

Cugine Joseph M.
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Cugine Joseph M.

(Last) (First) (Middle)
100 EAST RIDGE ROAD
(Street)

RIDGEFIELD, CT 06877

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
Chefs' Warehouse, Inc. [CHEF]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
05/17/2013

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	05/17/2013		A		1,769	A	\$ 0 (1)
					3,408	D	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Owned Following Reporting Transaction (Instr. 6)
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Cugine Joseph M. 100 EAST RIDGE ROAD RIDGEFIELD, CT 06877		X		

Signatures

/s/ Alexandros Aldous, Attorney-in-Fact for Joseph M. Cugine 05/20/2013

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
 - ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- This reporting person received 1,769 shares of restricted common stock pursuant to The Chefs' Warehouse, Inc. 2011 Omnibus Equity Incentive Plan. The forfeiture restrictions associated with 100% of the award will lapse on the date of the issuer's 2014 annual stockholders' meeting.

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9.1.18 Australian Facility Loan Parties. If it is an Australian Facility Loan Party, (a) the entering into and performance by it of its obligations under the Loan Documents to which it is expressed to be a party are for its commercial benefit and are in its commercial interests; and (b) the entry into and performance by it of its obligations under the Loan Documents to which it is a party do not contravene Part 2J.3 or Part 2E of the Corporations Act 2001 (Cth).

9.1.19 Pari passu ranking. Each UK Borrower's payment obligations under the Loan Documents rank at least pari passu with the claims of all its other unsecured and unsubordinated creditors, except for obligations mandatorily preferred by law applying to companies generally.

9.1.20 Ranking. Each UK Security Agreement has or will have the ranking in priority which it is expressed to have in the relevant UK Security Agreement and, other than as permitted under or contemplated by the Loan Documents, it is not subject to any prior ranking or pari passu ranking Lien.

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9.1.21 Belgian Financial Assistance. The Loans have not been and will not be used to finance or refinance the acquisition of or subscription for shares in any Belgian Domiciled Loan Party (unless carried out in accordance with the Belgian Companies Code) and no security interests created under the Security Documents and Guarantees will be used in breach of article 329/629 of the Belgian Companies Code.

9.1.22 OFAC. No Loan Party (a) is a Person whose Property or interest in Property is blocked or subject to blocking pursuant to Section 1 of Executive Order 13224 of September 23, 2001 Blocking Property and Prohibiting Transactions With Persons Who Commit, Threaten to Commit, or Support Terrorism (66 Fed. Reg. 49079 (2001)), (b) engages in any dealings or transactions prohibited by Section 2 of such executive order, or is otherwise associated with any such Person in any manner violative of Section 2, or (c) is a Person on the list of Specially Designated Nationals and Blocked Persons or subject to the limitations or prohibitions under any other U.S. Department of Treasury's Office of Foreign Assets Control regulation or executive order.

9.1.23 Patriot Act. Each Loan Party is in compliance, in all material respects, with (a) the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended, and each of the foreign assets control regulations of the United States Treasury Department (31 CFR, Subtitle B, Chapter V, as amended) and any other enabling legislation or executive order relating thereto, and (b) the Uniting And Strengthening America By Providing Appropriate Tools Required To Intercept And Obstruct Terrorism (USA Patriot Act of 2001). No part of the proceeds of the Loans will be used, directly or indirectly, for any payments to any governmental official or employee, political party, official of a political party, candidate for political office, or anyone else acting in an official capacity, in order to obtain, retain or direct business or obtain any improper advantage, in violation of the United States Foreign Corrupt Practices Act of 1977, as amended.

SECTION 10. COVENANTS AND CONTINUING AGREEMENTS

10.1 Affirmative Covenants. The Loan Parties, jointly and severally, hereby covenant and agree that on the Closing Date and thereafter, until the Commitments, the Swingline Commitments and each Letter of Credit have terminated and the Loans, together with interest, Fees and all other Obligations (other than contingent indemnification obligations for which no claim has been identified), are paid in full:

10.1.1 Financial and Other Information. The Loan Parties will furnish to the Agent:

(a) as soon as available and in any event on or before the date on which such financial statements are required to be filed with the SEC (or, if such financial statements are not required to be filed with the SEC, on or before the date that is 105 days after the end of each such fiscal year), (i) the consolidated balance sheet of MRC and its Subsidiaries as at the end of such fiscal year, and the related consolidated statement of operations and consolidated statement of cash flows for such fiscal year, setting forth comparative consolidated figures for the preceding fiscal year, and certified by independent certified public accountants of recognized national standing whose opinion shall not be qualified as to the scope of audit or as to the status of MRC or any of the Material Subsidiaries (or group of Subsidiaries that together would constitute a Material Subsidiary) as a going concern, together in any event with a certificate of such accounting firm stating that in the course of its regular audit of the business of MRC and the Material Subsidiaries, which audit was conducted in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, such accounting firm has obtained no knowledge of any Default or Event of Default that has occurred and is continuing or, if in the opinion of such accounting firm such a Default or Event of Default has occurred and is continuing, a statement as to the nature thereof which shall be certified by a Senior Officer of MRC, and (ii) the unaudited consolidating financial statements of MRC and its Subsidiaries containing a balance sheet as of the end of such fiscal year and a statement of operations for such fiscal year prepared in reasonable detail;

(b) as soon as available and in any event on or before the date on which such financial statements are required to be filed with the SEC with respect to each of the first three quarterly accounting periods in each fiscal year of MRC (or, if such financial statements are not required to be filed with the SEC, on or before the date that is sixty (60) days after the end of each such quarterly accounting period), the consolidated balance sheet of MRC and its Restricted Subsidiaries, in each case as at the end of such quarterly period and the related consolidated statement of operations for such quarterly accounting period and for the elapsed portion of the fiscal year ended with the last day of such quarterly period, and the related consolidated statement of cash flows for the elapsed portion of the fiscal year ended with the last day of such quarterly period, and setting forth comparative consolidated figures for the related periods in the prior fiscal year or, in the case of such consolidated balance sheet, for the last day of the prior fiscal year, all of which shall be certified by a Senior Officer of MRC, subject to changes resulting from audit and normal year-end audit adjustments;

(c) as soon as available and in any event on or before the date that is thirty (30) days after the end of each fiscal month of MRC, the consolidated balance sheet of MRC and its Restricted Subsidiaries, in each case as at the end of such fiscal month and the related consolidated statement of operations for such fiscal month and for the elapsed portion of the fiscal year ended with the last day of such fiscal month, and the related consolidated statement of cash flows for the elapsed portion of the fiscal year ended with the last day of such fiscal month, and setting forth comparative consolidated figures for the related periods in the prior fiscal year or, in the case of such consolidated balance sheet, for the last day of the prior fiscal year, all of which shall be certified by a Senior Officer of MRC, subject to changes resulting from audit and normal year-end audit adjustments;

(d) not more than sixty (60) days after the commencement of each fiscal year of MRC, a budget of MRC and its Restricted Subsidiaries in reasonable detail for such fiscal year on a quarterly basis and as customarily prepared by management of MRC for their internal use consistent in scope with the financial statements provided pursuant to Section 10.1.1(a), setting forth the material assumptions upon which such budgets are based;

(e) at the time of the delivery of the financial statements provided for in Sections 10.1.1(a) and (b), a Compliance Certificate of a Senior Officer of MRC to the effect that no Default or Event of Default exists or, if any Default or Event of Default does exist, specifying the nature and extent thereof, which certificate shall set forth (i) the Consolidated Fixed Charge Coverage Ratio (and accompanying calculations) as at the end of such fiscal year or period, as the case may be, (ii) a specification of any change in the identity of the Restricted Subsidiaries and Unrestricted Subsidiaries as at the end of such fiscal year or period, as the case may be, from the Restricted Subsidiaries and Unrestricted Subsidiaries, respectively, provided to the Lenders on the Closing Date or the most recent fiscal year or period, as the case may be, (iii) the then applicable level of the Applicable Margin and (iv) the amount of any Pro Forma Adjustment not previously set forth in a Pro Forma Adjustment Certificate or any change in the amount of a Pro Forma Adjustment set forth in any Pro Forma Adjustment Certificate previously provided and, in

either case, in reasonable detail, the calculations and basis therefor. At the time of the delivery of the financial statements provided for in Section 10.1.1(a), a certificate of a Senior Officer of each Loan Party Agent setting forth certain information required pursuant to Sections 1 and 2 of the Perfection Certificate or confirming that there has been no change in such information since the Closing Date or the date of the most recent certificate delivered pursuant to this subsection (e), as the case may be;

(f) as soon as available but in any event within twenty-five (25) days of the end of each calendar month, a Borrowing Base Certificate (which shall be calculated in a consistent manner with the most recently delivered Borrowing Base Certificate) covering each Borrower and supporting information in connection therewith, *provided* that (i) the Borrowers will be required to furnish a Borrowing Base Certificate and supporting information in connection therewith within four (4) days of the end of each calendar week as of the end of such calendar week during which a FCCR Test Event is continuing, (ii) the North American Loan Party Agent may deliver updates to the Foreign Allocated U.S. Availability component of any Foreign Borrower's Borrowing Base (A) when no FCCR Test Event is continuing, once per calendar week and (B) at such other times as Agent may agree in its discretion and (iii) the Borrowers may not reallocate the Foreign Allocated U.S. Availability component of any Foreign Borrower's Borrowing Base if such reallocation would result in an Overadvance for such Foreign Borrower;

(g) as soon as available but in any event within twenty-five (25) days of the end of each calendar month (or, if requested by Agent, on a weekly basis if a FCCR Test Event has occurred and is continuing), in each case, as of the period then ended:

(i) a schedule detailing the Borrowers' Inventory, in form reasonably satisfactory to Agent, (1) by Borrower and by location (showing Inventory located with a third party under any consignment, bailee arrangement, or warehouse agreement, in each case, to the extent the Cost of Inventory at such location exceeds (A) \$1,000,000 in the aggregate with respect to Canadian Borrowers and U.S. Borrowers and (B) \$500,000 in the aggregate with respect to any other Borrower Group), (2) including a report of material variances or other results of Inventory counts performed by the Borrowers since the last Inventory schedule and (3) reconciled to the Borrowing Base Certificate delivered as of such date.

(ii) a worksheet of calculations prepared by the Borrowers to determine Eligible Accounts and Eligible Inventory, such worksheets detailing the Accounts and Inventory excluded from Eligible Accounts and Eligible Inventory and the reason for such exclusion;

(iii) a schedule and aging of each Borrower's and each Guarantor's accounts payable presented at the vendor level; and

(iv) a detailed aged trial balance of all Accounts of each Borrower as of the end of the preceding month (or shorter applicable period), specifying each Account's Account Debtor name and address (if requested), amount, invoice date and due date and, at the Agent's reasonable request, showing any discount, allowance, credit, authorized return or dispute, and including such proof of delivery, copies of invoices and invoice registers, copies of related documents, repayment histories, status reports and other information as Agent may reasonably request.

(h) promptly after a Senior Officer of any Loan Party obtains knowledge thereof, notice of (i) the occurrence of any event that constitutes a Default or Event of Default, which notice shall specify the nature thereof, the period of existence thereof and what action the applicable Loan Party proposes to take with respect thereto and (ii) any litigation or governmental proceeding pending against MRC or any Subsidiary that could reasonably be expected to result in a Material Adverse Effect or a Material Adverse Change;

(i) each Loan Party will promptly advise the Agent in writing after obtaining knowledge of any one or more of the following environmental matters, unless such environmental matters could not, individually or when aggregated with all other such matters, be reasonably expected to result in a Material Adverse Effect:

(i) Any pending or threatened Environmental Claim against such Loan Party or any current or former Real Estate;

(ii) Any condition or occurrence on or otherwise related to any current or former Real Estate that (A) could reasonably be expected to result in noncompliance by such Loan Party with any applicable Environmental Law or (B) could reasonably be anticipated to form the basis of an Environmental Claim against such Loan Party or any current or former Real Estate;

(iii) Any condition or occurrence on or otherwise related to any current or former Real Estate that could reasonably be anticipated to cause such Real Estate to be subject to any restrictions on the ownership, occupancy, use or transferability of such Real Estate under any Environmental Law; and

(iv) The conduct of, or need to conduct, any investigation, or any removal, remedial or other corrective action in response to the actual or alleged presence, release or threatened release of any Hazardous Material on, at, under or from any current or former Real Estate or otherwise related to Environmental Law.

All such notices shall describe in reasonable detail the nature of the claim, investigation, condition, occurrence or removal or remedial action and the response thereto. The term Real Estate shall mean land, buildings and improvements owned or leased by any Loan Party, but excluding all operating fixtures and equipment, whether or not incorporated into improvements.

(j) promptly upon filing thereof, copies of any filings (including on Form 10-K, 10-Q or 8-K) or registration statements with, and reports to, the SEC or any analogous Governmental Authority in any relevant jurisdiction by MRC or any Restricted Subsidiary (other than amendments to any registration statement (to the extent such registration statement, in the form it becomes effective, is delivered to the Lenders and the Agent), exhibits to any registration statement and, if applicable, any registration statements on Form S-8) and copies of all financial statements, proxy statements, notices and reports that MRC or any Restricted Subsidiary shall send to the holders of any publicly issued debt of MRC and/or any Restricted Subsidiary in their

capacity as such holders (in each case to the extent not theretofore delivered to the Lenders and the Agent pursuant to this Agreement) and, with reasonable promptness, such other information (financial or otherwise) as the Agent on its own behalf or on behalf of any Lender (acting through the Agent) may reasonably request in writing from time to time;

(k) not later than any date on which financial statements are delivered with respect to any Test Period in which a Pro Forma Adjustment is made as a result of the consummation of the acquisition of any Acquired Entity or Business by MRC or any Restricted Subsidiary for which there shall be a Pro Forma Adjustment, a Pro Forma Adjustment Certificate;

(l) reasonably promptly but not later than sixty (60) days following the occurrence of any change referred to in subclauses (i) through (iv) below, written notice of any change (i) in the legal name of any Loan Party, (ii) in the jurisdiction of organization or location of any Loan Party for purposes of the Uniform Commercial Code, PPSA Australia, PPSA New Zealand or PPSA, (iii) in the identity or type of organization of any Loan Party or (iv) in the Federal Taxpayer Identification Number (or the equivalent identifier in any other jurisdiction including tax file numbers) or organizational or corporate identification number (including any Australian business numbers) of any Loan Party, *provided* that, notwithstanding the foregoing, with respect to any Loan Party incorporated in New Zealand or any Loan Party who has granted a security interest over any Property which is subject to the terms of the PPSA New Zealand, at least fourteen (14) days prior written notice of any change in the legal name of any such Loan Party must be provided. The applicable Loan Party or Loan Parties shall also promptly provide the Agent with certified Organic Documents reflecting any of the changes described in the first sentence of this clause (l).

(m) promptly after the sending or filing thereof, copies of any annual information report (including all actuarial reports and other schedules and attachments thereto) required to be filed with a Governmental Authority in connection with each U.S. Employee Plan, any Foreign Plan that is required by Applicable Law to be funded or any Canadian Pension Plan; promptly upon receipt, copies of any notice, demand, inquiry or subpoena received in connection with any U.S. Employee Plan or Canadian Pension Plan from a Governmental Authority (other than routine inquiries in the course of application for a favorable IRS determination letter); and at Agent's request, copies of any annual report required to be filed with a Governmental Authority in connection with any other U.S. Employee Plan or Canadian Pension Plan.

(n) promptly following receipt, a copy of any notice from the Pensions Regulator in which it proposes to take action which may result in the issuance of a Contribution Notice or Financial Support Direction in respect of any UK DB Pension Plan.

Notwithstanding the foregoing, the obligations in paragraphs (a) and (b) of this Section 10.1.1 may be satisfied with respect to financial information of MRC and its Subsidiaries by furnishing (A) the applicable financial statements of any direct or indirect parent of MRC or (B) MRC's (or any direct or indirect parent thereof's), as applicable, Form 10-K or 10-Q, as applicable, filed with the SEC (*provided* that, to the extent such information relates to a parent of MRC, such information is accompanied by consolidating information that explains in reasonable detail the differences between the information relating to such parent, on the one hand, and the

information relating to MRC and its Subsidiaries, taken together on a standalone basis, on the other hand); and any documentation required to be delivered pursuant to this Section 10.1.1 may be delivered electronically and if so delivered, shall be deemed to be delivered on the date (i) on which the North American Loan Party Agent posts the materials containing such documents or information, or provides a link thereto, on the North American Loan Party Agent's website on the Internet, or (ii) on which such documents are posted on an Internet or intranet website, if any, to which each Lender and Agent have access (including www.sec.gov (or other website of the SEC), a commercial third-party website or a website sponsored by Agent), *provided* that, in any case, the Loan Party Agent shall provide written notice to Agent of any documents being delivered in accordance with clauses (i) or (ii) above on the date such documents are posted, and paper copies of such documents shall be delivered to Agent upon its written request.

10.1.2 Books, Records and Inspections. The Loan Parties will, and will cause each of their respective Subsidiaries to, permit officers and designated representatives of the Agent or the Required Lenders to visit and inspect any of their properties or assets in whomsoever's possession to the extent that it is within such party's control to permit such inspection, and to examine their books and records and discuss their affairs, finances and accounts with, and be advised as to the same by, its and their officers and independent accountants, all at such reasonable times and intervals and to such reasonable extent as the Agent or the Required Lenders may desire (upon reasonable advance notice to the applicable Loan Party Agent); *provided* that, excluding any such visits and inspections during the continuation of an Event of Default, only the Agent (or any of its representatives or independent contractors) on behalf of the Required Lenders may exercise rights of the Agent and the Lenders under this Section 10.1.2 and the Agent shall not exercise such rights more often than two times during any calendar year absent the existence of an Event of Default and only one such time shall be at the Borrowers' expense unless Excess Availability is less than the greater of 15% of the Commitments or \$150,000,000, in which case the second time shall also be at the Borrowers' expense; *provided further* that when an Event of Default exists, the Agent (or any of its representatives or independent contractors) or any representative of the Required Lenders may do any of the foregoing at the expense of the Borrowers at any time during normal business hours and upon reasonable advance notice. The Agent and the Required Lenders shall give any Borrower the opportunity to participate in any discussions with such Borrower's independent public accountants.

10.1.3 Collateral Access Agreements. Each Borrower and each Guarantor shall use commercially reasonable efforts to obtain a Collateral Access Agreement with respect to Inventory which is located in any location leased by such Loan Party, located in any third-party warehouse or otherwise in the possession of a bailee or other third-party, in each case, to the extent the Cost of Inventory at such location, or held by such bailee or third person exceeds the lesser of (i) \$2,000,000 and (ii) five percent (5%) of the Borrower Group Commitments of the applicable Borrower Group.

10.1.4 Payment of Taxes; Australian Tax Consolidation.

(a) Each Loan Party will pay and discharge, and will cause each Subsidiary to pay and discharge, all material taxes, assessments and governmental charges or levies imposed upon it or upon its income or profits, or upon any properties belonging to it, prior to the date on

which material penalties attach thereto, and all lawful material claims that, if unpaid, could reasonably be expected to become a material Lien (other than a Permitted Lien) upon any properties of such Loan Party or any Restricted Subsidiary, *provided* that no Loan Party, nor any Subsidiary shall be required to pay any such tax, assessment, charge, levy or claim that is being contested in good faith and by proper proceedings if it has maintained adequate reserves (in the good faith judgment of the management of such Loan Party) with respect thereto in accordance with GAAP and the failure to pay could not reasonably be expected to result in a Material Adverse Effect.

(b) Each Australian Domiciled Loan Party must ensure that (i) so long as it is a member of a consolidated group for tax purposes there is at all times a valid tax sharing agreement for that consolidated group in form and substance reasonably satisfactory to the Agent; (ii) the tax sharing agreement is amended or replaced to the extent necessary to ensure that it remains a valid tax sharing agreement (having regard to changes in the composition or activities of the consolidated group); and (iii) it is not at any time liable for group liability (as such term is defined in Section 721-10 of the Income Tax Assessment Act 1997 (Cth)) other than in respect of its own assets and activities (including as a result of tax consolidation or any tax sharing agreement), in each case except to the extent such Loan Party is maintaining adequate reserves (in the good faith judgment of the management of such Loan Party) with respect thereto and the failure to so comply could not reasonably be expected to result in a Material Adverse Effect.

(c) Each Australian Facility Loan Party must ensure that it will not become a member of a GST Group unless the GST Group of which the Australian Facility Loan Party becomes a member has at all times while the Australian Facility Loan Party is a member a valid ITSA for that GST Group in a form and substance reasonably satisfactory to Agent, except to the extent that the failure to do so could not reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect.

10.1.5 Maintenance of Insurance. Each Loan Party will, and will cause each Material Subsidiary to, at all times maintain in full force and effect, with insurance companies that each Loan Party believes (in the good faith judgment of the management of such Loan Party) are financially sound and responsible at the time the relevant coverage is placed or renewed, insurance in at least such amounts (after giving effect to any self-insurance which such Loan Party believes (in the good faith judgment of management of such Loan Party) is reasonable and prudent in light of the size and nature of its business) and against at least such risks (and with such risk retentions) as such Loan Party believes (in the good faith judgment of management of such Loan Party) is reasonable and prudent in light of the size and nature of its business; and will furnish to the Agent (for delivery to the Lenders), upon written request from the Agent, information presented in reasonable detail as to the insurance so carried.

10.1.6 Consolidated Corporate Franchises. Each Loan Party will do, and will cause each Material Subsidiary to do, or cause to be done, all things necessary to preserve and keep in full force and effect its existence, corporate rights and authority, except to the extent that the failure to do so could not reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect; *provided, however*, that any Loan Party and its Subsidiaries may consummate any transaction permitted under Section 10.2.3, 10.2.4 or 10.2.5.

10.1.7 Compliance with Statutes, Regulations, etc. Each Loan Party will, and will cause each Subsidiary to, comply with all applicable laws, rules, regulations and orders applicable to it or its property, including all governmental approvals or authorizations required to conduct its business, and to maintain all such governmental approvals or authorizations in full force and effect, in each case except where the failure to do so, individually or in the aggregate, could not reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect.

10.1.8 ERISA. Promptly after any Loan Party or any Subsidiary or any ERISA Affiliate knows or has reason to know of the occurrence of any of the following events that, individually or in the aggregate (including in the aggregate such events previously disclosed or exempt from disclosure hereunder, to the extent the liability therefor remains outstanding), would be reasonably likely to have a Material Adverse Effect, the North American Loan Party Agent will deliver to each Lender a certificate of a Senior Officer of the North American Loan Party Agent setting forth details as to such occurrence and the action, if any, that such Loan Party, such Subsidiary or such ERISA Affiliate is required or proposes to take, together with any notices (required, proposed or otherwise) given to or filed with or by such Loan Party, such Subsidiary, such ERISA Affiliate, the PBGC, a U.S. Employee Plan participant (other than notices relating to an individual participant's benefits) or the U.S. Employee Plan administrator with respect thereto: that a Reportable Event has occurred; that an accumulated funding deficiency has been incurred or an application is to be made to the Secretary of the Treasury for a waiver or modification of the minimum funding standard (including any required installment payments) or an extension of any amortization period under Section 412 of the Code with respect to a U.S. Employee Plan; that a U.S. Employee Plan having an Unfunded Current Liability has been or is to be terminated, reorganized, partitioned or declared insolvent under Title IV of ERISA (including the giving of written notice thereof); that a U.S. Employee Plan has an Unfunded Current Liability that has or will result in a lien under ERISA or the Code; that proceedings will be or have been instituted to terminate a U.S. Employee Plan having an Unfunded Current Liability (including the giving of written notice thereof); that a proceeding has been instituted against a Loan Party, a Subsidiary or an ERISA Affiliate pursuant to Section 515 of ERISA to collect a delinquent contribution to a U.S. Employee Plan; that the PBGC has notified any Loan Party, any Subsidiary or any ERISA Affiliate of its intention to appoint a trustee to administer any U.S. Employee Plan; that any Loan Party, any Subsidiary or any ERISA Affiliate has failed to make a required installment or other payment pursuant to Section 412 of the Code with respect to a U.S. Employee Plan; or that any Loan Party, any Subsidiary or any ERISA Affiliate has incurred or will incur (or has been notified in writing that it will incur) any liability (including any contingent or secondary liability) to or on account of a Plan pursuant to Section 409, 502(i), 502(l), 515, 4062, 4063, 4064, 4069, 4201 or 4204 of ERISA or Section 4971 or 4975 of the Code.

10.1.9 Canadian Pension Plans and UK DB Pension Plans.

(a) Promptly after any Canadian Domiciled Loan Party or any Subsidiary or any Affiliate knows or has reason to know of the occurrence of any of the following events, the applicable Canadian Domiciled Loan Party will deliver to the Agent a certificate of a Senior Officer of the applicable Canadian Domiciled Loan Party setting forth details as to such occurrence and the action, if any, that such Canadian Domiciled Loan Party, such Subsidiary or such Affiliate is required or proposes to take, together with any notices (required, proposed or

otherwise) given to or filed with or by such Canadian Domiciled Loan Party, such Subsidiary, such Affiliate, the FSCO, a Canadian Employee Plan participant (other than notices relating to an individual participant's benefits) or the Canadian Employee Plan administrator with respect thereto: any violation or asserted violation of any Applicable Law (including PBA), for which there is a reasonable likelihood that there will be an adverse determination, and such adverse determination would have or could reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect; the occurrence of any Termination Event.

(b) Each Canadian Domiciled Loan Party's and its Subsidiaries' Canadian Pension Plans shall be duly registered and administered in all respects in material compliance with, as applicable, the PBA, the Income Tax Act (Canada) and all other Applicable Law (including regulations, orders and directives), and the terms of the Canadian Pension Plans and any agreements relating thereto. Each Canadian Domiciled Loan Party shall ensure that it and its Subsidiaries: (i) has no Unfunded Current Liability in respect of any Canadian Pension Plan, including any Canadian Pension Plan to be established and administered by it or them; (ii) pay all amounts required to be paid by it or them in respect of such Canadian Pension Plan when due; (iii) has no Lien on any of its or their property that arises or exists in respect of any Canadian Pension Plan except as disclosed in **Schedule 10.2.2**; (iv) do not engage in a prohibited transaction or breach any applicable laws with respect to any Canadian Pension Plan that could reasonably be expected to result in a Material Adverse Effect in respect of such Canadian Pension Plan; (v) do not permit to occur or continue any Termination Event; and (vi) not maintain, contribute or have any liability in respect of a Canadian Pension Plan which provides benefits on a defined benefit basis during the term of this Agreement.

(c) Each UK Domiciled Loan Party shall ensure that in respect of all UK DB Pension Plans operated by or maintained for the benefit of the UK Domiciled Loan Parties no action or omission is taken in relation to such a pension scheme which has or is reasonably likely to have a Material Adverse Effect (including the termination or commencement of winding-up proceedings of any UK DB Pension Plan or any UK DB Pension Plan ceasing to employ any member of such a pension scheme).

