in satisfaction of such Conversion Obligation.
- (f) In case any Note shall be surrendered for partial conversion, the Company shall execute and the Trustee shall authenticate and deliver to or upon the written order of the Holder of the Note so surrendered, without charge to such Holder, a new Note or Notes in authorized denominations in an aggregate principal amount equal to the unconverted portion of the surrendered documents.
- (g) If a Holder submits a Note for conversion, the Company shall pay all stamp and similar issue or transfer tax, if any, that may be imposed by the United States or any political subdivision thereof or taxing authority thereof or therein with respect to the issuance of shares of Class A Common Stock, if any, upon the conversion. However, the Holder shall pay any such tax that is due because the Holder requests any shares of Class A Common Stock to be issued in a name other than the Holder's name. The Conversion Agent may refuse to deliver the certificates representing the shares of Class A Common Stock being issued in a name other than the Holder's name until the Trustee receives a sum sufficient to pay any tax that will be due because the shares are to be issued in a name other than the Holder's name. Nothing herein shall preclude any tax withholding required by law or regulations.
- (h) Except as provided in Section 1704, no adjustment shall be made for dividends on any shares issued upon the conversion of any Note as provided in this Article.
- (i) Upon the conversion of an interest in a Global Note, the Trustee, or the Custodian at the direction of the Trustee, shall make a notation on such Global Note as to the reduction in the principal amount represented thereby. The Company shall notify the Trustee in writing of any conversion of Notes effected through any Conversion Agent other than the Trustee.
- (j) Upon conversion, a Holder shall not receive any separate cash payment for accrued and unpaid interest and Additional Interest, if any, except as set forth below. The Company's settlement of the Conversion Obligations as described above shall be deemed to satisfy its obligation to pay the principal amount of the Note and accrued and unpaid interest and Additional Interest, if any, to, but not including, the Conversion Date. As a result, accrued and unpaid interest and Additional Interest, if any, to, but not including, the Conversion Date shall be deemed to be paid in full rather than cancelled, extinguished or forfeited. Notwithstanding the preceding sentence, if Notes are converted after the close of business on an Interest Record Date, Holders of such Notes as of the close of business on the Interest Record Date will receive the interest and Additional Interest, if any, payable on such Notes on the corresponding Inter-

est Payment Date notwithstanding the conversion. Notes surrendered for conversion during the period from the close of business on any Interest Record Date to the opening of business on the corresponding Interest Payment Date must be accompanied by payment of an amount equal to the interest and Additional Interest, if any, payable on the Notes so converted; *provided*, *however*, that no such payment shall be required (1) if the Company has specified a Fundamental Change Repurchase Date or a Redemption Date that is after an Interest Record Date but on or prior to the third Trading Day after the corresponding Interest Payment Date, (2) to the extent of any Defaulted Interest, if any, existing at the time of conversion with respect to such Note or (3) if the Notes are surrendered for conversion after the close of business on the Interest Record Date immediately preceding the Maturity Date. Except as described above, no payment or adjustment will be made for accrued and unpaid interest and Additional Interest, if any, on converted Notes.

- (k) The Person in whose name the certificate for any shares of Class A Common Stock delivered upon conversion is registered shall be treated as the record holder of any shares of A Common Stock due upon such conversion (i) if the Company elects Cash Settlement or Net Share Settlement upon conversion, for any Trading Day during the relevant Observation Period with respect to which shares are issuable, as of the close of business on such Trading Day or (ii) if the Company elects Physical Settlement upon conversion, as of the relevant Conversion Date; provided, however, if such Conversion Date or such last Trading Day of the Observation Period occurs on any date when the stock transfer books of the Company shall be closed, such occurrence shall not be effective to constitute the Person or Persons entitled to receive any such shares of Class A Common Stock on such date, but such occurrence shall be effective to constitute the Person or Persons entitled to receive such shares of Class A Common Stock as the record holder or holders thereof for all purposes at the close of business on the next succeeding day on which such stock transfer books are open. Upon conversion of Notes, such Person shall no longer be a Holder.
- (I) For each Note surrendered for conversion, if the Company has elected to deliver a combination of cash and shares of Class A Common Stock in respect of its Conversion Obligation, the number of full shares that shall be issued upon conversion thereof shall be computed on the basis of the aggregate Daily Settlement Amounts for the applicable Observation Period and any fractional shares remaining after such computation shall be paid in cash. If more than one Note shall be surrendered for conversion at one time by the same Holder, the number of full shares that shall be issued upon conversion thereof shall be computed on the basis of the aggregate principal amount of the Notes (or specified portions thereof) so surrendered. The Company shall not issue fractional shares of Class A Common Stock upon conversion of Notes. Instead, the Company shall pay cash in lieu of fractional shares based on the Last Reported Sale Price on the relevant Conversion Date (if the Company elects to satisfy its Conversion Obligation solely in shares of Class A Common Stock) or based on the Last Reported Sale Price on the last Trading Day of the relevant Observation Period (in the case of Net Share Settlement).
- (m) At any time on or prior to the thirtieth Trading Day preceding the Maturity Date, the Company may irrevocably elect to satisfy its Conversion Obligation with respect to the Notes converted after the date of such election by delivering cash and shares of Class A Common Stock, if any (such delivery being described above as a Net Share Settlement). This irrevocable election will be in the Company's sole discretion without the consent of the Holders of Notes. Upon making such election, the Company shall promptly (i) issue a press release and post such information on its website (or otherwise publicly disclose this information) and (ii) provide written notice to the Holders of the Notes in the manner provided in Section 106, including through the facilities of the Depositary.

#### Section 1703. Increased Conversion Rate Applicable to Certain Notes Surrendered in Connection with Make-Whole Fundamental Changes

(a) Prior to October 1, 2014, and notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, the Conversion Rate applicable to each Note that is surrendered for conversion, in accordance with this Article Seventeen, at any time from, and including, the Effective Date of a Make-Whole Fundamental Change until, and including, the close of business on the Business Day immediately prior to the related Fundamental Change Repurchase Date corresponding to such Make-Whole Fundamental Change (or, in the case of a Make-Whole Fundamental Change that would have been a Fundamental Change but for the exclusions in clause (d) of the definition of "Change of Control," the thirty-fifth Trading Day immediately following the Effective Date of such Make-Whole Fundamental Change), shall be increased to an amount equal to the Conversion Rate that would, but for this Section 1703, otherwise apply to such Note pursuant to this Article Seventeen, plus an amount equal to the Make-Whole Conversion Rate Adjustment.

As used herein, "Make-Whole Conversion Rate Adjustment" shall mean, with respect to a Make-Whole Fundamental Change, the amount set forth in the following table that corresponds to the effective date of such Make-Whole Fundamental Change (the "Effective Date") and the Stock Price for such Make-Whole Fundamental Change, all as determined by the Company:

# Make-Whole Conversion Rate Adjustment (per \$1,000 principal amount of Notes)

							Stock Pr	ice						
Effective Date	\$ 10.10	\$ 12.50	\$ 15.00	\$ 20.00	\$ 25.00	\$ 30.00	\$ 35.00	\$ 40.00	\$ 45.00	\$ 50.00	\$ 55.00	\$ 60.00	\$ 65.00	\$ 70.00
Sept. 23, 2009	24.2854	17.9682	13.2802	8.3044	5.8050	4.3330	3.3694	2.6910	2.1885	1.8021	1.4967	1.2502	1.0481	0.8803
Oct. 1, 2010	24.2854	17.1733	12.2849	7.3454	5.0142	3.7016	2.8664	2.2879	1.8626	1.5363	1.2783	1.0697	0.8979	0.7549
Oct. 1, 2011	24.2854	16.0174	10.8840	6.0462	3.9724	2.8862	2.2253	1.7779	1.4520	1.2022	1.0040	0.8427	0.7091	0.5971
Oct. 1, 2012	24.2854	14.3050	8.8583	4.2706	2.6186	1.8622	1.4352	1.1545	0.9507	0.7934	0.6672	0.5632	0.4761	0.4022
Oct. 1, 2013	24.2854	11.4775	5.6380	1.7943	0.9279	0.6530	0.5150	0.4223	0.3523	0.2966	0.2511	0.2132	0.1812	0.1537
Oct. 1, 2014	24.2854	5.2827	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000

provided, however, that:

