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FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT Pursuant to Section 13 OR 15(d) of The Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): December 31, 2010

Rush Enterprises, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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(State or other jurisdiction	(Commission File Number)	(IRS Employer Identification No.)	
of incorporation)			
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New Braunfels, Texas		78130	
(Address of principal executive	offices)	(Zip Code)	
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Item 1.01 Entry into Material Definitive Agreement.

On December 31, 2010, Rush Enterprises, Inc. ("Rush") and substantially all of its subsidiaries (Rush and such subsidiaries collectively, the "Company") entered into a Credit Agreement (the "Credit Agreement") with General Electric Capital Corporation, as administrative agent and collateral agent (the "Agent") for the lenders named therein, and the lenders named therein (the "Lenders").

Pursuant to the Credit Agreement, the Lenders have agreed to make up to \$450 million of revolving credit loans to finance the Company's purchase of new and used vehicle inventory for sale by the Company and to finance the Company's working capital needs. Loans to purchase used inventory are limited to \$100 million. Each request by the Company for a borrowing must be approved by the Agent in its sole discretion. The Company is obligated to use the proceeds from the sale of inventory to repay any loan made by the Lenders to finance such inventory; provided, however, that if the Company sells vehicles and finances the purchase of such inventory by its customer, the Company may, with the consent of the Agent, delay payment of the loan associated with such inventory until the earliest of (i) demand for payment by the Agent, (ii) receipt of payment from the customer, (iii) the date payment is due from the customer or (iv) 60 days after the vehicle was sold (which 60 day period may be extended with the consent of Lenders holding 75% in interest of the commitments). In addition, with respect to each new vehicle inventory loan that remains outstanding more than 12 months, the Company must repay:

- (i) 10% of the original amount of the loan on the first anniversary of the loan;
- (ii) 5% of the original amount of the loan on each of the 18th and 24th month anniversary of the loan; and
- (iii) 5% of the original amount of the loan each month after the two year anniversary of the loan.

With respect to each used vehicle inventory loan that remains outstanding more than 12 months, the Company must repay:

- (i) 10% of the original amount of the loan on each of the 12th, 15th and 18th month anniversary of the loan; and
- (ii) 5% of the original amount of the loan each month after the 18th anniversary of the loan.

The Company may voluntarily prepay inventory loans at any time, provided that prepayments cannot exceed 65% of the aggregate inventory loans outstanding, and may prepay working capital loans at any time.

Borrowings under the Credit Agreement bear interest per annum, payable monthly, at the three month LIBOR rate, determined on the last day of the prior month, plus 2.95%. In addition, the Company must pay to the Lenders a monthly working capital fee equal to 0.35% per annum multiplied by the amount of voluntary prepayments of new and used inventory loans. The Credit Agreement provides for a delinquency charge on late payments of 1.5% per month or, at the option of the Agent, 5% of the past due amount.

We have granted the Agent, for the benefit of the Lenders, a security interest in all of our present and future inventory, together with all attachments, accessories, exchanges, replacement parts, repairs, and additions to any such inventory, and all chattel paper, documents, certificates of title, certificates of origin, general intangibles, instruments, accounts and contract rights now existing or hereafter arising with respect thereto, and all cash and non-cash proceeds of any of the foregoing, in order to secure our obligations under the Credit Agreement.

The Credit Agreement expires December 31, 2013, although the Agent has the right to terminate the Credit Agreement at any time upon 120 days written notice. We may terminate the Credit Agreement at any time, although if we do so we must pay the Lenders a prepayment processing fee of \$9 million if we terminate prior February 29, 2012 and \$300,000 if we terminate thereafter, subject to specified limited exceptions.

The Credit Agreement requires us to meet the following financial covenants as of the last day of each quarter:

- the ratio of our consolidated total liabilities to our total net worth, each as defined in the Credit Agreement, cannot exceed 2.50:1
- the ratio of our consolidated adjusted EBITDAR to our consolidated fixed charges, each as defined in the Credit Agreement, for the four quarter period then ending cannot be less than (i) 1.15:1 on or prior to September 30, 2011 and (ii) 1.20:1 thereafter
- our consolidated tangible net worth, as defined in the Credit Agreement, cannot be less than (i) \$225 million on or prior to December 31, 2011 and (ii) thereafter the sum of (a) the minimum consolidated tangible net worth for the prior quarter plus (b) 50% of the Company's net income for the quarter being measured (or \$0 if the Company has a net loss for such quarter)
- our consolidated net worth, as defined in the Credit Agreement, cannot be less than (i) \$375 million on or prior to September 30, 2010 and (ii) thereafter the sum of (a) the minimum consolidated net worth for the prior quarter plus (b) 50% of the Company's net income for the quarter being measured (or \$0 if the Company has a net loss for such quarter)

In addition to the financial covenants, the Credit Agreement limits our ability to, among other things, (i) grant liens on our assets to third parties, subject to certain customary exceptions, (ii) consolidate with, sell substantially all our assets to, or merge with a third party, (iii) change the nature of our business or (iv) enter into transactions with affiliates.

If an event of default exists under the Credit Agreement, the Lenders will be able to terminate the revolving credit facility and accelerate the maturity of all outstanding loans, as well as exercise other rights and remedies. Each of the following is an event of default under the Credit Agreement:

- failure to pay any principal, interest, fees, expenses or other amounts when due;
- failure of any representation or warranty to be materially correct;
- any breach of financial covenants or negative covenants or failure to deliver financial statements;
- failure to observe any other agreement, security instrument, obligation or covenant beyond specified cure periods in certain cases:
- default under other indebtedness in excess of \$10.0 million;
- bankruptcy or insolvency events;
- judgments against us in excess of certain allowances;
- any loan document or lien securing our obligations under the Credit Agreement ceases to be effective;
- · we obtain inventory financing (other than for construction equipment) from another financing source;
- any collateral having a value in excess of 1% of the collateral granted to the Agent is attached;
- a material adverse effect, as defined in the Credit Agreement, occurs;
- any person in control of the Company is accused or alleged or charged (whether or not subsequently arraigned, indicted or convicted) by any Governmental Authority to have used any inventory in connection with the commission of any crime (other than a misdemeanor moving violation); or
- a change of control, which includes the following events:
 - the acquisition of ownership, directly or indirectly, beneficially or of record, by any person or group (within the meaning of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934), other than Permitted Investors (as defined below), of Rush stock representing 35% of the aggregate ordinary voting power represented by the issued and outstanding Rush stock,
 - a majority of the seats on Rush's board of directors is occupied by persons who were not directors on December 31, 2010 and were neither (i) nominated by Rush's board of directors nor (ii) appointed by directors so nominated, or
 - Rush ceases, directly or indirectly, to own and control, beneficially and of record, one hundred percent (100%) of the issued and outstanding voting stock and stock equivalents of each subsidiary that is a borrower under the Credit Agreement.

For purposes of this definition, Permitted Investors shall mean W. Marvin Rush, W.M. "Rusty" Rush, Robin Rush, Barbara Rush and any other person whose stock is controlled by any one or more of the foregoing.

In connection with the Credit Agreement, Rush entered into a Guaranty Agreement, dated as of December 31, 2010 (the "Guaranty Agreement"), in favor of the Agent whereby it guaranteed the borrowers' obligations under the Credit Agreement.

The Credit Agreement replaces the Company's \$600 million Amended and Restated Wholesale Security Agreement, dated August 15, 2007, as amended, with Agent.

The foregoing description is qualified in its entirety by reference to the full text of the Credit Agreement and the Guaranty Agreement, which are attached as Exhibits 10.1 and 10.2, respectively, to this Current Report on Form 8-K and incorporated in this Item 1.01 by reference.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit Number	Exhibit Title
10.1	Credit Agreement, dated December 31, 2010, among Rush Truck Centers of Alabama, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of Arizona, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of Colorado, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of Colorado, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of Florida, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of Georgia, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of New Mexico, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of Oklahoma, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of Tennessee, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of North Carolina, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of Idaho, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of Utah, Inc., and Rush Truck Centers of Oregon, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of Texas, L.P., Rush Enterprises, Inc., the Lenders party thereto, and General Electric Capital Corporation.
10.2	Guaranty Agreement, dated December 31, 2010, by Rush Enterprises, Inc. and each other Guarantor party thereto in favor of General Electric Capital Corporation.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

RUSH ENTERPRISES, INC.

By: /s/ Martin A. Naegelin, Jr.
Martin A. Naegelin, Jr.