(d) Except as could not, individually or in the aggregate, reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect, each Loan Party shall ensure that no UK Domiciled Loan Party is or has been at any time an employer (for the purposes of sections 38 to 51 of the Pensions Act 2004) of an occupational pension scheme which is not a money purchase scheme (both terms as defined in the Pension Schemes Act 1993) or connected with or an associate of (as those terms are defined in sections 38 or 43 of the Pensions Act 2004) such an employer without the Loan Party disclosing that the UK Domiciled Loan Party is or was an employer or connected with or an associate of an employer (employer, connected and associated all as defined previously in this clause) to the Agent promptly upon the Loan Party becoming aware of this and in advance of any acquisition unless the Loan Party having made reasonable due diligence inquiries in this regard does not become aware of this until after any acquisition.

10.1.10 Maintenance of Properties. Each Loan Party will, and will cause each Restricted Subsidiary to, keep and maintain all property material to the conduct of its business in good working order and condition, ordinary wear and tear, casualty and condemnation excepted, except to the extent that the failure to do so could reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect.

10.1.11 Transactions with Affiliates. Each Loan Party will conduct, and cause each Restricted Subsidiary to conduct, all transactions with any of its Affiliates (other than MRC and the Restricted Subsidiaries) on terms that are substantially as favorable to such Loan Party or such Restricted Subsidiary as it would obtain in a comparable arm's-length transaction with a Person that is not an Affiliate, *provided* that the foregoing restrictions shall not apply to (a) the payment of customary investment banking fees paid to the Sponsor for services rendered to MRC and its Restricted Subsidiaries in connection with divestitures, acquisitions, financings and other transactions, (b) transactions permitted by Section 10.2.6, (c) Transaction Expenses, (d) the issuance of Stock or Stock Equivalents of MRC to the management of MRC or any of its Subsidiaries pursuant to arrangements described in clause (f) of this Section 10.1.11, (e) loans and other transactions by the Loan Parties and the Restricted Subsidiaries to the extent permitted under Section 10.2, (f) employment and severance arrangements between the Loan Parties and the Restricted Subsidiaries and their respective officers and employees in the Ordinary Course of Business, (g) payments by any Loan Party (and any direct or indirect parent thereof) and the Restricted Subsidiaries pursuant to tax sharing agreements among such Loan Party (and any direct or indirect parent thereof) and the Restricted Subsidiaries on customary terms to the extent attributable to the ownership or operation of such Loan Party and the Restricted Subsidiaries, (h) the payment of customary fees and reasonable out of pocket costs to, and indemnities provided on behalf of, directors, managers, consultants, officers and employees of the Loan Parties and the Restricted Subsidiaries in the Ordinary Course of Business to the extent attributable to the ownership or operation of the Loan Parties and the Restricted Subsidiaries, (i) transactions pursuant to permitted agreements in existence on the Closing Date and set forth on **Schedule 10.1.11** or any amendment thereto to the extent such an amendment is not adverse, taken as a whole, to the Lenders in any material respect, and (j) customary payments by any Loan Party and any Restricted Subsidiary to the Sponsor made for any financial advisory, financing, underwriting or placement services or in respect of other investment banking activities (including in connection with acquisitions or divestitures), which payments are approved by the majority of the members of the board of directors or a majority of the disinterested members of the board of directors of such Loan Party and such Restricted Subsidiaries, in good faith.

10.1.12 End of Fiscal Years; Fiscal Quarters. Each Loan Party will, for financial reporting purposes, cause (a) each of its, and each of its Subsidiaries, fiscal years to end on December 31 of each year and (b) each of its, and each of its Subsidiaries, fiscal quarters to end on dates consistent with such fiscal year-end and its past practice; *provided, however*, that the Loan Parties may, upon written notice to the Agent, change the financial reporting convention specified above to any other financial reporting convention reasonably acceptable to the Agent, in which case the Loan Parties and the Agent will, and are hereby authorized by the Lenders to, make any adjustments to this Agreement that are necessary in order to reflect such change in financial reporting.

10.1.13 Additional Loan Parties.

(a) Any Subsidiary organized under the laws of Australia, Belgium, Canada, the Netherlands, New Zealand, Singapore or the United Kingdom may, at the election of the North American Loan Party Agent, become a Foreign Borrower hereunder within the applicable Foreign Borrower Group for its jurisdiction of organization upon (i) the execution and delivery to Agent and/or Security Trustees (A) by such Subsidiary of a supplement or joinder to this Agreement, substantially in the form of **Exhibit I**, (B) by such Subsidiary of Security Documents in form and substance reasonably satisfactory to Agent and the relevant Security Trustee as may be required for the relevant jurisdiction (*provided*, that any such new Security Document shall be in substantially the same form as the comparable Security Documents to which the existing Loan Parties of the Loan Party Group of the New Loan Party (if any) are party and, in any event, shall not be more onerous with respect to the obligations of such New Loan Party than those contained in the Security Documents to which the other members of such New Loan Party's Loan Party Group (if any) are party), and (C) by a Senior Officer of the applicable Loan Party Agent for such Subsidiary, of a (1) Borrowing Base Certificate for such Subsidiary effective as of not more than 25 days preceding the date on which such Subsidiary becomes a Foreign Borrower and (2) written notice of such Subsidiary's Applicable Foreign Borrower Commitment, and (ii) the completion of Agent's due diligence to its reasonable satisfaction and of compliance procedures for applicable know your customer and anti-money laundering rules; *provided* that, prior to permitting such Subsidiary to borrow any Revolver Loans or obtain the issuance of any Letters of Credit hereunder, the Agent, in its discretion, shall have the right to conduct an appraisal and field examination with respect to such Subsidiary, including, without limitation, of (x) such Subsidiary's practices in the computation of its Borrowing Base and (y) the assets included in such Subsidiary's Borrowing Base and related financial information such as, but not limited to, sales, gross margins, payables, accruals and reserves, in each case, prepared on a basis reasonably satisfactory to Agent and at the sole expense of such Subsidiary.

(b) Except as set forth in Section 10.2.1(b)(ix) and 10.2.1(b)(x) and subject to any applicable limitations set forth in the Security Documents, each U.S. Borrower will cause each direct or indirect U.S. Subsidiary of MRC (other than any Excluded Subsidiary) formed or otherwise purchased or acquired after the date hereof (including pursuant to a Permitted Acquisition) or that has ceased to be an Excluded Subsidiary pursuant to clause (e), (f) or (h) of the definition of Excluded Subsidiary, in each case within 30 days of such date, to execute a supplement or joinder to this Agreement, substantially in the form of **Exhibit I**, in order for such Subsidiary to become a U.S. Borrower and/or a U.S. Facility Guarantor under Section 5.10 and a grantor under Section 7.1 or, to the extent reasonably requested by the Agent, enter into a new Security Document in form and substance reasonably satisfactory to the Agent and North American Loan Party Agent.

10.1.14 Use of Proceeds.

(a) The Borrowers will use the proceeds of all Revolver Loans made on the Closing Date to (a) refinance Indebtedness under the HSBC Credit Agreement and (b) pay Transaction Expenses.

(b) The Borrowers will use the proceeds of all Revolver Loans made on the Amendment Date, together with the proceeds of the Term Loans, to refinance the Senior Secured Notes in full.

(c) The Borrowers will use Letters of Credit and the proceeds of all other Revolver Loans and Swingline Loans (i) to finance ongoing working capital needs, (ii) for other general corporate purposes of any Borrower, including to fund permitted distributions and Permitted Acquisitions and (iii) to pay Transaction Expenses.

10.1.15 Appraisals; Field Examinations. At any time that the Agent reasonably requests, each Borrower will, and will cause each Guarantor to, permit the Agent or professionals (including consultants, accountants, lawyers and appraisers) retained by the Agent, on reasonable prior notice and during normal business hours and with reasonable frequency, to conduct appraisals and commercial finance examinations or updates thereof including, without limitation, of (a) such Borrower's practices in the computation of the Borrowing Base and (b) the assets included in the Borrowing Base and related financial information such as, but not limited to, sales, gross margins, payables, accruals and reserves, in each case, prepared on a basis reasonably satisfactory to the Agent and at the sole expense of the Borrowers; *provided, however*, if no Default or Event of Default shall have occurred and be continuing, only one (1) such appraisal and one (1) such examination or update per fiscal year shall be conducted at the Borrowers' expense (exclusive of any appraisals and field examinations conducted pursuant to Section 10.1.13); *provided, further, however*, that if Excess Availability is less than 15% of the Commitments or \$150,000,000, one (1) additional appraisal and one (1) additional examination or update per fiscal year may be conducted at the Borrowers' expense (exclusive of any appraisals and field examinations conducted pursuant to Section 10.1.13). The foregoing shall not limit the Agent's ability to perform additional appraisals, examinations and updates at the sole expense of the Borrowers upon the occurrence and continuance of a Default or Event of Default.

10.1.16 Post-Closing Matters. Each Loan Party agrees that it will, or will cause its relevant Subsidiaries to, complete each of the actions described on **Schedule 10.1.16** as soon as commercially reasonable and by no later than the date set forth in **Schedule 10.1.16** with respect to such action or such later date as the Agent may reasonably agree.

10.1.17 Centre of Main Interests and Establishments. For the purposes of The Council of the European Union regulation No. 1346/2000 on Insolvency proceedings (the Regulation), each of the Belgian Domiciled Loan Parties, Dutch Domiciled Loan Parties and UK Domiciled Loan Parties' centre of main interest (as that term is used in Article 3(1) of the Regulation) is situated in its jurisdiction of incorporation and none of them have an establishment (as that term is used in Article 2(h) of the Regulation) in any other jurisdiction.

10.2 Negative Covenants. The Loan Parties (for themselves and each of their respective Restricted Subsidiaries), jointly and severally, hereby covenant and agree that on the Closing Date and thereafter, until the Commitments, the Swingline Commitment and each Letter of Credit have terminated and the Loans, together with interest, fees and all other Obligations (other than contingent indemnification obligations for which no claim has been identified), are paid in full:

10.2.1 Limitation on Indebtedness.

(a) The Loan Parties will not, and will not permit any of the Restricted Subsidiaries to, incur, create, assume or permit to exist, directly or indirectly (collectively, incur and collectively, an incurrence), any Indebtedness; *provided*, that MRC and its Restricted Subsidiaries will be entitled to incur Indebtedness if the Consolidated Total Debt to Consolidated EBITDA Ratio at the time such additional Indebtedness is incurred would have been no greater than 5.50 to 1.0 determined on a Pro Forma Basis (including a pro forma application of the net proceeds therefrom), as if the additional Indebtedness had been incurred and the application of proceeds therefrom had occurred at the beginning of the most recent Test Period for which financial statements have been delivered pursuant to clause (a) or (b) of Section 10.1.1; *provided*, further that such additional Indebtedness shall not be secured Indebtedness unless (i) the Secured Leverage Ratio at the time such additional Indebtedness is incurred would have been no greater than 5.0 to 1.0, determined on a Pro Forma Basis in the manner set forth above, (ii) such secured Indebtedness has a final maturity date no earlier than the date that is 180 days following the Facility Termination Date and (iii) the Liens (A) of any U.S. Domiciled Loan Party securing such Indebtedness shall constitute Term Priority Liens for purposes of the Intercreditor Agreement and (B) of any Restricted Subsidiary other than a U.S. Domiciled Loan Party securing such Indebtedness shall not be extended to cover any property constituting Collateral.

(b) The limitation set forth in clause (a) of this Section 10.2.1 will not prohibit any of the following:

(i) (A) Indebtedness arising under the Loan Documents and (B) Indebtedness arising under the Term Loan Credit Agreement; *provided*, *however*, that with respect to any such Indebtedness specified in this subclause (i)(B) that is incurred after the Amendment Date, such Indebtedness satisfies the terms set forth in both provisos to Section 10.2.1(a);

(ii) Indebtedness of (A) any Loan Party owing to any other Loan Party or any Restricted Subsidiary, (B) any Subsidiary who is not a Loan Party owing to any other Subsidiary who is not a Loan Party (including Indebtedness incurred in connection with customary cash pooling and cash management practices) and (C) subject to compliance with Section 10.2.5 at the time of the incurrence thereof, any Subsidiary who is not a Loan Party owing to any Loan Party;

(iii) Indebtedness in respect of any bankers' acceptance, bank guarantees, letter of credit, warehouse receipt or similar facilities entered into in the Ordinary Course of Business (including in respect of workers compensation claims, health, disability or other employee benefits or property, casualty or liability insurance or self-insurance or other Indebtedness with respect to reimbursement-type obligations regarding workers compensation claims);

(iv) subject to compliance with Section 10.2.5 at the time of incurrence, Guarantee Obligations incurred by any Loan Party of Indebtedness of any Restricted Subsidiary and by any Restricted Subsidiary of Indebtedness of any Loan

Party or any other Restricted Subsidiary, in each case in respect of Indebtedness that is permitted to be incurred under this Agreement, *provided* that, except as provided in clauses (ix) and (x) below, there shall be no Guarantee (1) by a Restricted Subsidiary that is not a Loan Party of any Indebtedness of any Loan Party and (2) in respect of any Permitted Additional Debt, unless such Guarantee is made by a Loan Party and, in the case of Permitted Additional Debt that is subordinated, is subordinated;

(v) Guarantee Obligations incurred in the Ordinary Course of Business in respect of obligations of (or to) suppliers, customers, franchisees, lessors and licensees;

(vi) (A) Indebtedness incurred within 270 days of the acquisition, construction or improvement of fixed or capital assets to finance the acquisition, construction or improvement of such fixed or capital assets, (B) Indebtedness arising under Capital Leases entered into in connection with Permitted Sale Leasebacks and (C) Indebtedness arising under Capital Leases, other than Capital Leases in effect on the date hereof and Capital Leases entered into pursuant to subclauses (A) and (B) above, *provided*, that the aggregate amount of Indebtedness incurred pursuant to this subclause (C) shall not exceed \$20,000,000 at any time outstanding, and (D) any modification, replacement, refinancing, refunding, renewal or extension of any Indebtedness specified in subclause (A), (B) or (C) above, *provided* that, except to the extent otherwise expressly permitted hereunder, the principal amount thereof (including pursuant to clause (C)) does not exceed the principal amount thereof outstanding immediately prior to such modification, replacement, refinancing, refunding, renewal or extension, except by an amount equal to the unpaid accrued interest and premium thereon plus other reasonable amounts paid and fees and expenses incurred in connection with such modification, replacement, refinancing, refunding, renewal or extension;

(vii) Indebtedness outstanding on the date hereof (A) listed on **Schedule 10.2.1** and any modification, replacement, refinancing, refunding, renewal or extension thereof, *provided* that, except to the extent otherwise expressly permitted hereunder, (1) the principal amount thereof does not exceed the principal amount thereof outstanding immediately prior to such modification, replacement, refinancing, refunding, renewal or extension, except by an amount equal to the unpaid accrued interest and premium thereon plus other reasonable amounts paid and fees and expenses incurred in connection with such modification, replacement, refinancing, refunding, renewal or extension plus an amount equal to any existing commitment unutilized and letters of credit undrawn thereunder and (2) the direct and contingent obligors with respect to such Indebtedness are not changed and (B) owing by any Loan Party to any Restricted Subsidiary or by any Restricted Subsidiary to any Loan Party or any other Restricted Subsidiary;

(viii) Indebtedness in respect of Hedge Agreements;

(ix) (A) Indebtedness of a Person or Indebtedness attaching to assets of a Person that, in either case, becomes a Restricted Subsidiary (or is a Restricted Subsidiary that survives a merger with such Person) or Indebtedness attaching to assets that are acquired by any Loan Party or any Restricted Subsidiary, in each case, after the

Closing Date as the result of a Permitted Acquisition, *provided*, that (1) such Indebtedness existed at the time such Person became a Restricted Subsidiary or at the time such assets were acquired and, in each case, was not created in anticipation thereof, (2) such Indebtedness is not guaranteed in any respect by any Loan Party or any Restricted Subsidiary (other than by any such Person that so becomes a Restricted Subsidiary or is the survivor of a merger with such Person and any of its Subsidiaries) and (3) to the extent required under Section 10.1.13, such Person executes a supplement or joinder to this Agreement, substantially in the form of **Exhibit I**, in order to become a Loan Party, a Guarantor under Section 5.10 and a grantor under Section 7.1 (or with respect to a Foreign Subsidiary, enters into a new Security Document in form and substance reasonably satisfactory to the Agent and the applicable Loan Party Agent), *provided* that the requirements of this subclause (3) shall not apply to (I) an aggregate amount at any time outstanding of up to the greater of (A) \$300,000,000 or (B) 10% of Consolidated Total Assets at the time of the incurrence of such Indebtedness (less all Indebtedness as to which the proviso to clause (x)(A)(2) below then applies) at such time of such Indebtedness (and modifications, replacements, refinancings, refundings, renewals and extensions thereof pursuant to subclause (B) below) and (II) any Indebtedness of the type that could have been incurred under Section 10.2.1(b)(vi), and (B) any modification, replacement, refinancing, refunding, renewal or extension of any Indebtedness specified in subclause (A) above, *provided* that, except to the extent otherwise expressly permitted hereunder, (X) the principal amount of any such Indebtedness does not exceed the principal amount thereof outstanding immediately prior to such modification, replacement, refinancing, refunding, renewal or extension except by an amount equal to the unpaid accrued interest and premium thereon plus other reasonable amounts paid and fees and expenses incurred in connection with such modification, replacement, refinancing, refunding, renewal or extension plus an amount equal to any existing commitment unutilized and letters of credit undrawn thereunder and (Y) the direct and contingent obligors with respect to such Indebtedness are not changed;

(x) (A) Permitted Additional Debt of MRC or any Restricted Subsidiary incurred to finance a Permitted Acquisition, *provided* that (1) if such Indebtedness is incurred by a Restricted Subsidiary that is not a Guarantor, such Indebtedness is not guaranteed by any Loan Party unless such Guarantee, at the time of incurrence thereof, would be permitted at such time under Section 10.2.5(g) and (2) to the extent required under Section 10.1.13, such acquired Person executes a supplement or joinder to this Agreement, substantially in the form of **Exhibit I**, in order to become a Loan Party, a Guarantor under Section 5.10 and a grantor under Section 7.1 (or with respect to a Foreign Subsidiary, enters into a new Security Document in form and substance reasonably satisfactory to the Agent and the applicable Loan Party Agent), *provided* that the requirements of this subclause (2) shall not apply to an aggregate amount at any time outstanding of up to the greater of (A) \$300,000,000 or (B) 10% of Consolidated Total Assets at the time of the incurrence of such Indebtedness (less all Indebtedness as to which clause (I) of the proviso to clause (ix)(A)(3) above then applies) at such time of the aggregate of such Indebtedness (and modifications, replacements, refinancings, refundings, renewals and extensions thereof pursuant to subclause (B) below), and (B) any modification, replacement, refinancing, refunding, renewal or extension of any Indebtedness specified in subclause (A) above, *provided* that, except to

the extent otherwise expressly permitted hereunder, (1) the principal amount of any such Indebtedness does not exceed the principal amount thereof outstanding immediately prior to such modification, replacement, refinancing, refunding, renewal or extension except by an amount equal to the unpaid accrued interest and premium thereon plus other reasonable amounts paid and fees and expenses incurred in connection with such modification, replacement, refinancing, refunding, renewal or extension plus an amount equal to any existing commitment unutilized and letters of credit undrawn thereunder and (2) the direct and contingent obligors with respect to such Indebtedness are not changed;

(xi) Indebtedness in respect of performance bonds, bid bonds, appeal bonds, surety bonds and completion guarantees and similar obligations not in connection with money borrowed, in each case, provided in the Ordinary Course of Business, including those incurred to secure health, safety and environmental obligations in the Ordinary Course of Business;

(xii) (A) Indebtedness incurred in connection with any Permitted Sale Leaseback, provided that, with respect to any Permitted Sale Leaseback the Net Cash Proceeds thereof are promptly applied to the prepayment of the Term Loans to the extent required by the Term Loan Credit Agreement; and (B) any refinancing, refunding, renewal or extension of any Indebtedness specified in subclause (A) above; *provided further* that, except to the extent otherwise permitted hereunder, (1) the principal amount of any such Indebtedness is not increased above the principal amount thereof outstanding immediately prior to such refinancing, refunding, renewal or extension and (2) the direct and contingent obligors with respect to such Indebtedness are not changed;

(xiii) (A) additional Indebtedness of MRC and its Restricted Subsidiaries and (B) any refinancing, refunding, renewal or extension of any Indebtedness specified in subclause (A) above; *provided* that the aggregate amount of Indebtedness incurred and remaining outstanding pursuant to this clause (xiii) shall not at any time exceed the greater of (1) \$300,000,000 and (2) 10% of Consolidated Total Assets at the time of the incurrence of such Indebtedness; *provided, however*, not more than the greater of (X) \$50,000,000 and (Y) 1.5% of Consolidated Total Assets at the time of the incurrence of such Indebtedness in aggregate principal amount of Indebtedness of any Borrower or any Guarantor incurred under this clause (xiii) shall be secured;

(xiv) Indebtedness in respect of Permitted Additional Debt to the extent that the Net Cash Proceeds therefrom are, immediately after the receipt thereof, applied to the prepayment of the Term Loans in accordance with the Term Loan Credit Agreement;

(xv) Indebtedness in respect of overdraft facilities, employee credit card programs and other cash management arrangements in the Ordinary Course of Business and, with regard to Restricted Subsidiaries that are not Loan Parties, Indebtedness in respect of cash pooling arrangements in the Ordinary Course of Business;

(xvi) unsecured Indebtedness in respect of obligations of any Loan Party or any Restricted Subsidiary to pay the deferred purchase price of goods or services or progress payments in connection with such goods and services, *provided* that such obligations are incurred in connection with open accounts extended by suppliers on customary trade terms (which require that all such payments be made within 60 days after the incurrence of the related obligation) in the Ordinary Course of Business and not in connection with the borrowing of money or Hedge Agreements;

(xvii) Indebtedness arising from agreements of any Loan Party or any Restricted Subsidiary providing for indemnification, adjustment of purchase price or similar obligations, in each case, entered into in connection with Permitted Acquisitions, other Investments and the disposition of any business, assets or capital stock permitted hereunder, other than Guarantee Obligations incurred by any Person acquiring all or any portion of such business, assets or capital stock for the purpose of financing such acquisition, *provided* that (A) such Indebtedness is not reflected on the balance sheet of any Loan Party or any Restricted Subsidiary (contingent obligations referred to in a footnote to financial statements and not otherwise reflected on the balance sheet will not be deemed to be reflected on such balance sheet for purposes of this clause (A)) and (B) the maximum assumable liability in respect of all such Indebtedness shall at no time exceed the gross proceeds, including non-cash proceeds (the fair market value of such non-cash proceeds being measured at the time received and without giving effect to any subsequent changes in value), actually received by the Loan Parties and the Restricted Subsidiaries in connection with such disposition;

(xviii) Indebtedness of any Loan Party or any Restricted Subsidiary consisting of (A) obligations to pay insurance premiums or (B) take or pay obligations contained in supply agreements, in each case, arising in the Ordinary Course of Business and not in connection with the borrowing of money or Hedge Agreements;

(xix) Indebtedness representing deferred compensation, severance and health and welfare retirement benefits to current and former employees of any Loan Party and the Restricted Subsidiaries incurred in the Ordinary Course of Business;

(xx) unsecured, Subordinated Indebtedness consisting of promissory notes in an aggregate principal amount of not more than \$10,000,000 issued by any Loan Party or any Restricted Subsidiary to current or former officers, managers, consultants, directors and employees (or their respective spouses, former spouses, successors, executors, administrators, heirs, legatees or distributees) to finance the purchase or redemption of Stock or Stock Equivalents of MRC or any Restricted Subsidiary permitted by Section 10.2.6;

(xxi) Indebtedness consisting of obligations of any Loan Party or the Restricted Subsidiaries under deferred compensation or other similar arrangements incurred by such Person in connection with Permitted Acquisitions or any other Investment expressly permitted hereunder;

(xxii) cash management obligations and other Indebtedness in respect of netting services, automatic clearinghouse arrangements, overdraft protections and similar arrangements in each case in connection with deposit accounts;

(xxiii) Indebtedness arising from advance payments received in the Ordinary Course of Business from customers for goods and services purchased or rented in the Ordinary Course of Business and not for borrowed money;

(xxiv) Indebtedness of any Receivables Entity in respect of any Qualified Receivables Transaction that is without recourse to any Loan Party or any of their respective assets; and

(xxv) all premiums (if any), interest (including post-petition interest), fees, expenses, charges and additional or contingent interest on obligations described in clauses (i) through (xxiv) above.