- (i) if the actual Stock Price of such Make-Whole Fundamental Change is between two Stock Prices listed in the table above under the column titled 'Stock Price,' or if the actual Effective Date of such Make-Whole Fundamental Change is between two Effective Dates listed in the table above in the row immediately below the title 'Effective Date,' then the Make-Whole Conversion Rate Adjustment for such Make-Whole Fundamental Change shall be determined by the Company by straight-line interpolation between the Make-Whole Conversion Rate Adjustment set forth for such higher and lower Stock Prices, or for such earlier and later Effective Dates based on a 365 day year, as applicable;
- (ii) if the actual Stock Price of such Make-Whole Fundamental Change is greater than \$70.00 per share (subject to adjustment in the same manner as the Stock Price as provided in clause (iii) below), or if the actual Stock Price of such Make-Whole Fundamental Change is less than \$10.10 per share (subject to adjustment in the same manner as the Stock Price as provided in clause (iii) below), then the Make-Whole Conversion Rate Adjustment shall be equal to zero and this Section 1703 shall not require the Company to increase the Conversion Rate with respect to such Make-Whole Fundamental Change;
- (iii) if an event occurs that requires, pursuant to this Article Seventeen (other than solely pursuant to this Section 1703), an adjustment to the Conversion Rate, then, on the date and at the

time such adjustment is so required to be made, each price set forth in the table above under the column titled 'Stock Price' shall be deemed to be adjusted so that such Stock Price, at and after such time, shall be equal to the product of (1) such Stock Price as in effect immediately before such adjustment to such Stock Price and (2) a fraction whose numerator is the Conversion Rate in effect immediately before such adjustment to the Conversion Rate and whose denominator is the Conversion Rate to be in effect, in accordance with this Article Seventeen, immediately after such adjustment to the Conversion Rate;

- (iv) [Reserved];
- (v) each Make-Whole Conversion Rate Adjustment set forth in the table above shall be adjusted in the same manner in which, and for the same events for which, the Conversion Rate is to be adjusted pursuant to Section 1704; and
- (vi) in no event will the total number of shares of Class A Common Stock issuable upon conversion of the Notes exceed 99.0099 per \$1,000 principal amount of Notes, subject to adjustment in the same manner as the Conversion Rate pursuant to Section 1704.
- (b) As soon as practicable after the Company determines the anticipated Effective Date of any proposed Make-Whole Fundamental Change, but in any event at least thirty-five Business Days prior to such anticipated Effective Date, the Company shall mail to each Holder, the Trustee and the Conversion Agent written notice of, and shall issue a press release indicating, and publicly announce, through a public medium that is customary for such announcements, and publish on the Company's website, the anticipated Effective Date of such proposed Make-Whole Fundamental Change. Each such press release notice, announcement and publication shall also state that in connection with such Make-Whole Fundamental Change, the Company shall increase, in accordance herewith, the Conversion Rate applicable to Notes entitled as provided herein to such increase (along with a description of how such increase shall be calculated and the time periods during which Notes must be surrendered in order to be entitled to such increase). No later than five Business Days after such Effective Date of each Make-Whole Fundamental Change, the Company shall mail to each Holder, the Trustee and the Conversion Agent written notice of, and shall issue a press release indicating, and publicly announce, through a public medium that is customary for such announcements, and publish on the Company's website, such Effective Date and the amount by which the Conversion Rate has been so increased.

Nothing in this Section 1703 shall prevent an adjustment to the Conversion Rate pursuant to Section 1704 in respect of a Make-Whole Fundamental Change.

Upon surrender of Notes or conversion in connection with a Make-Whole Fundamental Change, the Company shall deliver, in lieu of shares of Class A Common Stock, including the additional shares, cash or a combination of cash and shares of Class A Common Stock as described in Section 1702. However, if the consideration for the Class A Common Stock in any Make-Whole Fundamental Change described in clause (d) of the definition of "Change of Control" is comprised entirely of cash, for any conversion of Notes following the Effective Date of such Make-Whole Fundamental Change, the Conversion Obligation will be calculated based solely on the Stock Price for the transaction and will be deemed to be an amount equal to the Applicable Conversion Rate (including any adjustment as described in this Section 1703) multiplied by such Stock Price. In such event, the Conversion Obligation will be determined and paid to Holders in cash on the third Business Day following the Conversion Date.

#### Section 1704. Adjustment of Conversion Rate.

The Conversion Rate shall be adjusted from time to time by the Company as follows, except the Company shall not make any adjustment to the Conversion Rate, other than an adjustment pursuant to Section 1703, if Holders of Notes may participate in any of the transactions described below as a result of holding the Notes on a basis equivalent to a holder of a number of shares of the Class A Common Stock equal to the principal amount of the Notes held divided by the Applicable Conversion Price without having to convert their Notes, and, in no event, including an adjustment pursuant to Section 1703, shall the Company adjust the Conversion Rate to the extent that the adjustment would reduce the Conversion Price below the par value per share of the Class A Common Stock:

(a) If the Company exclusively issues shares of Class A Common Stock as a dividend or distribution on shares of Class A Common Stock, or if the Company effects a share split or share combination, the Conversion Rate will be adjusted based on the following formula:

$$CR_1 = CR_0 \times OS_1$$
 $OS_0$ 

where,

CR<sub>0</sub> = the Conversion Rate in effect immediately prior to the open of business on the Ex-Dividend Date of such dividend or distribution, or immediately prior to the open of business on the effective date of such share split or combination, as applicable

CR<sub>1</sub> = the Conversion Rate in effect immediately after the open of business on such Ex-Dividend Date or effective date

OS<sub>0</sub> = the number of shares of Class A Common Stock outstanding immediately prior to such Ex-Dividend Date or effective date; and

OS1 = the number of shares of Class A Common Stock outstanding immediately after giving effect to such dividend, distribution, share split or share combination.

Any adjustment made pursuant to this Section 1704(a) shall become effective immediately after (x) 5:00 p.m., New York City time, on the record date for such dividend or distribution or (y) the effective date of such share split or share combination. If any dividend or distribution described in this Section 1704(a) is declared but not so paid or made, the Conversion Rate shall be readjusted to the Conversion Rate that would then be in effect if such dividend or distribution had not been declared.

(b) If the Company issues to all or substantially all holders of Class A Common Stock any rights or warrants entitling them for a period of not more than sixty calendar days after the announcement date of such issuance to subscribe for or purchase shares of Class A Common Stock, at a price per share less than the average of the Last Reported Sale Prices of Class A Common Stock for the ten consecutive Trading Day period ending on the Trading Day immediately preceding the date of announcement of such issuance, the Conversion Rate will be adjusted based on the following formula (provided that the Conversion Rate will be readjusted to the extent that such rights or warrants are not exercised prior to their expiration):

$$CR_1 = CR_0 \ x \qquad \underline{OS_0 + X} \\ OS_0 + Y$$

where,

CR<sub>0</sub> = the Conversion Rate in effect immediately prior to the open of business on the Ex-Dividend Date for such issuance;

CR<sub>1</sub> = the Conversion Rate in effect immediately after the open of business on such Ex-Dividend Date;

OS<sub>0</sub> = the number of shares of Class A Common Stock outstanding immediately prior to the open of business on such Ex-Dividend Date;

X = the total number of shares of Class A Common Stock issuable pursuant to such rights or warrants; and

Y = the number of shares of Class A Common Stock equal to the aggregate price payable to exercise such rights or warrants divided by the average of the Last Reported Sale Prices of Class A Common Stock over the ten consecutive Trading Day period ending on the Trading Day immediately preceding the date of announcement of the issuance of such rights or warrants.

