

ing of Bondholders, including any adjourned meeting, shall be valid without notice if the holders of all outstanding Bonds affected by the business to be submitted to the meeting are present in person or by proxy and if the Company and the Trustees are present by duly authorized representatives, or if notice is waived in writing before or after the meeting by the Company, the holders of all outstanding Bonds affected by the business to be submitted to the meeting, or by such as are not present in person or by proxy, and by the Trustees.

Section 153. Officers and nominees of the Company may attend such meeting, but shall not be entitled to vote thereat. Officers and nominees of the New York Trustee and of the Missouri Trustee may attend such meeting, and may vote thereat Bonds held by them in their individual or any other capacity but not Bonds held by them as Trustees hereunder. Attendance by Bondholders may be in person or by proxy. In order that the holders of Bonds payable to bearer and their proxies may attend and vote without producing their Bonds, the New York Trustee, with respect to any such meeting called by the New York Trustee, may make and from time to time vary such regulations as it shall think fit for deposit of Bonds with any banks, bankers or trust companies, and for the issue to the persons depositing the same of certificates by such depositories entitling the holders thereof to be present and vote at any such meeting and to appoint proxies to represent them and vote for them at any such meeting in the same way as if the persons so present and voting, either personally or by proxy, were the actual bearers of the Bonds in respect of which such certificates shall have been issued, and any regulations so made shall be binding and effective. If any such meeting shall have been called by Bondholders, affected by the business to be submitted to the meeting, or by the Company as aforesaid upon failure of the New York Trustee to call the same after having been so requested to do under the provisions of *Section 152*, regulations to like effect for such deposit of Bonds with, and issue of certificates by, any bank or trust company organized under the laws of the