ARTICLE 15

Supplemental Indentures

§15.01. In addition to any supplemental indenture otherwise authorized by this Indenture, the Company may from time to time execute such instruments or deeds as it may from time to time deem advisable for the purpose of conveying, transferring and assigning to the Trustees and subjecting to the lien of this Indenture, with the same force and effect as though included in the *Granting Clauses* hereof, any property heretofore or hereafter acquired by the Company, and the Company, when authorized by resolution of its Board of Directors, and the Trustees, from time to time and at any time, may enter into an indenture or indentures supplemental hereto and which thereafter shall form a part hereof for any one or more or all of the following purposes:

- (a) To close this Indenture against, or to restrict, in addition to the limitations and restrictions herein contained, the authentication and delivery of additional Bonds hereunder by imposing additional conditions and restrictions to be thereafter observed, whether applicable in respect of all Bonds authenticated and delivered and to be authenticated and delivered hereunder, or in respect of one or more series thereof, or otherwise.
- (b) To add to the covenants and agreements of the Company in this Indenture contained other covenants and agreements thereafter to be observed and to surrender any right or power herein reserved to or conferred upon the Company although the freedom of action of the Company may be materially restricted thereby.
- (c) To convey, transfer and assign to the Trustees, and to subject to the lien of this Indenture, with the same force and effect as though included in the *Granting Clauses* hereof, additional properties hereafter acquired by the Company, whether through consolidation, merger, purchase or otherwise, and to correct or amplify the description of any properties at any time subject to the lien of this Indenture.
- (d) To make such provisions in regard to matters or questions arising under this Indenture as may be necessary or desirable and not inconsistent with this Indenture.