Any adjustment made pursuant to this Section 1704(b) shall become effective immediately after 5:00 p.m., New York City time, on the record date for such distribution. In the event that such rights or warrants described in this Section 1704(b) are not so distributed, the Conversion Rate shall be readjusted to the Conversion Rate that would then be in effect if the record date for such distribution had not occurred. To the extent that such rights or warrants are not exercised prior to their expiration or shares of Class A Common Stock are otherwise not delivered pursuant to such rights or warrants upon the exercise of such rights or warrants, the Conversion Rate shall be readjusted to the Conversion Rate that would then be in effect had the adjustments made upon the issuance of such rights or warrants been made on the basis of the delivery of only the number of shares of common stock actually delivered. In determining the aggregate price payable for such shares of common stock, there shall be taken into account any consideration received by the Company for such rights or warrants and the value of such consideration if other than cash to be determined by the Board of Directors.

- (c) If the Company distributes shares of its Capital Stock, evidences of its indebtedness, other assets or property or rights or warrants to acquire its Capital Stock or other securities, to all or substantially all holders of Class A Common Stock, excluding
  - (i) dividends or distributions and rights or warrants described in Section 1704(a) and 1704(b) above;
  - (ii) dividends or distributions paid exclusively in cash; and
  - (iii) spin-offs to which the provisions set forth below in this Section 1704(c) shall apply,

then the Conversion Rate will be adjusted based on the following formula:

$$CR_1 = CR_0 \ x \underline{SP_0}$$

$$SP_0 - FMV$$

where,

CR<sub>0</sub> = the Conversion Rate in effect immediately prior to the open of business on the Ex-Dividend Date for such distribution;

 $CR_1$  = the Conversion Rate in effect immediately after the open of business on such Ex-Dividend Date;

SP<sub>0</sub> = the average of the Last Reported Sale Prices of Class A Common Stock over the ten consecutive Trading Day period ending on the Trading Day immediately preceding the Ex-Dividend Date for such distribution; and

FMV = the fair market value (as determined by the Company's Board of Directors) of the shares of Capital Stock, evidences of indebtedness, assets, property, rights or warrants distributed with respect to each outstanding share of Class A Common Stock on the Ex-Dividend Date for such distribution.

With respect to an adjustment pursuant to this Section 1704(c) where there has been a payment of a dividend or other distribution on Class A Common Stock of shares of Capital Stock of any class or series, or similar equity interest, of or relating to a Subsidiary or other business unit (a "Spin-Off"), the Conversion Rate will be increased based on the following formula:

$$CR_1 = CR_0 x \underline{FMV_0 + MP_0}$$

$$MP_0$$

where.

CR<sub>0</sub> = the Conversion Rate in effect immediately prior to the end of the Valuation Period;

CR<sub>1</sub> = the Conversion Rate in effect immediately after the end of the Valuation Period;

 $FMV_0$  = the average of the Last Reported Sale Prices of the Capital Stock or similar equity interest distributed to holders of Class A Common Stock applicable to one share of Class A Common Stock over the first ten consecutive Trading Day period after, and including, the Ex-Dividend Date of the Spin-Off (the "Valuation Period"); and

MP<sub>0</sub> = the average of the Last Reported Sale Prices of Class A Common Stock over the Valuation Period.

The adjustment to the Conversion Rate under the preceding paragraph will occur at the close of business on the last day of the Valuation Period; provided that in respect of any conversion during the Valuation Period, references with respect to ten Trading Days shall be deemed replaced with such lesser number of Trading Days as have elapsed between the Ex-Dividend Date of such Spin-Off and the Conversion Date in determining the Applicable Conversion Rate.

In the event that such dividend or distribution described in this Section 1704(c) is not so made, the Conversion Rate shall be readjusted to be the Conversion Rate which would then be in effect if such dividend or distribution had not been declared.

(d) If any cash dividend or distribution is made to all or substantially all holders of Class A Common Stock, the Conversion Rate will be adjusted based on the following formula:

$$CR_1 = CR_0 \times \underline{SP_0}$$
  
 $SP_0 - C$ 

. . .

where,

CR<sub>0</sub>= the Conversion Rate in effect immediately prior to the open of business on the Ex-Dividend Date for such dividend or distribution;

CR<sub>1</sub> = the Conversion Rate in effect immediately after the open of business on the Ex-Dividend Date for such dividend or distribution;

SP<sub>0</sub> = the Last Reported Sale Price of Class A Common Stock on the Trading Day immediately preceding the Ex-Dividend Date for such dividend or distribution; and

C = the amount in cash per share the Company distributes to holders of Class A Common Stock.

Any adjustment made pursuant to this Section 1704(d) shall become effective immediately after the record date for such dividend or distribution. In the event that any distribution described in this Section 1704(d) is declared but not paid or made, the Conversion Rate shall be readjusted to be the Conversion Rate which would then be in effect if such dividend or distribution had not been declared.

(e) If the Company or any of its Subsidiaries make a payment in respect of a tender offer or exchange offer for Class A Common Stock, subject to the tender offer rules, to the extent that the cash and value of any other consideration included in the payment per share of Class A Common Stock exceeds the Last Reported Sale Price of Class A Common Stock on the Trading Day next succeeding the last date on which tenders or exchanges may be made pursuant to such tender or exchange offer, the Conversion Rate will be increased based on the following formula:

where,

CR<sub>0</sub> = the Conversion Rate in effect immediately prior to the close of business on the tenth Trading Day immediately following, and including, the Trading Day next succeeding the date such tender or exchange offer expires;

 $CR_1$  = the Conversion Rate in effect immediately after the close of business on the tenth Trading Day immediately following, and including, the Trading Day next succeeding the date such tender or exchange offer expires;

AC = the aggregate value of all cash and any other consideration (as determined by the Board of Directors) paid or payable for shares purchased in such tender or exchange offer:

OS<sub>0</sub> = the number of shares of Class A Common Stock outstanding immediately prior to the date such tender or exchange offer expires;

OS<sub>1</sub> = the number of shares of Class A Common Stock outstanding immediately after the date such tender or exchange offer expires (after giving effect to the purchase of all shares accepted for purchase or exchange in such tender or exchange offer); and

SP<sub>1</sub> = the average of the Last Reported Sale Prices of Class A Common Stock over the ten consecutive Trading Day period commencing on the Trading Day next succeeding the date such tender or exchange offer expires.

The adjustment to the Conversion Rate under the preceding paragraph will occur at the close of business on the tenth Trading Day immediately following, and including, the Trading Day next succeeding the date such tender or exchange offer expires; *provided* that in respect of any conversion within ten Trading Days immediately following, and including, the expiration date of any tender or exchange offer, references with respect to ten Trading Days shall be deemed replaced with such lesser number of Trading Days as have elapsed between the expiration date of such tender or exchange offer and the Conversion Date in determining the Applicable Conversion Rate.

If the Company is obligated to purchase shares pursuant to any such tender or exchange offer, but the Company is permanently prevented by applicable law from effecting any or all or any portion of such purchases or all such purchases are rescinded, the Conversion Rate shall again be adjusted to be the Conversion Rate that would then be in effect if such tender or exchange offer had not been made or had been made only in respect of the purchases that had been effected. In no event shall the Conversion Rate be decreased pursuant to this Section 1704(e).