Executive Vice President

Dated: January 6, 2011

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\$450,000,000

CREDIT AGREEMENT

Dated as of December 31, 2010

among

CERTAIN SUBSIDIARIES OF RUSH ENTERPRISES, INC., AS BORROWERS, RUSH ENTERPRISES, INC., AS THE BORROWER REPRESENTATIVE,

THE LENDERS,

and

GENERAL ELECTRIC CAPITAL CORPORATION, AS ADMINISTRATIVE AGENT AND COLLATERAL AGENT

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GE CAPITAL MARKETS, INC.,
AS SOLE LEAD ARRANGER AND BOOKRUNNER

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This Credit Agreement, dated as of December 31, 2010 (this "Agreement"), is entered into among Rush Truck Centers of Alabama, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of Arizona, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of Colorado, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of Colorado, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of Florida, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of Georgia, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of New Mexico, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of Oklahoma, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of Tennessee, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of North Carolina, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of Idaho, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of Utah, Inc., and Rush Truck Centers of Oregon, Inc., each a Delaware corporation and Rush Truck Centers of Texas, L.P., a Texas limited partnership (collectively, the "Borrowers" and individually a "Borrower"), Rush Enterprises, Inc., a Texas corporation ("Holdings" or the "Borrower Representative"), the Lenders (as defined below) from time to time parties hereto and General Electric Capital Corporation, as administrative agent and collateral agent for the Lenders (in such capacity, and together with its successors and permitted assigns, the "Administrative Agent").

The parties hereto agree as follows:

ARTICLE 1 DEFINITIONS, INTERPRETATION AND ACCOUNTING TERMS

Section 1.1 Defined Terms. As used in this Agreement, the following terms have the following meanings:

- "Account" has the meaning specified in Article 3.
- "Acknowledgement of Purchaser" has the meaning specified in Section 2.10(g).
- "Administrative Agent" has the meaning specified in preamble of this Agreement.
- "Affected Lender" has the meaning specified in Section 2.18.
- "Affiliate" means, with respect to any Person, each officer, director, general partner or joint-venturer of such Person and any other Person that directly or indirectly controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with, such Person; provided, however, that no Secured Party shall be an Affiliate of any Borrower. For purpose of this definition, "control" means the possession of either (a) the power to vote, or the beneficial ownership of, 10% or more of the Voting Stock of such Person or (b) the power to direct or cause the direction of the management and policies of such Person, whether by contract or otherwise.
 - "Agreement" means this Credit Agreement.
 - "Allocable Amount" has the meaning specified in Section 12.7.
 - "Approved Fund" means, with respect to any Lender, any Person (other than a natural Person) that is an Affiliate of such Lender.
- "Applicable Lender Margin" shall have the meaning, with respect to any Lender, set forth in the Lender Interest Letter for such Lender.
- "Assignment" means an assignment agreement entered into by a Lender, as assignor, and any Person, as assignee, pursuant to the terms and provisions of Section 11.2 (with the consent of any party whose consent is required by Section 11.2), accepted by the Administrative Agent, in substantially the form of Exhibit A, or any other form approved by the Administrative Agent.

"Bankruptcy Code" means the Federal Bankruptcy Reform Act of 1978 (11 U.S.C. §101, et seq.), as amended and in effect from time to time and the regulations issued from time to time thereunder.

"Base Rate" has the meaning specified in Section 2.15(c).

"Base Rate Loan" has the meaning specified in Section 2.15(c).

"Borrower" has the meaning specified in preamble of this Agreement.

"Borrower Representative" has the meaning specified in preamble of this Agreement.

"Borrowing" means a borrowing consisting of Loans made on the same day by the Lenders according to their respective Commitments.

"<u>Business Day</u>" means any day of the year that is not a Saturday, Sunday or a day on which banks are required or authorized to close in New York City and, when determined in connection with notices and determinations in respect of any LIBOR Rate or LIBOR Rate Loan or any funding, conversion, continuation or payment of any LIBOR Rate Loan, that is also a day on which dealings in Dollar deposits are carried on in the London interbank market.

"Capital Expenditures" means, for any Person for any period, the aggregate of all expenditures, whether or not made through the incurrence of Indebtedness, by such Person and its Subsidiaries during such period for the acquisition, leasing (pursuant to a Capital Lease), construction, replacement, repair, substitution or improvement of fixed or capital assets or additions to equipment, in each case required to be capitalized under GAAP on a Consolidated balance sheet of such Person, excluding interest capitalized during construction.

"Capital Lease" means, with respect to any Person, any lease of, or other arrangement conveying the right to use, any property (whether real, personal or mixed) by such Person as lessee that has been or should be accounted for as a capital lease on a balance sheet of such Person prepared in accordance with GAAP.

"Capitalized Lease Obligations" means, at any time, with respect to any Capital Lease, any lease entered into as part of any Sale and Leaseback Transaction of any Person or any synthetic lease, the amount of all obligations of such Person that is (or that would be, if such synthetic lease or other lease were accounted for as a Capital Lease) capitalized on a balance sheet of such Person prepared in accordance with GAAP.

"Cash Equivalents" means (a) any readily-marketable securities (i) issued by, or directly, unconditionally and fully guaranteed or insured by the United States federal government or (ii) issued by any agency of the United States federal government the obligations of which are fully backed by the full faith and credit of the United States federal government, (b) any readily-marketable direct obligations issued by any other agency of the United States federal government, any state of the United States or any political subdivision of any such state or any public instrumentality thereof, in each case having a rating of at least "A-1" from S&P or at least "P-1" from Moody's, (c) any commercial paper rated at least "A-1" by S&P or "P-1" by Moody's and issued by any Person organized under the laws of any state of the United States, (d) any Dollar-denominated time deposit, insured certificate of deposit, overnight bank deposit or bankers' acceptance issued or accepted by (i) any Lender or (ii) any commercial bank that is (A) organized under the laws of the United States, any state thereof or the District of Columbia, (B) "adequately capitalized" (as defined in the regulations of its primary federal banking regulators) and (C) has Tier 1 capital (as defined in such regulations) in excess of \$250,000,000, (e) shares of any United States money market fund that (i) has substantially all of its assets invested continuously in the types of investments referred to in clause (a), (b), (c) or (d) above with maturities as set forth in the proviso below, (ii) has net assets in excess of \$500,000,000 and (iii) has obtained from either S&P or Moody's the highest rating obtainable for money market funds in the United States and (f) CDARS, if the amount so invested is unconditionally guaranteed by the United States of America (or by any agency thereof to the extent such obligations are backed by the full faith and credit of the United States of America); provided, however, that the maturities of all obligations specified in any of <u>clauses (a)</u>, (b), (c) and (d) above shall not exceed 365 days.

"Change of Control" means the occurrence of any of the following: (a) the acquisition of ownership, directly or indirectly, beneficially or of record, by any Person or group (within the meaning of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the rules of the Securities and Exchange Commission thereunder as in effect on the Closing Date), other than Permitted Investors, of Stock representing 35% of the aggregate ordinary voting power represented by the issued and outstanding Stock of Borrower Representative, (b) the occupation of a majority of the seats on the board of directors of Borrower Representative by Persons who were not directors on the Closing Date and were neither (i) nominated by the board of directors of Borrower Representative nor (ii) appointed by directors so nominated, or (c) Borrower Representative ceases, directly or indirectly, to own and control, beneficially and of record, one hundred percent (100%) of the issued and outstanding Voting Stock and Stock Equivalents of each Borrower on a fully diluted basis (as the same may be adjusted for any combination, recapitalization or reclassification into a greater or smaller number of shares, interests or other unit of equity security). For purposes of this definition, Permitted Investors shall mean W. Marvin Rush, W.M. "Rusty" Rush, Robin Rush, Barbara Rush and any other Person whose Stock is controlled by any one or more of the foregoing.

"Closing Date" means December 31, 2010.

"Code" means the U.S. Internal Revenue Code of 1986.

"Collateral" has the meaning specified in Article 3.

"Collateral Amount Financed" has the meaning specified in Section 2.10(a).

"Commitment" means, with respect to each Lender, the commitment of such Lender to make Loans, which commitment is in the amount set forth opposite such Lender's name on Schedule I under the caption "Commitment" as amended to reflect Assignments and as such amount may be reduced pursuant to this Agreement. The aggregate amount of the Commitments on the date hereof equals \$450,000,000.

"Commitment Termination Date" shall mean the earliest of (a) the Scheduled Termination Date, (b) the date of termination of the Commitments pursuant to $\underline{Section 2.5}$ or $\underline{9.2}$ and (c) the date on which the Obligations become due and payable pursuant to Section 9.2.

"Compliance Certificate" means a certificate substantially in the form of Exhibit C.

"Consolidated" means, with respect to any Person, the accounts of such Person and its Subsidiaries consolidated in accordance with GAAP.