10.2.2 Limitation on Liens. The Loan Parties will not, and will not permit any of the Restricted Subsidiaries to, create, incur, assume or suffer to exist any Lien upon any property or assets of any kind (real or personal, tangible or intangible) of such Loan Party or any Restricted Subsidiary, whether now owned or hereafter acquired, except:

(a) Liens arising under the Credit Documents;

(b) Permitted Liens;

(c) (i) Liens securing Indebtedness permitted pursuant to Section 10.2.1(b)(vi) (including, without limitation, any purchase money security interest defined under the PPSA Australia or the PPSA New Zealand entered into in the Ordinary Course of Business where the purchase price is paid within 60 days of supply), *provided* that (A) such Liens attach at all times only to the assets so financed except for accessions to such property and the proceeds and the products thereof and (B) that individual financings of equipment provided by one lender may be cross collateralized to other financings of equipment provided by such lender, and (ii) Liens on the assets of Restricted Subsidiaries that are not Loan Parties securing Indebtedness permitted pursuant to Section 10.2.1(b)(xiii) and 10.2.1(b)(xv);

(d) Liens existing on the date hereof and listed on **Schedule 10.2.2**;

(e) The replacement, extension or renewal of any Lien permitted by clauses (a) through (d) above and clause (f) of this Section 10.2.2 upon or in the same assets (other than after acquired property that is affixed or incorporated into the property covered by such Lien or financed by Indebtedness permitted under Section 10.2.1(b) and proceeds and products thereof) theretofore subject to such Lien or the replacement, extension or renewal (without increase in the amount or change in any direct or contingent obligor except to the extent otherwise permitted hereunder) of the Indebtedness secured thereby;

(f) Liens existing on the assets of any Person that becomes a Restricted Subsidiary (or is a Restricted Subsidiary that survives a merger with such Person), or existing on assets acquired, pursuant to a Permitted Acquisition or other Investment to the extent the Liens on such assets secure Indebtedness permitted by Section 10.2.1(b)(ix) or other obligations permitted by this Agreement, *provided* that such Liens attach at all times only to the same assets that such Liens (other than after acquired property that is affixed or incorporated into the property covered by such Lien or financed by Indebtedness permitted under Section 10.2.1(b)

and proceeds and products thereof) attached to, and secure only the same Indebtedness or obligations (or any modifications, refinancings, extensions, renewals, refundings or replacements of such Indebtedness permitted by Section 10.2.1(b)) that such Liens secured, immediately prior to such Permitted Acquisition or other Investment, as applicable;

(g) (i) Liens placed upon the Stock and Stock Equivalents of any Restricted Subsidiary that is not a Loan Party acquired pursuant to a Permitted Acquisition to secure Indebtedness incurred pursuant to Section 10.2.1(b)(x) in connection with such Permitted Acquisition and (ii) Liens placed upon the assets of any Restricted Subsidiary that is not a Loan Party to secure a guarantee by, or Indebtedness of, such Restricted Subsidiary of any Indebtedness of any Loan Party or any Restricted Subsidiary incurred pursuant to Section 10.2.1(b)(x);

(h) Liens securing Indebtedness or other obligations of any Loan Party or a Subsidiary in favor of any Loan Party and Liens securing Indebtedness or other obligations of any Restricted Subsidiary that is not a Loan Party in favor of any other Restricted Subsidiary that is not a Loan Party;

(i) Liens (i) of a collection bank arising under Section 4-210 of the Uniform Commercial Code on items in the course of collection, (ii) attaching to commodity trading accounts or other commodities brokerage accounts incurred in the Ordinary Course of Business; and (iii) in favor of a banking institution arising as a matter of law encumbering deposits (including the right of set-off) and which are within the general parameters customary in the banking industry;

(j) Liens (i) on cash advances in favor of the seller of any property to be acquired in an Investment permitted pursuant to Section 10.2.5 to be applied against the purchase price for such Investment, and (ii) consisting of an agreement to sell, transfer, lease or otherwise dispose of any property in a transaction permitted under Section 10.2.4, in each case, solely to the extent such Investment or sale, disposition, transfer or lease, as the case may be, would have been permitted on the date of the creation of such Lien;

(k) Liens arising out of conditional sale, title retention, consignment or similar arrangements for sale and purchase of goods entered into by any Loan Party or any Restricted Subsidiary in the Ordinary Course of Business permitted by this Agreement;

(l) Liens deemed to exist in connection with Investments in repurchase agreements permitted under Section 10.2.5;

(m) Liens encumbering reasonable customary initial deposits and margin deposits and similar Liens attaching to commodity trading accounts or other brokerage accounts incurred in the Ordinary Course of Business and not for speculative purposes;

(n) Liens that are contractual rights of set-off (i) relating to the establishment of depository relations with banks not given in connection with the issuance of Indebtedness, (ii) relating to pooled deposit or sweep accounts of any non-Loan Party to permit satisfaction of overdraft or similar obligations incurred in the Ordinary Course of Business of such non-Loan Party or (iii) relating to purchase orders and other agreements entered into with customers of any Borrower or any Restricted Subsidiary in the Ordinary Course of Business;

- (o) Liens solely on any cash earnest money deposits made by any Loan Party or any Restricted Subsidiary in connection with any letter of intent or purchase agreement permitted hereunder;
- (p) Liens on insurance policies and the proceeds thereof securing the financing of the premiums with respect thereto;
- (q) Liens securing the Term Loans; *provided*, that such Indebtedness is permitted to be secured in accordance with the proviso at the end of Section 10.2.1(a);
- (r) Liens securing Indebtedness permitted under Section 10.2.1(a), to the extent permitted in accordance with the proviso at the end of such Section 10.2.1(a);
- (s) Liens securing obligations under Hedge Agreements that are not Secured Bank Product Obligations; *provided*, that such Liens constitute Term Priority Liens for purposes of the Intercreditor Agreement;
- (t) additional Liens so long as (i) the aggregate principal amount of the obligations so secured does not exceed the greater of (y) \$50,000,000 at any time outstanding and (z) 1.5% of Consolidated Total Assets at the time of the incurrence of such obligations and (ii) to the extent such additional Liens attach to any Accounts or Inventory of any Loan Party, such Liens are subordinated to the Lien of Agent, for the benefit of the Secured Parties, pursuant to an intercreditor agreement in form and substance reasonably satisfactory to Agent and North American Loan Party Agent;
- (u) Liens on Stock in joint ventures held by MRC or any of its Restricted Subsidiaries provided such joint venture is not a Guarantor;
- (v) Liens (i) of a Restricted Subsidiary that is not a Loan Party arising from precautionary security filings regarding a true sale to a Receivables Entity pursuant to a Qualified Receivables Transaction and (ii) on Accounts and Related Assets of a Receivables Entity imposed in connection with a Qualified Receivables Transaction;
- (w) Liens constituting deemed security interests under section 12(3) of the PPSA Australia or section 17(1)(b) of the PPSA New Zealand which do not secure payment or performance of an obligation and any equivalent arrangement entered into any other jurisdiction; and
- (x) Liens on dedicated cash collateral accounts of Restricted Foreign Subsidiaries (other than Canadian Subsidiaries) and the deposits therein not to exceed \$50,000,000 in the aggregate securing letters of credit issued for the account of a Foreign Borrower or any other Restricted Foreign Subsidiary (in each case other than a Canadian Borrower) by any financial institution (which financial institution for the avoidance of doubt shall not be required to be a Lender or Fronting Bank).

10.2.3 Limitation on Fundamental Changes. Except as expressly permitted by Section 10.2.4 or 10.2.5, each Loan Party will not, and will not permit any of the Restricted Subsidiaries to, enter into any merger, consolidation or amalgamation, or liquidate, wind up or dissolve itself (or suffer any liquidation or dissolution), or convey, sell, lease, assign, transfer or otherwise dispose of, all or substantially all its business units, assets or other properties, except that:

(a) so long as no Default or Event of Default would result therefrom, any Subsidiary of MRC or any other Person may be merged or consolidated with or into a Borrower, *provided* that (i) a Borrower shall be the continuing or surviving entity or (ii) if the Person formed by or surviving any such merger, amalgamation or consolidation is not a Borrower (such Person, the Successor Borrower), (A)(1) in the case of a merger, amalgamation or consolidation by a Person organized or existing under the laws of the United States, any state thereof or the District of Columbia, the Successor Borrower shall be an entity organized or existing under the laws of the United States, any state thereof or the District of Columbia, (2) in the case of a merger, amalgamation or consolidation by a Person organized or existing under the laws of Canada or any province thereof, the Successor Borrower shall be an entity organized or existing under the laws of Canada or any province thereof, and (3) in the case of a merger, amalgamation or consolidation by a Person not organized or existing under the laws of the United States, any state thereof, the District of Columbia, Canada or any province thereof, the Successor Borrower shall be an entity organized or existing under the laws of the country in which the non-surviving Borrower was organized or existing or the laws of any state or province thereof, (B) the Successor Borrower shall expressly assume all the obligations of a Borrower under this Agreement and the other Loan Documents pursuant to a supplement hereto or thereto in form reasonably satisfactory to the Agent, (C) each applicable Guarantor, unless it is the other party to such merger, amalgamation or consolidation, shall have by a supplement hereto confirmed that its Guarantee shall apply to the Successor Borrower's obligations under this Agreement, (D) each U.S. Domiciled Loan Party and each Foreign Domiciled Loan Party, as applicable, unless it is the other party to such merger or consolidation, shall have by a supplement to this Agreement confirmed that its obligations thereunder shall apply to the Successor Borrower's obligations under this Agreement, and (E) such Borrower shall have delivered to the Agent (1) an officer's certificate stating that such merger, amalgamation or consolidation and such supplements to this Agreement and the other Loan Documents preserve the enforceability of the Guarantee and the perfection and priority of the Liens under the Security Documents and (2) if reasonably requested by the Agent, an opinion of counsel to the effect that such merger, amalgamation or consolidation does not violate this Agreement or any other Loan Document, and *provided further* that if the foregoing are satisfied, the Successor Borrower will succeed to, and be substituted for, such Borrower under this Agreement;

(b) any Subsidiary of MRC (other than a Borrower) or any other Person may be merged, amalgamated or consolidated with or into any one or more Subsidiaries of MRC, *provided* that (i) in the case of any merger, amalgamation or consolidation involving one or more Restricted Subsidiaries, (A) a Restricted Subsidiary shall be the continuing or surviving entity or (B) MRC shall take all steps necessary to cause the Person formed by or surviving any such merger, amalgamation or consolidation (if other than a Restricted Subsidiary) to become a Restricted Subsidiary, (ii) in the case of any merger, amalgamation or consolidation involving one or more Guarantors, a Guarantor shall be the continuing or surviving entity or the Person

formed by or surviving any such merger, amalgamation or consolidation (if other than a Guarantor) shall execute a supplement or joinder to this Agreement, substantially in the form of **Exhibit I**, in order to become a Guarantor under Section 5.10 and a grantor under Section 7.1 (or in the case of a Guarantor not organized in the U.S. or Canada enter into other Security Documents) to the extent required under Section 10.1.13, (iii) no Default or Event of Default would result from the consummation of such merger, amalgamation or consolidation, (iv) any Indebtedness incurred to finance such merger, amalgamation or consolidation is permitted to be incurred by the Term Loan Credit Agreement, and (v) such Guarantor(s) shall have delivered to the Agent an officer's certificate stating that such merger, amalgamation or consolidation and such supplements and/or joinders to any Security Document preserve the enforceability of the Guarantee and the perfection and priority of the Liens under the Security Documents;

(c) any Restricted Subsidiary that is not a Borrower or Guarantor may sell, lease, transfer or otherwise dispose of any or all of its assets (upon voluntary liquidation or otherwise) to any Borrower, a Guarantor or any other Restricted Subsidiary;

(d) any Guarantor may sell, lease, transfer or otherwise dispose of any or all of its assets (upon voluntary liquidation or otherwise) to any Borrower or any other Guarantor; and

(e) any Restricted Subsidiary (other than MRMC) may liquidate or dissolve if (i) the North American Loan Party Agent determines in good faith that such liquidation or dissolution is in the best interests of the Borrowers and is not materially disadvantageous to the Lenders and (ii) to the extent such Restricted Subsidiary is a Loan Party, any assets or business not otherwise disposed of or transferred in accordance with Section 10.2.4 or 10.2.5, or, in the case of any such business, discontinued, shall be transferred to, or otherwise owned or conducted by, another Loan Party after giving effect to such liquidation or dissolution.

To the extent necessary to effectuate any liquidation or dissolution of a Restricted Subsidiary that is a Loan Party permitted under Section 10.2.3(e), the North American Loan Party Agent may request that the Agent and any applicable Security Trustee release such Loan Party from all of its obligations under the Loan Documents, and the Agent and such Security Trustee shall release such Loan Party, provided, that each of the following conditions is satisfied: (i) the North American Loan Party Agent certifies in writing that such liquidation or dissolution is permitted under the terms of this Agreement and the other Loan Documents and that no Event of Default exists or would result therefrom; (ii) in the case of a liquidation or dissolution of a Borrower, such Borrower shall have made Full Payment of all Secured Obligations (other than contingent Guarantee Obligations in respect of the Secured Obligations of the other Loan Parties) incurred directly by such Borrower prior to its release; and (iii) the Loan Parties shall have provided such further documentation, agreements and certifications relating to the proposed liquidation or dissolution of such Loan Party as the Agent or such Security Trustee may reasonably request.

10.2.4 Limitation on Sale of Assets. Each Loan Party will not, and will not permit any of the Restricted Subsidiaries to, (x) convey, sell, lease, assign, transfer or otherwise dispose of any of its property, business or assets (including receivables and leasehold interests), whether now owned or hereafter acquired (other than any such sale, transfer, assignment or other disposition resulting from any casualty or condemnation of any assets of such Loan Party or the

Restricted Subsidiaries) or (y) sell to any Person (other than a Borrower or a Guarantor) any shares owned by it of any Restricted Subsidiary's Stock and Stock Equivalents, except that:

(a) any Loan Party and the Restricted Subsidiaries may sell, transfer or otherwise dispose of (i) inventory in the Ordinary Course of Business, (ii) used or surplus equipment, vehicles and other assets in the Ordinary Course of Business and (iii) Permitted Investments;

(b) any Loan Party and the Restricted Subsidiaries may sell, transfer or otherwise dispose of other assets (other than accounts receivable) (each a Disposition) for fair value, *provided* that:

(i) with respect to any Disposition pursuant to this clause (b) for a purchase price in excess of \$10,000,000, such Loan Party or a Restricted Subsidiary shall receive not less than 75% of such consideration in the form of cash or Permitted Investments; *provided* that for the purposes of this clause (i):

(A) any liabilities (as shown on MRC's and its Restricted Subsidiaries' most recent balance sheet provided hereunder or in the footnotes thereto) of MRC and its Restricted Subsidiaries, other than liabilities that are by their terms subordinated to the payment in cash of the Obligations, that are assumed by the transferee with respect to the applicable Disposition and for which MRC and all of its Restricted Subsidiaries shall have been validly released by all applicable creditors in writing,

(B) any securities received by such Loan Party or a Restricted Subsidiary from such transferee that are converted into cash (to the extent of the cash received) within 180 days following the closing of the applicable Disposition, and

(C) any Designated Non-Cash Consideration received by such Loan Party or a Restricted Subsidiary in respect of such Disposition having an aggregate fair market value, taken together with all other Designated Non-Cash Consideration received pursuant to this Section 10.2.4(b) and Section 10.2.4(c) that is at that time outstanding, not in excess of 6% of Consolidated Total Assets at the time of the receipt of such Designated Non-Cash Consideration, with the fair market value of each item of Designated Non-Cash Consideration being measured at the time received and without giving effect to subsequent changes in value,

shall in each case under this clause (i) be deemed to be cash; and

(ii) after giving effect to any such sale, transfer or disposition, no Default or Event of Default shall have occurred and be continuing;

(c) any Loan Party and the Restricted Subsidiaries may make sales of assets to any Restricted Subsidiary, *provided* that with respect to any such sales to Restricted Subsidiaries that are not Guarantors or Borrowers:

(i) such sale, transfer or disposition shall be for fair value; and

(ii) with respect to any Disposition pursuant to this clause (c) for a purchase price in excess of \$10,000,000, such Loan Party or a Restricted Subsidiary shall receive not less than 75% of such consideration in the form of cash or Permitted Investments; *provided* that for the purposes of this clause (ii):

(A) any liabilities (as shown on MRC's and its Restricted Subsidiaries' most recent balance sheet provided hereunder or in the footnotes thereto) of MRC and its Restricted Subsidiaries, other than liabilities that are by their terms subordinated to the payment in cash of the Obligations, that are assumed by the transferee with respect to the applicable Disposition and for which MRC and all of its Restricted Subsidiaries shall have been validly released by all applicable creditors in writing,

(B) any securities received by such Loan Party or a Restricted Subsidiary from such transferee that are converted into cash (to the extent of the cash received) within 180 days following the closing of the applicable Disposition,

(C) any Designated Non-Cash Consideration received by such Loan Party or a Restricted Subsidiary in respect of such Disposition having an aggregate fair market value, taken together with all other Designated Non-Cash Consideration received pursuant to this Section 10.2.4(c) and Section 10.2.4(b) that is at that time outstanding, not in excess of 6% of Consolidated Total Assets at the time of the receipt of such Designated Non-Cash Consideration, with the fair market value of each item of Designated Non-Cash Consideration being measured at the time received and without giving effect to subsequent changes in value,

shall in each case under this clause (ii) be deemed to be cash.

(d) any Loan Party and any Restricted Subsidiary may effect any transaction permitted by Section 10.2.2, 10.2.3, 10.2.5 or 10.2.6;

(e) in addition to selling or transferring accounts receivable pursuant to the other provisions hereof, any Loan Party and any Restricted Subsidiary may sell or discount without recourse accounts receivable arising in the Ordinary Course of Business in connection with the compromise or collection thereof consistent with such Person's current credit and collection practices;

(f) any Loan Party and any Restricted Subsidiary may lease, sublease, license or sublicense (on a non-exclusive basis with respect to any intellectual property) real, personal or intellectual property in the Ordinary Course of Business;

(g) any Loan Party and any Restricted Subsidiary may make sales, transfers and other dispositions of property to the extent that (i) such property is exchanged for credit against the purchase price of similar replacement property or (ii) the proceeds of such Disposition are promptly applied to the purchase price of such replacement property;

(h) any Loan Party and any Restricted Subsidiary may make sales, transfers and other dispositions of property pursuant to Permitted Sale Leaseback transactions;

(i) any Loan Party and any Restricted Subsidiary may make Dispositions of Non-Core Assets or any portion thereof;

(j) any Loan Party and any Restricted Subsidiary may make sales, transfers and other dispositions of Investments in joint ventures to the extent required by, or made pursuant to customary buy/sell arrangements between, the joint venture parties set forth in joint venture arrangements and similar binding arrangements; and

(k) any Restricted Subsidiary that is not a Loan Party and is domiciled outside of Australia, Belgium, Canada, the Netherlands, New Zealand, Singapore, the UK and the U.S. may make Dispositions of Accounts and Related Assets to a Receivables Entity so long as the requirements included in the definition of Qualified Receivables Transaction have been satisfied.

10.2.5 Limitation on Investments. Each Loan Party will not, and will not permit any of the Restricted Subsidiaries to, make any advance, loan, extensions of credit or capital contribution to, or purchase any stock, bonds, notes, debentures or other securities of or any assets constituting all or substantially all or a division or line of business of, or make any other Investment in, any Person, except:

(a) extensions of trade credit in the Ordinary Course of Business;

(b) Permitted Investments;

(c) loans and advances to officers, directors and employees of any Loan Party or any of its Restricted Subsidiaries (i) for reasonable and customary business-related travel, entertainment, relocation and analogous ordinary business purposes (including employee payroll advances), (ii) in connection with such Person's purchase of Stock or Stock Equivalents of MRC to the extent that the amount of such loans and advances are contributed to MRC in cash and (iii) for purposes not described in the foregoing clauses (i) and (ii), in an aggregate principal amount outstanding not to exceed \$10,000,000;

(d) Investments existing on, or contemplated as of, the date hereof and listed on **Schedule 10.2.5** and any extensions, renewals or reinvestments thereof, so long as the aggregate amount of all Investments pursuant to this clause (d) is not increased at any time above the amount of such Investments existing on the date hereof;

(e) Investments received in connection with the bankruptcy or reorganization of suppliers or customers and in settlement of delinquent obligations of, and other disputes with, customers arising in the Ordinary Course of Business or upon foreclosure with respect to any secured Investment or other transfer of title with respect to any secured Investment;

- (f) Investments to the extent that payment for such Investments is made solely with Stock or Stock Equivalents of MRC;
- (g) Investments (other than acquisitions) in (i) U.S. Domiciled Loan Parties and (ii) any other Persons provided that after giving effect to any such Investment on the date such Investment is made under this clause (g)(ii), either (A) both (1) Excess Availability is greater than the higher of (I) 10% of the Commitments and (II) \$95,000,000 and (2) the Consolidated Fixed Charge Coverage Ratio for the most recent Test Period for which financial statements have been delivered pursuant to clause (a) or (b) of Section 10.1.1 is greater than 1.0 to 1.0 or (B) Excess Availability is greater than the higher of (1) 15% of the Commitments and (2) \$150,000,000; *provided* that if the test set forth in clause (g)(ii)(A) or (g)(ii)(B) above is not satisfied, then the Loan Parties and the Restricted Subsidiaries shall be permitted to make Investments in an aggregate amount (net of repayments) not to exceed \$150,000,000 during the term of this Agreement if, after giving effect to any such Investment on the date such Investment is made, U.S. Availability is greater than the higher of (x) 10% of the U.S. Revolver Commitments and (y) \$100,000,000;
- (h) Permitted Acquisitions;
- (i) Investments constituting non-cash proceeds of sales, transfers and other dispositions of assets to the extent permitted by Section 10.2.4;
- (j) Investments made to repurchase or retire Stock of MRC owned by any employee stock ownership plan or key employee stock ownership plan of MRC and its Restricted Subsidiaries;
- (k) Investments permitted under Section 10.2.6;
- (l) loans and advances to any direct or indirect parent of MRC in lieu of, and not in excess of the amount of, dividends to the extent permitted to be made to such parent in accordance with Section 10.2.6;
- (m) Investments consisting of extensions of credit in the nature of accounts receivable or notes receivable arising from the grant of trade credit in the Ordinary Course of Business, and Investments received in satisfaction or partial satisfaction thereof from financially troubled account debtors and other credits to suppliers in the Ordinary Course of Business;
- (n) Investments in the Ordinary Course of Business consisting of Article 3 endorsements for collection or deposit and Article 4 customary trade arrangements with customers consistent with past practices;
- (o) advances of payroll payments to employees in the Ordinary Course of Business;
- (p) Guarantee Obligations of any Loan Party or any Restricted Subsidiary of leases (other than Capital Leases) or of other obligations that do not constitute Indebtedness, in each case entered into in the Ordinary Course of Business;

(q) [Reserved];

(r) Investments of a Restricted Subsidiary acquired after the Closing Date or of any Person merged into any Borrower or merged or consolidated with a Restricted Subsidiary in accordance with Section 10.2.3 after the Closing Date to the extent that such Investments were not made in contemplation of or in connection with such acquisition, merger or consolidation and were in existence on the date of such acquisition, merger or consolidation;

(s) Investments constituting Guarantee Obligations of Indebtedness permitted under Section 10.2.1; and

(t) Investments by any Restricted Subsidiary that is not a Loan Party in any other Restricted Subsidiary that is not a Loan Party or in a Receivables Entity pursuant to a Qualified Receivables Transaction.

10.2.6 Limitation on Dividends. MRC will not declare or pay any dividends (other than dividends payable solely in its Stock) or return any capital to its stockholders or make any other distribution, payment or delivery of property or cash to its stockholders as such, or redeem, retire, purchase or otherwise acquire, directly or indirectly, for consideration, any shares of any class of its Stock or Stock Equivalents or the Stock or Stock Equivalents of any direct or indirect parent now or hereafter outstanding, or set aside any funds for any of the foregoing purposes, or permit any of its Restricted Subsidiaries to purchase or otherwise acquire for consideration (other than in connection with an Investment permitted by Section 10.2.5) any Stock or Stock Equivalents of MRC, now or hereafter outstanding (all of the foregoing dividends), *provided* that, so long as no Default or Event of Default exists or would exist after giving effect thereto:

(a) MRC may redeem in whole or in part any of its Stock or Stock Equivalents for another class of its Stock or Stock Equivalents or with proceeds from substantially concurrent equity contributions or issuances of new Stock or Stock Equivalents, *provided* that such new Stock or Stock Equivalents contain terms and provisions at least as advantageous to the Lenders in all respects material to their interests as those contained in the Stock or Stock Equivalents redeemed thereby;

(b) MRC may repurchase shares of its Stock or Stock Equivalents held by officers, directors and employees of MRC and its Restricted Subsidiaries, so long as such repurchase is pursuant to, and in accordance with the terms of, management and/or employee stock plans, stock subscription agreements or shareholder agreements; *provided*, that the aggregate amount of all cash paid in respect of all such shares so repurchased in any calendar year does not exceed the sum of (i) \$10,000,000 plus (ii) all amounts obtained by MRC during such calendar year from the sale of such Stock or Stock Equivalents to other officers, directors and employees of MRC and its Restricted Subsidiaries in connection with any permitted compensation and incentive arrangements plus (iii) all amounts obtained from any key-man life insurance policies received during such calendar year; *provided further* that the aggregate amount permitted by the foregoing proviso with respect to any calendar year commencing with 2012 shall be increased by 100% of the amount of unused share repurchases for the immediately preceding year (such amount, a carry-over amount) without giving effect to any carryover

amount that was added in such preceding calendar year and assuming any such carry-over amount is utilized first and so long as the aggregate amount of cash paid in respect of all such shares so repurchased in any calendar year does not exceed \$20,000,000; and *provided still further* the aggregate amount of all cash paid in respect of all such shares so repurchased in any calendar year may exceed the aggregate amount permitted by the foregoing provisos if Excess Availability is not less than \$100,000,000 after giving effect to such dividend, distribution or other return of capital;

(c) MRC may pay dividends on its Stock or Stock Equivalents, provided that after giving effect to such payment, either (i) both (A) Excess Availability is greater than the higher of (1) 15% of the Commitments and (2) \$150,000,000 and (B) the Pro Forma Consolidated Fixed Charge Coverage Ratio for the most recent Test Period for which financial statements have been delivered pursuant to clause (a) or (b) of Section 10.1.1 is greater than 1.0 to 1.0 or (ii) Excess Availability is greater than the higher of (A) 20% of the Commitments and (B) \$210,000,000, and provided further that the foregoing test shall not apply to any dividends paid with proceeds arising from a Qualified IPO; and

(d) MRC may pay dividends:

(i) to its direct or indirect parent in amounts sufficient for any such parent to pay its income tax obligations for so long as MRC or any Restricted Subsidiary is a member of a group filing a consolidated, combined, unitary, affiliated or other similar tax return with such parent; *provided* the amount of dividends paid under this clause (i) in respect of income tax obligations is limited to the extent such tax liability is directly attributable to the taxable income of MRC or its Restricted Subsidiaries (that are included in such consolidated, combined, unitary, affiliated or other similar tax return), determined as if MRC and such Restricted Subsidiaries filed a separate consolidated, combined, unitary, affiliated or other similar tax return as a stand-alone group and will be used to pay (or to make dividends to allow any direct or indirect parent to pay), within 30 days of the receipt thereof, the tax liability to each relevant jurisdiction in respect of such consolidated, combined, unitary, affiliated or other similar returns;

(ii) the proceeds of which shall be used to allow any direct or indirect parent of MRC to pay (A) its operating expenses incurred in the Ordinary Course of Business and other corporate overhead costs and expenses (including administrative, legal, accounting and similar expenses provided by third parties), which are reasonable and customary and incurred in the Ordinary Course of Business, in an aggregate amount not to exceed \$15,000,000 in any fiscal year of MRC plus any reasonable and customary indemnification claims made by directors or officers of MRC (or any parent thereof), in each case attributable to the ownership or operations of MRC and its Restricted Subsidiaries or (B) fees and expenses otherwise (1) due and payable by MRC or any of its Restricted Subsidiaries and (2) permitted to be paid by MRC or such Restricted Subsidiary under this Agreement;

(iii) without duplication of clause (i) above, the proceeds of which shall be used to pay franchise taxes and other fees, taxes and expenses required to maintain the corporate existence of any direct or indirect parent of MRC or its Restricted Subsidiaries, within thirty (30) days of the receipt thereof;

(iv) to any direct or indirect parent of MRC to finance any Investment permitted to be made pursuant to Section 10.2.5; *provided* that (A) such dividend shall be made substantially concurrently with the closing of such Investment and (B) such parent shall, immediately following the closing thereof, cause (1) all property acquired (whether assets, Stock or Stock Equivalents) to be contributed to MRC or its Restricted Subsidiaries or (2) the merger (to the extent permitted in Section 10.2.5) of the Person formed or acquired into MRC or its Restricted Subsidiaries in order to consummate such Permitted Acquisition; and

(v) constituting repurchases of Stock or Stock Equivalents upon the cashless exercise of stock options.