- (f) Except as stated herein, the Company shall not adjust the Conversion Rate for the issuance of shares of Class A Common Stock or any securities convertible into or exchangeable for shares of Class A Common Stock or the right to purchase shares of Class A Common Stock or such convertible or exchangeable securities. In addition, if the application of the foregoing formulas would result in a decrease in the Conversion Rate, no adjustment to the Conversion Rate shall be made (other than as a result of a reverse share split or share combination).
- (g) Notwithstanding this Section 1704 or any other provision of this Indenture or the Notes, if any Conversion Rate adjustment becomes effective, or any Ex-Dividend Date for any issuance, dividend or distribution (relating to a required Conversion Rate adjustment) occurs, during the period beginning on, and including, the open of business on a Conversion Date and ending on, and including, (x) the close of business on the third Trading Day immediately following the relevant Conversion Date (if the Company elects to satisfy the related Conversion Obligation solely in shares of Class A Common Stock) or (y) the close of business on the last Trading Day of a related Observation Period (in the case of any other Settlement Method), the Board of Directors shall make adjustments to the Conversion Rate and the amount of cash or number of shares of Class A Common Stock issuable upon conversion of the Notes, as the case may be, as is be necessary or appropriate to effect the intent of this Section 1704 and the other provisions of this Article Seventeen and to avoid unjust or inequitable results, as determined in good faith by the Board of Directors. Any adjustment made pursuant to this Section 1704(g) shall apply in lieu of the adjustment or other term that would otherwise be applicable.
- (h) In addition to those required by clauses (a), (b), (c), (d) and (e) of this Section 1704, and to the extent permitted by applicable law, the Company from time to time may increase the Conversion Rate by any amount for a period of at least twenty Business Days if the Board of Directors determines that such increase would be in the Company's best interest. In addition, the Company may also (but is not required to) increase the Conversion Rate to avoid or diminish any income tax to holders of Class A Common Stock or rights to purchase Class A Common Stock in connection with any dividend or distribution of shares (or rights to acquire shares) or similar event. Whenever the Conversion Rate is increased pursuant to the preceding sentence, the Company shall mail to the Holder of each Note at its last address appearing on the Note Register provided for in Section 305(a) a notice of the increase at least fifteen days prior to the date the increased Conversion Rate takes effect, and such notice shall state the increased Conversion Rate and the period during which it will be in effect.

(i) To the extent that the Company has a rights plan in effect upon conversion of the Notes into Class A Common Stock, Holders shall receive, in addition to any shares of Class A Common Stock received in connection with such conversion, the rights under the rights plan, unless prior to any conversion, the rights have separated from the Class A Common Stock, in which case, and only in such case, the Conversion Rate will be adjusted at the time of separation as if the Company distributed to all holders of Class A Common Stock, shares of the Company's Capital Stock, evidences of indebtedness, assets, property, rights or warrants as described in Section 1704(c) above, subject to readjustment in the event of the expiration, termination or redemption of such rights.

Notwithstanding any of the foregoing, the Applicable Conversion Rate will not be adjusted:

- (i) upon the issuance of any shares of Class A Common Stock pursuant to any present or future plan providing for the reinvestment of dividends or interest payable on the Company's securities and the investment of additional optional amounts in shares of Class A Common Stock under any plan;
- (ii) upon the issuance of any shares of Class A Common Stock or options or rights to purchase those shares pursuant to any present or future employee, director or consultant benefit plan or program of or assumed by the Company or any Subsidiaries of the Company;
- (iii) upon the issuance of any shares of Class A Common Stock pursuant to any option, warrant, right or exercisable, exchangeable or convertible security not described in the preceding bullet and outstanding as of the date the Notes were first issued;
- (iv) for a change in the par value of the Class A Common Stock; or
- (v) for accrued and unpaid interest and Additional Interest, if any.
- (k) Adjustments to the Applicable Conversion Rate will be calculated to the nearest 1/10,000th of a share.
- (1) Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Company shall not be required to make an adjustment in the Conversion Rate unless the adjustment would result in a change of at least 1% to the Conversion Rate. However, the Company shall carry forward any adjustments that are less than 1% of the Conversion Rate and make such carried-forward adjustments, regardless of whether the aggregate adjustment is less than 1%, within one year of the first such adjustment carried forward, upon a Fundamental Change or upon a Make-Whole Fundamental Change, and on each day beginning with the thirty-second Scheduled Trading Day and ending on and including the second Scheduled Trading Day prior to the Maturity Date.
- (m) Whenever the Conversion Rate is adjusted as herein provided, the Company shall promptly file with the Trustee and any Conversion Agent other than the Trustee an Officers' Certificate setting forth the Conversion Rate after such adjustment and setting forth a brief statement of the facts requiring such adjustment. Unless and until a Responsible Officer of the Trustee shall have received such Officers' Certificate, the Trustee shall not be deemed to have knowledge of any adjustment of the Conversion Rate and may assume without inquiry that the last Conversion Rate of which it has knowledge is still in effect. Promptly after delivery of such certificate, the Company shall prepare a notice of such adjustment of the Conversion Rate setting forth the adjusted Conversion Rate and the date on which each adjustment becomes effective and shall mail such notice of such adjustment of the Conversion Rate to the holder of each Note at its last address appearing on the Note Register provided for in Section 305(a) of this Inden-

ture, within ten days of the effective date of such adjustment. Failure to deliver such notice shall not affect the legality or validity of any such adjustment.

- (n) For purposes of this Section 1704, the number of shares of Class A Common Stock at any time outstanding shall not include shares held in the treasury of the Company but shall include shares issuable in respect of scrip certificates issued in lieu of fractions of shares of Class A Common Stock. The Company will not pay any dividend or make any distribution on shares of Class A Common Stock held in the treasury of the Company.
- (o) Except as described in Section 1703 and Section 1704 above, the Company shall not adjust the Conversion Rate.

# Section 1705. Shares to Be Fully Paid.

The Company shall provide, free from preemptive rights, out of its authorized but unissued shares or shares held in treasury, sufficient shares of Class A Common Stock to provide for conversion of the Notes from time to time as such Notes are presented for conversion.

#### Section 1706. Effect of Reclassification, Consolidation, Merger or Sale.

Upon the occurrence of (i) any recapitalization, reclassification or change of the Class A Common Stock (other than a change in par value, or from par value to no par value, or from par value, or as a result of a subdivision or combination covered by Section 1704(a)), (ii) any consolidation, merger or combination involving the Company, (iii) any sale, lease or other transfer of all or substantially all of the consolidated assets and assets of the Company and its Subsidiaries to any other Person or (iv) any statutory share exchange, in each case as a result of which the Class A Common Stock would be converted into or exchanged for stock, other securities, other property or assets (including cash or any combination thereof) (any such event a "Merger Event"), then:

(a) the Company or the successor or purchasing Person, as the case may be, shall execute with the Trustee a supplemental indenture (which shall comply with the Trust Indenture Act as in force at the date of execution of such supplemental indenture if such supplemental indenture is then required to so comply) permitted under Article Nine providing for the conversion and settlement of the Notes as set forth in this Indenture. Such supplemental indenture shall provide for adjustments that shall be as nearly equivalent as may be practicable to the adjustments provided for in this Article Seventeen. If, in the case of any Merger Event, the Reference Property includes shares of stock or other securities and assets of a corporation other than the successor or purchasing corporation, as the case may be, in such reclassification, change, consolidation, merger, combination, sale or conveyance, then such supplemental indenture shall also be executed by such other corporation and shall contain such additional provisions to protect the interests of the Holders of the Notes as the Board of Directors shall reasonably consider necessary by reason of the foregoing, including to the extent required by the Board of Directors and practicable the provisions providing for Repurchase.

