

however, that no such modification or alteration shall be made which will (a) affect the terms of payment of the principal of or of interest on the bonds outstanding thereunder, or (b) authorize the creation of any lien prior or equal to the lien of the Indenture upon any of the mortgaged and pledged property, or (c) give to any bond or bonds secured thereby any preference over any other bond or bonds secured thereby, and provided further, that no modification of any right which shall have been specifically provided in respect to any particular series of bonds shall be effective unless assented to by the holders of at least eighty per cent (80%) in amount of the bonds of such particular series.

No recourse shall be had for the payment of the principal of or the interest on this bond, or of any claim based hereon or in respect hereof or of the Indenture, against any incorporator, stockholder, officer or director of the Company or of any successor company, whether by virtue of any statute or rule of law or by the enforcement of any assessment or penalty or otherwise, all such liability being by the acceptance hereof expressly waived and released and being also waived and released by the terms of the Indenture.

This bond shall not be valid nor become obligatory for any purpose until it shall have been authenticated by the execution of the certificate hereon endorsed by the Trustee under the Indenture.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, UNITED TELEPHONE COMPANY OF THE NORTHWEST has caused this bond to be signed in its name by its President or one of its Vice Presidents and its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed and attested by its Secretary or by one of its Assistant Secretaries, and interest coupons bearing the facsimile signature of its Treasurer to be attached hereto, and this bond to be dated as of the 1st day of December, 1967.