"Consolidated Adjusted EBITDAR" means, for any period, (a) the Consolidated Net Income of Holdings and its Subsidiaries for such period plus (b) the sum of, in each case to the extent deducted in the calculation of such Consolidated Net Income but without duplication, (i) any provision for United States federal, state or local income taxes or other taxes measured by net income, (ii) Consolidated Interest Expense, (iii) any loss from extraordinary items, (iv) any depreciation and amortization expense, (v) any aggregate net loss on the Sale of property (other than accounts (as defined under the applicable UCC) and inventory) outside the ordinary course of business, (vi) any other non-cash expenditure, charge or loss for such period (other than any non-cash expenditure, charge or loss relating to write-offs, write-downs or reserves with respect to accounts and inventory), including the amount of any compensation deduction as the result of any grant of Stock or Stock Equivalents to employees, officers, directors or consultants, (vii) alternative fuel vehicle tax credits earned by Holdings and its Subsidiaries in respect of such period, and (viii) all rent expense for real property (land and buildings) of Holdings and its Subsidiaries actually paid or payable in cash by Holdings and its Subsidiaries in respect of such period, and minus (c) the sum of, in each case to the extent included in the calculation of such Consolidated Net Income and without duplication, (i) any credit for United States federal, state or local income taxes or other taxes measured by net income, (ii) any gain from extraordinary items, (iii) any aggregate net gain from the Sale of property (other than accounts (as defined in the applicable UCC) and inventory) out of the ordinary course of business by such Person, (iv) any other non-cash gain, including any reversal of a charge referred to in clause (b)(vi) above by reason of a decrease in the value of any Stock or Stock Equivalent, and (v) any other cash payment in respect of expenditures, charges and losses that have been added to Consolidated Adjusted EBITDAR of such Person pursuant to <u>clause (b)(vi)</u> above in any prior period.

"Consolidated Fixed Charge Coverage Ratio" means, for any period, the ratio of (a) Consolidated Adjusted EBITDAR for such period, minus Capital Expenditures of such Person for such period (excluding Capital Expenditures financed with Indebtedness or Stock) to (b) the Consolidated Fixed Charges of such Person for such period.

"Consolidated Fixed Charges" means, for any period, the sum, determined on a Consolidated basis, of (a) the Consolidated Interest Expense of Holdings and its Subsidiaries actually paid or payable in cash by Holdings and its Subsidiaries in respect of such period, (b) the aggregate amount of principal payments (whether scheduled or unscheduled) on Indebtedness of Holdings and its Subsidiaries actually paid or payable in cash by Holdings and its Subsidiaries in respect of such period, but excluding any balloon or "lump sum" principal payments that are re-financed or rolled over with other Indebtedness, (c) all rent expense for real property (land and buildings) of Holdings and its Subsidiaries actually paid or payable in cash by Holdings and its Subsidiaries in respect of such period, (d) the total liability for United States federal, state and local income taxes and other taxes measured by net income actually paid or payable in cash by Holdings and its Subsidiaries in respect of such period and (e) all cash Restricted Payments paid or payable by Holdings and its Subsidiaries in respect of such period to Persons other than Holdings and its Subsidiaries.

"Consolidated Interest Expense" means, for any Person for any period, Consolidated total interest expense of such Person and its Subsidiaries for such period determined in accordance with GAAP.

"Consolidated Leverage Ratio" means, as of any date, the ratio of (a) Consolidated total liabilities of Holdings and its Subsidiaries determined in accordance with GAAP as of such date to (b) Consolidated Net Worth as of such date.

"Consolidated Net Income" means, with respect to any Person, for any period, the Consolidated net income (or loss) of such Person and its Subsidiaries for such period; provided, however, that the following shall be excluded: (a) the net income of any other Person in which such Person or one of its Subsidiaries has a joint interest with a third-party (which interest does not cause the net income of such other Person to be Consolidated into the net income of such Person), except to the extent of the amount of dividends or distributions paid to such Person or Subsidiary, (b) the net income of any Subsidiary of such Person that is, on the last day of such period, subject to any restriction or limitation on the payment of dividends or the making of other distributions, to the extent of such restriction or limitation and (c) the net income of any other Person arising prior to such other Person becoming a Subsidiary of such Person or merging or consolidating into such Person or its Subsidiaries.

"Consolidated Net Worth" means, as of any date, total shareholders' equity of Holdings as of such date.

"Consolidated Tangible Net Worth" means, as of any date, (i) Consolidated Net Worth, less (ii) the value of all assets of Holdings and its Subsidiaries which would be classified as intangible assets under generally accepted accounting principles, including, without limitation, goodwill, licenses, patents, trademarks, trade names, copyrights, and franchises.

"Constituent Documents" means, with respect to any Person, collectively and, in each case, together with any modification of any term thereof, (a) the articles of incorporation, certificate of incorporation, constitution or certificate of formation of such Person, (b) the bylaws, operating agreement or joint venture agreement of such Person, (c) any other constitutive, organizational or governing document of such Person, whether or not equivalent, and (d) any other document setting forth the manner of election or duties of the directors, officers or managing members of such Person or the designation, amount or relative rights, limitations and preferences of any Stock of such Person.

"Contractual Obligation" means, with respect to any Person, any provision of any Security issued by such Person or of any document or undertaking (other than a Loan Document) to which such Person is a party or by which it or any of its property is bound or to which any of its property is subject.

"Credit Exposure", of any Lender at any time, means the outstanding principal amount of all Loans owing to such Lender, plus any participations in Swing Loans purchased by such Lender hereunder.

"<u>Default</u>" means any Event of Default and any event that, with the passing of time or the giving of notice or both would become an Event of Default.

"Delayed Payment Collateral" has the meaning specified in Section 2.10(a).

- "Delayed Payment Privilege" has the meaning specified in Section 2.10(a).
- "Delayed Payment Privilege Collateral" has the meaning specified in Section 2.10(c).
- "Delivery Schedule" has the meaning specified in Section 2.10(e).
- "<u>Disclosure Documents</u>" means, collectively, (a) all confidential information memoranda and related materials prepared in connection with the syndication of the credit facilities and (b) all other documents filed by any Group Member with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission.
 - "Dollars" and the sign "\$" each mean the lawful money of the United States of America.
 - "E-Fax" means any system used to receive or transmit faxes electronically.
- "<u>Electronic Transmission</u>" means each document, instruction, authorization, file, information and any other communication transmitted, posted or otherwise made or communicated by e-mail or E-Fax, or otherwise to or from an E-System or other equivalent service.
 - "Entity" has the meaning specified in Section 11.20.
- "<u>E-System</u>" means any electronic system, including COMS® and any other Internet or extranet-based site, whether such electronic system is owned, operated or hosted by the Administrative Agent, any of its Related Persons or any other Person, providing for access to data protected by passcodes or other security system.
 - "Event of Default" has the meaning specified in Section 9.1.
- "<u>Federal Funds Rate</u>" means, for any period, a fluctuating interest rate per annum equal for each day during such period to the weighted average of the rates on overnight federal funds transactions with members of the Federal Reserve System arranged by federal funds brokers, as determined by the Administrative Agent in its sole discretion.
 - "Federal Reserve Board" means the Board of Governors of the United States Federal Reserve System and any successor thereto.
 - "Financial Statement" means each financial statement delivered pursuant to Section 4.4 or 6.1.
 - "Fiscal Quarter" means each 3 fiscal month period ending on March 31, June 30, September 30 or December 31.
 - "Fiscal Year" means the twelve-month period ending on December 31.
- "GAAP" means generally accepted accounting principles in the United States of America, as in effect from time to time, set forth in the opinions and pronouncements of the Accounting Principles Board and the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants, in the statements and pronouncements of the Financial Accounting Standards Board and in such other statements by such other entity as may be in general use by significant segments of the accounting profession that are applicable to the circumstances as of the date of determination. Subject to Section 1.3, all references to "GAAP" shall be to GAAP applied consistently with the principles used in the preparation of the Financial Statements described in Section 4.4(a).

"GE Capital" means General Electric Capital Corporation.

"Governmental Authority" means any nation, sovereign or government, any state or other political subdivision thereof, any agency, authority or instrumentality thereof and any entity or authority exercising executive, legislative, taxing, judicial, regulatory or administrative functions of or pertaining to government, including any central bank, stock exchange, regulatory body, arbitrator, public sector entity, supra-national entity (including the European Union and the European Central Bank) and any self-regulatory organization (including the National Association of Insurance Commissioners).

"Group Members" means, collectively, Holdings and its Subsidiaries.

"Group Members' Accountants" means Ernst & Young LLP or other nationally-recognized independent registered certified public accountants acceptable to the Administrative Agent.

"Guarantor" means each Person that guarantees the Obligations.

"Guarantor Payment" has the meaning specified in Section 12.7.

"Guaranteed Obligations" has the meaning specified in Section 12.1.