In the event the Company shall execute a supplemental indenture pursuant to this Section 1706, the Company shall promptly file with the Trustee an Officers' Certificate briefly stating the reasons therefore, the kind or amount of cash, securities or property or asset that will comprise the Reference Property after any such Merger Event, any adjustment to be made with respect thereto and that all conditions precedent have been complied with, and shall promptly mail notice thereof to all Holders. The Company shall cause notice of the execution of such supplemental indenture to be mailed to each Holder, at its address appearing

on the Note Register provided for in this Indenture, within twenty days after execution thereof. Failure to deliver such notice shall not affect the legality or validity of such supplemental indenture.

(b) Notwithstanding the provisions of Section 1702(b), and subject to the provisions of Section 1701 and Section 1703, at and after the effective time of such Merger Event, (i) the right to convert each \$1,000 principal amount of Notes into cash, shares of Class A Common Stock or a combination of cash and shares of Class A Common Stock at the Company's election as set forth in Section 1702 will be changed to a right to convert such Note into cash, the kind and amount of shares of stock, securities or other property or assets (including cash or any combination thereof) that a holder of a number of shares of Class A Common Stock equal to the Conversion Rate immediately prior to such transaction would have owned or been entitled to receive (the "Reference Property") or a combination of cash and Reference Property at the Company's election and (ii) the related Conversion Obligation shall be settled as set forth under clause (c) below, it being understood and agreed that for purposes of Section 1701(b), references therein to "the Last Reported Sale Price of the Class A Common Stock" shall be deemed at and after the effective time of such Merger Event to be references to "the Last Reported Sale Price of a unit of Reference Property comprised of the kind and amount of shares of stock, securities or other property or assets (including cash or any combination thereof) that a holder of one share of Class A Common Stock immediately prior to such Merger Event would have owned or been entitled to receive based on the Weighted Average Consideration." The Company shall not become a party to any Merger Event unless its terms are consistent with this Section 1706. None of the foregoing provisions shall affect the right of a Holder of Notes to convert its Notes into cash, shares of Class A Common Stock or a combination of cash and shares of Class A Common Stock, as applicable, as set forth in Section 1701 and Section 1702 prior to the effective date of such Merger Event.

(c) With respect to each \$1,000 principal amount of Notes surrendered for conversion after the effective date of any such Merger Event, the Company's Conversion Obligation shall be settled in cash or units of Reference Property, at the Company's election, in accordance with Section 1702(b) as follows:

(i)(A) if the Company elects to satisfy its Conversion Obligation in respect of such conversion by delivering solely Reference Property, the Company shall deliver to the converting Holder a number of units of Reference Property (each such unit comprised of the kind and amount of shares of stock, securities or other property or assets (including cash or any combination thereof) that a holder of one share of Class A Common Stock immediately prior to such Merger Event would have owned or been entitled to receive based on the Weighted Average Consideration) equal to (1) the aggregate principal amount of Notes to be converted, divided by \$1,000, multiplied by (2) the Applicable Conversion Rate; (B) if the Company elects to satisfy its Conversion Obligation in respect of such conversion by paying solely cash, the Company shall pay to the converting Holder cash in an amount, per \$1,000 principal amount of Notes equal to the sum of the Daily Conversion Values for each of the thirty consecutive Trading Days during the related Observation Period, such Daily Conversion Values determined as if the reference to "the Daily VWAP of the Class A Common Stock" in definition thereof were instead a reference to "the Daily VWAP of a unit of Reference Property comprised of the kind and amount of shares of stock, securities or other property or assets (including cash or any combination thereof) that a holder of one share of Class A Common Stock immediately prior to such Merger Event would have owned or been entitled to receive based on the Weighted Average Consideration"; and (C) if the Company elects to satisfy its Conversion Obligation through delivery of a combination of cash and Reference Property, the Company shall deliver in respect of each \$1,000 principal amount of Notes being converted, a Settlement Amount equal to the sum of the Daily Settlement Amounts for each of the thirty consecutive Trading Days during the Observation Period for such

Note, such Daily Settlement Values determined as if the reference to "the Daily VWAP of the Class A Common Stock" in the definition of Daily Conversion Value and was instead a reference to "the Daily VWAP of a unit of Reference Property comprised of the kind and amount of shares of stock, securities or other property or assets (including cash or any combination thereof) that a holder of one share of Class A Common Stock immediately prior to such Merger Event would have owned or been entitled to receive based on the Weighted Average Consideration."

- (ii) The Company will deliver the cash in lieu of fractional units of Reference Property as set forth pursuant to Section 1706(c)(i)) provided that the amount of such cash shall be determined as if references in such Section to "the Last Reported Sale Price of the Class A Common Stock" were instead a reference to "the Last Reported Sale Price of a unit of Reference Property composed of the kind and amount of shares of stock, securities or other property or assets (including cash or any combination thereof) that a holder of one share of Class A Common Stock immediately prior to such Merger Event would have owned or been entitled to receive based on the Weighted Average Consideration").
- (iii) The Daily Settlement Amounts (if applicable) and Daily Conversion Values (if applicable) shall be determined by the Company promptly following the last day of the Observation Period.
- (iv) For purposes of this Section 1706, the "Weighted Average Consideration" shall mean the weighted average of the types and amounts of consideration received by the holders of the Class A Common Stock entitled to receive cash, securities or other property or assets with respect to or in exchange for such Class A Common Stock in any Merger Event who affirmatively make such an election.
- (v) The Company shall notify the Holders of the Weighted Average Consideration as soon as practicable after the Weighted Average Consideration is determined.
- (d) The above provisions of this Section shall similarly apply to successive Merger Events.

# Section 1707. Certain Covenants.

- (a) The Company covenants that all shares of Class A Common Stock issued upon conversion of Notes will be fully paid and non-assessable by the Company and free from all taxes, liens and charges with respect to the issue thereof.
- (b) The Company covenants that, if any shares of Class A Common Stock to be provided for the purpose of conversion of Notes hereunder require registration with or approval of any governmental authority under any federal or state law before such shares may be validly issued upon conversion, the Company will, to the extent then permitted by the rules and interpretations of the Commission, secure such registration or approval, as the case may be.
- (c) The Company further covenants that if at any time the Class A Common Stock shall be listed on any national securities exchange or automated quotation system the Company will list and keep listed, so long as the Class A Common Stock shall be so listed on such exchange or automated quotation system, any Class A Common Stock issuable upon conversion of the Notes.

#### Section 1708. Responsibility of Trustee.

The Trustee and any other Conversion Agent shall not at any time be under any duty or responsibility to any Holder to determine the Conversion Rate (or any adjustment thereto) or whether any facts exist that may require any adjustment (including any increase) of the Conversion Rate, or with respect to the nature or extent or calculation of any such adjustment when made, or with respect to the method employed, or herein or in any supplemental indenture provided to be employed, in making the same. The Trustee and any other Conversion Agent shall not be accountable with respect to the validity or value (or the kind or amount) of any shares of Class A Common Stock, or of any securities, property or cash that may at any time be issued or delivered upon the conversion of any Note; and the Trustee and any other Conversion Agent make no representations with respect thereto. Neither the Trustee nor any Conversion Agent shall be responsible for any failure of the Company to issue, transfer or deliver any shares of Class A Common Stock or stock certificates or other securities or property or cash upon the surrender of any Note for the purpose of conversion or to comply with any of the duties, responsibilities or covenants of the Company contained in this Article Seventeen. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, neither the Trustee nor any Conversion Agent shall be under any responsibility to determine the correctness of any provisions contained in any supplemental indenture entered into pursuant to Section 1706 relating either to the kind or amount of shares of stock or securities or property (including cash) receivable by Holders upon the conversion of their Notes after any event referred to in such Section 1706 or to any adjustment to be made with respect thereto, but, subject to the provisions of Section 603, may accept (without any independent investigation) as conclusive evidence of the correctness of any such provisions, and shall be protected in relying upon, the Officers' Certificate (which the Company shall be obligated to file with the Trustee prior to the execution of any such supplemental indenture) with respect thereto. Neither the Trustee nor the Conversion Agent shall be responsible for determining whether any event contemplated by Section 1701(b) has occurred that makes the Notes eligible for conversion or no longer eligible therefor until the Company has delivered to the Trustee and the Conversion Agent the notices referred to in Section 1701(b) with respect to the commencement or termination of such conversion rights, on which notices the Trustee and the Conversion Agent may conclusively rely, and the Company agrees to deliver such notices to the Trustee and the Conversion Agent immediately after the occurrence of any such event or at such other times as shall be provided for in Section 1701(b).