10.2.7 Limitations on Debt Payments and Amendments.

(a) Each Loan Party will not, and will not permit any Restricted Subsidiary to, prepay, repurchase or redeem or otherwise defease any Subordinated Indebtedness held by a Person other than a Loan Party; *provided, however*, that so long as no Default or Event of Default shall have occurred and be continuing at the date of such prepayment, repurchase, redemption or other defeasance or would result after giving effect thereto, any Loan Party or any Restricted Subsidiary may prepay, repurchase or redeem Subordinated Indebtedness if either (A) both (1) Excess Availability is greater than the higher of (x) 15% of the Commitments and (y) \$150,000,000 and (2) the Pro Forma Consolidated Fixed Charge Coverage Ratio for the most recent Test Period for which financial statements have been delivered pursuant to clause (a) or (b) of Section 10.1.1 is greater than 1.0 to 1.0 or (B) Excess Availability is greater than the higher of (1) 20% of the Commitments and (2) \$210,000,000, in each case after giving effect to such prepayment, repurchase, redemption or other defeasance, with the proceeds of Subordinated Indebtedness that (A) is permitted by Section 10.2.1(b) (other than Section 10.2.1(b)(xiv)) and (B) has terms not materially less advantageous to the Lenders than those of such Subordinated Indebtedness being refinanced.

(b) Each Loan Party will not, and will not permit any Restricted Subsidiary to, waive, amend, modify, terminate or release any Subordinated Indebtedness to the extent that any such waiver, amendment, modification, termination or release would be adverse to the Lenders in any material respect.

(c) The Initial Canadian Borrower will not, and will not permit any Restricted Subsidiary to, make any payment with respect to the Subordinated Indebtedness covered by the Subordination Agreement except for the discharge of such Subordinated Indebtedness as permitted under the Subordination Agreement.

10.2.8 Limitations on Sale Leasebacks. Each Loan Party will not, and will not permit any Restricted Subsidiary to, enter into or effect any Sale Leasebacks, other than Permitted Sale Leasebacks.

10.2.9 Changes in Business. The Loan Parties and their Subsidiaries, taken as a whole, will not fundamentally and substantively alter the character of their business, taken as a whole, from the business conducted by the Loan Parties and their Subsidiaries, taken as a whole, on the Closing Date and other business activities incidental or related to any of the foregoing.

10.2.10 Burdensome Agreements. Each Loan Party will not, and will not permit any Restricted Subsidiary to, enter into or permit to exist any contractual obligation (other than this Agreement or any other Loan Document) that limits the ability of (a) any Restricted Subsidiary that is not a Borrower or Guarantor to make dividends to any Borrower or any Guarantor or (b) such Borrower or any Guarantor to create, incur, assume or suffer to exist Liens on property of such Person for the benefit of the Lenders with respect to the Secured Obligations; *provided* that the foregoing clauses (a) and (b) shall not apply to contractual obligations which (i)(A) exist on the date hereof and (to the extent not otherwise permitted by this Section 10.2.10) are listed on **Schedule 10.2.10** and (B) to the extent contractual obligations permitted by clause (A) are set forth in an agreement evidencing Indebtedness, are set forth in any agreement evidencing any permitted renewal, extension or refinancing of such Indebtedness so long as such renewal, extension or refinancing does not expand the scope of such contractual obligation, (ii) are binding on a Restricted Subsidiary at the time such Restricted Subsidiary first becomes a Restricted Subsidiary of such Loan Party, so long as such contractual obligations were not entered into solely in contemplation of such Person becoming a Restricted Subsidiary of such Loan Party; (iii) represent Indebtedness of a Restricted Subsidiary of MRC which is not a Loan Party which is permitted by Section 10.2.1, (iv) arise in connection with any Disposition permitted by Section 10.2.4, (v) are customary provisions in joint venture agreements and other similar agreements applicable to joint ventures permitted under Section 10.2.5 and applicable solely to such joint venture entered into in the Ordinary Course of Business, (vi) are negative pledges and restrictions on Liens in favor of any holder of Indebtedness permitted under Section 10.2.1 but solely to the extent any negative pledge relates to the property financed by or the subject of such Indebtedness, (vii) are customary restrictions on leases, subleases, licenses or asset sale agreements otherwise permitted hereby so long as such restrictions relate to the assets subject thereto, (viii) comprise restrictions imposed by any agreement relating to secured Indebtedness permitted pursuant to Section 10.2.1 to the extent that such restrictions apply only to the property or assets securing such Indebtedness or, in the case of secured Indebtedness incurred pursuant to Section 10.2.1(b)(ix) or Section 10.2.1(b)(x) only, to the Restricted Subsidiaries incurring or guaranteeing such Indebtedness, (ix) are customary provisions restricting subletting or assignment of any lease governing a leasehold interest of such Loan Party or any Restricted Subsidiary, (x) are customary provisions restricting assignment of any agreement entered into in the Ordinary Course of Business, (xi) are restrictions on cash or other deposits imposed by customers under contracts entered into in the Ordinary Course of Business, and (xii) exist under the Term Loan Credit Agreement or any documentation relating to such debt.

10.3 Financial Covenants. As long as any Commitments or Obligations are outstanding:

10.3.1 Consolidated Fixed Charge Coverage Ratio. MRC and its Restricted Subsidiaries shall maintain, as of the last day of each fiscal quarter during the occurrence and continuance of a FCCR Test Event, a Consolidated Fixed Charge Coverage Ratio of at least 1.0 to 1.0 for the Test Period ending on the last day of such fiscal quarter.

SECTION 11. EVENTS OF DEFAULT; REMEDIES ON DEFAULT

11.1 Events of Default. Upon the occurrence of any of the following specified events (each, an Event of Default), if the same shall occur for any reason whatsoever, whether voluntary or involuntary, by operation of law or otherwise:

11.1.1 Payments. Any Borrower shall (a) default in the payment when due of any principal of the Loans or (b) default in the payment when due of any interest on the Loans or any fees or any other amounts owing hereunder or under any other Loan Document and, so long as no Cash Dominion Event exists, such default shall continue for five or more days; or

11.1.2 Representations, etc. Any representation, warranty or statement made or deemed made by any Loan Party herein or in any Security Document or any certificate, statement, report or other document delivered or required to be delivered pursuant hereto or thereto shall prove to be untrue in any material respect on the date as of which made or deemed made; or

11.1.3 Covenants. Any Loan Party shall:

(a) default in the due performance or observance by it of any term, covenant or agreement contained in Section 10.1.1(h), Section 10.1.14, Section 10.2 or Section 10.3;

(b) default in the due performance or observance by it of any term, covenant or agreement contained in Section 10.1.1(f) and such default shall continue unremedied for a period of at least ten (10) Business Days (which period is shortened to four (4) Business Days if an FCCR Test Event is continuing) after the earlier of the date on which a Senior Officer of such Loan Party has knowledge of such default and the date of receipt of written notice by such Loan Party from the Agent or the Required Lenders; or

(c) default in the due performance or observance by it of any term, covenant or agreement (other than those referred to in Section 11.1.1 or 11.1.2 or clauses (a) or (b) of this Section 11.1.3) contained in this Agreement, any Security Document or the Fee Letter and such default shall continue unremedied for a period of at least thirty (30) days after receipt of written notice by such Loan Party from the Agent or the Required Lenders; or

11.1.4 Default Under Other Agreements. (a) Any Loan Party or any of the Restricted Subsidiaries shall (i) default in any payment with respect to any Indebtedness (other than the Obligations) in excess of \$50,000,000 in the aggregate, for MRC and its Restricted Subsidiaries, beyond the period of grace, if any, provided in the instrument or agreement under which such Indebtedness was created or (ii) default in the observance or performance of any agreement or condition relating to any such Indebtedness or contained in any instrument or agreement evidencing, securing or relating thereto, or any other event shall occur or condition exist (other than, with respect to Indebtedness consisting of any Hedge Agreements, termination events or equivalent events pursuant to the terms of such Hedge Agreements), the effect of which default or other event or condition is to cause, or to permit the holder or holders of such

Indebtedness (or a trustee or agent on behalf of such holder or holders) to cause, any such Indebtedness to become due prior to its stated maturity; or (b) without limiting the provisions of clause (a) above, any such Indebtedness shall be declared to be due and payable, or required to be prepaid other than by a regularly scheduled required prepayment or as a mandatory prepayment (and, with respect to Indebtedness consisting of any Hedge Agreements, other than due to a termination event or equivalent event pursuant to the terms of such Hedge Agreements), prior to the stated maturity thereof; or

11.1.5 Bankruptcy, etc. (a) Any Loan Party or any Specified Subsidiary shall commence a voluntary Insolvency Proceeding; (b) any Foreign Subsidiary that is a Specified Subsidiary, shall commence a voluntary case, proceeding or action under domestic or foreign law relating to bankruptcy, judicial management, insolvency reorganization or relief of debtors legislation of its jurisdiction of incorporation, in each case as now or hereafter in effect, or any successor thereto; (c) an involuntary Insolvency Proceeding is commenced against any Loan Party or any Specified Subsidiary and the petition is not controverted within 10 days after commencement thereof; (d) an involuntary Insolvency Proceeding is commenced against any Loan Party or any Specified Subsidiary and the petition is not dismissed within 60 days after commencement thereof; (e) a Creditor Representative or similar Person is appointed for, or takes charge of, all or substantially all of the property of any Loan Party or any Specified Subsidiary; (f) any Loan Party or any Specified Subsidiary commences any other proceeding or action under any reorganization, arrangement, adjustment of debt, relief of debtors, dissolution, insolvency or liquidation or similar law of any jurisdiction whether now or hereafter in effect relating to any Loan Party or any Specified Subsidiary; (g) there is commenced against any Loan Party or any Specified Subsidiary any such proceeding or action that remains undismissed for a period of 60 days; (h) any Loan Party or any Specified Subsidiary is adjudicated insolvent or bankrupt; (i) any order of relief or other order approving any such case or proceeding or action is entered; (j) any Loan Party or any Specified Subsidiary suffers any appointment of any Creditor Representative or the like for it or any substantial part of its Property to continue undischarged or unstayed for a period of 60 days; (k) any Loan Party or any Specified Subsidiary makes a general assignment for the benefit of creditors; (l) any corporate action is taken by any Loan Party or any Specified Subsidiary for the purpose of effecting any of the foregoing; (m) (i) any UK Borrower or Singapore Borrower, (1) is unable or admits inability to pay its debts as they fall due, (2) suspends making payments on any of its debts or (3) by reason of actual or anticipated financial difficulties, commences negotiations with one or more of its creditors with a view to rescheduling any of its Indebtedness; or (ii) in respect of any UK Borrower or Singapore Borrower, (1) the value of its assets is less than that of its liabilities (taking into account contingent and prospective liabilities) or (2) a moratorium or other protection from its creditors is declared or imposed in respect of any its Indebtedness; or (n) any Loan Party or any Specified Subsidiary incorporated in New Zealand (or the New Zealand based assets or business of any other Loan Party or Specified Subsidiary) is declared at risk pursuant to the Corporations (Investigation and Management) Act 1989 (New Zealand), or a statutory manager is appointed or any step taken with a view to any such appointment in respect of it or those assets or business under that Act; or

11.1.6 ERISA. (a) Any U.S. Employee Plan shall fail to satisfy the minimum funding standard required for any plan year or part thereof or a waiver of such standard or extension of any amortization period is sought or granted under Section 412 of the Code; any

U.S. Employee Plan is or shall have been terminated or is the subject of termination proceedings under ERISA (including the giving of written notice thereof); an event shall have occurred or a condition shall exist in either case entitling the PBGC to terminate any U.S. Employee Plan or to appoint a trustee to administer any U.S. Employee Plan (including the giving of written notice thereof); any U.S. Employee Plan shall have an accumulated funding deficiency (whether or not waived); any Loan Party, Subsidiary of a Loan Party or ERISA Affiliate has incurred or is likely to incur a liability to or on account of a U.S. Employee Plan under Section 409, 502(i), 502(l), 515, 4062, 4063, 4064, 4069, 4201 or 4204 of ERISA or Section 4971 or 4975 of the Code (including the giving of written notice thereof); (b) there could result from any event or events set forth in clause (a) of this Section 11.1.6 the imposition of a lien, the granting of a security interest, or a liability, or the reasonable likelihood of incurring a lien, security interest or liability; and (c) such lien, security interest or liability will or would be reasonably likely to have a Material Adverse Effect; or

11.1.7 Canadian Pension Plan and UK Pensions Regulator. (a) (i) A Termination Event shall occur or any Canadian Multi-Employer Plan shall be terminated, in each case, in circumstances which would result or could reasonably be expected to result in a Canadian Facility Loan Party being required to make a contribution to or in respect of a Canadian Pension Plan or a Canadian Multi-Employer Plan or results in the appointment, by FSCO, of an administrator to wind up a Canadian Pension Plan, (ii) any Canadian Domiciled Loan Party is in default with respect to any required contributions to a Canadian Pension Plan, or (iii) any Lien arises (save for contribution amounts not yet due) in connection with any Canadian Pension Plan, provided the events set forth in clauses (i), (ii) and (iii), individually or in the aggregate, could reasonably be expected to result in a Material Adverse Effect (it being acknowledged that, for purposes of this Section, funding deficiencies and other benefit liabilities existing as of the Closing Date shall be included in the determination of whether a Material Adverse Effect has occurred or exists); or

(b) The Pensions Regulator issues a Financial Support Direction or a Contribution Notice to any UK Domiciled Loan Party and such Financial Support Direction or Contribution Notice will or would be reasonably likely to have a Material Adverse Effect; or

11.1.8 Guarantee. Any Guarantee provided by MRC or any Material Subsidiary or any material provision thereof shall cease to be in full force or effect or any such Guarantor thereunder or any Loan Party shall deny or disaffirm in writing any such Guarantor's obligations under the Guarantee (or any of the foregoing shall occur with respect to a Guarantee provided by a Subsidiary that is not a Material Subsidiary and shall continue unremedied for a period of at least 5 Business Days after receipt of written notice to the North American Loan Party Agent from the Agent or the Required Lenders); or

11.1.9 Security Documents. Any Security Document pursuant to which the assets of any Loan Party or any Material Subsidiary are pledged as Collateral or any material provision thereof shall cease to be in full force or effect (other than pursuant to the terms hereof or thereof or as a result of acts or omissions of the Agent, any Security Trustee or any Lender) or any grantor thereunder or any Loan Party shall deny or disaffirm in writing any grantor's obligations under such Security Document (or any of the foregoing shall occur with respect to Collateral provided by a Subsidiary that is not a Material Subsidiary and shall continue unremedied for a period of at least 5 Business Days after receipt of written notice to the North American Loan Party Agent from the Agent or the Required Lenders); or

11.1.10 Judgments. One or more judgments or decrees shall be entered against any Loan Party or any of the Restricted Subsidiaries involving a liability of \$50,000,000 or more in the aggregate for all such judgments and decrees for MRC and its Restricted Subsidiaries (to the extent not paid or fully covered by insurance provided by a carrier not disputing coverage) and any such judgments or decrees shall not have been satisfied, vacated, discharged or stayed or bonded pending appeal within 60 days from the entry thereof; or

11.1.11 Change of Control. A Change of Control shall occur; or

11.1.12 Intercreditor; Subordination. The Intercreditor Agreement shall be invalidated or otherwise cease to constitute the legal, valid and binding obligations of the Term Secured Parties (as defined therein) and the Subordinated Lien Secured Parties (as defined therein), enforceable in accordance with its terms (to the extent that any Indebtedness held by such parties remains outstanding) or the subordination provisions of any document or instrument evidencing any Permitted Additional Debt or other Subordinated Indebtedness having a principal amount in excess of \$15,000,000 that are subordinated shall be invalidated or otherwise cease to be legal, valid and binding obligations of the holders of such Permitted Additional Debt or other Subordinated Indebtedness, enforceable in accordance with their terms;

then, (1) upon the occurrence of any Event of Default described in Section 11.1.5, automatically, and (2) upon the occurrence of any other Event of Default, at the request of (or with the consent of) Required Lenders, upon notice to the Borrowers by the Agent, (A) the Commitment of each Lender and the obligation of any Fronting Bank to issue any Letter of Credit shall immediately terminate; (B) each of the following shall immediately become due and payable, in each case without presentment, demand, protest or other requirements of any kind, all of which are hereby expressly waived by each Loan Party: (I) the unpaid principal amount of and accrued interest on the Loans, (II) an amount equal to the maximum amount that may at any time be drawn under all Letters of Credit then outstanding (regardless of whether any beneficiary under any such Letter of Credit shall have presented, or shall be entitled at such time to present, the drafts or other documents or certificates required to draw under such Letters of Credit), and (III) all other Obligations; *provided*, the foregoing shall not affect in any way the obligations of Lenders under Sections 2.2.2, 2.3.2, 2.4.2, 2.5.2, 2.6.2, 2.7.2, 2.8.2, or 2.9.2; (C) the Agent and Security Trustees may enforce any and all Liens and security interests created pursuant to Security Documents; and (D) the Agent shall direct the Borrowers to pay (and each Borrower hereby agrees upon receipt of such notice, or upon the occurrence of any Event of Default specified in Section 11.1.5 to pay) to the Agent such additional amounts of cash as reasonably requested by any Fronting Bank, to be held as security for the Borrowers' reimbursement Obligations in respect of Letters of Credit then outstanding.

11.2 License. Agent is hereby granted an irrevocable (during the continuance of an Event of Default), non-exclusive license or other right to use, license or sub-license (without payment of royalty or other compensation to any Loan Party) any or all intellectual property of Loan Parties, computer hardware and software, trade secrets, brochures, customer lists, promotional and advertising materials, labels, packaging materials and other Property, in advertising for sale, marketing, selling, collecting, completing manufacture of, or otherwise exercising any rights or remedies with respect to, any Collateral. Each Loan Party's rights and interests under intellectual property shall inure to Agent's benefit.

11.3 Setoff. At any time during the continuation of an Event of Default, each of the Agent, any Fronting Bank, any Lender, and any of their Affiliates is authorized, to the fullest extent permitted by Applicable Law, to set off and apply any and all deposits (general or special, time or demand, provisional or final, in whatever currency) at any time held and other obligations (in whatever currency) at any time owing by the Agent, Fronting Bank, such Lender or such Affiliate to or for the credit or the account of a Loan Party against any Obligations, irrespective of whether or not the Agent, such Fronting Bank, such Lender or such Affiliate shall have made any demand under this Agreement or any other Loan Document and although such Obligations may be contingent or unmatured or are owed to a branch or office of the Agent, such Fronting Bank, such Lender or such Affiliate different from the branch or office holding such deposit or obligated on such indebtedness. The rights of the Agent, each Fronting Bank, each Lender and each such Affiliate under this Section 11.3 are in addition to other rights and remedies (including other rights of setoff) that such Person may have.

11.4 Remedies Cumulative; No Waiver.

11.4.1 Cumulative Rights. All agreements, warranties, guaranties, indemnities and other undertakings of Loan Parties under the Credit Documents are cumulative and not in derogation of each other. The rights and remedies of the Agent and Lenders are cumulative, may be exercised at any time and from time to time, concurrently or in any order, and are not exclusive of any other rights or remedies available by agreement, by law, at equity or otherwise. All such rights and remedies shall continue in full force and effect until Full Payment of all Obligations.

11.4.2 Waivers. No waiver or course of dealing shall be established by (a) the failure or delay of the Agent or any Lender to require strict performance by Loan Parties with any terms of the Loan Documents, or to exercise any rights or remedies with respect to Collateral or otherwise; (b) the making of any Loan or issuance of any Letter of Credit during a Default, Event of Default or other failure to satisfy any conditions precedent; or (c) acceptance by the Agent or any Lender of any payment or performance by a Loan Party under any Loan Documents in a manner other than that specified therein. It is expressly acknowledged by Loan Parties that any failure to satisfy a financial covenant on a measurement date shall not be cured or remedied by satisfaction of such covenant on a subsequent date.

11.5 Judgment Currency. If, for the purpose of obtaining judgment in any court or obtaining an order enforcing a judgment, it becomes necessary to convert any amount due under this Agreement in any a currency (hereinafter in this Section 11.5 called the first currency) into any other currency (hereinafter in this Section 11.5 called the second currency), then the conversion shall be made at the Agent's spot rate of exchange for buying the first currency with the second currency prevailing at the Agent's close of business on the Business Day next preceding the day on which the judgment is given or (as the case may be) the order is made. Any payment made by an Loan Party to any Credit Party or any Security Trustee pursuant to this Agreement in the second currency shall constitute a discharge of the obligations of any

applicable Loan Parties to pay to such Credit Party or such Security Trustee any amount originally due to the Credit Party or Security Trustee in the first currency under this Agreement only to the extent of the amount of the first currency which such Credit Party or such Security Trustee is able, on the date of the receipt by it of such payment in any second currency, to purchase, in accordance with such Credit Party's or such Security Trustee's normal banking procedures, with the amount of such second currency so received. If the amount of the first currency falls short of the amount originally due to such Credit Party or such Security Trustee in the first currency under this Agreement, Loan Parties agree that they will indemnify each Credit Party and each Security Trustee against and save such Credit Party and such Security Trustee harmless from any shortfall so arising. This indemnity shall constitute an obligation of each such Loan Party separate and independent from the other obligations contained in this Agreement, shall give rise to a separate and independent cause of action and shall continue in full force and effect notwithstanding any judgment or order for a liquidated sum or sums in respect of amounts due to any Credit Party or any Security Trustee under any Loan Documents or under any such judgment or order. Any such shortfall shall be deemed to constitute a loss suffered by such Credit Party or such Security Trustee and Loan Parties shall not be entitled to require any proof or evidence of any actual loss. If the amount of the first currency exceeds the amount originally due to a Credit Party or a Security Trustee in the first currency under this Agreement, such Credit Party or such Security Trustee shall promptly remit such excess to Loan Parties. The covenants contained in this Section 11.5 shall survive the Full Payment of the Obligations under this Agreement.

SECTION 12. AGENT AND SECURITY TRUSTEES

12.1 Appointment, Authority and Duties of Agent.

12.1.1 Appointment and Authority.

(a) Each Secured Party appoints and designates Bank of America as the Agent under all Loan Documents. The Agent may, and each Secured Party authorizes the Agent to, enter into all Loan Documents to which the Agent is intended to be a party and accept all Security Documents, for the Agent's benefit and the Pro Rata benefit of the Secured Parties. Each Secured Party agrees that any action taken by the Agent, Required Borrower Group Lenders or Required Lenders in accordance with the provisions of the Loan Documents, and the exercise by the Agent or Required Lenders of any rights or remedies set forth therein, together with all other powers reasonably incidental thereto, shall be authorized by and binding upon all Secured Parties. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the Agent, together with the Security Trustees, as applicable, shall have the sole and exclusive authority to (i) act as the disbursing and collecting agent for Lenders with respect to all payments and collections arising in connection with the Loan Documents; (ii) execute and deliver as the Agent each Loan Document, including any intercreditor or subordination agreement (or joinder thereto), and accept delivery of each Loan Document from any Loan Party or other Person; (iii) act as collateral agent for Secured Parties for purposes of perfecting and administering Liens under the Loan Documents, and for all other purposes stated therein; (iv) manage, supervise or otherwise deal with Collateral; and (v) take any Enforcement Action or otherwise exercise any rights or remedies with respect to any Collateral under the Loan Documents, Applicable Law or otherwise. The duties of the Agent shall be ministerial and administrative in nature, and the

Agent shall not have a fiduciary relationship with any Secured Party, Participant or other Person, by reason of any Loan Document or any transaction relating thereto. The Agent alone shall be authorized to determine whether any Accounts or Inventory constitute Eligible Accounts or Eligible Inventory, whether to impose or release any reserve, or whether any conditions to funding or to issuance of a Letter of Credit have been satisfied, which determinations and judgments, if exercised in good faith, shall exonerate the Agent from liability to any Lender or other Person for any error in judgment.

(b) For the purposes of creating a solidarité active in accordance with Article 1541 of the Civil Code of Québec between each Secured Party, taken individually, on the one hand, and the Agent, on the other hand, each Loan Party and each such Secured Party acknowledge and agree with the Agent that such Secured Party and the Agent are hereby conferred the legal status of solidary creditors of each such Loan Party in respect of all Obligations owed by each such Loan Party to the Agent and such Secured Party hereunder and under the other Loan Documents (collectively, the Solidary Claim) and that, accordingly, but subject (for the avoidance of doubt) to Article 1542 of the Civil Code of Québec, each such Loan Party is irrevocably bound towards the Agent and each Secured Party in respect of the entire Solidary Claim of the Agent and such Secured Party. As a result of the foregoing, the parties hereto acknowledge that the Agent and each Secured Party shall at all times have a valid and effective right of action for the entire Solidary Claim of the Agent and such Secured Party and the right to give full acquittance for it. Accordingly, and without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the Agent, as solidary creditor with each Secured Party, shall at all times have a valid and effective right of action in respect of the Solidary Claim and the right to give a full acquittance for same. By its execution of the Loan Documents to which it is a party, each such Loan Party not a party hereto shall also be deemed to have accepted the stipulations hereinabove provided. The parties further agree and acknowledge that such Liens (hypothecs) under the Security Documents and the other Loan Documents shall be granted to the Agent, for its own benefit and for the benefit of the Secured Parties, as solidary creditor as hereinabove set forth.

12.1.2 Duties. The Agent shall not have any duties except those expressly set forth in the Loan Documents. The conferral upon the Agent of any right shall not imply a duty to exercise such right, unless instructed to do so by Lenders in accordance with this Agreement.

12.1.3 Agent Professionals. The Agent may perform its duties through agents and employees. The Agent may consult with and employ Agent Professionals, and shall be entitled to act upon, and shall be fully protected in any action taken in good faith reliance upon, any advice given by an Agent Professional. The Agent shall not be responsible for the negligence or misconduct of any agents, employees or Agent Professionals selected by it with reasonable care.

12.1.4 Instructions of Required Lenders. The rights and remedies conferred upon the Agent under the Loan Documents may be exercised without the necessity of joinder of any other party, unless required by Applicable Law. The Agent may request instructions from Required Lenders, Required Borrower Group Lenders or other Secured Parties with respect to any act (including the failure to act) in connection with any Loan Documents, and may seek assurances to its satisfaction from the Secured Parties of their indemnification obligations against all Claims that could be incurred by the Agent in connection with any act. The Agent shall be

entitled to refrain from any act until it has received such instructions or assurances, and the Agent shall not incur liability to any Person by reason of so refraining. Instructions of Required Lenders or Required Borrower Group Lenders shall be binding upon all Secured Parties, and no Secured Party shall have any right of action whatsoever against the Agent as a result of the Agent acting or refraining from acting in accordance with the instructions of Required Lenders or Required Borrower Group Lenders. Notwithstanding the foregoing, instructions by and consent of specific parties shall be required to the extent provided in Section 14.1.1. In no event shall the Agent be required to take any action that, in its opinion, is contrary to Applicable Law or any Loan Documents or could subject any Agent Indemnitee to personal liability.