"Guaranty Obligation" means, as applied to any Person, any direct or indirect liability, contingent or otherwise, of such Person for any Indebtedness, lease, dividend or other obligation (the "primary obligation") of another Person (the "primary obligor"), if the purpose or intent of such Person in incurring such liability, or the economic effect thereof, is to guarantee such primary obligation or provide support, assurance or comfort to the holder of such primary obligation or to protect or indemnify such holder against loss with respect to such primary obligation, including (a) the direct or indirect guaranty, endorsement (other than for collection or deposit in the ordinary course of business), co-making, discounting with recourse or sale with recourse by such Person of any primary obligation, (b) the incurrence of reimbursement obligations with respect to any letter of credit or bank guarantee in support of any primary obligation, (c) the existence of any Lien, or any right, contingent or otherwise, to receive a Lien, on the property of such Person securing any part of any primary obligation and (d) any liability of such Person for a primary obligation through any Contractual Obligation (contingent or otherwise) or other arrangement (i) to purchase, repurchase or otherwise acquire such primary obligation or any security therefor or to provide funds for the payment or discharge of such primary obligation (whether in the form of a loan, advance, stock purchase, capital contribution or otherwise), (ii) to maintain the solvency, working capital, equity capital or any balance sheet item, level of income or cash flow, liquidity or financial condition of any primary obligor, (iii) to make take-or-pay or similar payments, if required, regardless of non-performance by any other party to any Contractual Obligation, (iv) to purchase, sell or lease (as lessor or lessee) any property, or to purchase or sell services, primarily for the purpose of enabling the primary obligor to satisfy such primary obligation or to protect the holder of such primary obligation against loss or (v) to supply funds to or in any other manner invest in, such primary obligor (including to pay for property or services irrespective of whether such property is received or such services are rendered); provided, however, that "Guaranty Obligations" shall not include (x) endorsements for collection or deposit in the ordinary course of business, (y) product warranties given in the ordinary course of business and (z) guarantees by a Borrower of liabilities and other obligations of any other Borrower. The outstanding amount of any Guaranty Obligation shall equal the outstanding amount of the primary obligation so guaranteed or otherwise supported or, if lower, the stated maximum amount for which such Person may be liable under such Guaranty Obligation.

"Holdings" has the meaning specified in preamble of this Agreement.

"Immaterial Subsidiaries" means Subsidiaries of Holdings that do not own or operate and are not otherwise engaged in truck dealerships. As of the Closing Date, the Immaterial Subsidiaries are set forth on Schedule 1.1.

"Indebtedness" of any Person means, without duplication, any of the following, whether or not matured: (a) all indebtedness for borrowed money, (b) all obligations evidenced by notes, bonds, debentures or similar instruments, (c) all reimbursement and all obligations with respect to (i) letters of credit, bank guarantees or bankers' acceptances or (ii) surety, customs, reclamation or performance bonds (in each case not related to judgments or litigation) other than those entered into in the ordinary course of business, (d) all obligations to pay the deferred purchase price of property or services (other than trade payables incurred in the ordinary course of business), (e) all obligations created or arising under any conditional sale or other title retention agreement, regardless of whether the rights and remedies of the seller or lender under such agreement in the event of default are limited to repossession or sale of such property, (f) all Capitalized Lease Obligations, (g) all obligations, whether or not contingent, to purchase, redeem, retire, defease or otherwise acquire for value any of its own Stock or Stock Equivalents (or any Stock or Stock Equivalent of a direct or indirect parent entity thereof) prior to the date that is 180 days after the Scheduled Termination Date, valued at, in the case of redeemable preferred Stock, the greater of the voluntary liquidation preference and the involuntary liquidation preference of such Stock plus accrued and unpaid dividends, (h) all payments that would be required to be made in respect of any swap agreement in the event of a termination (including an early termination) on the date of determination and (i) all Guaranty Obligations for obligations of any other Person constituting Indebtedness of such other Person; provided, however, that the items in each of clauses (a) through (i) above shall constitute "Indebtedness" of such Person solely to the extent, directly or indirectly, (x) such Person is liable for any part of any such item or (y) any such item is secured by a Lien on such Person's property.

"Indemnified Matter" has the meaning specified in Section 11.4.

"Indemnitee" has the meaning specified in Section 11.4.

"Inventory" means all present and future vehicle inventory, including trailers and glider kits, of the Borrowers.

"IRS" means the Internal Revenue Service of the United States and any successor thereto.

"<u>Lender</u>" means, collectively, any financial institution or other Person that (a) is listed on the signature pages hereof as a "<u>Lender</u>" or (b) from time to time becomes a party hereto by execution of an Assignment, together with its successors.

"<u>Lender Interest Letter</u>" means each letter agreement entered into from time to time between the Administrative Agent and each Lender (other than GE Capital), setting forth the Applicable Lender Margin for such Lender.

"<u>Liabilities</u>" means all claims, actions, suits, judgments, damages, losses, liability, obligations, responsibilities, fines, penalties, sanctions, costs, fees, taxes, commissions, charges, disbursements and expenses, in each case of any kind or nature (including interest accrued thereon or as a result thereto and fees, charges and disbursements of financial, legal and other advisors and consultants), whether joint or several, whether or not indirect, contingent, consequential, actual, punitive, treble or otherwise.

"LIBOR Rate" means, for each calendar month, (i) the rate of interest quoted in The Wall Street Journal, Money Rates Section as the "Libor, 3 month" rate on the last business day of the immediately preceding calendar month, or (ii) if the interest rate specified in clause (i) is not published or available, the offered rate per annum for deposits of Dollars for a period of three months that appears on Reuters Screen LIBOR 01 Page as of 11:00 a.m. (London, England time) two Business Days prior to the first day in such calendar month, or (iii) if the interest rate specified in clauses (i) and (ii) is not published or available, the rate of interest per annum, as determined by the Administrative Agent at which deposits of Dollars in immediately available funds are offered at 11:00 a.m. (London, England time) two Business Days prior to the first day in such interest period by major financial institutions reasonably satisfactory to the Administrative Agent in the London interbank market for such interest period for the applicable principal amount on such date of determination.

"<u>Lien</u>" means any mortgage, deed of trust, pledge, hypothecation, assignment, charge, deposit arrangement, encumbrance, easement, lien (statutory or other), security interest or other security arrangement and any other preference, priority or preferential arrangement of any kind or nature whatsoever, including any conditional sale contract or other title retention agreement, the interest of a lessor under a Capital Lease and any synthetic or other financing lease having substantially the same economic effect as any of the foregoing.

"Loan" means any loan made or deemed made by any Lender or Swingline Lender hereunder, including, without limitation, Revolving Loans, Swing Loans and Working Capital Loans.

"Loan Documents" means, collectively, this Agreement and, when executed, each document executed by a Loan Party and delivered to the Administrative Agent or any Lender in connection with or pursuant to any of the foregoing or the Obligations, together with any modification of any term, or any waiver with respect to, any of the foregoing.

"Loan Party" means each Borrower and each Guarantor.

"<u>Material Adverse Effect</u>" means an effect that results in or causes, or could reasonably be expected to result in or cause, a material adverse change in any of (a) the condition (financial or otherwise), business, performance, operations or property of the Group Members, taken as a whole, (b) the ability of any Loan Party to perform its obligations under any Loan Document and (c) the validity or enforceability of any Loan Document or the rights and remedies of the Administrative Agent, the Lenders and the other Secured Parties under any Loan Document.

"Maximum Lawful Rate" has the meaning specified in Section 2.9.

"Minimum Consolidated Net Worth" means, (i) with respect to any Fiscal Quarter ending on or prior to September 30, 2010, \$375,000,000 and (ii) with respect to any Fiscal Quarter ending after September 30, 2010, the sum of (A) the Minimum Consolidated Net Worth for the immediately preceding Fiscal Quarter plus (B) the greater of (1) 50% of Consolidated Net Income for Holdings and its Subsidiaries with respect to the current Fiscal Quarter and (2) zero. For example, if the Consolidated Net Income for Holdings and its Subsidiaries for the Fiscal Quarter ending December 31, 2010 is \$20,000,000, the Minimum Consolidated Net Worth for the Fiscal Quarter ending December 31, 2010 will be \$385,000,000 (i.e., the Minimum Consolidated Net Worth for the Fiscal Quarter ending September 30, 2010 plus 50% of \$20,000,000).

"Minimum Consolidated Tangible Net Worth" means, (i) with respect to any Fiscal Quarter ending on or prior to December 31, 2011, \$225,000,000 and (ii) with respect to any Fiscal Quarter ending after December 31, 2011, the sum of (A) the Minimum Consolidated Tangible Net Worth for the immediately preceding Fiscal Quarter plus (B) the greater of (1) 50% of Consolidated Net Income for Holdings and its Subsidiaries with respect to the current Fiscal Quarter and (2) zero. For example, if the Consolidated Net Income for Holdings and its Subsidiaries for the Fiscal Quarter ending March 31, 2012 is \$20,000,000, the Minimum Consolidated Tangible Net Worth for the Fiscal Quarter ending March 31, 2012 will be \$235,000,000 (i.e., the Minimum Consolidated Tangible Net Worth for the Fiscal Quarter ending December 31, 2011 plus 50% of \$20,000,000).

"Moody's" means Moody's Investors Service, Inc.

"Net Equipment Loans" means, at any time, (i) (A) the aggregate principal amount of Revolving Loans made by the Lenders pursuant to Section 2.1(a) plus (B) the aggregate principal amount of Swing Loans made by the Swingline Lender pursuant to Section 2.1(b), minus (ii) all repayments of principal of the Revolving Loans and Swing Loans made by the Borrowers pursuant to this Agreement, including without limitation all voluntary prepayments of Revolving Loans and Swing Loans pursuant to Section 2.7.

"New Equipment Curtailment Payment" has the meaning specified in Section 2.6(b).