# Section 1709. Notice to Holders Prior to Certain Actions

#### In case:

- (a) the Company shall declare a dividend (or any other distribution) on its Class A Common Stock that would require an adjustment in the Conversion Rate pursuant to Section 1704;
- (b) the Company shall authorize the granting to all of the holders of its Class A Common Stock of rights, options or warrants to subscribe for or purchase any share of any class or any other rights, options or warrants;
- (c) of any reclassification of the Class A Common Stock of the Company (other than a subdivision or combination of its outstanding Class A Common Stock, or a change in par value, or from par value to no par value, or from no par value to par value), or of any consolidation or merger to which the Company is a party and for which approval of any stockholders of the Company is required, or of the sale or transfer of all or substantially all of the assets of the Company; or

(d) of the voluntary or involuntary dissolution, liquidation or winding-up of the Company,

the Company shall cause to be filed with the Trustee and to be mailed to each Holder at its address appearing on the Note Register, provided for in Section 305(a) of this Indenture, as promptly as possible but in any event at least twenty days prior to the applicable date hereinafter specified, a notice stating (i) the date on which a record is to be taken for the purpose of such dividend, distribution or rights, options or warrants, or, if a record is not to be taken, the date as of which the holders of Class A Common Stock of record to be entitled to such dividend, distribution or rights are to be determined, or (ii) the date on which such reclassification, consolidation, merger, sale, transfer, dissolution, liquidation or winding-up is expected to become effective or occur, and the date as of which it is expected that holders of Class A Common Stock of record shall be entitled to exchange their Class A Common Stock for securities or other property deliverable upon such reclassification, consolidation, merger, sale, transfer, dissolution, liquidation or winding-up. Failure to give such notice, or any defect therein, shall not affect the legality or validity of such dividend, distribution, reclassification, consolidation, merger, sale, transfer, dissolution, liquidation or winding-up.

#### Section 1710. Stockholder Rights Plans.

To the extent that the Company has a stockholder rights plan or other "poison pill" in effect upon conversion of the Notes, each share of Class A Common Stock, if any, issued upon such conversion shall be entitled to receive the appropriate number of rights, if any, and the certificates representing the Class A Common Stock issued upon such conversion shall bear such legends, if any, in each case as may be provided by the terms of any such stockholder rights plan or poison pill, as the same may be amended from time to time. If at the time of conversion, however, the rights have separated from the shares of Class A Common Stock in accordance with the provisions of the applicable stockholder rights agreement so that the Holders of the Notes would not be entitled to receive any rights in respect of Class A Common Stock, if any, issuable upon conversion of the Notes, the Conversion Rate will be adjusted at the time of separation as if the Company has distributed to all holders of Class A Common Stock, shares of Capital Stock of the Company, evidence of indebtedness or assets as provided in Section 1704(c), subject to readjustment in the event of the expiration, termination or redemption of such rights.

# Section 1711. Exchange in Lieu of Conversion.

(a) When a Holder surrenders its Notes for conversion, the Company may, at its election, direct the Conversion Agent to surrender, on or prior to the second Business Day following the relevant Conversion Date, such Notes to a financial institution designated by the Company (the "Designated Institution") for exchange in lieu of conversion. In order to accept any Notes surrendered for conversion for exchange in lieu of conversion, the Designated Institution must agree to timely deliver, in exchange for such Notes, the shares of Common stock and/or cash that would otherwise be due upon conversion as described in Section 1702 above and in respect of which the Company has notified to converting Holders. If the Company makes the election described above, the Company shall, by the close of business on the second Business Day following the relevant Conversion Date as part of its Settlement Notice, notify the Holder surrendering its Notes for conversion that it has made such election. In addition, the Company shall concurrently notify the Designated Institution of the Settlement Method (and, if applicable, the Specified Dollar Amount) that Company has elected with respect to such conversion and the relevant deadline for delivery of the consideration due upon conversion. Any Notes exchanged by the Designated Institution will remain Outstanding.

- (b) the Designated Institution agrees to accept any Notes for exchange but does not timely deliver the related consideration due upon conversion to the Conversion Agent, or if the Designated Institution does not accept such Notes for exchange, the Company shall, within the time period specified in Section 1702, convert such Notes into cash and/or shares of Class A Common Stock, as applicable in accordance with the provisions of Section 1702.
- (c) For the avoidance of doubt, in no event will the Company's designation of a Designated Institution pursuant to this Section 1711 require the Designated Institution to accept any Notes for exchange.

#### Section 1712. Calculations.

Except as otherwise provided in this Indenture, the Company shall be responsible for making all calculations called for under the Notes and this Indenture. These calculations include, but are not limited to, determinations of the Last Reported Sale Prices of the Class A Common Stock, accrued interest, including Additional Interest, payable on the Notes and the Conversion Rate of the Notes. The Company shall make all of these calculations in good faith and, absent manifest error, its calculations will be final and binding on Holders of Notes. The Company shall provide a schedule of its calculations to each of the Trustee and the Conversion Agent, and each of the Trustee and Conversion Agent is entitled to rely conclusively upon the accuracy of these calculations without independent verification. The Trustee will forward the Company's calculations to any Holder of Notes upon the request of that Holder.

#### ARTICLE III MISCELLANEOUS

Section 3.01 Independence of Covenants. All covenants and agreements in this First Supplemental Indenture shall be given independent effect so that if a particular action or condition is not permitted by any such covenants, the fact that it would be permitted by an exception to, or be otherwise within the limitations of, another covenant shall not avoid the occurrence of a Default or an Event of Default if such action is taken or condition exists.

- Section 3.02 Schedules and Exhibits. All schedules and exhibits attached hereto are by this reference made a part hereof with the same effect as if herein set forth in full.
- Section 3.03 Counterparts. This First Supplemental Indenture may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original; but all such counterparts shall together constitute but one and the same instrument.
- Section 3.04 Ratification. The Base Indenture, as supplemented and amended by this First Supplemental Indenture, is in all respects ratified and confirmed, and the Base Indenture and this First Supplemental Indenture shall be read, taken and construed as one and the same instrument. All provisions included in this First Supplemental Indenture supersede any conflicting provisions included in the Base Indenture unless not permitted by law. The Trustee accepts the trusts created by the Indenture, as supplemented by this First Supplemental Indenture, and agrees to perform the same upon the terms and conditions of the Indenture, as supplemented by this First Supplemental Indenture.
- Section 3.05 Construction. As used in this First Supplemental Indenture, unless otherwise stated or unless context otherwise implies, the terms "herein," "hereof," "this Indenture" and "the Indenture" when used to refer to a document reference are intended to refer to the Base Indenture together with this First Supplemental Indenture.

Section 3.06 Choice of Law. This Indenture shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of New York, without regard to conflict of law principles.

Section 3.07 Effectiveness. The provisions of this First Supplemental Indenture shall become effective as of the date hereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this First Supplemental Indenture to be duly executed as of the date first written above.

SONIC AUTOMOTIVE, INC.