12.2 European Security Trustee.

12.2.1 Appointment of the European Security Trustee.

(a) The European Secured Parties appoint the European Security Trustee to hold (i) any security interest created by any European Security Agreement; and (ii) the covenants and undertakings of the relevant European Security Agreements, with respect to any jurisdiction where the concept of trust is appropriate, on trust for the European Secured Parties and with respect to any jurisdiction where the concept of trust is not appropriate, as security agent for the European Secured Parties, and, in each case, the European Security Trustee accepts that appointment.

(b) The European Security Trustee, its subsidiaries and associated companies may each retain for its own account and benefit any fee, remuneration and profits paid to it in connection with (i) its activities under the Loan Documents and (ii) its engagement in any kind of banking or other business with any Loan Party.

12.2.2 Delegation. The European Security Trustee may delegate to any Person on such terms (which may include the power to sub-delegate) and subject to such conditions as it thinks fit, all or any of the rights, powers, authorities and discretions vested in it by any of the Loan Documents.

12.2.3 Separate Security Trustees.

(a) The European Security Trustee may (whether for the purpose of complying with any law or regulation of any overseas jurisdiction, or for any other reason) appoint any Person to act jointly with the European Security Trustee either as a separate trustee or as a co-trustee (each an Appointee) on such terms and subject to such conditions as the European Security Trustee thinks fit and with such of the rights, powers, authorities and discretions vested in the European Security Trustee by any Loan Document as may be conferred by the instrument of appointment of the Appointee.

(b) The European Security Trustee may pay reasonable remuneration to any Appointee, together with any costs and expenses (including legal fees) reasonably incurred by the Appointee in connection with its appointment. All such remuneration, costs and expenses shall be treated, for the purposes of this Agreement, as paid or incurred by the European Security Trustee.

12.2.4 The European Security Agreements.

(a) Each European Secured Party confirms its approval of the relevant European Security Agreements and of any security interest intended to be created under it, and authorizes and instructs the European Security Trustee to execute and deliver the relevant European Security Agreements.

(b) The European Security Trustee may accept without enquiry the title (if any) which any Person may have to any assets over which security interest is intended to be created by the relevant European Security Agreements, and shall not be liable to any other party for any defect in or failure of any such title.

(c) The European Security Trustee shall not be (i) liable or responsible to any European Secured Party for any failure to perfect, protect, register, make any filing or give notice in respect of the security interest intended to be created by the relevant European Security Agreements, unless that failure arises directly from its own gross negligence or wilful misconduct; (ii) obliged to insure any assets over which security interest is intended to be created by the relevant European Security Agreements, to require any other person to maintain any such insurance, or to make any enquiry or conduct any investigation into the legality, validity, effectiveness, adequacy or enforceability of any insurance existing over any such asset; or (iii) obliged to hold in its own possession the relevant European Security Agreements, title deed or other document relating to any assets over which security interest is intended to be created by the relevant European Security Agreements.

12.2.5 Security Trustee as Proprietor. Each European Secured Party confirms that it does not wish to be registered as a joint proprietor of any mortgage or charge created pursuant to the relevant European Security Agreements and accordingly (a) authorizes the European Security Trustee to hold such mortgages and charges in its sole name as trustee for the European Secured Parties; and (b) requests the Land Registry (or other relevant registry) to register the European Security Trustee as a sole proprietor (or heritable creditor, as the case may be) of any such mortgage or charge.

12.2.6 Investments. Except to the extent that a European Security Agreement otherwise requires, any moneys received by the European Security Trustee under or pursuant to a European Security Agreement may be (a) invested in any investments which it may select and which are authorized by Applicable Law; or (b) placed on deposit at any bank or institution (including itself) on such terms as it may think fit, in each case in the name or under the control of the European Security Trustee, and those moneys, together with any accrued income (net of any applicable Tax) shall be held by the European Security Trustee to the order of the Agent, and shall be payable to the Agent on demand.

12.2.7 European Secured Parties Indemnity to the European Security Trustee. Each European Secured Party shall indemnify the European Security Trustee, its delegates and sub-delegates and Appointees (each an Indemnified Party), within three Business Days of demand, against any cost, loss or liability incurred by the European Security Trustee or the relevant Indemnified Party (otherwise than by reason of the gross negligence or wilful misconduct of the European Security Trustee or that Indemnified Party) in acting as

European Security Trustee or its delegate, sub-delegate or Appointee under the relevant European Security Agreements (except to the extent that the European Security Trustee, or the relevant Indemnified Party has been reimbursed by any Loan Party pursuant to the relevant European Security Agreements).

12.2.8 Conduct of business by the European Security Trustee. No provision of this Agreement will (a) interfere with the right of the European Security Trustee to arrange its affairs (tax or otherwise) in whatever manner it thinks fit; (b) oblige the European Security Trustee to investigate or claim any credit, relief, remission or repayment available to it or the extent, order and manner of any claim; or (c) oblige the European Security Trustee to disclose any information relating to its affairs (tax or otherwise) or any computations in respect of tax.

12.2.9 Liability of European Security Trustee.

(a) The European Security Trustee shall not nor shall any of its officers, employees or agents from time to time be responsible for: (i) the adequacy, accuracy and/or completeness of any information (whether oral or written) supplied by any Loan Party or any other person given in or in connection with the relevant European Security Agreements; or (ii) the legality, validity, effectiveness, adequacy or enforceability of the relevant European Security Agreements or any other agreement, arrangement or document entered into, made or executed in anticipation of or in connection with the relevant European Security Agreements.

(b) Without limiting Section 12.2.9(a), the European Security Trustee shall not be liable for any action taken by it or not taken by it under or in connection with the relevant European Security Agreements, unless directly caused by its gross negligence or wilful misconduct.

(c) No party (other than the European Security Trustee) may take any proceedings against any officer, employee or agent of the European Security Trustee in respect of any claim it might have against the European Security Trustee or in respect of any act or omission of any kind by that officer, employee or agent in relation to the relevant European Security Agreements and any officer, employee or agent of the European Security Trustee may rely on this Clause 12.2.9 and the provisions of the Contracts (Rights of Third Parties) Act 1999.

(d) The European Security Trustee shall not be liable for any delay (or any related consequences) in crediting an account with an amount required under the Loan Documents to be paid by the European Security Trustee, if the European Security Trustee has taken all necessary steps as soon as reasonably practicable to comply with the regulations or operating procedures of any recognized clearing or settlement system used by the European Security Trustee for that purpose.

(e) Without affecting the responsibility of the Loan Parties for information supplied by them or on their behalf in connection with any Loan Document, each European Secured Party confirms to the European Security Trustee that it has been, and shall continue to be, solely responsible for making its own independent appraisal and investigation of all risks arising under or in connection with the relevant European Security Agreements including but not limited to: (i) the financial condition, status and nature of the Loan Parties; (ii) the legality,

validity, effectiveness, adequacy or enforceability of the relevant European Security Agreements and any other agreement, arrangement or document entered into, made or executed in anticipation of, under or in connection with the relevant European Security Agreements; (iii) whether such European Secured Party has recourse, and the nature and extent of that recourse, against any party or any of its respective assets under or in connection with any Loan Document, the transactions contemplated by the European Security Agreements or any other agreement, arrangement or document entered into, made or executed in anticipation of, under or in connection with the relevant European Security Agreements; and (iv) the adequacy, accuracy and/or completeness of any information provided by any person under or in connection with the relevant European Security Agreements, the transactions contemplated by the relevant European Security Agreements or any other agreement, arrangement or document entered into, made or executed in anticipation of, under or in connection with the relevant European Security Agreements.

12.2.10 European Security Agreements.

(a) The European Security Trustee shall accept without investigation, requisition or objection, such title as any person may have to the assets which are subject to the relevant European Security Agreements and shall not (i) be bound or concerned to examine or enquire into the title of any person; (ii) be liable for any defect or failure in the title of any person, whether that defect or failure was known to the European Security Trustee or might have been discovered upon examination or enquiry and whether capable of remedy or not; or (iii) be liable for any failure on its part to give notice of the relevant European Security Agreements to any third party or otherwise perfect or register the security interests created by the relevant European Security Agreements (unless such failure arises directly from the European Security Trustee's gross negligence or wilful misconduct).

(b) The European Security Trustee shall hold the relevant European Security Agreements and all proceeds of enforcement of them on trust for the European Secured Parties on the terms and conditions of this Agreement.

(c) The relevant European Security Agreements shall rank as continuing security interest for the discharge of the liabilities secured by it.

12.2.11 Disposals.

(a) Subject to Section 12.4.1, the Security Trustee is authorized by each of the European Secured Parties to execute on behalf of itself and each such European Secured Party without the need for any further referral to or authority from such European Secured Party, any release of the security interests created by the relevant European Security Agreements over that asset and, if such asset comprises all of the shares in any Loan Party, the European Security Trustee is further authorized, without the need for any further referral to or authority from such European Secured Party, to execute a release of any security interests granted by such Loan Party over its assets pursuant to any of the European Security Agreements provided that in each such case the proceeds are applied in the manner provided for in this Agreement as if they were realizations pursuant to the relevant European Security Agreements.

(b) Each European Secured Party undertakes to execute such releases and other documents as may be necessary to give effect to the releases specified in Section 12.2.11(a).

12.2.12 Trust. The perpetuity period for each trust created by this Agreement shall be 125 years.

12.2.13 Parallel Debt Obligations. In order to ensure the continuing validity of the security interests governed by Dutch law or Belgian law (a) each Dutch Domiciled Loan Party and each Belgian Domiciled Loan Party irrevocably and unconditionally undertakes (that undertaking in respect of any amount, a Parallel Debt Obligation and in respect of all of them, the Parallel Debt Obligations) to pay to the European Security Trustee an amount equal to and in the same currency as all amounts from time to time due and payable by that Loan Party to the Lenders under the Credit Documents (the obligations to the Lenders in respect of any amount and a certain currency, an Original Obligation and its obligations to the Lenders in respect of all of them, the Original Obligations); (b) the Parallel Debt Obligations shall be separate from and independent of the Original Obligations, so that the European Security Trustee will have an independent right to demand performance of any Parallel Debt Obligation; (c) the Parallel Debt Obligations shall be owed to the European Security Trustee in its own name and any European Security Agreement governed by Dutch law or Belgian law shall also be expanded to secure the Parallel Debt Obligations; (d) the Lenders, the Loan Parties and the European Security Trustee acknowledge that the European Security Trustee acts in its own name and not as an agent or representative of the Lenders and the security interests governed by Dutch law or Belgian law created in favor of the European Security Trustee will not be held on trust; (e) other than as set out in Section 12.2.13(f), the Parallel Debt Obligations shall not limit or affect the existence of the Original Obligations, for which the Lenders shall have an independent right to demand performance (to the extent permitted by this Agreement); (f) payment by the Loan Parties of any Parallel Debt Obligation shall to the same extent decrease and be a good discharge of the corresponding Original Obligation owing to the Lenders and payment by the Loan Parties of any Original Obligations to the Lenders shall to the same extent decrease and be a good discharge of the corresponding Parallel Debt Obligation owing by it to the European Security Trustee; and (g) without limiting or affecting the European Security Trustee's right to protect, preserve or enforce its rights under any European Security Agreements governed by Dutch law or Belgian law, the European Security Trustee undertakes to the Lenders not to exercise its rights in respect of any Parallel Debt Obligation without the consent of the Agent. Notwithstanding clause (f) above, no Loan Party may pay any Parallel Debt Obligation other than at the instruction of, and in the manner determined by, the European Security Trustee. For the avoidance of doubt, the Parallel Debt Obligations will become due and payable (opeisbaar) at the same time as the corresponding Original Obligations.

12.2.14 Appointment and Retirement of European Security Trustee. The European Security Trustee (a) subject to the appointment of a successor (in consultation with the European Loan Party Agent) may, and must if the Agent requires, retire at any time from its position as European Security Trustee under the Loan Documents without assigning any reason, and (b) must give notice of its intention to retire by giving to the other European Secured Parties and the European Loan Party Agent not less than 30 days nor more than 60 days notice.

12.2.15 Appointment of Successor. The Agent may, with the approval of the European Loan Party Agent (such approval not to be unreasonably withheld) other than during the continuation of an Event of Default, appoint a successor to the European Security Trustee, during the period of notice in Section 12.2.14. If no successor is appointed by the Agent, the European Security Trustee may appoint (after consultation with the Agent and the European Loan Party Agent) its successor. The European Secured Parties shall promptly enter into any agreements that the successor may reasonably require to effect its appointment.

12.2.16 Discharge of European Security Trustee. From the date that the appointment of the successor is effected under Section 12.2.14, the retiring European Security Trustee must be discharged from any further obligations under the Loan Documents as European Security Trustee, and the successor to the European Security Trustee and each of the other European Secured Parties have the same rights and obligations between themselves as they would have had if the successor had been a party to those Loan Documents.

12.3 AUS-NZ Security Trustee.

12.3.1 Appointment of AUS-NZ Security Trustee by Australian Facility Secured Parties. The AUS-NZ Security Trustee is (a) appointed by Australian Facility Secured Parties to act as trustee of the Australian Security Trust and as the AUS-NZ Security Trustee for the purpose of the Loan Documents; and (b) irrevocably authorized to enter into the Loan Documents in its capacity as trustee of the Australian Security Trust and to take the action on its behalf and to exercise the rights that are expressly or by implication delegated to the AUS-NZ Security Trustee by a Loan Document and any other action or rights that are reasonably incidental.

12.3.2 Additional Australian Facility Security Parties; Transfers by Australian Lenders. An Australian Lender must not assign, encumber, declare a trust over or otherwise deal with any of its rights or novate any of its rights and obligations under any of the Loan Documents to any person other than as permitted by this Agreement and the other Loan Documents.

12.3.3 Notice of Change: (a) An Australian Facility Secured Party must promptly notify the Agent of any assignment, encumbrance, declaration of trust over or other dealing with or novation of that Australian Facility Secured Party's rights, benefits or obligations under any Credit Document; and (b) the AUS-NZ Security Trustee may treat each Australian Facility Secured Party (or any assignee or substitute Australian Facility Secured Party of which the AUS-NZ Security Trustee has actual notice) as the holder of the benefit of that Australian Facility Secured Party's interests under the Credit Documents unless and until it receives notice under Section 12.3.3 to the contrary.

12.3.4 Distribution of Recoveries. If at any time the AUS-NZ Security Trustee receives money under a Loan Document that is available for distribution, whether or not it represents the proceeds of recovery action taken under any Loan Document, then the AUS-NZ Security Trustee must, subject to any Applicable Law to the contrary including section 140 of the PPSA Australia, distribute that money in accordance with this Agreement.

12.3.5 Included as money. Money referred to in Section 12.3.4 includes money that is received by the AUS-NZ Security Trustee before enforcement proceedings are commenced under a Loan Document in relation to any Australian Facility Collateral but which has not been distributed by that time.

12.3.6 Not included as money. Subject to a contrary decision by the Agent (acting on the instructions of the relevant Required Borrower Group Lenders), the money referred to in Section 12.3.4 does not constitute recovered money (being the aggregate amount received in accordance with Section 5.5 that has not been distributed under this Agreement) if the money is deposited in an interest bearing suspense account under a Loan Document.

12.3.7 Notices and Instructions. The AUS-NZ Security Trustee must: (a) promptly send to each Australian Facility Secured Party details of each communication and document received by it from the Agent or an Australian Domiciled Loan Party in connection with the Loan Documents, unless the details are of a purely routine or administrative nature; (b) subject to the other provisions of this Agreement, act in accordance with any instructions from the Agent (acting on the instructions of the relevant Required Borrower Group Lenders) or, if so instructed by them, refrain from exercising rights vested in it under the Loan Documents; and (c) promptly notify the Agent of any Event of Default of which the AUS-NZ Security Trustee, acting in its capacity as AUS-NZ Security Trustee, acquires actual knowledge and of which the Agent does not have actual knowledge.

12.3.8 Limitation on duties. The AUS-NZ Security Trustee has only those duties, obligations and responsibilities expressly specified in the Loan Documents.

12.3.9 Instructions, Powers and Discretion. Subject to the other provisions of this Section 12.3.9 and except in relation to amounts due to the AUS-NZ Security Trustee in its own right, the AUS-NZ Security Trustee agrees to act in accordance with the instructions of the Agent (acting on the instructions of the relevant Required Borrower Group Lenders) in exercising its rights under the Loan Documents.

12.3.10 Exercise of Rights. The AUS-NZ Security Trustee in its capacity as AUS-NZ Security Trustee must not, without the prior written instructions of the Agent, (a) exercise rights delegated to or conferred on it under the Loan Documents; or (b) waive any breach of or otherwise excuse performance of any obligation of an Australian Domiciled Loan Party under any Loan Document.

12.3.11 Instructions Binding. Any instruction given to or action taken by the AUS-NZ Security Trustee in accordance with this Agreement is binding on all Australian Facility Secured Parties and each Australian Facility Secured Party authorizes the AUS-NZ Security Trustee to give any consent and do any other matter or thing necessary or appropriate to give effect to the instruction.

12.3.12 Instructions Given by Agent. The instructions referred to in this Section 12.3.12 (and any other provisions in this Section 12.3 requiring the Agent to seek or act in accordance with the Required Borrower Group Lenders or all Australian Lenders consent, authority or instructions) are deemed to be given in accordance with this Agreement, if the Agent

communicates such consent, authority or instructions to the AUS-NZ Security Trustee and states that the consent, authority or instructions were given or obtained in accordance with this Agreement. In such event, the AUS-NZ Security Trustee need not enquire whether the Required Borrower Group Lenders or all Australian Lenders have given the requisite consent, authority or instructions to the Agent.

12.3.13 Australian Facility Secured Party Rights. If (in the reasonable opinion of the Agent) the AUS-NZ Security Trustee fails to act in accordance with any instructions given to it under this Agreement (and within a time deemed reasonable by the Agent), each Australian Facility Secured Party has a right to exercise the rights of the AUS-NZ Security Trustee to enable that instruction to be effected.

12.3.14 AUS-NZ Security Trustee's Rights. The AUS-NZ Security Trustee may (a) perform any of its duties, obligations and responsibilities under the Loan Documents by or through its agents and representatives; (b) refrain from exercising any rights vested in it under the Loan Documents until it has received instructions from the Agent, as to whether (and, if it is to be exercised, the way in which) that right is to be exercised and in all cases will not incur any liability when (i) acting in accordance with those instructions or (ii) refraining from acting, either in accordance with those instructions or in the absence of those instructions; (c) refrain from doing anything that would or might in its opinion be contrary to any Applicable Law or directive or otherwise render it liable to any Person and may do anything which is, in its opinion, necessary to comply with any Applicable Law or directive; (d) assume that no Default or Event of Default has occurred unless the AUS-NZ Security Trustee acquires actual knowledge to the contrary; (e) refrain from taking any step (or further step) to protect or enforce the rights of any Australian Facility Secured Party under the Loan Documents until it has been indemnified or secured to its reasonable satisfaction against any and all Claims which it would or might sustain or incur as a result; (f) hold any of the Loan Documents and any other related documents with any financial institution or reputable Person whose business includes undertaking the safe custody of documents or any lawyer or firm of lawyers selected by the AUS-NZ Security Trustee, and the AUS-NZ Security Trustee is not responsible for any Claims incurred in connection with the deposit of those documents and may pay all sums required to be paid on account or in respect of any deposit of those documents; (g) in the conduct of any trust, instead of acting personally, employ and pay an agent, being a lawyer, or other professional person, to transact or conduct, or concur in doing all acts required to be done by the AUS-NZ Security Trustee (including the receipt and payment of money); and (h) appoint further or additional trustees for the purpose of giving valid receipts without being liable for the actions of those trustees.

12.3.15 Australian Facility Security Party to Provide Statement. The AUS-NZ Security Trustee may at any time request (through the Agent or directly) an Australian Facility Secured Party to provide a statement setting out (a) as at the date of the statement or any other relevant date specified by the AUS-NZ Security Trustee, the Australian Facility Secured Obligations owing to such Australian Facility Secured Party; (b) any other information (including documents) that the AUS-NZ Security Trustee may reasonably require in relation to the details and calculations of the amounts under this Section 12.3.15; (c) if the AUS-NZ Security Trustee requests an Australian Facility Secured Party to provide a statement under this Section 12.3.15 the Australian Facility Secured Party must provide that statement within a

reasonable time; (d) The AUS-NZ Security Trustee, as between itself and the other Australian Facility Secured Parties, may rely on the statement referred to in this Section 12.3.15 as conclusive evidence of its contents, unless (i) the contrary is proved, or (ii) the AUS-NZ Security Trustee determines it is not reasonably satisfied as to the correctness of those amounts.

12.3.16 The AUS-NZ Security Trustee may Delegate. (a) If the AUS-NZ Security Trustee, in its sole discretion, considers that delegation is desirable in assisting the AUS-NZ Security Trustee to perform its functions under the Loan Documents, the AUS-NZ Security Trustee may delegate to any person or fluctuating body of persons all or any of the duties, trusts, powers, authorities and discretions vested in the AUS-NZ Security Trustee under or in connection with the Loan Documents; and (b) any delegation under this Section 12.3.16 may be (i) by power of attorney or in any other manner as the AUS-NZ Security Trustee may think fit; and (ii) made on the terms and conditions (including power to sub delegate) as the AUS-NZ Security Trustee may think fit (but the terms and conditions must not be inconsistent with any of the provision of the Loan Documents).

12.3.17 AUS-NZ Security Trustee s Further Rights. The AUS-NZ Security Trustee may (a) rely on any communication or document believed by it to be genuine; (b) rely, as to any matter of fact that might reasonably be expected to be within the knowledge of a Loan Party, on a statement by or on their behalf; (c) obtain and pay for legal or other expert advice or services that may to it seem necessary or desirable and rely on that advice; (d) retain for its own benefit, and without liability to account, any fee or other sum receivable by it for its own account; and (e) accept deposits from, lend money to, provide any advisory or other services to or engage in any kind of banking or other business with any party to the Loan Documents and any Affiliates of any party (and, in each case, may do so without liability to account).

12.3.18 AUS-NZ Security Trustee as Australian Facility Secured Party. The AUS-NZ Security Trustee, in its capacity as a Credit Party (if applicable), has the same rights under this document as any other Credit Party and may exercise those rights as if it were not acting as AUS-NZ Security Trustee.

12.3.19 AUS-NZ Security Trustee s Exoneration. The AUS-NZ Security Trustee is not (a) responsible for the adequacy, accuracy or completeness of any representation, warranty, statement or information in the Loan Documents or any notice or other document delivered under or referred to in the Loan Documents; (b) responsible for the execution, delivery, validity, legality, adequacy, enforceability or admissibility in evidence of the Loan Documents; (c) required to (i) take any action with respect to the PPSA Australia, other than as directed by the Agent; or (ii) monitor the PPSA Australia or the implementation of it; (c) obliged to enquire as to the occurrence or continuation of an Event of Default or Default; (d) under any obligations other than those for which express provision is made in a Loan Document to which it is a party; (e) liable for anything done or not done by it under or in connection with the Loan Documents except in the case of fraud gross negligence or wilful misconduct by the AUS-NZ Security Trustee or any of its agents or representatives; or (f) liable for anything done or not done by any receiver or manager under or in connection with the Australian Facility Collateral.

12.3.20 Capacity. This Agreement and the other Loan Documents only bind the AUS-NZ Security Trustee in its capacity as AUS-NZ Security Trustee and any obligation of the AUS-NZ Security Trustee under this Agreement or the other Loan Documents applies to the AUS-NZ Security Trustee in its capacity as AUS-NZ Security Trustee.

12.3.21 Limited on Liability. No Person to whom the AUS-NZ Security Trustee is liable under this Agreement or any other Loan Document is entitled to have recourse in satisfaction of such liability to any assets held by the AUS-NZ Security Trustee in its personal capacity or in its capacity as trustee of any trust other than the trust established under and pursuant to the this Agreement and the recourse of any such person is limited to the Australian Trust Fund. The AUS-NZ Security Trustee is not liable for any act (or omission) if it acts (or refrains from acting) in accordance with the instructions of Agent, provided that Agent is entitled to give those instructions under and in accordance with the Loan Documents. The provisions of this Section 12.3.21 will not apply to any obligation or liability of the AUS-NZ Security Trustee to the extent that it is not satisfied because there is a reduction in the extent, or an extinguishment, of the AUS-NZ Security Trustee's indemnification out of the assets of the Australian Security Trust, as a result of the AUS-NZ Security Trustee's fraud, gross negligence or wilful default.

12.3.22 Exoneration. Neither the AUS-NZ Security Trustee nor any of its directors, officers, employees, agents, attorneys or Affiliates is responsible or liable to any person (a) because a Loan Party does not perform its obligations under the Credit Documents; (b) for the financial condition of the Loan Parties; (c) because any statement, representation or warranty in a Credit Document given by a party other than the AUS-NZ Security Trustee is incorrect or misleading; (d) for the effectiveness, genuineness, validity, admissibility in evidence or sufficiency of the Credit Documents or any document signed or delivered in connection with the Credit Documents; (e) for the enforceability of the Credit Documents or any other document signed or delivered in connection with the Credit Documents against any person (other than the AUS-NZ Security Trustee); (f) for any loss or damage occurring as a result of it exercising, failing to exercise or purporting to exercise any right or power under this Agreement or other Loan Documents; (g) subject to this Agreement; (i) for the default, negligence or fault of any directors, officers, employees, agents, delegates, attorneys or Affiliates of the AUS-NZ Security Trustee; (ii) for any mistake or omission made by it or any directors, officers, employees, agents, delegates, attorneys or Affiliates of the AUS-NZ Security Trustee; (iii) for any other matter or thing done, or not done, in relation to the Credit Documents; (h) for any absence of, or defect in title or for its inability to exercise any of its powers under the Loan Documents; (i) for any failure by a Loan Party to perform its obligations under any Credit Document; (j) for acting in accordance with the provisions of this Agreement; or (k) for the value, validity, effectiveness, genuineness, enforceability or sufficiency of any Credit Document or any certificate or document given under any of them; except to the extent that the act or omission amounts to fraud, gross negligence or wilful misconduct by the AUS-NZ Security Trustee or any directors, officers, employees, agents, delegates, attorneys or Affiliates of the AUS-NZ Security Trustee or a gross or wilful breach by it of its obligations under this Agreement. Without limiting this Section 12.3.22, the AUS-NZ Security Trustee is not responsible or liable to any Person for anything done or not done in connection with this Agreement by the AUS-NZ Security Trustee or its directors, officers, employees, agents, attorneys or Affiliates except to the extent that the act or omission amounts to fraud, gross negligence or wilful misconduct by the AUS-NZ Security Trustee or a gross or wilful breach by it of its obligations under this Agreement.