"New Equipment Loan" means a Loan to purchase new Inventory not previously used or sold at retail.

"New Equipment Loan Sublimit" means \$450,000,000 minus the amount of any Used Equipment Loans.

"Non-Funding Lender" means any Lender that has (a) failed to fund any payments required to be made by it under the Loan Documents within two Business Days after any such payment is due (excluding expense and similar reimbursements that are subject to good faith disputes), (b) given written notice (and the Administrative Agent has not received a revocation in writing), to the Borrower Representative, the Administrative Agent or any Lender or has otherwise publicly announced (and the Administrative Agent has not received notice of a public retraction) that such Lender believes it will fail to fund payments or purchases of participations required to be funded by it under the Loan Documents or one or more other syndicated credit facilities, (c) failed to fund, and not cured, loans, participations, advances, or reimbursement obligations under one or more other syndicated credit facilities, unless subject to a good faith dispute, or (d) any Lender that has (i) become subject to a voluntary or involuntary case under the Bankruptcy Code or any similar bankruptcy laws, (ii) a custodian, conservator, receiver or similar official appointed for it or any substantial part of such Person's assets, or (iii) made a general assignment for the benefit of creditors, been liquidated, or otherwise been adjudicated as, or determined by any Governmental Authority having regulatory authority over such Person or its assets to be, insolvent or bankrupt, and for clause (d), and the Administrative Agent has determined that such Lender is reasonably likely to fail to fund any payments required to be made by it under the Loan Documents.

"Obligations" means, with respect to any Loan Party, all amounts, obligations, liabilities, covenants and duties of every type and description owing by such Loan Party to the Administrative Agent, any Lender, any other Indemnitee, or any participant arising out of, under, or in connection with, any Loan Document, whether direct or indirect (regardless of whether acquired by assignment), absolute or contingent, due or to become due, whether liquidated or not, now existing or hereafter arising and however acquired, and whether or not evidenced by any instrument or for the payment of money, including, without duplication, (a) if such Loan Party is a Borrower all Loans, (b) all interest, whether or not accruing after the filing of any petition in bankruptcy or after the commencement of any insolvency, reorganization or similar proceeding, and whether or not a claim for post-filing or post-petition interest is allowed in any such proceeding, and (c) all other fees, expenses (including fees, charges and disbursement of counsel), interest, commissions, charges, costs, disbursements, indemnities and reimbursement of amounts paid and other sums chargeable to such Loan Party under any Loan Document.

"Other Lenders" has the meaning specified in Section 2.4.

"Other Taxes" has the meaning specified in Section 2.17(c).

"Permit" means, with respect to any Person, any permit, approval, authorization, license, registration, certificate, concession, grant, franchise, variance or permission from, and any other Contractual Obligations with, any Governmental Authority, in each case whether or not having the force of law and applicable to or binding upon such Person or any of its property or to which such Person or any of its property is subject.

"Person" means any individual, partnership, corporation (including a business trust and a public benefit corporation), joint stock company, estate, association, firm, enterprise, trust, limited liability company, unincorporated association, joint venture and any other entity or Governmental Authority.

"Prepayment Processing Fee" has the meaning specified in Section 2.5(c).

"Pro Forma Basis" means, with respect to any determination for any period and any Pro Forma Transaction, that such determination shall be made by giving pro forma effect to each such Pro Forma Transaction, as if each such Pro Forma Transaction had been consummated on the first day of such period, based on historical results accounted for in accordance with GAAP and, to the extent applicable, reasonable assumptions that are specified in detail in the relevant Compliance Certificate, Financial Statement or other document provided to the Administrative Agent or any Lender in connection herewith in accordance with Regulation S-X of the Securities Act of 1933.

"<u>Pro Forma Transaction</u>" means any transaction consummated as part of any acquisition of all or substantially all of the assets or stock of any Person by the Borrower Representative or any Subsidiary of the Borrower Representative, together with each other transaction relating thereto and consummated in connection therewith, including any incurrence or repayment of Indebtedness.

"Pro Rata Share" means, with respect to any Lender at any time, the percentage obtained by dividing (a) the Commitment of such Lender at such time or, if the Commitments have terminated, the Revolving Loans and participations in Swing Loans held by such Lender at such time by (b) the Commitments of all Lenders at such time or, if the Commitments have terminated, all Loans outstanding at such time; provided, however, that, if there are no Commitments and no Loans outstanding, such Lender's Pro Rata Share shall be determined based on the Pro Rata Share most recently in effect, after giving effect to any subsequent assignment and any subsequent non-pro rata payments of any Lender pursuant to Section 2.18.

"Register" has the meaning specified in Section 2.14(b).

"Related Person" means, with respect to any Person, each Affiliate of such Person and each director, officer, employee, agent, trustee, representative, attorney, accountant and each insurance, environmental, legal, financial and other advisor and other consultants and agents of or to such Person or any of its Affiliates, together with, if such Person is the Administrative Agent, each other Person or individual designated, nominated or otherwise mandated by or helping the Administrative Agent pursuant to and in accordance with Section 10.4 or any comparable provision of any Loan Document.

"Required Lenders" means, at any time, Lenders having at such time in excess of 75% of the sum of the aggregate Commitments (or, if such Commitments are terminated, the sum of the outstanding Loans) then in effect, ignoring, in such calculation, the amounts held by any Non-Funding Lender; provided, that, for purposes of determining Required Lenders hereunder, the principal amount of Swing Loans outstanding shall be deemed to be allocated among the Lenders based on their respective Pro Rata Shares; provided, further, that, so long as there is more than one Lender party hereto, Required Lenders must include at least two Lenders, considering any Lender and its Affiliates as a single Lender.

"Requirements of Law" means, with respect to any Person, collectively, the common law and all federal, state, local, foreign, multinational or international laws, statutes, codes, treaties, standards, rules and regulations, guidelines, ordinances, orders, judgments, writs, injunctions, decrees (including administrative or judicial precedents or authorities) and the interpretation or administration thereof by, and other determinations, directives, requirements or requests of, any Governmental Authority, in each case whether or not having the force of law and that are applicable to or binding upon such Person or any of its property or to which such Person or any of its property is subject.

"Responsible Officer" means, with respect to any Person, any of the president, chief executive officer, treasurer, assistant treasurer, controller, managing member or general partner of such Person but, in any event, with respect to financial matters, any such officer that is responsible for preparing the Financial Statements delivered hereunder and, with respect to the documents delivered pursuant to Section 6.1(e) and documents delivered on the Closing Date, the secretary or assistant secretary of such Person or any other officer responsible for maintaining the corporate and similar records of such Person.

"Restricted Payment" means any dividend, return of capital, or distribution in cash or Stock or Stock Equivalent of Holdings or any of its Subsidiaries, in each case now or hereafter outstanding, including with respect to a claim for rescission of a Sale of such Stock or Stock Equivalent.

"Revolving Loans" has the meaning specified in Section 2.1(a).

"S&P" means Standard & Poor's Rating Services.

"Sale and Leaseback Transaction" means, with respect to any Person (the "obligor"), any Contractual Obligation or other arrangement with any other Person (the "counterparty") consisting of a lease by such obligor of any property that, directly or indirectly, has been or is to be Sold by the obligor to such counterparty or to any other Person to whom funds have been advanced by such counterparty based on a Lien on, or an assignment of, such property or any obligations of such obligor under such lease.

"Scheduled Termination Date" means December 31, 2013.

"Secured Parties" means the Lenders, the Administrative Agent and any other holder of any Obligation of any Loan Party.

"Security" means all Stock, Stock Equivalents, voting trust certificates, bonds, debentures, instruments and other evidence of Indebtedness, whether or not secured, convertible or subordinated, all certificates of interest, share or participation in, all certificates for the acquisition of, and all warrants, options and other rights to acquire, any Security.

"Sell" means, with respect to any property, to sell, convey, transfer, assign, license, lease or otherwise dispose of, any interest therein or to permit any Person to acquire any such interest, including, in each case, through a Sale and Leaseback Transaction or through a sale, factoring at maturity, collection of or other disposal, with or without recourse, of any notes or accounts receivable. Conjugated forms thereof and the noun "Sale" have correlative meanings.

"Settlement Date" means the 10^{th} and 22^{nd} day of each calendar month, or if such day is not a Business Day, the immediately following Business Day.

"Solvent" means, with respect to any Person as of any date of determination, that, as of such date, (a) the value of the assets of such Person (both at fair value and present fair saleable value) is greater than the total amount of liabilities (including contingent and unliquidated liabilities) of such Person, (b) such Person is able to pay all liabilities of such Person as such liabilities mature and (c) such Person does not have unreasonably small capital. In computing the amount of contingent or unliquidated liabilities at any time, such liabilities shall be computed at the amount that, in light of all the facts and circumstances existing at such time, represents the amount that can reasonably be expected to become an actual or matured liability.

"Stock" means all shares of capital stock (whether denominated as common stock or preferred stock), equity interests, beneficial, partnership or membership interests, joint venture interests, participations or other ownership or profit interests in or equivalents (regardless of how designated) of or in a Person (other than an individual), whether voting or non-voting.

