pany's First Mortgage 3% Bonds, Series B, due Jannary 1, 1985, all of which have been surrendered to the Corporate Trustée for cancellation and have been duly cancelled; \$16,000,000 in aggregate principal amount of the Company's First Mortgage 5½% Bonds, Series C, due February,1, 1983, of which \$14,798,000 principal amount are Outstanding under the Mortgage; \$7,000,000 in aggregate principal amount of the Company's First Mortgage 5% Bonds, Series D, due July 1, 1983, all of which have been held in the Company's treasury and are to be surrendered to the Corporate Trustee for cancellation ; \$4,000,000 in aggregate principal amount of the Company's First Mortgage 5% Bonds, Series E, due July 4, 1987, all of which have been held in the Company's treasury and are to be surrendered to the Corporate Trustee for cancellation ; and \$4,500,000 in aggregate principal amount of the Company's First Mortgage 5% Bonds, Series F, due January 1, 1992, all of which are Outstanding under the Mortgage; and

> ARTICLE I BONDS OF SERIES G

WHEREAS, the Company desires by this Ninth Supplemental Indenture to create a new series of Bonds, as replacement for the aforesaid Series D and Series E Bonds, to be issued hereunder, to set forth the terms and provisions of such new series and the forms of the Bonds and coupons thereof, and to amend the Mortgage in the respects hereinafter provided; and

WHEREAS, all of the conditions and requirements necessary to make this Ninth Supplemental Indenture, when duly executed and delivered, a valid, binding and legal instrument, in accordance with its terms and for the purposes herein expressed, have been done, performed and fulfilled, and the execution and delivery hereof have been duly authorized in all respects by resolution of the Board of Directors of the Company;

Now, THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises and of the sum of One Dollar in hand paid by the Trustees to the Company at or before the execution and delivery of this Ninth Supplemental Indenture, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, it is agreed by and between the Company and the Trustees as follows:

cipal, at the office or agency of the Company in the City of Ch State of Illinois, or, at the option of the holder or registered a at the office or agency of the Company in the Borough of Manhattan denominations, and the coupon Bonds to be registrable as to pr of \$1,000 and in multiples of \$1,000, the Bonds of either form to be payment shall be legal tender for the payment of public and private debts; (f) shall be issued as coupon Bonds in the denomination of coin or currency of the United States of America as at the ti in the Borough of Manhattan; City and State of New York, in premium if any, and interest, at the office or agency of the Company in the City of Chicago, State of Illinois, or, at the option of the has been paid, but in the case of coupon Bonds, as to interest due of or before the principal sum becomes due and payable, only upo presentation and surrender of the respective coupons appertainin thereto as they shall mature; (e) shall be payable, as to principa transferable or exchangeable for Bonds of either form in auth on the first days of January and July of each year at the rate 7% per annum from the date thereof until the principal sum there due and payable); (c) shall mature January 1, 1993, unless previously redeemed pursuant to Article II of this Ninth Supplementa that all registered Bonds without coupons issued after July 1, 1968, shall be dated as of the first day following the close of the latest January 1, 1993"; (b) shall be dated as of January 1, 1968 (exc sued under and secured by the Mortgage. The Bonds of Series G (a) shall be designated as "First Mortgage 7% Bonds, Series G, due the Or searer or registered holder, at the office or agency of the Co period for which interest on Bonds of Series G shall have been the Company (herein referred to as "Bonds of Series G") to be is-SECTION 1. There is hereby created a seventh series of Bonds of and as registered Bonds without coupons in denominatio ure or declared due and payable pursuant to Article XIV o inal Mortgage; (d) shall bear interest payable se