12.3.23 No Reliance on AUS-NZ Security Trustee. Each Australian Facility Secured Party confirms that it has itself been, is at all times and continues to be, solely responsible for making its own independent investigation and appraisal of the business, operations, financial condition, creditworthiness, status and affairs of the Loan Parties and has not relied, and will not at any time rely, on the AUS-NZ Security Trustee (a) to provide it with any information relating to the business, operations, financial condition, creditworthiness, status or affairs of the Loan Parties, or the condition, whether coming into its possession before or after providing financial accommodation or facilities to any of the Loan Parties; or (b) to check or enquire into the adequacy, accuracy or completeness of any information provided by the Loan Parties or any other Person under or in connection with the Loan Documents (whether or not the information has been or is at any time circulated to it by the AUS-NZ Security Trustee).

12.3.24 Appointment and Retirement of AUS-NZ Security Trustee. The AUS-NZ Security Trustee (a) subject to the appointment of a successor (in consultation with the Asian Loan Party Agent) may, and must if the Agent requires, retire at any time from its position as AUS-NZ Security Trustee under the Loan Documents without assigning any reason, and (b) must give notice of its intention to retire by giving to the other Australian Facility Secured Parties and the Asian Loan Party Agent not less than 30 days nor more than 60 days notice.

12.3.25 Appointment of Successor. The Agent may, with the approval of the Asian Loan Party Agent (such approval not to be unreasonably withheld) other than during the continuation of an Event of Default, appoint a successor to the AUS-NZ Security Trustee, during the period of notice in Section 12.3.24. If no successor is appointed by the Agent, the AUS-NZ Security Trustee (after consulting with Agent and the Asian Loan Party Agent) may appoint its successor. The Australian Facility Secured Parties shall promptly enter into any agreements that the successor may reasonably require to effect its appointment.

12.3.26 Discharge of AUS-NZ Security Trustee. From the date that the appointment of the successor is effected under Section 12.3.25, the retiring AUS-NZ Security Trustee must be discharged from any further obligations under the Loan Documents as AUS-NZ Security Trustee, and the successor to the AUS-NZ Security Trustee and each of the other Australian Facility Secured Parties have the same rights and obligations between themselves as they would have had if the successor had been a party to those Loan Documents.

12.3.27 Australian Facility Secured Parties to Indemnify AUS-NZ Security Trustee. To the extent that the Loan Parties do not do so on demand or are not obliged to do so, each Australian Facility Secured Party must on demand indemnify the AUS-NZ Security Trustee against any Claims sustained or incurred by the AUS-NZ Security Trustee in (a) complying with any instructions from the Agent or the Australian Facility Secured Parties; (b) otherwise sustained or incurred by it in connection with the Loan Documents or its duties, obligations and responsibilities under the Loan Documents; or (c) as a result of appointing a receiver or manager under any of the Australian Facility Collateral, except to the extent that the Claim is sustained or incurred as a result of the fraud, gross negligence or willful misconduct of the AUS-NZ Security Trustee or any of its representatives. When there are no Australian Facility Secured Obligations (including, anything that is reasonably foreseeable as falling within the definition of Australian Facility Secured Obligations) in relation to an Australian Facility Secured Party and the relevant Australian Facility Secured Party is not committed or obliged to make advances or provide any other financial accommodation to the Australian Domiciled Loan Parties, the relevant Australian Facility Secured Party ceases to be an Australian Facility Secured Party on notice in writing to that effect from the Agent and the AUS-NZ Security Trustee.

12.3.28 Australian Facility Secured Party Notice to Cease. An Australian Facility Secured Party may, by notice to that effect to the AUS-NZ Security Trustee, cease to be an Australian Facility Secured Party.

12.3.29 Waiver and Exercise of Rights: The AUS-NZ Security Trustee's failure or delay to exercise a power or right does not operate as a waiver of that power or right and the exercise of a power or right does not preclude either its exercise in the future or the exercise of any other power or right. A waiver is not effective unless it is in writing and waiver of a power or right is effective only in respect of the specific instance to which it relates and for the specific purpose for which it is given.

12.4 Agreements Regarding Collateral and Field Examination Reports.

12.4.1 Lien Releases; Care of Collateral.

(a) Australian Facility Secured Parties authorize the Agent and AUS-NZ Security Trustee to release any Lien with respect to any Australian Facility Collateral (i) upon Full Payment of the Australian Facility Obligations or in connection with a liquidation or dissolution permitted under Section 10.2.3(e); (ii) that the Asian Loan Party Agent certifies in writing to the Agent is subject to a disposal permitted under Section 10.2.4 or a Lien which the Asian Loan Party Agent certifies is permitted under Section 10.2.2 and entitled to priority over the Agent's and AUS-Security Trustee's Liens (and the Agent or the AUS-NZ Security Trustee, as applicable, may rely conclusively on any such certificate without further inquiry); (iii) that does not constitute a material part of the Australian Facility Collateral; (iv) following an Event of Default, in connection with an enforcement action and realization on Australian Facility Collateral; or (v) with the written consent of all Australian Lenders.

(b) Belgian Facility Secured Parties authorize the Agent and European Security Trustee to release any Lien with respect to any Belgian Facility Collateral (i) upon Full Payment of the Belgian Facility Obligations or in connection with a liquidation or dissolution permitted under Section 10.2.3(e); (ii) that the European Loan Party Agent certifies in writing to the Agent is subject to a disposal permitted under Section 10.2.4 or a Lien which the European Loan Party Agent certifies is permitted under Section 10.2.2 and entitled to priority over the Agent's and European Security Trustee's Liens (and the Agent or the European Trustee, as applicable, may rely conclusively on any such certificate without further inquiry); (iii) that does not constitute a material part of the Belgian Facility Collateral; (iv) following an Event of Default, in connection with an enforcement action and realization on Belgian Facility Collateral; or (v) with the written consent of all Belgian Lenders.

(c) Canadian Facility Secured Parties authorize the Agent to release any Lien with respect to any Canadian Facility Collateral (i) upon Full Payment of the Canadian Facility Obligations or in connection with a liquidation or dissolution permitted under Section 10.2.3(e); (ii) that the North American Loan Party Agent certifies in writing to the Agent is subject to a

disposal permitted under Section 10.2.4 or a Lien which the North American Loan Party Agent certifies is permitted under Section 10.2.2 and entitled to priority over the Agent's Liens (and the Agent may rely conclusively on any such certificate without further inquiry); (iii) that does not constitute a material part of the Canadian Facility Collateral; (iv) following an Event of Default, in connection with an enforcement action and realization on Canadian Facility Collateral; or (v) with the written consent of all Canadian Lenders.

(d) Dutch Facility Secured Parties authorize the Agent and European Security Trustee to release any Lien with respect to any Dutch Facility Collateral (i) upon Full Payment of the Dutch Facility Obligations or in connection with a liquidation or dissolution permitted under Section 10.2.3(e); (ii) that the European Loan Party Agent certifies in writing to the Agent is subject to a disposal permitted under Section 10.2.4 or a Lien which the European Loan Party Agent certifies is permitted under Section 10.2.2 and entitled to priority over the Agent's and European Security Trustee's Liens (and the Agent or the European Trustee, as applicable, may rely conclusively on any such certificate without further inquiry); (iii) that does not constitute a material part of the Dutch Facility Collateral; (iv) following an Event of Default, in connection with an enforcement action and realization on Dutch Facility Collateral; or (v) with the written consent of all Dutch Lenders.

(e) New Zealand Facility Secured Parties authorize the Agent and AUS-NZ Security Trustee to release any Lien with respect to any New Zealand Facility Collateral (i) upon Full Payment of the New Zealand Facility Obligations or in connection with a liquidation or dissolution permitted under Section 10.2.3(e); (ii) that the Asian Loan Party Agent certifies in writing to the Agent is subject to a disposal permitted under Section 10.2.4 or a Lien which the Asian Loan Party Agent certifies is permitted under Section 10.2.2 and entitled to priority over the Agent's and AUS-NZ Security Trustee's Liens (and the Agent or the AUS-NZ Security Trustee, as applicable, may rely conclusively on any such certificate without further inquiry); (iii) that does not constitute a material part of the New Zealand Facility Collateral; (iv) following an Event of Default, in connection with an enforcement action and realization on New Zealand Facility Collateral; or (v) with the written consent of all New Zealand Lenders.

(f) Singapore Facility Secured Parties authorize the Agent and Singapore Security Trustee to release any Lien with respect to any Singapore Facility Collateral (i) upon Full Payment of the Singapore Facility Obligations or in connection with a liquidation or dissolution permitted under Section 10.2.3(e); (ii) that the Asian Loan Party Agent certifies in writing to the Agent is subject to a disposal permitted under Section 10.2.4 or a Lien which the Asian Loan Party Agent certifies is permitted under Section 10.2.2 and entitled to priority over the Agent's and Singapore Security Trustee's Liens (and the Agent or the Singapore Security Trustee, as applicable, may rely conclusively on any such certificate without further inquiry); (iii) that does not constitute a material part of the Singapore Facility Collateral; (iv) following an Event of Default, in connection with an enforcement action and realization on Singapore Facility Collateral; or (v) with the written consent of all Singapore Lenders.

(g) UK Facility Secured Parties authorize the Agent and European Security Trustee to release any Lien with respect to any UK Facility Collateral (i) upon Full Payment of the UK Facility Obligations or in connection with a liquidation or dissolution permitted under Section 10.2.3(e); (ii) that the European Loan Party Agent certifies in writing to the Agent is

subject to a disposal permitted under Section 10.2.4 or a Lien which the European Loan Party Agent certifies is permitted under Section 10.2.2 and entitled to priority over the Agent's and European Security Trustee's Liens (and the Agent or the European Trustee, as applicable, may rely conclusively on any such certificate without further inquiry); (iii) that does not constitute a material part of the UK Facility Collateral; (iv) following an Event of Default, in connection with an enforcement action and realization on UK Facility Collateral; or (v) with the written consent of all UK Lenders.

(h) U.S. Facility Secured Parties authorize the Agent to release any Lien with respect to any U.S. Facility Collateral (i) upon Full Payment of the U.S. Facility Obligations or in connection with a liquidation or dissolution permitted under Section 10.2.3(e); (ii) that the North American Loan Party Agent certifies in writing to the Agent is subject to a disposal permitted under Section 10.2.4 or a Lien which the North American Loan Party Agent certifies is permitted to be sold under Section 10.2.2 and entitled to priority over the Agent's Liens (and the Agent may rely conclusively on any such certificate without further inquiry); (iii) that does not constitute a material part of the U.S. Facility Collateral; (iv) following an Event of Default, in connection with an enforcement action and realization on U.S. Facility Collateral; or (v) with the written consent of all U.S. Lenders.

(i) The Agent shall have no obligation to assure that any Collateral exists or is owned by a Loan Party, or is cared for, protected or insured, nor to assure that the Agent's or any Security Trustee's Liens have been properly created, perfected or enforced, or are entitled to any particular priority, nor to exercise any duty of care with respect to any Collateral.

12.4.2 Possession of Collateral.

(a) The Agent and Australian Facility Secured Parties appoint each Australian Lender as agent (for the benefit of Australian Facility Secured Parties) for the purpose of perfecting Liens in any Australian Facility Collateral held or controlled by such Australian Lender, to the extent such Liens are perfected by possession or control.

(b) The Agent and Canadian Facility Secured Parties appoint each Canadian Lender as agent (for the benefit of Canadian Facility Secured Parties) for the purpose of perfecting Liens in any Canadian Facility Collateral held or controlled by such Canadian Lender, to the extent such Liens are perfected by possession or control.

(c) The Agent and New Zealand Facility Secured Parties appoint each New Zealand Lender as agent (for the benefit of New Zealand Facility Secured Parties) for the purpose of perfecting Liens in any New Zealand Facility Collateral held or controlled by such New Zealand Lender, to the extent such Liens are perfected by possession or control.

(d) The Agent and Singapore Facility Secured Parties appoint each Singapore Lender as agent (for the benefit of Singapore Facility Secured Parties) for the purpose of perfecting Liens in any Singapore Facility Collateral held or controlled by such Singapore Lender, to the extent such Liens are perfected by possession or control.

(e) The Agent and U.S. Facility Secured Parties appoint each U.S. Lender as agent (for the benefit of U.S. Facility Secured Parties) for the purpose of perfecting Liens in any U.S. Facility Collateral held or controlled by such U.S. Lender, to the extent such Liens are perfected by possession or control.

(f) If any Lender obtains possession or control of any Collateral, it shall notify the Agent thereof and, promptly upon the Agent's request, deliver such Collateral to the Agent or the applicable Security Trustee or otherwise deal with it in accordance with the Agent's instructions.

12.4.3 Reports. The Agent shall promptly forward to each Applicable Lender, when complete, copies of any field audit, examination or appraisal report prepared by or for the Agent with respect to any Loan Party or Collateral (Report). Each Lender agrees (a) that neither Bank of America nor the Agent makes any representation or warranty as to the accuracy or completeness of any Report, and shall not be liable for any information contained in or omitted from any Report; (b) that the Reports are not intended to be comprehensive audits or examinations, and that the Agent or any other Person performing any audit or examination will inspect only specific information regarding Obligations or the Collateral and will rely significantly upon the applicable Loan Parties' books and records as well as upon representations of the applicable Loan Parties' officers and employees; and (c) to keep all Reports confidential and strictly for such Lender's internal use, and not to distribute any Report (or the contents thereof) to any Person (except to such Lender's Participants, attorneys and accountants) or use any Report in any manner other than administration of the Loans and other Obligations. Each Lender shall indemnify and hold harmless the Agent and any other Person preparing a Report from any action such Lender may take as a result of or any conclusion it may draw from any Report, as well as from any Claims arising as a direct or indirect result of the Agent furnishing a Report to such Lender.

12.5 Reliance By Agent. The Agent shall be entitled to rely, and shall be fully protected in relying, upon any certification, notice or other communication (including those by telephone, telex, telegram, telecopy or e-mail) believed by it in good faith to be genuine and correct and to have been signed, sent or made by the proper Person, and upon the advice and statements of Agent Professionals. The Agent shall have a reasonable and practicable amount of time to act upon any instruction, notice or other communication under any Loan Document, and shall not be liable for any delay in acting.

12.6 Action Upon Default. The Agent shall not be deemed to have knowledge of any Default or Event of Default, or of any failure to satisfy any conditions in Section 6, unless it has received written notice from a Loan Party Agent, Required Lenders or Required Borrower Group Lenders specifying the occurrence and nature thereof. If any Lender acquires knowledge of a Default, Event of Default or of such conditions, it shall promptly notify the Agent and the other Lenders thereof in writing. Each Secured Party agrees that, except as otherwise provided in any Credit Documents or with the written consent of the Agent and Required Lenders, it will not take any Enforcement Action, accelerate Obligations (other than Secured Bank Product Obligations), or exercise any right that it might otherwise have under Applicable Law to credit bid at foreclosure sales, UCC or PPSA sales or other similar dispositions of Collateral or to assert any rights relating to any Collateral.

12.7 Ratable Sharing. If any Lender shall obtain any payment or reduction of any Obligation, whether through set-off or otherwise, in excess of its share of such Obligation, determined on a Pro Rata basis or in accordance with Section 5.5.1, as applicable, such Lender shall forthwith purchase from the Agent, any Fronting Bank (other than Non-Lender Fronting Banks) and the other Applicable Lenders such participations in the affected Obligation as are necessary to cause the purchasing Lender to share the excess payment or reduction on a Pro Rata basis or in accordance with Section 5.5.1, as applicable. If any of such payment or reduction is thereafter recovered from the purchasing Lender, the purchase shall be rescinded and the purchase price restored to the extent of such recovery, but without interest. Notwithstanding the foregoing, if a Defaulting Lender obtains a payment or reduction of any Obligation, it shall immediately turn over the amount thereof to the Agent for application under Section 4.2 and it shall provide a written statement to the Agent describing the Obligation affected by such payment or reduction. No Lender shall setoff against any Dominion Account without the prior consent of the Agent.

12.8 Indemnification of Agent Indemnitees. EACH LENDER SHALL INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS AGENT INDEMNITEES, TO THE EXTENT NOT REIMBURSED BY LOAN PARTIES (BUT WITHOUT LIMITING THE INDEMNIFICATION OBLIGATIONS OF LOAN PARTIES UNDER ANY CREDIT DOCUMENTS), ON A PRO RATA BASIS, AGAINST ALL CLAIMS THAT MAY BE INCURRED BY OR ASSERTED AGAINST ANY SUCH AGENT INDEMNITEE, *PROVIDED* THE ANY CLAIM AGAINST AN AGENT INDEMNITEE RELATES TO OR ARISES FROM ITS ACTING AS OR FOR THE AGENT (IN THE CAPACITY OF THE AGENT). In no event shall any Lender have any obligation hereunder to indemnify or hold harmless an Agent Indemnitee with respect to a Claim that is determined in a final, non-appealable judgment by a court of competent jurisdiction to result from the gross negligence or willful misconduct of such Agent Indemnitee. In the Agent's discretion, it may reserve for any Claims made against an Agent Indemnitee, and may satisfy any judgment, order or settlement relating thereto, from proceeds of Collateral prior to making any distribution of Collateral proceeds to the Secured Parties. If the Agent is sued by any Creditor Representative, debtor-in-possession or other Person for any alleged preference or fraudulent transfer, then any monies paid by the Agent in settlement or satisfaction of such proceeding, together with all interest, costs and expenses (including attorneys' fees) incurred in the defense of same, shall be promptly reimbursed to the Agent by each Lender to the extent of its Pro Rata share.

12.9 Limitation on Responsibilities of Agent. The Agent shall not be liable to any Secured Party for any action taken or omitted to be taken under the Credit Documents, except for losses directly and solely caused by the Agent's gross negligence or willful misconduct. The Agent does not assume any responsibility for any failure or delay in performance or any breach by any Loan Party, Lender or other Secured Party of any obligations under the Credit Documents. The Agent does not make any express or implied warranty, representation or guarantee to the Secured Parties with respect to any Obligations, Collateral, Credit Documents or Loan Party. No Agent Indemnitee shall be responsible to the Secured Parties for any recitals, statements, information, representations or warranties contained in any Credit Documents; the execution, validity, genuineness, effectiveness or enforceability of any Credit Documents; the genuineness, enforceability, collectability, value, sufficiency, location or existence of any Collateral, or the validity, extent, perfection or priority of any Lien therein; the validity,

enforceability or collectability of any Obligations; or the assets, liabilities, financial condition, results of operations, business, creditworthiness or legal status of any Loan Party or Account Debtor. No Agent Indemnitee shall have any obligation to any Secured Party to ascertain or inquire into the existence of any Default or Event of Default, the observance or performance by any Loan Party of any terms of the Credit Documents, or the satisfaction of any conditions precedent contained in any Credit Documents.

12.10 Successor Agent and Co-Agents.

12.10.1 Resignation; Successor Agent. Subject to the appointment and acceptance of a successor Agent as provided below, Agent may resign at any time by giving at least 30 days written notice thereof to Lenders and the Loan Party Agents. Upon receipt of such notice, Required Lenders shall have the right to appoint a successor Agent which shall be (a) a U.S. Lender or an Affiliate of a U.S. Lender; or (b) a commercial bank that is organized under the laws of the United States or any state or district thereof, has a combined capital surplus of at least \$200,000,000 and (*provided* no Event of Default exists) is reasonably acceptable to the Loan Party Agents. Upon acceptance by a successor Agent of an appointment to serve as the Agent hereunder, or upon appointment of Required Lenders as successor Agent, such successor Agent shall thereupon succeed to and become vested with all the powers and duties of the retiring Agent without further act, and the retiring Agent shall be discharged from its duties and obligations hereunder but shall continue to have the benefits of the indemnification set forth in Sections 12.8 and 14.2. Notwithstanding any Agent's resignation, the provisions of this Section 12 shall continue in effect for its benefit with respect to any actions taken or omitted to be taken by it while the Agent. Any successor to Bank of America by merger or acquisition of stock or this loan shall continue to be the Agent hereunder without further act on the part of the parties hereto, unless such successor resigns as provided above.

12.10.2 Separate Collateral Agent. It is the intent of the parties that there shall be no violation of any Applicable Law denying or restricting the right of financial institutions to transact business in any jurisdiction. If the Agent believes that it may be limited in the exercise of any rights or remedies under the Credit Documents due to any Applicable Law, the Agent may appoint an additional Person who is not so limited, as a separate security trustee, collateral agent or co-collateral agent. If the Agent so appoints a security trustee, collateral agent or co-collateral agent, each right and remedy intended to be available to the Agent under the Credit Documents shall also be vested in such separate agent. The Secured Parties shall execute and deliver such documents as the Agent deems appropriate to vest any rights or remedies in such agent. If any security trustee, collateral agent or co-collateral agent shall die or dissolve, become incapable of acting, resign or be removed, then all the rights and remedies of such agent, to the extent permitted by Applicable Law, shall vest in and be exercised by the Agent until appointment of a new agent.

12.11 Due Diligence and Non-Reliance. Each Lender acknowledges and agrees that it has, independently and without reliance upon the Agent or any other Lenders, and based upon such documents, information and analyses as it has deemed appropriate, made its own credit analysis of each Loan Party and its own decision to enter into this Agreement and to fund Loans and participate in LC Obligations hereunder. Each Secured Party has made such inquiries as it deems necessary concerning the Credit Documents, the Collateral and each Loan Party. Each

Secured Party further acknowledges and agrees that the other Secured Parties and the Agent have made no representations or warranties concerning any Loan Party, any Collateral or the legality, validity, sufficiency or enforceability of any Credit Documents or Obligations. Each Secured Party will, independently and without reliance upon any other Secured Party or the Agent, and based upon such financial statements, documents and information as it deems appropriate at the time, continue to make and rely upon its own credit decisions in making Loans and participating in LC Obligations, and in taking or refraining from any action under any Credit Documents. Except for notices, reports and other information expressly requested by a Lender, the Agent shall have no duty or responsibility to provide any Secured Party with any notices, reports or certificates furnished to the Agent by any Loan Party or any credit or other information concerning the affairs, financial condition, business or Properties of any Loan Party (or any of its Affiliates) which may come into possession of the Agent or any of Agent's Affiliates.

12.12 Remittance of Payments and Collections.

12.12.1 Remittances Generally. All payments by any Lender to the Agent shall be made by the time and on the day set forth in this Agreement, in immediately available funds. If no time for payment is specified or if payment is due on demand by the Agent and request for payment is made by the Agent by 11:00 a.m. (Local Time) on a Business Day, payment shall be made by Lender not later than 2:00 p.m. (Local Time) on such day, and if request is made after 11:00 a.m. (Local Time), then payment shall be made by 11:00 a.m. (Local Time) on the next Business Day. Payment by the Agent to any Secured Party shall be made by wire transfer, in the type of funds received by the Agent. Any such payment shall be subject to the Agent's right of offset for any amounts due from such payee under the Loan Documents.

12.12.2 Failure to Pay. If any Secured Party fails to pay any amount when due by it to the Agent pursuant to the terms hereof, such amount shall bear interest from the due date until paid at the rate determined by the Agent as customary in the banking industry for interbank compensation. In no event shall Loan Parties be entitled to receive credit for any interest paid by a Secured Party to the Agent, nor shall any Defaulting Lender be entitled to interest on any amounts held by Agent pursuant to Section 4.2.

12.12.3 Recovery of Payments. If the Agent pays any amount to a Secured Party in the expectation that a related payment will be received by the Agent from a Loan Party and such related payment is not received, then Agent may recover such amount from each Secured Party that received it. If the Agent determines at any time that an amount received under any Loan Document must be returned to a Loan Party or paid to any other Person pursuant to Applicable Law or otherwise, then, notwithstanding any other term of any Loan Document, the Agent shall not be required to distribute such amount to any Lender. If any amounts received and applied by the Agent to any Obligations are later required to be returned by the Agent pursuant to Applicable Law, each Lender shall pay to the Agent, on demand, such Lender's Pro Rata share of the amounts required to be returned.

12.13 Agent in its Individual Capacity. As a Lender, Bank of America shall have the same rights and remedies under the other Credit Documents as any other Lender, and the terms Lenders, Required Lenders, Required Borrower Group Lenders or any similar term shall include Bank of America and its Affiliates in their capacities as Lenders. Each of Bank of

America and its Affiliates may accept deposits from, lend money to, provide Bank Products to, act as financial or other advisor to, and generally engage in any kind of business with, the Loan Parties and their Affiliates, as if Bank of America was not Agent hereunder, without any duty to account therefor to Lenders. In their individual capacities, Bank of America and its Affiliates may receive information regarding the Loan Parties, their Affiliates and their Account Debtors (including information subject to confidentiality obligations), and each Secured Party agrees that Bank of America and its Affiliates shall be under no obligation to provide such information to any Secured Party, if acquired in such individual capacity.

12.14 Agent Titles. Each Lender, other than Bank of America, that is designated (on the cover page of this Agreement or otherwise) by Bank of America as an Agent or Arranger of any type shall not have any right, power, responsibility or duty under any Loan Documents other than those applicable to all Lenders, and shall in no event be deemed to have any fiduciary relationship with any other Lender.

12.15 Bank Product Providers. Each Secured Bank Product Provider that is not a Lender, by delivery of a joinder agreement in form and substance reasonably satisfactory to Agent and the applicable Loan Party Agent, or as otherwise agreed by Agent and such Loan Party Agent, shall agree to be bound by Section 5.5 and this Section 12. Each Secured Bank Product Provider shall indemnify and hold harmless Agent Indemnitees, to the extent not reimbursed by Loan Parties, against all Claims that may be incurred by or asserted against any Agent Indemnitee in connection with such provider's Secured Bank Product Obligations (except those Claims determined in a final, non-appealable judgment by a court of competent jurisdiction to result from the gross negligence or willful misconduct of such Agent Indemnitee).

12.16 No Third Party Beneficiaries. This Section 12 is an agreement solely among the Secured Parties and the Agent, and shall survive Full Payment of the Obligations. This Section 12 does not confer any rights or benefits upon Loan Parties or any other Person. As between Loan Parties and the Agent, any action that the Agent may take under any Credit Documents or with respect to any Obligations shall be conclusively presumed to have been authorized and directed by the Secured Parties.