"Stock Equivalents" means all securities convertible into or exchangeable for Stock or any other Stock Equivalent and all warrants, options or other rights to purchase, subscribe for or otherwise acquire any Stock or any other Stock Equivalent, whether or not presently convertible, exchangeable or exercisable.

"Subsidiary" means, with respect to any Person, any corporation, partnership, joint venture, limited liability company, association or other entity, the management of which is, directly or indirectly, controlled by, or of which an aggregate of more than 50% of the outstanding Voting Stock is, at the time, owned or controlled directly or indirectly by, such Person or one or more Subsidiaries of such Person.

"Substitute Lender" has the meaning specified in Section 2.18(a).

"Swingline Lender" means GE Capital and its successors and assigns.

"Swing Loans" has the meaning specified in Section 2.1(b).

"<u>Tax Affiliate</u>" means, (a) Holdings, the Borrowers and their Subsidiaries and (b) any Affiliate of Holdings with which the Holdings files or is eligible to file consolidated, combined or unitary tax returns.

"Tax Return" has the meaning specified in Section 4.8.

"Taxes" has the meaning specified in Section 2.17(a).

"Total Equipment Loans" means, at any time, (i) (A) the aggregate principal amount of Revolving Loans made by the Lenders pursuant to Section 2.1(a) plus (B) the aggregate principal amount of Swing Loans made by the Swingline Lender pursuant to Section 2.1(b), minus (ii) all repayments of principal of the Revolving Loans and Swing Loans made by the Borrowers pursuant to this Agreement, including any payments deemed to have been made to Total Equipment Loans pursuant to Section 2.13(e), but excluding any voluntary prepayments of principal pursuant to Section 2.7.

" $\underline{\text{Total Loans}}$ " means, at any time, (i) the Net Equipment Loans, $\underline{\text{plus}}$ (ii) the aggregate outstanding Working Capital Loans at such time.

"<u>UCC</u>" means the Uniform Commercial Code of any applicable jurisdiction and, if the applicable jurisdiction shall not have any Uniform Commercial Code, the Uniform Commercial Code as in effect in the State of New York.

"United States" means the United States of America.

"Used Equipment Curtailment Payment" has the meaning specified in Section 2.6(c).

"Used Equipment Loan" means a Loan to purchase Inventory previously used or sold at retail.

"Used Equipment Loan Sublimit" means \$100,000,000.

"<u>Voting Stock</u>" means Stock of any Person having ordinary power to vote in the election of members of the board of directors, managers, trustees or other controlling Persons, of such Person (irrespective of whether, at the time, Stock of any other class or classes of such entity shall have or might have voting power by reason of the occurrence of any contingency).

"Wholesale Security Agreement" has the meaning specified in the Section 11.8.

"Working Capital Lender" means GE Capital and its successors and assigns.

"Working Capital Loan" has the meaning specified in Section 2.1(c).

"Working Capital Subfacility Amount" means, at any time, the amount by which the Total Equipment Loans exceeds the Net Equipment Loans.

Section 1.2 UCC Terms. The following terms have the meanings given to them in the applicable UCC: "commodity account", "commodity contract", "commodity intermediary", "deposit account", "entitlement holder", "entitlement order", "equipment", "financial asset", "general intangible", "goods", "instruments", "inventory", "securities account", "securities intermediary" and "security entitlement".

Section 1.3 Accounting Terms and Principles. (a) GAAP. All accounting determinations required to be made pursuant hereto shall, unless expressly otherwise provided herein, be made in accordance with GAAP. No change in the accounting principles used in the preparation of any Financial Statement hereafter adopted by Holdings shall be given effect if such change would affect a calculation that measures compliance with any provision of Article 5 or Article 8 unless the Borrowers, the Administrative Agent and the Required Lenders agree to modify such provisions to reflect such changes in GAAP and, unless such provisions are modified, all Financial Statements, Compliance Certificates and similar documents provided hereunder shall be provided together with a reconciliation between the calculations and amounts set forth therein before and after giving effect to such change in GAAP. Notwithstanding any other provision contained herein, all terms of an accounting or financial nature used herein shall be construed, and all computations of amounts and ratios referred to in Article 5 and Article 8 shall be made, without giving effect to any election under Accounting Standards Codification 825-10 (or any other Financial Accounting Standard having a similar result or effect) to value any Indebtedness or other liabilities of any Loan Party or any Subsidiary of any Loan Party at "fair value."

(b) <u>Pro Forma</u>. All components of financial calculations made to determine compliance with <u>Article 5</u> shall be adjusted on a Pro Forma Basis to include or exclude, as the case may be, without duplication, such components of such calculations attributable to any Pro Forma Transaction consummated after the first day of the applicable period of determination and prior to the end of such period, as determined in good faith by the Borrowers based on assumptions expressed therein and that were reasonable based on the information available to the Borrowers at the time of preparation of the Compliance Certificate setting forth such calculations.

Section 1.4 Interpretation. (a) Certain Terms. Except as set forth in any Loan Document, all accounting terms not specifically defined herein shall be construed in accordance with GAAP (except for the term "property", which shall be interpreted as broadly as possible, including, in any case, cash, Securities, other assets, rights under Contractual Obligations and Permits and any right or interest in any property). The terms "herein", "hereof" and similar terms refer to this Agreement as a whole. In the computation of periods of time from a specified date to a later specified date in any Loan Document, the terms "from" means "from and including" and the words "to" and "until" each mean "to but excluding" and the word "through" means "to and including." In any other case, the term "including" when used in any Loan Document means "including without limitation." The term "documents" means all writings, however evidenced and whether in physical or electronic form, including all documents, instruments, agreements, notices, demands, certificates, forms, financial statements, opinions and reports. The term "incur" means incur, create, make, issue, assume or otherwise become directly or indirectly liable in respect of or responsible for, in each case whether directly or indirectly, and the terms "incurrence" and "incurred" and similar derivatives shall have correlative meanings.

(b) <u>Certain References</u>. Unless otherwise expressly indicated, references (i) in this Agreement to an Exhibit, Schedule, Article, Section or clause refer to the appropriate Exhibit or Schedule to, or Article, Section or clause in, this Agreement and (ii) in any Loan Document, to (A) any agreement shall include, without limitation, all exhibits, schedules, appendixes and annexes to such agreement and, unless the prior consent of any Secured Party required therefor is not obtained, any modification to any term of such agreement, (B) any statute shall be to such statute as modified from time to time and to any successor legislation thereto, in each case as in effect at the time any such reference is operative and (C) any time of day shall be a reference to New York time. Titles of articles, sections, clauses, exhibits, schedules and annexes contained in any Loan Document are without substantive meaning or content of any kind whatsoever and are not a part of the agreement between the parties hereto. Unless otherwise expressly indicated, the meaning of any term defined (including by reference) in any Loan Document shall be equally applicable to both the singular and plural forms of such term.

ARTICLE 2 REVOLVING CREDIT FACILITY

Section 2.1 The Revolving Credit Facility.

(a) On the terms and subject to the conditions contained in this Agreement, each Lender severally, but not jointly, agrees to make loans in Dollars (each a "Revolving Loan") to the Borrowers from time to time on any Business Day during the period from the date hereof until the Commitment Termination Date for the purpose of acquiring Inventory from the manufacturers and distributors of such Inventory or to refinance Swing Loans as contemplated in this Agreement; provided, however, that at no time shall any Lender be obligated to make a Revolving Loan if after giving effect thereto, (i) the Credit Exposure of such Lender would exceed such Lender's Commitment, (ii) either the Total Loans or the Total Equipment Loans would exceed the aggregate Commitments, (iii) the aggregate New Equipment Loans would exceed the New Equipment Loan Sublimit, (iv) the aggregate Used Equipment Loans would exceed the Used Equipment Loan Sublimit or (v) a Default shall exist; provided, further, that at no time shall any Lender be required to make any Revolving Loan unless the Administrative Agent, in its sole discretion, has approved any request for Borrowing submitted by the Borrower Representative. Subject to the foregoing, the obligation of each Lender to make its Revolving Loan shall be absolute, unconditional and irrevocable and shall be performed strictly in accordance with the terms of this Agreement under any and all circumstances whatsoever, including (A) the existence of any setoff, claim, abatement, recoupment, defense or other right that such Lender, any Affiliate thereof or any other Person may have against the Administrative Agent, any Borrower or any other Person, and (B) any adverse change in the condition (financial or otherwise) of any Loan Party. Subject to the terms and conditions of this Agreement and within the limits set forth in this clause (a), amounts of Loans repaid may be reborrowed under this Section 2.1.