By: /s/ David P. Cosper
Name: David P. Cosper

Title: Vice Chairman and Chief Financial Officer

# U.S. BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, as Trustee

By: /s/ Richard Prokosch

Name: Richard Prokosch Title: Vice President

#### [FORM OF FACE OF NOTE]

[Legend if Note is a Global Note]

[THIS NOTE IS A GLOBAL NOTE WITHIN THE MEANING OF THE INDENTURE HEREINAFTER REFERRED TO AND IS REGISTERED IN THE NAME OF A DEPOSITARY OR A NOMINEE OF A DEPOSITARY OR A SUCCESSOR DEPOSITARY. TRANSFERS OF THIS GLOBAL NOTE SHALL BE LIMITED TO TRANSFERS IN WHOLE, BUT NOT IN PART, TO NOMINEES OF CEDE & CO. OR TO A SUCCESSOR THEREOF OR SUCH SUCCESSOR'S NOMINEE AND TRANSFERS OF PORTIONS OF THIS GLOBAL NOTE SHALL BE LIMITED TO TRANSFERS MADE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE RESTRICTIONS SET FORTH IN SECTION 305 OF THE INDENTURE.

UNLESS THIS CERTIFICATE IS PRESENTED BY AN AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OF THE DEPOSITORY TRUST COMPANY, A NEW YORK CORPORATION ("DTC"), TO SONIC AUTOMOTIVE, INC. OR ITS AGENT FOR REGISTRATION OF TRANSFER, EXCHANGE, OR PAYMENT AND ANY SUCH CERTIFICATE ISSUED IS REGISTERED IN THE NAME OF CEDE & CO. OR IN SUCH OTHER NAME AS IS REQUESTED BY AN AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OF DTC (AND ANY PAYMENT IS MADE TO CEDE & CO. OR TO SUCH OTHER ENTITY AS IS REQUESTED BY AN AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OF DTC), ANY TRANSFER, PLEDGE, OR OTHER USE HEREOF FOR VALUE OR OTHERWISE BY OR TO ANY PERSON IS WRONGFUL INASMUCH AS THE REGISTERED OWNER HEREOF, CEDE & CO., HAS AN INTEREST HEREIN.]

#### SONIC AUTOMOTIVE, INC.

Form of 5.0% Convertible Senior Notes due 2029

(the "Notes")

No. \$

CUSIP No.

Sonic Automotive, Inc., a corporation duly organized and validly existing under the laws of the State of Delaware (herein called the "Company," which term includes any successor corporation or other entity under the Indenture referred to on the reverse hereof), for value received hereby promises to pay to CEDE & CO., or registered assigns, the principal sum of

United States Dollars (which amount may from time to time be increased or decreased to such other principal amounts (which, taken together with the principal amounts of all other outstanding Notes, shall not, unless permitted by the Indenture, exceed \$172,500,000 in aggregate at any time) by adjustments made on the records of the Trustee or the Custodian of the Depositary as set forth in Schedule A hereto, in accordance with the rules and procedures of the Depositary) on October 1, 2029, and interest thereon as set forth below and Additional Interest in the manner, at the rates and to the Persons set forth in the Indenture

This Note shall bear interest at the rate of 5.0% per year (subject to increase pursuant to Section 502 of the Indenture) from September 23, 2009, or from the most recent date to which interest had been paid or provided for to, but excluding, the next scheduled Interest Payment Date until October 1, 2029. Interest is payable semi–annually in arrears on each April 1 and October 1, commencing April 1, 2010, to Holders of record at the close of business on the preceding March 15 and September 15 (whether or not such day is a Business Day), respectively.

Payment of the principal of and premium, if any, and accrued and unpaid interest and Additional Interest, if any, on this Note shall be made at the office or agency of the Company maintained for that purpose, in such lawful money of the United States of America as at the time of payment shall be legal tender for the payment of public and private debts; provided, however, interest, including Additional Interest, if any, may be paid by check mailed to such Holder's address as it appears in the Note Register; provided further, however, that, with respect to any Holder with an aggregate principal amount in excess of \$5,000,000, at the application of such Holder in writing to the Trustee and Paying Agent (if different from the Trustee) not later than the relevant Interest Record Date, accrued and unpaid interest and Additional Interest, if any, on such Holder's Notes shall be paid by wire transfer in immediately available funds to such Holder's account in the United States, which application shall remain in effect until the Holder notifies the Trustee and Paying Agent to the contrary; provided that any payment to the Depositary or its nominee shall be paid by wire transfer in immediately available funds in accordance with the wire transfer instruction supplied by the Depositary or its nominee from time to time to the Trustee and Paying Agent (if different from Trustee).

Reference is made to the further provisions of this Note set forth on the reverse hereof, including, without limitation, provisions giving the Holder of this Note the right to convert this Note into cash, shares of Class A Common Stock of the Company or a combination of cash and shares of Class A Common Stock, as applicable, at the Company's election, on the terms and subject to the limitations set forth in the Indenture. Such further provisions shall for all purposes have the same effect as though fully set forth at this place.

This Note shall be deemed to be a contract made under the laws of the State of New York, and for all purposes shall be construed in accordance with and governed by the laws of said State (without regard to the conflicts of laws provisions thereof).

This Note shall not be valid or become obligatory for any purpose until the certificate of authentication hereon shall have been manually signed by the Trustee or a duly authorized authenticating agent under the Indenture.

	SONIC AUTOMOTIVE, INC.
	By: Name: Title:
Dated: , 2009	
RUSTEE'S CERTIFICATE OF AUTHENTICATION  J.S. BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION  s Trustee, certifies that this is one of the Notes described in the vithin–named Indenture.	
By: Authorized Officer	

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Company has caused this Note to be duly executed.

#### [FORM OF REVERSE OF NOTE]

# SONIC AUTOMOTIVE, INC. 5.0% Convertible Senior Notes due 2029

This Note is one of a duly authorized issue of Notes of the Company, designated as its 5.0% Convertible Senior Notes due 2029 (herein called the 'Notes'), initially limited to the aggregate principal amount of \$172,500,000, all issued or to be issued under and pursuant to an Indenture dated as of September 23, 2009 (herein called the "Base Indenture"), among the Company, the guarantors named therein and U.S. Bank National Association (herein called the "Trustee") as supplemented by that First Supplemental Indenture, dated as of September 23, 2009, between the Company and the Trustee (the "First Supplemental Indenture" and, together with the Base Indenture, the "Indenture"), to which the Indenture, and all indentures supplemental thereto and applicable to the Notes, reference is hereby made for a description of the rights, limitations of rights, obligations, duties and immunities thereunder of the Trustee, the Company and the Holders of the Notes. Additional Notes may be issued in an unlimited aggregate principal amount, subject to certain conditions specified in the Indenture.

In case an Event of Default, as defined in the Indenture, shall have occurred and be continuing, the principal of, premium, if any, and interest, including Additional Interest, if any, on all Notes may be declared, by either the Trustee or Holders of not less than 25% in aggregate principal amount of Notes then outstanding, and upon said declaration delivered to the Company (and to the Trustee if given by Holders) shall become, due and payable, in the manner, with the effect and subject to the conditions and certain exceptions set forth in the Indenture.

Subject to the terms and conditions of the Indenture, the Company will make all payments and deliveries in respect of the Fundamental Change Repurchase Price, the Purchase Price, the Redemption Price and the principal amount on the Maturity Date, as the case may be, to the Holder who surrenders a Note to a Paying Agent to collect such payments in respect of the Note. The Company will pay cash amounts, if any, in money of the United States that at the time of payment is legal tender for payment of public and private debts.

The Indenture contains provisions permitting the Company and the Trustee in certain circumstances, without the consent of the Holders of the Notes, and in other circumstances, with the consent of the Holders of not less than a majority in aggregate principal amount of the Notes at the time outstanding, evidenced as in the Indenture provided, to execute supplemental indentures modifying the terms of the Indenture and the Notes as described therein. It is also provided in the Indenture that, subject to certain exceptions, the Holders of a majority in aggregate principal amount of the Notes at the time outstanding may on behalf of the Holders of all of the Notes waive any past Default or Event of Default under the Indenture and its consequences.