SECTION 13. BENEFIT OF AGREEMENT; ASSIGNMENTS AND PARTICIPATIONS

13.1 Successors and Assigns. This Agreement shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of Loan Parties, the Agent, Secured Parties, and their respective successors and assigns, except that (a) no Loan Party shall have the right to assign its rights or delegate its obligations under any Loan Documents; and (b) any assignment by a Lender must be made in compliance with Section 13.3. The Agent may treat the Person which made any Loan as the owner thereof for all purposes until such Person makes an assignment in accordance with Section 13.3. Any authorization or consent of a Lender shall be conclusive and binding on any subsequent transferee or assignee of such Lender. The Agent, acting solely for this purpose as a non-fiduciary agent of the Borrowers, shall maintain a copy of each Assignment and Acceptance delivered to it and a register for the recordation of the names and addresses of the Lenders and Fronting Banks, and the Commitments of, and principal amounts (and stated interest) of the Loans, Letters of Credit and other obligations owing to, each Lender or Fronting Bank pursuant

to the terms hereof from time to time (the Register). The entries in the Register shall be conclusive absent manifest error (provided, that a failure to make any such recordation, or any error in such recordation, shall not affect the Borrowers' obligations in respect of such Loans, Letters of Credit or other obligations), and the Borrowers, the Agent, the Lenders and the Fronting Banks shall treat each Person whose name is recorded in the Register pursuant to the terms hereof as the owner of the Commitments, Loans, Letters of Credit and other obligations recorded in the Register as owing to such Person, for all purposes of this Agreement. The Register shall be available for inspection by the Borrowers and any Lender or Fronting Bank, at any reasonable time and from time to time upon reasonable prior notice.

13.2 Participations.

13.2.1 Permitted Participants: Effect. Any Lender may, in the ordinary course of its business and in accordance with Applicable Law, at any time sell to a financial institution (Participant) a participating interest in the rights and obligations of such Lender under any Loan Documents. Despite any sale by a Lender of participating interests to a Participant, such Lender's obligations under the Loan Documents shall remain unchanged, such Lender shall remain solely responsible to the other parties hereto for performance of such obligations, such Lender shall remain the holder of its Loans and Borrower Group Commitments for all purposes, all amounts payable by Loan Parties within the applicable Loan Party Group shall be determined as if such Lender had not sold such participating interests, and Loan Parties within the applicable Loan Party Group and the Agent shall continue to deal solely and directly with such Lender in connection with the Loan Documents. Each Lender shall be solely responsible for notifying its Participants of any matters under the Loan Documents, and the Agent and the other Lenders shall not have any obligation or liability to any such Participant. A Participant that would be a Foreign Lender if it were a Lender shall not be entitled to the benefits of Section 5.8 unless Loan Party Agent agrees otherwise in writing. Each Lender that sells a participation shall, acting solely for this purpose as a non-fiduciary agent of the applicable Borrower, maintain a register on which it enters the name and address of each Participant and the principal amounts (and stated interest) of each Participant's interest in the Loans, Letters of Credit or other obligations under the Loan Documents (the Participant Register); *provided* that no Lender shall have any obligation to disclose all or any portion of the Participant Register to any Person (including the identity of any Participant or any information relating to a Participant's interest in any Commitments, Loans, Letters of Credit or its other obligations under any Loan Document) except to the extent that such disclosure is necessary to establish that such Commitment, Loan, Letter of Credit or other obligation is in registered form under Section 5f.103-1(c) of the United States Treasury Regulations. The entries in the Participant Register shall be conclusive absent manifest error, and such Lender shall treat each Person whose name is recorded in the Participant Register as the owner of such participation for all purposes of this Agreement notwithstanding any notice to the contrary.

13.2.2 Voting Rights. Each Lender shall retain the sole right to approve, without the consent of any Participant, any amendment, waiver or other modification of any Loan Documents; provided, that a Lender may agree with its Participant that such Lender will not, without the consent of such Participant, consent to any amendment, waiver or other modification which (a) forgives principal, interest or fees, (b) reduces the stated interest rate or fees payable with respect to any Loan or Borrower Group Commitment in which such Participant

has an interest, (c) postpones the Revolver Commitment Termination Date or the Swingline Commitment Termination Date in respect of a Borrower Group in which such Participant has an interest, or any date fixed for any regularly scheduled payment of principal, interest or fees on such Loan or Commitment, or (d) releases any Loan Party, Guarantor or substantial portion of the Collateral.

13.2.3 Benefit of Set-Off. Loan Parties agree that each Participant shall have a right of set-off in respect of its participating interest to the same extent as if such interest were owing directly to a Lender, and each Lender shall also retain the right of set-off with respect to any participating interests sold by it. By exercising any right of set-off, a Participant agrees to share with Lenders all amounts received through its set-off, in accordance with Section 12.7 as if such Participant were a Lender.

13.3 Assignments.

13.3.1 Permitted Assignments. Subject to Section 13.3.3 below, a Lender may assign to an Eligible Assignee any of its rights and obligations under the Loan Documents, as long as (a) each assignment is of a constant, and not a varying, percentage of the transferor Lender's rights and obligations under the Loan Documents (unless otherwise agreed by the Agent) and, in the case of a partial assignment, is in a minimum principal amount of \$5,000,000 (unless otherwise agreed by the Agent in its discretion) and integral multiples of \$1,000,000 in excess of that amount; (b) except in the case of an assignment in whole of a Lender's rights and obligations, the aggregate amount of the Commitments retained by the transferor Lender is at least \$5,000,000 (unless otherwise agreed by the Agent in its discretion); and (c) the parties to each such assignment shall execute and deliver to the Agent, for its acceptance and recording, an Assignment and Acceptance. Nothing herein shall limit the right of a Lender to pledge or assign any rights under the Loan Documents to (i) any Federal Reserve Bank or the United States Treasury as collateral security pursuant to Regulation A of the Board of Governors and any Operating Circular issued by such Federal Reserve Bank, or (ii) counterparties to swap agreements relating to any Loans; *provided, however*, (1) such Lender shall remain the holder of its Loans and owner of its interest in any Letter of Credit for all purposes hereunder, (2) Borrowers, the Agent, the other Lenders and Fronting Bank shall continue to deal solely and directly with such Lender in connection with such Lender's rights and obligations under this Agreement, (3) any payment by Loan Parties to the assigning Lender in respect of any Obligations assigned as described in this sentence shall satisfy Loan Parties' obligations hereunder to the extent of such payment, and (4) no such assignment shall release the assigning Lender from its obligations hereunder.

13.3.2 Effect; Effective Date. Upon delivery to the Agent of an assignment notice in the form of **Exhibit A-2** and a processing fee of \$3,500 (unless otherwise agreed by the Agent in its discretion), the assignment shall become effective as specified in the notice, if it complies with this Section 13.3.2. From such effective date, the Eligible Assignee shall for all purposes be a Lender under the Loan Documents, and shall have all rights and obligations of a Lender thereunder. Upon consummation of an assignment, the transferor Lender, the Agent and Loan Parties shall make appropriate arrangements for issuance of replacement and/or new Notes, as applicable. The transferee Lender shall comply with Sections 5.8 and 5.9 and deliver, upon request, an administrative questionnaire satisfactory to Agent.

13.3.3 Certain Assignees. No assignment or participation may be made to any Borrower, Affiliate of any Borrower, Defaulting Lender or natural person except as described in **Schedule 13.3.3**. In connection with any assignment by a Defaulting Lender, such assignment shall be effective only upon payment by the Eligible Assignee or Defaulting Lender to the Agent of an aggregate amount sufficient, upon distribution (through direct payment, purchases of participations or other compensating actions as the Agent deems appropriate), (a) to satisfy all funding and payment liabilities then owing by the Defaulting Lender hereunder, and (b) to acquire its Pro Rata share of all Loans and LC Obligations. If an assignment by a Defaulting Lender shall become effective under Applicable Law for any reason without compliance with the foregoing sentence, then the assignee shall be deemed a Defaulting Lender for all purposes until such compliance occurs. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Section 13.3.3, in order to comply with the Dutch Financial Supervision Act (*Wet op het financieel toezicht*), the amount transferred in respect of a Dutch Borrower shall in any case include an outstanding portion of at least 100,000 (or its equivalent in other currencies) per Dutch Lender or such other amount as may be required from time to time by the Dutch Financial Supervision Act (or implementing legislation) or, if less, the assignee Dutch Lender shall confirm in writing to the Dutch Borrowers that it is a professional market party within the meaning of the Dutch Financial Supervision Act.

13.3.4 Replacement of Certain Lenders. If (x) a Lender (a) fails to give its consent to any amendment, waiver or action for which consent of all Lenders was required and Required Lenders consented, (b) is a Defaulting Lender, or (c) gives a notice under Section 3.5 or requests compensation under Section 3.7 or 3.8, or (y) if any Borrower is required to pay additional amounts or indemnity payments with respect to a Lender under Section 5.8, then, in addition to any other rights and remedies that any Person may have, the Agent or a Loan Party Agent may, by notice to such Lender within 120 days after such event, require such Lender to assign all of its rights and obligations under the Loan Documents to one or more Eligible Assignees, pursuant to appropriate Assignment and Acceptances, within 20 days after the notice. The Agent is irrevocably appointed as attorney-in-fact to execute any such Assignment and Acceptance if the Lender fails to execute it. Such Lender shall be entitled to receive, in cash, concurrently with such assignment, all amounts owed to it under the Loan Documents at par, including all principal, interest and fees through the date of assignment (but excluding any prepayment charge).

SECTION 14. MISCELLANEOUS

14.1 Consents, Amendments and Waivers.

14.1.1 Amendment. No modification of any Loan Document, including any extension or amendment of a Loan Document or any waiver of a Default or Event of Default, shall be effective without the prior written agreement of the Agent (with the consent of Required Lenders) and each Loan Party party to such Loan Document; *provided, however*, that:

(a) without the prior written consent of the Agent, no modification shall be effective with respect to any provision in a Loan Document that relates to any rights, duties or discretion of the Agent;

(b) (i) without the prior written consent of each U.S. Fronting Bank, no modification shall be effective with respect to any U.S. LC Obligations or Sections 2.9.1, 2.9.2 or 2.9.3 or any other provision in a Loan Document that relates to any rights, duties or discretion of any U.S. Fronting Bank, (ii) without the prior written consent of each Australian Fronting Bank, no modification shall be effective with respect to any Australian LC Obligations or Sections 2.2.1, 2.2.2 or 2.2.3 or any other provision in a Loan Document that relates to any rights, duties or discretion of the Australian Fronting Bank, (iii) without the prior written consent of each Belgian Fronting Bank, no modification shall be effective with respect to any Belgian LC Obligations or Sections 2.3.1, 2.3.2 or 2.3.3 or any other provision in a Loan Document that relates to any rights, duties or discretion of the Belgian Fronting Bank, (iv) without the prior written consent of each Canadian Fronting Bank, no modification shall be effective with respect to any Canadian LC Obligations or Sections 2.4.1, 2.4.2 or 2.4.3 or any other provision in a Loan Document that relates to any rights, duties or discretion of the Canadian Fronting Bank, (v) without the prior written consent of each Dutch Fronting Bank, no modification shall be effective with respect to any Dutch LC Obligations or Sections 2.5.1, 2.5.2 or 2.5.3 or any other provision in a Loan Document that relates to any rights, duties or discretion of the Dutch Fronting Bank, (vi) without the prior written consent of each New Zealand Fronting Bank, no modification shall be effective with respect to any New Zealand LC Obligations or Sections 2.6.1, 2.6.2 or 2.6.3 or any other provision in a Loan Document that relates to any rights, duties or discretion of the New Zealand Fronting Bank, (vii) without the prior written consent of each Singapore Fronting Bank, no modification shall be effective with respect to any Singapore LC Obligations or Sections 2.7.1, 2.7.2 or 2.7.3 or any other provision in a Loan Document that relates to any rights, duties or discretion of the Singapore Fronting Bank, and (viii) without the prior written consent of each UK Fronting Bank, no modification shall be effective with respect to any UK LC Obligations or Sections 2.8.1, 2.8.2 or 2.8.3 or any other provision in a Loan Document that relates to any rights, duties or discretion of the UK Fronting Bank; *provided that*, notwithstanding the foregoing, no Non-Lender Fronting Bank shall have any consent rights pursuant to this clause (b);

(c) without the prior written consent of each affected Lender, including a Defaulting Lender, no modification shall be effective that would (i) increase the Borrower Group Commitment of such Lender; (ii) reduce the amount of, or waive or delay payment of, any principal, interest or fees payable to such Lender (except as provided in Section 4.2); or (iii) increase the aggregate amount of all Commitments other than as provided in Section 2.1.7;

(d) without the prior written consent of all (i) Lenders (except any Defaulting Lender as provided in Section 4.2), no modification shall be effective that would (A) extend any Revolver Commitment Termination Date, any Swingline Commitment Termination Date or the Facility Termination Date; (B) alter Section 5.5; (C) amend the definitions of Pro Rata, Required Lenders, Required Borrower Group Lenders, Super-Majority Borrower Group Lenders or Super-Majority Lenders; (D) amend this Section 14.1.1; or (E) increase the Maximum Facility Amount; and (ii) U.S. Lenders and all Canadian Lenders (in each case except any Defaulting Lender as provided in Section 4.2), no modification shall be effective that would alter Section 7.1 (except to add Collateral);

(e) without the prior written consent of the Super-Majority Borrower Group Lenders having commitments to a Borrower Group, no amendment or waiver shall be effective that would:

(i) with respect to Lenders having Borrower Group Commitments to the Australian Borrowers, (A) amend the definitions of Australian Borrowing Base or Total Australian Borrowing Base (and the defined terms used in such definitions) if the effect of such amendment is to increase the advance rates contained therein, to make more credit available or to add new types of Collateral thereunder, (B) increase the advance rates applicable to the Australian Borrowers, (C) release a material portion (but less than all or substantially all) of the Australian Facility Collateral, except as currently contemplated by Section 12.4.1(a), *provided* that a release of all or substantially all of the Australian Facility Collateral requires the prior written consent of all Australian Lenders, (D) release any Australian Facility Loan Party from liability for any Australian Facility Obligations except as otherwise provided in this Agreement, (E) except as permitted under Section 10.2.2, subordinate Agent s or AUS-NZ Security Trustee s Lien on any Australian Facility Collateral or subordinate any Australian Facility Obligations in right of payment to any other Indebtedness or (F) amend the definition of Australian Availability;

(ii) with respect to Lenders having Borrower Group Commitments to the Belgian Borrowers, (A) amend the definitions of Belgian Borrowing Base or Total Belgian Borrowing Base (and the defined terms used in such definitions) if the effect of such amendment is to increase the advance rates contained therein, to make more credit available or to add new types of Collateral thereunder, (B) increase the advance rates applicable to the Belgian Borrowers, (C) release a material portion (but less than all or substantially all) of the Belgian Facility Collateral, except as currently contemplated by Section 12.4.1(b), *provided* that a release of all or substantially all of the Belgian Facility Collateral requires the prior written consent of all Belgian Lenders, (D) release any Belgian Facility Loan Party from liability for any Belgian Facility Obligations except as otherwise provided in this Agreement, (E) except as permitted under Section 10.2.2, subordinate Agent s or European Security Trustee s Lien on any Belgian Facility Collateral or subordinate any Belgian Facility Obligations in right of payment to any other Indebtedness or (F) amend the definition of Belgian Availability;

(iii) with respect to Lenders having Borrower Group Commitments to the Canadian Borrowers, (A) amend the definitions of Canadian Borrowing Base or Total Canadian Borrowing Base (and the defined terms used in such definitions) if the effect of such amendment is to increase the advance rates contained therein, to make more credit available or to add new types of Collateral thereunder, (B) increase the advance rates applicable to the Canadian Borrowers, (C) release a material portion (but less than all or substantially all) of the Canadian Facility Collateral, except as currently contemplated by Section 12.4.1(c), *provided* that a release of all or substantially all of the Canadian Facility Collateral requires the prior written consent of all Canadian Lenders, (D) release any Canadian Facility Loan Party from liability for any Canadian Facility Obligations except as otherwise provided in this Agreement, (E) except as permitted under Section 10.2.2, subordinate Agent s Lien on any Canadian Facility Collateral or subordinate any Canadian Facility Obligations in right of payment to any other Indebtedness or (F) amend the definition of Canadian Availability;

(iv) with respect to Lenders having Borrower Group Commitments to the Dutch Borrowers, (A) amend the definitions of Dutch Borrowing Base or Total Dutch Borrowing Base (and the defined terms used in such definitions) if the effect of such amendment is to increase the advance rates contained therein, to make more credit available or to add new types of Collateral thereunder, (B) increase the advance rates applicable to the Dutch Borrowers, (C) release a material portion (but less than all or substantially all) of the Dutch Facility Collateral, except as currently contemplated by Section 12.4.1(d), *provided* that a release of all or substantially all of the Dutch Facility Collateral requires the prior written consent of all Dutch Lenders, (D) release any Dutch Facility Loan Party from liability for any Dutch Facility Obligations except as otherwise provided in this Agreement, (E) except as permitted under Section 10.2.2, subordinate Agent s or European Security Trustee s Lien on any Dutch Facility Collateral or subordinate any Dutch Facility Obligations in right of payment to any other Indebtedness or (F) amend the definition of Dutch Availability;

(v) with respect to Lenders having Borrower Group Commitments to the New Zealand Borrowers, (A) amend the definitions of New Zealand Borrowing Base or Total New Zealand Borrowing Base (and the defined terms used in such definitions) if the effect of such amendment is to increase the advance rates contained therein, to make more credit available or to add new types of Collateral thereunder, (B) increase the advance rates applicable to the New Zealand Borrowers, (C) release a material portion (but less than all or substantially all) of the New Zealand Facility Collateral, except as currently contemplated by Section 12.4.1(e), *provided* that a release of all or substantially all of the New Zealand Facility Collateral requires the prior written consent of all New Zealand Lenders, (D) release any New Zealand Facility Loan Party from liability for any New Zealand Facility Obligations except as otherwise provided in this Agreement, (E) except as permitted under Section 10.2.2, subordinate Agent s or AUS-NZ Security Trustee s Lien on any New Zealand Facility Collateral or subordinate any New Zealand Facility Obligations in right of payment to any other Indebtedness or (F) amend the definition of New Zealand Availability;

(vi) with respect to Lenders having Borrower Group Commitments to the Singapore Borrowers, (A) amend the definitions of Singapore Borrowing Base or Total Singapore Borrowing Base (and the defined terms used in such definitions) if the effect of such amendment is to increase the advance rates contained therein, to make more credit available or to add new types of Collateral thereunder, (B) increase the advance rates applicable to the Singapore Borrowers, (C) release a material portion (but less than all or substantially all) of the Singapore Facility Collateral, except as currently contemplated by Section 12.4.1(f), *provided* that a release of all or substantially all of the Singapore Facility Collateral requires the prior written consent of all Singapore Lenders, (D) release any Singapore Facility Loan Party from liability for any Singapore Facility Obligations except as otherwise provided in this Agreement, (E) except as permitted under Section 10.2.2, subordinate Agent s or Singapore Security Trustee s Lien on any Singapore Facility Collateral or subordinate any Singapore Facility Obligations in right of payment to any other Indebtedness or (F) amend the definition of Singapore Availability;

(vii) with respect to Lenders having Borrower Group Commitments to the UK Borrowers, (A) amend the definitions of UK Borrowing Base or Total UK Borrowing Base (and the defined terms used in such definitions) if the effect of such amendment is to increase the advance rates contained therein, to make more credit available or to add new types of Collateral thereunder, (B) increase the advance rates applicable to the UK Borrowers, (C) release a material portion (but less than all or substantially all) of the UK Facility Collateral, except as currently contemplated by Section 12.4.1(g), *provided* that a release of all or substantially all of the UK Facility Collateral requires the prior written consent of all UK Lenders, (D) release any UK Facility Loan Party from liability for any UK Facility Obligations except as otherwise provided in this Agreement, (E) except as permitted under Section 10.2.2, subordinate Agent's or European Security Trustee's Lien on any UK Facility Collateral or subordinate any UK Facility Obligations in right of payment to any other Indebtedness or (F) amend the definition of UK Availability; or

(viii) with respect to Lenders having Borrower Group Commitments to the U.S. Borrowers, (A) amend the definition of U.S. Borrowing Base (and the defined terms used in such definitions) if the effect of such amendment is to increase the advance rates contained therein, to make more credit available or to add new types of Collateral thereunder, (B) increase the advance rates applicable to the U.S. Borrowers, (C) release any material portion (but less than all or substantially all) of the U.S. Facility Collateral, except as currently contemplated by Section 12.4.1(h), *provided* that a release of all or substantially all of the U.S. Facility Collateral requires the prior written consent of all U.S. Lenders, (D) release any U.S. Facility Loan Party from liability for any U.S. Facility Obligations except as otherwise provided in this Agreement, (E) except as permitted under Section 10.2.2, subordinate Agent's Lien on any U.S. Facility Collateral or subordinate any U.S. Facility Obligations in right of payment to any other Indebtedness or (F) amend the definition of U.S. Availability;

(f) without the prior written consent of the Super-Majority Lenders, no amendment or waiver shall be effective that would amend the definition of Excess Availability; and

(g) notwithstanding anything in this Section 14.1.1 to the contrary, if the Agent and the North American Loan Party Agent shall have jointly identified an obvious error or any error or omission of a technical nature, in each case, in any provision of the Loan Documents, then the Agent and the North American Loan Party Agent shall be permitted to amend such provision, and, in each case, such amendment shall become effective without any further action or consent of any other party to any Loan Document if the same is not objected to in writing by the Required Lenders to the Agent within ten Business Days following receipt of notice thereof.

14.1.2 Foreign Cross-Guarantee. Following the date on which a Foreign Borrower's Obligations have been guaranteed by other Foreign Borrowers pursuant to an effective Foreign Cross-Guarantee and a request for such amendment by the North American Loan Party Agent, Agent will give favorable consideration on a case by case basis, taking into account financial assistance rules and other legal considerations, to recommending an amendment permitting such Foreign Borrower's utilization of Availability from the other Foreign Borrowers that have guaranteed such Obligations in order to borrow amounts in excess of its individual Borrowing Base (but not to exceed the applicable Foreign Revolver Commitment amount for such Foreign Borrower's jurisdiction) which utilization will reduce availability to such other Foreign Borrowers on a dollar for dollar basis.

14.1.3 Limitations. The agreement of Loan Parties shall not be necessary to the effectiveness of any modification of a Loan Document that deals solely with the rights and duties of Lenders, the Agent, the Security Trustees and/or any Fronting Bank as among themselves. Only the consent of the parties to the Fee Letter or any agreement relating to a Bank Product shall be required for any modification of such agreement. Neither any Non-Lender Fronting Bank nor any non-Lender that is a party to a Bank Product agreement shall have any right to participate in any manner in modification of any Loan Document. The making of any Loans during the existence of a Default or Event of Default shall not be deemed to constitute a waiver of such Default or Event of Default, nor to establish a course of dealing. Any waiver or consent granted by the Agent or Lenders hereunder shall be effective only if in writing and only for the matter specified.

14.1.4 Payment for Consents. After the Closing Date, no Loan Party will, directly or indirectly, pay any remuneration or other thing of value, whether by way of additional interest, fee or otherwise, to any Lender (in its capacity as a Lender hereunder) as consideration for agreement by such Lender with any modification of any Loan Documents, unless such remuneration or value is concurrently paid, on the same terms, on a Pro Rata basis to all Lenders providing their consent.

14.2 Indemnity. IN ADDITION TO THE INDEMNIFICATION OBLIGATIONS SET FORTH IN SECTION 5.8 OR ANY OTHER PROVISION OF THIS AGREEMENT OR ANY OTHER LOAN DOCUMENT, EACH LOAN PARTY SHALL INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS THE INDEMNITEES AGAINST ANY CLAIMS THAT MAY BE INCURRED BY OR ASSERTED AGAINST ANY INDEMNITEE, INCLUDING CLAIMS ASSERTED BY ANY LOAN PARTY OR OTHER PERSON OR ARISING FROM THE NEGLIGENCE OF AN INDEMNITEE. In no event shall any party to a Loan Document have any obligation thereunder to indemnify or hold harmless an Indemnitee with respect to a Claim that is determined in a final, non-appealable judgment by a court of competent jurisdiction to result from the gross negligence, willful misconduct or bad faith of such Indemnitee, and no Loan Party shall have any obligation to indemnify or hold harmless an Indemnitee for disputes solely among Indemnitees and not relating to any act or omission of any Loan Party or its Affiliates (other than any action involving the Agent, any Security Trustee, any Fronting Bank or any Swingline Lender, in each case in its capacity as such, in which case this indemnity shall apply with respect to each such Person, as applicable, to the extent otherwise available). The indemnity under this Section 14.2 shall not apply to any Taxes, other than Taxes arising with respect to a non-Tax Claim.

14.3 Notices and Communications.

14.3.1 Notice Address. Subject to Section 4.4, all notices and other communications by or to a party hereto shall be in writing and shall be given to any Loan Party, at the applicable Loan Party Agent's address shown on the signature pages hereof, and to any other Person at its address shown on the signature pages hereof (or, in the case of a Person who becomes a Lender after the Closing Date, at the address shown on its Assignment and Acceptance), or at such other address as a party may hereafter specify by notice in accordance with this Section 14.3. Each such notice or other communication shall be effective only (a) if given by facsimile transmission, when transmitted to the applicable facsimile number, if confirmation of receipt is received; (b) if given by mail, three Business Days after deposit in the local mail system of the recipient, with first-class postage pre-paid, addressed to the applicable address; or (c) if given by personal delivery (including overnight and courier service), when duly delivered to the notice address with receipt acknowledged. Notwithstanding the foregoing, no notice to Agent pursuant to Sections 2.1.4, 2.2, 2.3, 2.4, 2.5, 2.6, 2.7, 2.8, 2.9, 3.1.1, 3.1.2 or 4.1.1 shall be effective until actually received by the individual to whose attention at Agent such notice is required to be sent. Any written notice or other communication that is not sent in conformity with the foregoing provisions shall nevertheless be effective on the date actually received by the noticed party. Any notice received by North American Loan Party Agent shall be deemed received by all Loan Parties.

14.3.2 Electronic Communications; Voice Mail. Electronic mail and internet websites may be used only for routine communications, such as financial statements, Borrowing Base Certificates and other information required by Section 10.1.1, administrative matters, distribution of Loan Documents for execution, and matters permitted under Section 4.1.3. The Agent and Lenders make no assurances as to the privacy and security of electronic communications. Electronic mail and voice mail may not be used as effective notice under the Loan Documents.

14.3.3 Non-Conforming Communications. The Agent and Lenders may rely upon any notices purportedly given by or on behalf of any Loan Party even if such notices were not made in a manner specified herein, were incomplete or were not confirmed, or if the terms thereof, as understood by the recipient, varied from a later confirmation. Each Loan Party shall indemnify and hold harmless each Indemnitee from any liabilities, losses, costs and expenses arising from any telephonic communication purportedly given by or on behalf of a Loan Party.