(b) At the election of the Swingline Lender, the Swingline Lender may, in its sole discretion, make loans in Dollars (each a "Swing Loan") available to the Borrowers from time to time on any Business Day during the period from the date hereof until the Commitment Termination Date for the purpose of acquiring Inventory from the manufacturers and distributors of such Inventory; provided, however, that the Swingline Lender may not make any Swing Loan to the extent that after giving effect to such Swing Loan, (i) either the Total Loans or the Total Equipment Loans would exceed the aggregate Commitments, (ii) the aggregate New Equipment Loans would exceed the New Equipment Loan Sublimit, or (iii) the aggregate Used Equipment Loans would exceed the Used Equipment Loan Sublimit; provided, further, that at no time shall the Swingline Lender make any Swing Loan unless the Administrative Agent, in its sole discretion, has approved any request for Borrowing submitted by the Borrower Representative. Subject to the terms and conditions of this Agreement and within the limits set forth in this clause (b), amounts of Swing Loans repaid may be reborrowed under this clause (b). Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Swingline Lender shall not make any Swing Loan if at least two (2) Business Days prior to such date, the Swing Loan Lender shall have received written notice from any Lender or the Administrative Agent that Swing Loans should be suspended based on the occurrence and continuance of a Default or Event of Default and stating that such notice is a "notice of default"; provided, however that the Swingline Lender may make Swing Loans from the earlier of (i) the date that Lenders having at such time in excess of 80% of the sum of the aggregate Commitments (or, if such Commitments are terminated, the sum of the outstanding Loans) then in effect, ignoring, in such calculation, the amounts held by any Non-Funding Lender, authorize the Swingline Lender to continue to make Swing Loans; provided, that, for purposes of determining outstanding Loans for the calculations in this sentence, the principal amount of Swing Loans outstanding shall be deemed to be allocated among the Lenders based on their respective Pro Rata Shares; provided, further, that, so long as there is more than one Lender party hereto, the authorization of at least two Lenders, considering any Lender and its affiliates as a single Lender, shall be required to authorize the Swingline Lender to continue funding Swing Loans, and (ii) the date that such Default or Event of Default is waived in accordance with the terms hereof.

(c) So long as no Default or Event of Default has occurred and is continuing, the Working Capital Lenders will make loans in Dollars (each a "Working Capital Loans") available to the Borrowers from time to time on any Business Day during the period from the date hereof until the Commitment Termination Date for working capital and other general corporate purposes; provided, however, that the Working Capital Lenders may not make any Working Capital Loan to the extent that, after giving effect to such Working Capital Loan, (x) the aggregate outstanding Working Capital Loans would exceed the Working Capital Subfacility Amount or (y) the Total Loans would exceed the aggregate Commitments. Subject to the terms and conditions of this Agreement and within the limits set forth in this clause (c), amounts of Working Capital Loans repaid may be reborrowed under this clause (c).

Section 2.2 Borrowing Procedures. (a) Request for Equipment Loans. Except as the Administrative Agent may permit through its E-Systems, each request for a Borrowing of New Equipment Loans or Used Equipment Loans shall be made in writing by the Borrower Representative to the Administrative Agent not later than 10:00 a.m. on the first Business Day prior to the proposed Borrowing (except with respect to a Borrowing of Swing Loans for which notice shall be made no later than 10:00 a.m. on the same Business Day) in substantially the form of Exhibit B-1 (a "Request for Equipment Borrowing"), duly completed, with such Request for Equipment Borrowing. Each Request for Equipment Borrowing with respect to a New Equipment Loan shall attach copies of the invoices to be paid with the proceeds of such Loan unless such invoices have previously been electronically submitted to the Administrative Agent. Each Request for Equipment Borrowing with respect to a Used Equipment Loan shall describe the used

equipment to be purchased and the purchase price therefor, and shall attach copies of the certificates of title of the Inventory to be purchased with the proceeds of such Loan. The Administrative Agent is authorized to pay on behalf of any Borrower any invoices, or electronic remittance advises, presented to the Administrative Agent from time to time that evidences the sale by a manufacturer or distributor of one or more items of Inventory. The Administrative Agent shall promptly determine in its sole discretion whether or not any Loans will be made in response to such Request for Equipment Borrowing, and will provide the Borrower prompt notice of such determination. If the Administrative Agent approves such Request for Equipment Borrowing, it shall determine in its sole discretion whether such Request for Equipment Borrowing will be funded with Revolving Loans (in which case it shall promptly notify the Lenders of the details thereof) or with Swing Loans (in which case it shall promptly notify the Swingline Lender of the details thereof).

- (b) <u>Notice to Swingline Lender</u>. Upon receipt of notice from the Administrative Agent to fund a Request for Equipment Borrowing with Swing Loans subject to paragraph (a) above, and subject to the terms of this Agreement, the Swingline Lender will make a Swing Loan available to the Borrower by making the proceeds thereof available to the applicable Borrower, to Administrative Agent (for further application to the applicable Borrower) or to directly pay invoices or electronic remittance advises that are the subject of such Request for Equipment Borrowing.
- (c) <u>Notice to Each Lender</u>. Upon receipt of notice from the Administrative Agent to fund a Request for Equipment Borrowing with Revolving Loans subject to paragraph (a) above, and subject to the terms of this Agreement, each Lender shall, before 10:00 a.m. on the date of the proposed Borrowing, make available to the Administrative Agent at its address referred to in <u>Section 11.11</u>, such Lender's Pro Rata Share of such proposed Borrowing (adjusted in accordance with <u>Section 2.1(a)</u>), and in turn, the Administrative Agent shall promptly make such funds available to the Borrower or to directly pay invoices or electronic remittance advises that are the subject of such Request for Equipment Borrowing.
- (d) <u>Request for Working Capital Loans</u>. Each request for a Borrowing of Working Capital Loans shall be made in writing by the Borrower Representative to the Administrative Agent not later than 11:00 a.m. on (x) the third Business Day prior to the date of the proposed Borrowing if the proposed Borrowing is equal to or greater than \$20,000,000 and (y) on the first Business Day prior to the date of the proposed Borrowing if the proposed Borrowing is less than \$20,000,000, in substantially the form of <u>Exhibit B-2</u> (a "<u>Request for Working Capital Borrowing</u>"), duly completed. The Administrative Agent shall promptly determine in its sole discretion whether or not any Loans will be made in response to such Request for Working Capital Borrowing, and will provide the Borrower and the Working Capital Lenders with prompt notice of such determination.
- (e) <u>Notice to Each Working Capital Lender</u>. Upon receipt of notice from the Administrative Agent to fund a Request for Working Capital Borrowing with Working Capital Loans subject to <u>clause (d)</u> above, and subject to the terms of this Agreement, each Working Capital Lender shall, before 10:00 a.m. on the date of the proposed Borrowing, make available to the Administrative Agent at its address referred to in <u>Section 11.11</u>, such Working Capital Lender's ratable share of such proposed Borrowing based upon its Commitment, and in turn, the Administrative Agent shall promptly make such funds available to the Borrower.

(f) Non-Funding Lenders.

- (i) Non-Funding Lenders Responsibility. Unless the Administrative Agent shall have received notice from any Lender prior to the date such Lender is required to make any payment hereunder with respect to any Loan or any participation in any Swing Loan that such Lender will not make such payment (or any portion thereof) available to the Administrative Agent, the Administrative Agent may assume that such Lender has made such payment available to the Administrative Agent on the date such payment is required to be made in accordance with this Article 2 and the Administrative Agent may, in reliance upon such assumption, make available to the Borrower on such date a corresponding amount; provided, that nothing herein or in any other Loan Document or any Lender Interest Letter shall be deemed to require the Administrative Agent to advance funds on behalf of any Lender. The Borrower agrees to repay to the Administrative Agent on demand such amount (until repaid by such Lender) with interest thereon for each day from the date such amount is made available to the Borrower until the date such amount is repaid to the Administrative Agent, at the interest rate applicable to the Obligation that would have been created when the Administrative Agent made available such amount to the Borrower had such Lender made a corresponding payment available; provided, however, that such payment shall not relieve such Lender of any obligation it may have to the Borrower or the Swingline Lender. The failure of a Non-Funding Lender to make any Revolving Loan, to fund any purchase of any participation to be made or funded by it or to make any other payment required to be made by it under the Loan Documents, in each case on the date specified therefore, shall not relieve any other Lender of its obligations to make such loan, fund the purchase of such participation or make any other such payment under any Loan Document on such date, but neither the Administrative Agent nor, other than as expressly set forth herein, any Lender shall be responsible for the failure of any Non-Funding Lender to make a Loan, fund the purchase of a participation or make any other payment required under any Loan Document.
- (ii) Reallocation. If any Lender is a Non-Funding Lender, all or a portion of such Non-Funding Lender's reimbursement obligations with respect to Swing Loans shall, at the Administrative Agent's election at any time or upon Swingline Lender's written request delivered to the Administrative Agent (whether before or after the occurrence of any Default or Event of Default), be reallocated to and assumed by the Lenders that are not Non-Funding Lenders in accordance with their Pro Rata Share of the Commitments (calculated as if the Non-Funding Lender's Pro Rata Share was reduced to zero and each other Lender's Pro Rata Share had been increased proportionately); provided, that no Lender shall be reallocated any such amounts or be required to fund any amounts that would cause such Lender's Credit Exposure to exceed its Commitment, and any such amounts in excess of such Lender's availability under its Commitment shall be reallocated ratably to the Working Capital Lenders to the extent of availability under their Commitments.
- (iii) <u>Voting Rights</u>. Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, including <u>Section 11.1</u>, a Non-Funding Lender shall not have any voting or consent rights under or with respect to any Loan Document or constitute a "Lender" or a "Revolving Lender" (or be, or have its Loans or Commitments, included in the determination of "Required Lenders" or "Lenders directly affected" pursuant to <u>Section 11.1</u>) for any voting or consent rights under or with respect to any Loan Document; provided, that (A) the Commitment of a Non-Funding Lender may not be increased, extended or reinstated, (B) the principal of a Non-Funding Lender's Loans may not be reduced or forgiven and (C) the interest rate applicable to Obligations owing to a Non-Funding Lender may not be reduced, in each case without the consent of such Non-Funding Lender. For the purposes of determining Required Lenders, the Loans and Commitments held by Non-Funding Lenders shall be excluded from the total Loans and Commitments outstanding.