No reference herein to the Indenture and no provision of this Note or of the Indenture shall alter or impair the obligation of the Company, which is absolute and unconditional, to pay the principal of, premium, if any, and accrued and unpaid interest, and Additional Interest, if any, on this Note at the place, at the respective times, at the rate and in the lawful money herein prescribed.

The Notes are issuable in registered form without coupons in denominations of \$1,000 principal amount and integral multiples thereof. At the office or agency of the Company referred to on the face hereof, and in the manner and subject to the limitations provided in the Indenture, Notes may be exchanged for a like aggregate principal amount of Notes of other authorized denominations, without payment of any service charge but, if required by the Company or Trustee, with payment of a sum sufficient to cover any tax, assessments or other governmental charges that may be imposed in connection therewith as a result of the name of the Holder of the new Notes issued upon such exchange of Notes being different from the name of the Holder of the old Notes surrendered for such exchange.

No sinking fund is provided for the Notes. The Company may not redeem the Notes prior to October 1, 2014. On or after October 1, 2014, and prior to the Maturity Date, the Company may redeem for cash all or part of the Notes at 100% of the principal amount of the Notes to be redeemed, plus accrued but unpaid interest, including any Additional Interest, to but excluding the Redemption Date.

Holders of Notes have the right to require the Company to purchase Notes on each of October 1, 2014, October 1, 2019 and October 1, 2024 for cash at a Purchase Price equal to 100% of the principal amount of the Notes to be purchased plus any accrued and unpaid interest, including any Additional Interest, to, but excluding, the applicable Purchase Date.

Upon the occurrence of a Fundamental Change, the Holder has the right, at such Holder's option, to require the Company to repurchase for cash all of such Holder's Notes or any portion thereof (in principal amounts of \$1,000 or integral multiples thereof) on the Fundamental Change Repurchase Date at a price equal to the Fundamental Change Repurchase Price; provided, however, no Notes may be repurchased at the option of the Holders upon a Fundamental Change if the principal amount of the Notes has been accelerated, and such acceleration has not been rescinded, on or prior to the Fundamental Change Repurchase Date.

Subject to the provisions of the Indenture, the Holder hereof has the right, at its option, during certain periods and upon the occurrence of certain conditions specified in the Indenture, prior to the close of business on the third Scheduled Trading Day immediately preceding the Maturity Date, to convert any Notes or portion thereof that is \$1,000 or an integral multiple thereof, into cash, shares of Class A Common Stock or a combination of cash and shares of Class A Common Stock, as applicable at the Company's election, at a Conversion Rate specified in the Indenture, as adjusted from time to time as provided in the Indenture.

Terms used in this Note and defined in the Indenture are used herein as therein defined.

# ABBREVIATIONS

The following abbreviations, when used in the inscription of	f the face of this Note, shall be construed as though they were written out in full according to applica	able laws or
regulations:		
TEN COM – as tenants in common	UNIF GIFT MIN ACT	

Custodian

(Cust)

TEN ENT – as tenants by the entireties

(Minor)

JT TEN – as joint tenants with right of survivorship and not as tenants in common

Uniform Gifts to Minors Act

Additional abbreviations may also be used though not in the above list.

(State)

# SONIC AUTOMOTIVE, INC. 5.0% Convertible Senior Notes due 2029

The initial principal amount of this Global Note is \$172,500,000. The following increases or decreases in this Global Note have been made:

Date of	Amount of decrease in Principal Amount of	Amount of increase in Principal Amount of	Principal Amount of this Global Note following	Signature of authorized signatory of
Exchange	this Global Note	this Global Note	such decrease or increase	Trustee or Custodian
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**EXHIBIT B** 

# [FORM OF NOTICE OF CONVERSION]

# To: SONIC AUTOMOTIVE, INC.

approved signature guarantee medallion program pursuant to Securities and Exchange Commission Rule 17Ad-15 if shares of Class A Common Stock are to be issued, or

Notes to be delivered, other than to and in the name of the registered Holder.

The undersigned registered owner of this Note hereby exercises the option to convert this Note, or the portion hereof (that is \$1,000 principal amount or an integral multiple thereof) below designated, into cash, shares of Class A Common Stock or a combination of cash and shares of Class A Common Stock, as applicable, in accordance with the terms of the Indenture referred to in this Note, and directs that any shares of Class A Common Stock issuable and deliverable upon such conversion, together with any cash comprising the Daily Conversion Values or a portion of the Daily Settlement Amounts for each of the thirty Trading Days during the Observation Period and for any fractional shares, and any Notes representing any unconverted principal amount hereof, be issued and delivered to the registered Holder hereof unless a different name has been indicated below. If any shares of Class A Common Stock or any portion of this Note not converted are to be issued in the name of a Person other than the undersigned, the undersigned will pay all transfer taxes payable with respect thereto. Any amount required to be paid to the undersigned on account of interest accompanies this Note.

Dated:	
	Signature(s)
Signature Guarantee	
Signature(s) must be guaranteed by an eligible Guarantor Institution (banks, stock	

Fill in for registration of shares if to be issued, and Notes if to be delivered, other than to and in the name of the registered Holder:	
(Name)	
(Street Address)	
(City, State and Zip Code) Please print name and address	
	Principal amount to be converted (if less than all): \$,000
	NOTICE: The above signature(s) of the Holder(s) hereof must correspond with the name as written upon the face of the Note in every particular without alteration or enlargement or any change whatever.

Social Security or Other Taxpayer Identification Number

**EXHIBIT C** 

# [FORM OF FUNDAMENTAL CHANGE REPURCHASE NOTICE]

# To: SONIC AUTOMOTIVE, INC.

The undersigned registered owner of this Note hereby acknowledges receipt of a notice from Sonic Automotive, Inc. (the 'Company') as to the occurrence of a Fundamental Change with respect to the Company and specifying the Fundamental Change Repurchase Date and requests and instructs the Company to repay to the registered Holder hereof in accordance with the applicable provisions of the Indenture referred to in this Note (1) the entire principal amount of this Note, or the portion thereof (that is \$1,000 principal amount or an integral multiple thereof) below designated, and (2) if such Fundamental Change Repurchase Date does not fall during the period after an Interest Record Date and on or prior to the corresponding Interest Payment Date, accrued and unpaid interest, including Additional Interest, if any, thereon to, but excluding, such Fundamental Change Repurchase Date.

In the case of certificated Notes, the certificate numbers of the Notes to be repurchased are as set forth below:

Dated	

Signature(s)	
Social Security or Other Taxpayer Identification Number	
Principal amount to be repaid (if less than all): \$,000	

NOTICE: The above signature(s) of the Holder(s) hereof must correspond with the name as written upon the face of the Note in every particular without alteration or enlargement or any change whatever

EXHIBIT D

# FORM OF ASSIGNMENT AND TRANSFER1

[PONTOF ASSIGNMENT	AND TRANSPER
For value received hereby sell(s), assign(s) and transfer(s) unto within Note, and hereby irrevocably constitutes and appoints attorney to transferences.	(Please insert social security or Taxpayer Identification Number of assignee) the early Note on the books of the Company, with full power of substitution in the
Dated:	
	Signature(s)
Signature Guarantee	
Signature(s) must be guaranteed by an eligible Guarantor Institution (banks, stock brokers, savings and loan associations and credit unions) with membership in an approved signature guarantee medallion program pursuant to Securities and Exchange Commission Rule 17Ad–15 Notes are to be delivered other than to and in the name of	

NOTICE: The signature on the assignment must correspond with the name as written upon the face of the Note in every particular without alteration or enlargement or any change whatever.

the registered Holder.