14.4 Performance of Loan Parties' Obligations. The Agent may, in its discretion at any time and from time to time, at the expense of the Loan Parties of the applicable Loan Party Group, pay any amount or do any act required of a Loan Party under any Loan Documents or otherwise lawfully requested by the Agent to (a) enforce any Loan Documents or collect any Obligations; (b) protect, insure, maintain or realize upon any Collateral; or (c) defend or maintain the validity or priority of the Agent's or any Security Trustee's Liens in any Collateral, including any payment of a judgment, insurance premium, warehouse charge, finishing or processing charge, or landlord claim, or any discharge of a Lien. All payments, costs and expenses (including Extraordinary Expenses) of the Agent under this Section 14.4 shall be reimbursed to the Agent by Loan Parties, on demand, with interest from the date incurred to the date of payment thereof at the Default Rate applicable to U.S. Base Rate Loans. Any payment made or action taken by Agent under this Section 14.4 shall be without prejudice to any right to assert an Event of Default or to exercise any other rights or remedies under the Loan Documents.

14.5 Credit Inquiries. Each Loan Party hereby authorizes the Agent and Lenders (but they shall have no obligation) to respond to usual and customary credit inquiries from third parties concerning any Loan Party or Subsidiary.

14.6 Severability. Wherever possible, each provision of the Loan Documents shall be interpreted in such manner as to be valid under Applicable Law. If any provision is found to be invalid under Applicable Law, it shall be ineffective only to the extent of such invalidity and the remaining provisions of the Loan Documents shall remain in full force and effect.

14.7 Cumulative Effect; Conflict of Terms. The provisions of the Loan Documents are cumulative. The parties acknowledge that the Loan Documents may use several limitations, tests or measurements to regulate similar matters, and they agree that these are cumulative and that each must be performed as provided. Except as otherwise provided in another Loan Document (by specific reference to the applicable provision of this Agreement), if any provision contained herein is in direct conflict with any provision in another Loan Document, the provision herein shall govern and control.

14.8 Counterparts. Any Loan Document may be executed in counterparts, each of which shall constitute an original, but all of which when taken together shall constitute a single contract. This Agreement shall become effective when the Agent has received counterparts bearing the signatures of all parties hereto. Delivery of a signature page of any Loan Document by telecopy or other electronic means shall be effective as delivery of a manually executed counterpart of such agreement.

14.9 Entire Agreement. Time is of the essence of the Loan Documents. The Loan Documents constitute the entire contract among the parties relating to the subject matter hereof, and supersede any and all previous agreements and understandings, oral or written, relating to the subject matter hereof.

14.10 Relationship with Lenders. The obligations of each Lender hereunder are several, and no Lender shall be responsible for the obligations or Commitments of any other Lender. Amounts payable hereunder to each Lender shall be a separate and independent debt. It shall not be necessary for the Agent or any other Lender to be joined as an additional party in any proceeding for such purposes. Nothing in this Agreement and no action of the Agent, Lenders or any other Secured Party pursuant to the Credit Documents shall be deemed to constitute the Agent and any Secured Party to be a partnership, association, joint venture or any other kind of entity, nor to constitute control of any Loan Party.

14.11 No Advisory or Fiduciary Responsibility. In connection with all aspects of each transaction contemplated by any Credit Document, Loan Parties acknowledge and agree that (a)(i) this credit facility and any related arranging or other services by the Agent, any Lender, any of their Affiliates or any arranger are arm's-length commercial transactions between Loan Parties and such Person; (ii) Loan Parties have consulted their own legal, accounting, regulatory and tax advisors to the extent they have deemed appropriate; and (iii) Loan Parties are

capable of evaluating, and understand and accept, the terms, risks and conditions of the transactions contemplated by the Credit Documents; (b) each of the Agent, Lenders, their Affiliates and any arranger is and has been acting solely as a principal and, except as expressly agreed in writing by the relevant parties, has not been, is not, and will not be acting as an advisor, agent or fiduciary for Loan Parties, any of their Affiliates or any other Person, and has no obligation with respect to the transactions contemplated by the Credit Documents except as expressly set forth therein; and (c) the Agent, Lenders, their Affiliates and any arranger may be engaged in a broad range of transactions that involve interests that differ from those of Loan Parties and their Affiliates, and have no obligation to disclose any of such interests to Loan Parties or their Affiliates. To the fullest extent permitted by Applicable Law, each Loan Party hereby waives and releases any claims that it may have against the Agent, Lenders, their Affiliates and any arranger with respect to any breach of agency or fiduciary duty in connection with any transaction contemplated by a Loan Document.

14.12 Confidentiality.

14.12.1 General Provisions. Each of the Agent, Lenders and each Fronting Bank shall maintain the confidentiality of all Information (as defined below), except that Information may be disclosed (a) to its Affiliates, and to its and their partners, members, directors, officers, employees, agents, advisors and representatives (*provided* such Persons are informed of the confidential nature of the Information and instructed to keep it confidential); (b) to the extent requested by any governmental, regulatory or self-regulatory authority purporting to have jurisdiction over it or its Affiliates; (c) to the extent required by Applicable Law or by any subpoena or other legal process; (d) to any other party hereto; (e) in connection with any action or proceeding, or other exercise of rights or remedies, relating to any Loan Documents or Obligations; (f) subject to an agreement containing provisions substantially the same (or at least as restrictive) as this Section 14.12, to any Transferee or any actual or prospective party (or its advisors) to any Bank Product; (g) with the consent of a Loan Party Agent; (h) to the extent such Information (i) becomes publicly available other than as a result of a breach of this Section 14.12 or (ii) is available to the Agent, any Lender, Fronting Bank or any of their Affiliates on a nonconfidential basis from a source other than Loan Parties or (i) on a confidential basis to any rating agency in connection with rating any Borrower or its Subsidiaries. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Agent and Lenders may publish or disseminate general information describing this credit facility, including the names and addresses of Loan Parties and a general description of Loan Parties businesses, and may use Loan Parties logos, trademarks or product photographs in advertising materials. As used herein, Information means all information received from a Loan Party or Subsidiary relating to it or its business that is identified as confidential when delivered. Any Person required to maintain the confidentiality of Information pursuant to this Section 14.12 shall be deemed to have complied if it exercises the same degree of care that it accords its own confidential information. Each of the Agent, Lenders and each Fronting Bank acknowledges that (A) Information may include material non-public information concerning a Loan Party or Subsidiary; (B) it has developed compliance procedures regarding the use of material non-public information; (C) it will handle such material non-public information in accordance with Applicable Law, including federal, state, provincial and territorial securities laws; and (D) nothing herein, for purposes of the Singapore Loan Parties, shall be deemed to constitute an agreement by them, with such Singapore Loan Parties, to prescribe a higher degree of confidentiality than that contained in the Singapore Banking Act.

14.12.2 PPSA Australia. Nothing requires a Secured Party to disclose any information of the kind referred to in section 275(1) of the PPSA Australia. The Loan Parties agree that they will only authorize the disclosure of information under section 275(7)(c) or request information under section 275(7)(d) if the Agent approves.

14.13 Certifications Regarding Term Loan Credit Agreement. Borrowers certify to the Agent and Lenders that neither the execution or performance of the Loan Documents nor the incurrence of any Obligations by Borrowers violates the Term Loan Credit Agreement. Borrowers further certify that the Commitments and Obligations constitute permitted indebtedness under the Term Loan Credit Agreement. Agent may condition Borrowings, Letters of Credit and other credit accommodations under the Loan Documents from time to time upon Agent's receipt of evidence that the Commitments and Obligations continue to constitute permitted indebtedness at such time.

14.14 GOVERNING LAW. THIS AGREEMENT AND THE OTHER LOAN DOCUMENTS, UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED, SHALL BE GOVERNED BY THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, WITHOUT GIVING EFFECT TO ANY CONFLICT OF LAW PRINCIPLES (BUT GIVING EFFECT TO SECTION 5-1401 OF THE NEW YORK GENERAL OBLIGATION LAW AND FEDERAL LAWS RELATING TO NATIONAL BANKS).

14.15 Consent to Forum; Process Agent.

14.15.1 Forum. EACH PARTY HERETO HEREBY CONSENTS TO THE NON-EXCLUSIVE JURISDICTION OF ANY FEDERAL OR STATE COURT SITTING IN OR WITH JURISDICTION OVER THE STATE OF NEW YORK, IN ANY PROCEEDING OR DISPUTE RELATING IN ANY WAY TO ANY LOAN DOCUMENTS, AND EACH LOAN PARTY AGREES THAT ANY SUCH PROCEEDING SHALL BE BROUGHT BY IT SOLELY IN ANY SUCH COURT. EACH PARTY IRREVOCABLY WAIVES ALL CLAIMS, OBJECTIONS AND DEFENSES THAT IT MAY HAVE REGARDING SUCH COURT'S PERSONAL OR SUBJECT MATTER JURISDICTION, VENUE OR INCONVENIENT FORUM. EACH PARTY HERETO IRREVOCABLY CONSENTS TO SERVICE OF PROCESS IN THE MANNER PROVIDED FOR NOTICES IN SECTION 14.3.1. Nothing herein shall limit the right of the Agent, any Security Trustee or any Lender to bring proceedings against any Loan Party in any other court, nor limit the right of any party to serve process in any other manner permitted by Applicable Law. Nothing in this Agreement shall be deemed to preclude enforcement by the Agent or any Security Trustee of any judgment or order obtained in any forum or jurisdiction. Final judgment against a Loan Party in any action, suit or proceeding shall be conclusive and may be enforced in any other jurisdiction, including the country in which such Loan Party is domiciled, by suit on the judgment.

14.15.2 Process Agent. Without prejudice to any other mode of service allowed under any relevant law, each Foreign Borrower and each other Loan Party organized outside the U.S. (a) irrevocably appoints CT Corporation located at 111 Eighth Avenue, 13th Floor, New York, New York 10011, as its agent for service of process in relation to any action or proceeding arising out of or relating to any Loan Documents, and (b) agrees that failure by a process agent to notify such Borrower or such Loan Party of any process will not invalidate the proceedings concerned. For purposes of clarity, nothing in this Agreement or any other Loan Document will affect the right of any party to this Agreement to serve process in any other manner permitted by law.

14.16 Waivers by Loan Parties. To the fullest extent permitted by Applicable Law, each Loan Party waives (a) the right to trial by jury (which the Agent, each Security Trustee and each Lender hereby also waives) in any proceeding or dispute of any kind relating in any way to any Loan Documents, Obligations or Collateral; (b) presentment, demand, protest, notice of presentment, default, non-payment, maturity, release, compromise, settlement, extension or renewal of any commercial paper, accounts, documents, instruments, chattel paper and guaranties at any time held by the Agent on which a Loan Party may in any way be liable, and hereby ratifies anything the Agent may do in this regard; (c) notice prior to taking possession or control of any Collateral; (d) any bond or security that might be required by a court prior to allowing the Agent or a Security Trustee to exercise any rights or remedies; (e) the benefit of all valuation, appraisal and exemption laws; (f) any claim against any Indemnitee, on any theory of liability, for special, indirect, consequential, exemplary or punitive damages (as opposed to direct or actual damages) in any way relating to any Enforcement Action, Obligations, Loan Documents or transactions relating thereto; and (g) notice of acceptance hereof. Each Loan Party acknowledges that the foregoing waivers are a material inducement to the Agent, each Security Trustee, each Fronting Bank and Lenders entering into this Agreement and that the Agent, Security Trustees, each Fronting Bank and Lenders are relying upon the foregoing in their dealings with Loan Parties. Each Loan Party has reviewed the foregoing waivers with its legal counsel and has knowingly and voluntarily waived its jury trial and other rights following consultation with legal counsel. In the event of litigation, this Agreement may be filed as a written consent to a trial by the court.

14.17 Contracting out of PPSA Australia Provisions.

14.17.1 PPSA Notices. Neither a Secured Party nor any receiver or manager is obliged to give any notice under the PPSA Australia (including notice of a verification statement) unless the notice is required by the PPSA Australia and cannot be excluded. The Loan Parties consent to the waiver of the requirement for notice and waive any rights they have to receive a notice under sections 95, 118, 121(4), 130, 135 and 157 of the PPSA Australia.

14.17.2 Contracting Out. To the extent that Chapter 4 of the PPSA Australia would otherwise apply, the parties agree that the following provisions of the PPSA Australia are excluded: (a) to the extent permitted by section 115(1) of the PPSA Australia allows them to be excluded: sections 125, 132(3)(d), 132(4), 135, without limiting Section 12.3.1(a) 142 and 143 of the PPSA Australia; and (b) to the extent permitted by section 115(7) of the PPSA Australia allows them to be excluded: sections 129(2) and (3), 132, 133(1)(b) (as it relates to a Lien of a Secured Party), 134(2), 135, 136(3)(4) and (5). The Loan Parties consent to the waiver of the requirement for notice under any other provision of the PPSA Australia that a Secured Party may notify to a Loan Party after the date of this document and waives any rights it has to receive that notice.

14.18 Waiver of Rights (PPSA New Zealand). The Loan Parties:

- (a) have no rights under, or by reference to, sections 114(1)(a), 133 and 134 of the PPSA New Zealand;
- (b) waive their rights to:
 - (i) not have goods damaged if a Secured Party or a receiver removes an accession under section 125 of the PPSA New Zealand;
 - (ii) receive notice of the removal of an accession under section 129 of the PPSA New Zealand;
 - (iii) apply to the court for an order concerning the removal of an accession under section 131 of the PPSA New Zealand;
 - (iv) receive a statement of account under section 116 of the PPSA New Zealand;
 - (v) receive notice of any proposal of a Secured Party or a receiver to retain collateral under section 120(2) of the PPSA New Zealand; and
 - (vi) object to any proposal of a Secured Party or a receiver to retain collateral under section 121 of the PPSA New Zealand; and
- (c) waive their rights under section 148 of the PPSA New Zealand to receive a copy of a verification statement in respect of any financing statement or financing change statement registered by a Secured Party in respect of any personal property.

14.19 Patriot Act Notice. The Agent and Lenders hereby notify Loan Parties that pursuant to the requirements of the Patriot Act, the Proceeds of Crime Act and other applicable anti-money laundering, anti-terrorist financing, economic or trade sanctions and know your client policies, regulations, laws or rules (the Proceeds of Crime Act and such other applicable policies, regulations, laws or rules, collectively, including any guidelines or orders thereunder, AML Legislation), the Agent and Lenders are required to obtain, verify and record certain information that identifies each Loan Party, including its legal name, address, tax ID number and other similar information that will allow the Agent and Lenders to identify it in accordance with the Patriot Act and the AML Legislation. The Agent and Lenders may require information regarding Loan Parties management and owners, such as legal name, address, social security number and date of birth. Each Loan Party shall promptly provide all such information, including supporting documentation and other evidence, as may be reasonably requested by any Lender or any prospective assignee or participant of a Lender, in order to comply with the Patriot Act and/or the AML Legislation.

14.20 Canadian Anti-Money Laundering Legislation. If the Agent has ascertained the identity of any Canadian Facility Loan Party or any authorized signatories of any Canadian Facility Loan Party for the purposes of applicable AML Legislation, then the Agent:

(a) shall be deemed to have done so as an agent for each Canadian Lender, and this Agreement shall constitute a written agreement in such regard between each Canadian Lender and the Agent within the meaning of the applicable AML Legislation; and

(b) shall provide to each Canadian Lender copies of all information obtained in such regard without any representation or warranty as to its accuracy or completeness.

Notwithstanding the preceding sentence and except as may otherwise be agreed in writing, each of the Canadian Lenders agrees that the Agent has no obligation to ascertain the identity of the Canadian Facility Loan Parties or any authorized signatories of the Canadian Facility Loan Parties on behalf of any Canadian Lender, or to confirm the completeness or accuracy of any information it obtains from any Canadian Facility Loan Party or any such authorized signatory in doing so.

14.21 Know Your Customer. At the request of the Agent, the Borrowers shall promptly supply or procure the supply of documentation and other evidence as is reasonably requested by the Agent (on its behalf or for any Credit Party or prospective Credit Party) in order for a Credit Party to comply with all necessary AML Legislation in connection with the transactions contemplated in the Loan Documents.

14.22 Australian Anti-Money Laundering Provisions. The Australian Borrowers agree that the Agent may delay, block or refuse to process any request for a Borrowing or Australian Letter of Credit without incurring any liability if any Australian Lender reasonably suspects that:

(a) the transaction may breach any AML Legislation;

(b) the transaction involves any Person (natural, corporate or governmental) that is sanctioned under economic and trade sanctions imposed by the United States, the European Union or Australia; or

(c) the transaction may directly or indirectly involve the proceeds of, or be applied for the purposes of, conduct which is unlawful in Australia.

The Australian Borrowers must provide all information to the Agent which any Australian Lender reasonably requires in order to manage its money-laundering, terrorism-financing or economic and trade sanctions risk or to comply with any laws or regulations in Australia. The Australian Borrowers agree that the Agent may disclose any information concerning the Australian Borrowers to:

(i) any law enforcement, regulatory agency or court where required by any such law or regulations in Australia; and

(ii) any correspondent entity an Australian Lender uses to make the payment for the purpose of compliance with any such law or regulation.

Unless an Australian Borrower has disclosed that it is acting in a trustee capacity or on behalf of another party, the Australian Borrower warrants that it is acting on its own behalf in entering into this document.

Each Australian Borrower declares and undertakes to the Agent that the processing of any request for a Borrowing or Australian Letter of Credit by the Agent in accordance with an Australian Borrower's instructions will not breach any laws or regulations in Australia.

14.23 Belgian Anti-Money Laundering Legislation. Each of the Belgian Lenders agrees that the Agent has no obligation to ascertain the identity of the Belgian Facility Loan Parties or any authorized signatories of the Belgian Facility Loan Parties on behalf of any Belgian Lender, or to confirm the completeness or accuracy of any information it obtains from any Belgian Facility Loan Party or any such authorized signatory in doing so.

14.24 Know your customer Checks. Each Lender shall promptly upon the request of the Agent supply, or procure the supply of, such documentation and other evidence as is reasonably requested by the Agent (for itself) in order for the Agent to comply with all necessary know your customer or other similar checks under all AML Legislation in connection with the transactions contemplated in the Loan Documents.

14.25 Reinstatement. This Agreement shall remain in full force and effect and continue to be effective should any petition be filed by or against any Loan Party for liquidation or reorganization, should any Loan Party become insolvent or make an assignment for the benefit of creditors or should a receiver or trustee be appointed for all or any significant part of such Loan Party's assets, and shall continue to be effective or be reinstated, as the case may be, if at any time payment and performance of the Obligations, or any part thereof, is, pursuant to Applicable Law, rescinded or reduced in amount, or must otherwise be restored or returned by any obligee of the Obligations, whether as a voidable preference, fraudulent conveyance, 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 Obligations shall be reinstated and deemed reduced only by such amount paid and not so rescinded, reduced, restored or returned.

14.26 Nonliability of Lenders. Neither the Agent, any Fronting Bank nor any Lender undertakes any responsibility to any Loan Party to review or inform any Loan Party of any matter in connection with any phase of any Loan Party's business or operations. Each Loan Party agrees, on behalf of itself and each other Loan Party, that neither the Agent, any Fronting Bank nor any Lender shall have liability to any Loan Party (whether sounding in tort, contract or otherwise) for losses suffered by any Loan Party in connection with, arising out of, or in any way related to the transactions contemplated and the relationship established by the Loan Documents, or any act, omission or event occurring in connection therewith, unless it is determined in a final non-appealable judgment by a court of competent jurisdiction that such losses resulted from the gross negligence, willful misconduct or bad faith of the party from which recovery is sought. NO LENDER SHALL BE LIABLE FOR ANY DAMAGES ARISING FROM THE USE BY OTHERS OF ANY INFORMATION OR OTHER MATERIALS OBTAINED THROUGH INTRALINKS OR OTHER SIMILAR INFORMATION TRANSMISSION SYSTEMS IN CONNECTION WITH THIS AGREEMENT.

14.27 Ratification of Loan Documents. Each Borrower hereby ratifies and affirms its obligations under the Loan Documents (as amended, restated or otherwise modified on the Closing Date), each of which (as amended, restated or otherwise modified on the Closing Date) shall continue in full force and effect.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Agreement has been executed and delivered as of the date set forth above.

MCJUNKIN RED MAN CORPORATION, as a U.S.
Borrower and Guarantor

By:
Name:
Title:

Attn:
Telecopy:

GREENBRIER PETROLEUM CORPORATION as a
U.S. Borrower and Guarantor

By:
Name:
Title:

**MCJUNKIN RED MAN DEVELOPMENT
CORPORATION**,

as a U.S. Borrower and Guarantor

By:
Name:
Title:

MIDWAY TRISTATE CORPORATION, as a U.S.
Borrower and Guarantor

By:
Name:
Title:

MILTON OIL & GAS COMPANY, as a U.S.
Borrower and Guarantor

By:
Name:
Title:

MRC MANAGEMENT COMPANY, as a U.S.
Borrower and Guarantor

By:
Name:
Title:

RUFFNER REALTY COMPANY, as a U.S. Borrower
and Guarantor

By:
Name:
Title:

THE SOUTH TEXAS SUPPLY COMPANY, INC. as
a U.S. Borrower and Guarantor

By:
Name:
Title:

MRC GLOBAL INC. as a Guarantor

By:
Name:
Title:

MRC TRANSMARK PTY LTD, as an Australian Borrower

Signed for and on behalf of MRC Transmark Pty Ltd ACN 080 156 378
by its attorney under power of attorney
dated and the attorney declares that the attorney has not
received any notice of the revocation of such power of attorney, in the
presence of:

Signature of witness

Name of witness (BLOCK LETTERS)

Address of witness

MRC SPF PTY LTD., as an Australian Borrower

Signed for and on behalf of MRC SPF Pty Ltd. ACN 088 104 410 by its
attorney under power of attorney dated and
the attorney declares that the attorney has not received any notice of the
revocation of such power of attorney, in the presence of:

Signature of witness

Name of witness (BLOCK LETTERS)

Address of witness

MRC TRANSMARK NV, as a Belgian Borrower

By:
Name:
Title:

MRC CANADA ULC, as a Canadian Borrower

By:
Name:
Title:

MRC TRANSMARK B.V., as a Dutch Borrower

By:
Name:
Title:

MRC TRANSMARK INTERNATIONAL B.V., as a
Dutch Borrower

By:
Name:
Title:

MRC TRANSMARK HOLDINGS UK LIMITED, as
a UK Borrower

By:
Name:
Title:

MRC TRANSMARK LIMITED, as a UK Borrower

By:
Name:
Title:

MRC TRANSMARK (DRAGON) LIMITED, as a UK Borrower

By:
Name:
Title:

MRC SPF SCANFIT LIMITED, as a UK Borrower

By:
Name:
Title:

AGENT AND LENDERS:

BANK OF AMERICA, N.A., as Agent and a U.S.
Lender

By:
Name:
Title:

Attn:
Telecopy:

BANK OF AMERICA, N.A. (acting through its Canada Branch), as a Canadian Lender

By:
Name:
Title:

Attn:
Telecopy:

BANK OF AMERICA, N.A. (acting through its London Branch), as European Security Trustee and as a Belgian Lender, a Dutch Lender and a UK Lender

By:
Name:
Title:

Attn:
Telecopy:

BANK OF AMERICA, N.A. (acting through its Australia Branch), as AUS-NZ Security Trustee and as an Australian Lender

By:
Name:
Title:

Attn:
Telecopy:

With a copy to:

Bank of America, N.A. (acting through its Hong Kong branch)

979 King s Road

Level 14 Devon House

Quarry Bay

Hong Kong

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MRC GLOBAL INC. ANNOUNCES CLOSING OF TERM LOAN

AND REDEMPTION OF SENIOR SECURED NOTES

HOUSTON, TX November 9, 2012 MRC Global Inc. (NYSE:MRC) announced today the successful syndication and closing of the previously announced \$650 million seven-year senior secured Term Loan B. The company used the proceeds of the new term loan, together with a draw under the company's global asset-based lending (ABL) facility, to redeem all of the outstanding 9.50% Senior Secured Notes due 2016 of McJunkin Red Man Corporation, a wholly owned subsidiary of the company.

Andrew R. Lane, MRC Global's Chairman, President and CEO, said "We are very pleased to complete this refinancing of our long-term debt. These transactions have extended the maturity of our long-term debt and significantly reduced our interest expense by taking advantage of historically low rates. Our new term loan can provide a base for our capital structure in the years to come."

New Term Loan B

The company has the option under the term loan to pay interest at a base rate, subject to a floor of 2.25%, plus an applicable margin, or at a rate based on LIBOR, subject to a floor of 1.25%, plus an applicable margin. The applicable margin for base rate loans is 400 basis points and the applicable margin for LIBOR loans is 500 basis points. The margin will step down by 25 basis points if the company's consolidated total leverage ratio (as defined in the term loan) is less than 2.50:1.00. At current LIBOR levels, the effective interest rate of the term loan is equal to 6.25%, as compared to an interest rate of 9.50% on the notes.

During the nine months ended September 30, 2012, the company purchased in the open market \$188.7 million in aggregate principal amount of the notes for \$205.0 million. Borrowings under the company's global ABL facility funded these purchases. The company expects to reduce its interest expense by over \$50 million per year as a result of these purchases and the redemption of the notes, assuming the company's current debt levels, the initial interest rate under the term loan of 6.25% and current interest rates under the company's global ABL facility.

The term loan is secured by a first lien on all of the company's assets, the assets of all of the company's domestic subsidiaries and a pledge of all of the capital stock of the company's domestic subsidiaries and 65% of the capital stock of the company's first tier foreign subsidiaries, subject to certain exceptions, other than the assets securing the ABL facility (which include the company's accounts receivable, inventory and related assets), and by a second lien on this ABL collateral.

Redemption of Senior Secured Notes

The company also announced today that, pursuant to its call for redemption on October 24, 2012, \$861,319,000 in principal amount of the notes, which represents all of the notes currently outstanding, has been redeemed.

MRC Global expects to record a charge arising from the redemption of the notes of approximately \$93 million, including the write off of original issue discount and debt issuance costs on the redeemed notes and for the applicable redemption premium.

In connection with the redemption of the notes and the entry into the term loan, the company also amended its existing global ABL facility.

About MRC Global Inc. Global Supplier of Choice®

Headquartered in Houston, Texas, MRC, a Fortune 500 company, is the largest global distributor of pipe, valve, and fittings (PVF) and related products and services to the energy industry, based on sales, and supplies these products and services across each of the upstream, midstream and downstream sectors. More information on MRC can be found on our website at www.mrcglobal.com.

Forward-Looking Statements

This news release contains forward-looking statements within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act and Section 21E of the Exchange Act. Words such as expects, and similar expressions are intended to identify forward-looking statements.

The company's expectations regarding the interest savings from the transactions described in this news release are only the company's expectations regarding these savings. Whether the company is actually successful in obtaining these savings is dependent on a number of factors, including (among others) the company's debt levels, the interest rate from time to time under the term loan and the interest rates and amounts outstanding under the company's global ABL facility.

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