Section 2.3 Refinancing Swing Loans.

(a) The Swingline Lender may at any time, and shall at least one Business Day prior to each Settlement Date, forward a demand to the Administrative Agent (which the Administrative Agent shall, upon receipt, forward to each Lender) that each Lender pay to the Administrative Agent, for the account of the Swingline Lender, such Lender's Pro Rata Share of all of the outstanding Swing Loans (as such amount may be increased pursuant to Section 2.2(f)(ii)). Each Lender shall pay such Pro Rata Share of the outstanding Swing Loans to the Administrative Agent for the account of the Swingline Lender. Upon receipt by the Administrative Agent of such payment (other than during the continuation of any Event of Default under Section 9.1(e)), such Lender shall be deemed to have made a Revolving Loan to the Borrower, which, upon receipt of such payment by the Swingline Lender from the Administrative Agent, the Borrower shall be deemed to have used in whole to refinance such Swing Loan. In addition, regardless of whether any such demand is made, upon the occurrence of any Event of Default under Section 9.1(e), each Lender shall be deemed to have acquired, without recourse or warranty, an undivided interest and participation in each Swing Loan in an amount equal to such Lender's Pro Rata Share of such Swing Loan. If any payment made by any Lender as a result of any such demand is not deemed a Revolving Loan, such payment shall be deemed a funding by such Lender of such participation. Such participation shall not be otherwise required to be funded. Upon receipt by the Swingline Lender of any payment from any Lender pursuant to this clause (a) with respect to any portion of any Swing Loan, the Swingline Lender shall promptly pay over to such Lender all payments of principal (to the extent received after such payment by such Lender) and interest (to the extent accrued with respect to periods after such payment) received by the Swingline Lender with respect to such portion. The Swingline Lender shall be entitled to offset amounts owed by the Lenders pursuant to this Section 2.3(a) against payments to be made to the Lenders on such Settlement Date. Notwithstanding anything set forth above, to the extent that the outstanding Revolving Loans are not held ratably among the Lenders and there is insufficient availability under the Commitments of any Lender to fund its entire Pro Rata Share of any requested new Revolving Loan, such Lender's Pro Rata Share of such requested new Revolving Loan and its interest in any Swing Loan that cannot be funded shall be reduced to the extent such Revolving Loan or purchase of an interest in Swing Loans will result in such Lender's Credit Exposure being equal to (and not in excess of) its Commitment, and the remaining portion of such Revolving Loan or purchase of an interest in such Swing Loans shall be funded ratably by the Working Capital Lenders.

(b) <u>Obligation to Fund Absolute</u>. Each Lender's obligations pursuant to <u>clause (a)</u> above shall be absolute, unconditional and irrevocable and shall be performed strictly in accordance with the terms of this Agreement under any and all circumstances whatsoever, including (A) the existence of any setoff, claim, abatement, recoupment, defense or other right that such Lender, any Affiliate thereof or any other Person may have against the Swing Loan Lender or any other Person, and (B) any adverse change in the condition (financial or otherwise) of any Loan Party.

Section 2.4 Reallocation of Loans. Upon the acceleration of the Loans, the foreclosure on any Liens securing the Obligations, the exercise of any other contractual remedies granted under the Loan Documents by the Administrative Agent or any Lenders or the occurrence of an Event of Default pursuant to Section 9.1(e), to the extent that the outstanding Credit Exposure of each Lender is not equal to its Pro Rata Share of the Commitments, the Working Capital Lenders shall be deemed to have purchased ratably from all other Lenders (the "Other Lenders"), without recourse or warranty, a portion of the Revolving Loans and participations in Swing Loans held by the Other Lenders (or to the extent not permitted by law, an undivided interest and participation in the Revolving Loans and participations in Swing Loans held by the Other Lenders) to the extent necessary such that the Revolving Loans and participations in Swing Loans are held ratably by all Lenders. Upon receipt by any Other Lender of any payment with respect to any portion of the Revolving Loans or participations in Swing Loans sold or participated out to the Working Capital Lenders pursuant to this Section 2.4, such Other Lender shall promptly pay over to such Working Capital Lender all payments of principal, interest and fees received by the Other Lender with respect to such portion.

Section 2.5 Reduction and Termination of the Commitments.

- (a) <u>Optional</u>. The Borrowers may, upon notice to the Administrative Agent, terminate the Commitments in their entirety (but not in part); provided, that the Borrowers repays the outstanding principal balance of all Loans, together with all accrued fees and interest thereon and the Prepayment Processing Fee payable pursuant to <u>Section 2.5(c)</u>.
- (b) <u>Mandatory</u>. All outstanding Commitments shall terminate on the earlier of (i) the Scheduled Termination Date and (ii) the date 120 days after the Administrative Agent elects to terminate the Commitments by delivering written notice thereof to the Borrower Representative and the Lenders.
- (c) <u>Prepayment Processing Fee.</u> If (i) any Borrower allows another finance source to finance any Inventory, (ii) the Borrowers terminate the Commitments pursuant to <u>Section 2.5(a)</u> or (iii) the Administrative Agent terminates this Agreement pursuant to <u>Section 9.2</u> when any Event of Default has occurred and is continuing, the Borrowers shall pay to the Administrative Agent, for the ratable benefit of the Lenders, an amount (the "<u>Prepayment Processing Fee</u>") equal to: (x) if such other financing or notice of termination occurs on or prior to February 29, 2012, 2.0% of the aggregate Commitments and (y) thereafter, \$300,000. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Borrowers shall not be required to pay any Prepayment Processing Fee (i) as a result of any Borrower financing Inventory for a limited period of time (not to exceed 180 days) with interest-free floor plan financing arranged or offered by the manufacturer of such Inventory, (ii) to the extent that the Borrower Representative has requested in writing that the Lenders increase the Commitments, the Lenders declined to do so and the Total Commitments are substantially fully funded, or (iii) to the extent the Borrower Representative terminates the Commitments within 90 days after GE Capital ceases to be the Administrative Agent hereunder.

<u>Section 2.6</u> <u>Repayment of Loans</u>. (a) The Borrowers jointly and severally promise to repay the entire outstanding principal amount of all Loans on the earlier of (i) the Scheduled Termination Date and (ii) the date that is 120 days following the delivery by the Administrative Agent of a notice terminating the Commitments pursuant to <u>Section 2.5(b)</u>.

(b) New Equipment Curtailment Payments. Until each New Equipment Loan have been repaid in full, the Borrowers jointly and severally promise to make curtailment principal payments with respect to such New Equipment Loan in amounts equal to the original principal amount of each New Equipment Loan multiplied by the percentages set forth below (each such payment, a "New Equipment Curtailment Payment"):

DATE	AMOUNT
Date that is 12 months after the date of such New Equipment Loan	10%
Date that is 18 months after the date of such New Equipment Loan	5%
Date that is 24 months after the date of such New Equipment Loan and each monthly anniversary of the date of	
such New Equipment Loan thereafter	5%

Each New Equipment Curtailment Payment shall be accrued on the applicable date set forth in the table above and shall be due and payable on the fifteenth day after the date of the invoice setting forth such New Equipment Curtailment Payment. Each such New Equipment Curtailment Payment shall be deemed to reduce the principal amount of the related New Equipment Loan, and shall be applied to the Obligations in accordance with Section 2.12.

(c) <u>Used Equipment Curtailment Payments</u>. Until each Used Equipment Loan has been repaid in full, the Borrowers jointly and severally promise to make curtailment principal payments with respect to such Used Equipment Loan in amounts equal to the original principal amount of such Used Equipment Loan multiplied by the percentages set forth below (each such payment, a "<u>Used Equipment Curtailment Payment</u>"):

DATE	AMOUNT
Date that is 12 months after the date of such Used Equipment Loan	10%
Date that is 15 months after the date of such Used Equipment Loan	10%
Date that is 18 months after the date of such Used Equipment Loan	10%
Date that is 19 months after the date of such Used Equipment Loan and each monthly anniversary of the date of	
such Used Equipment Loan thereafter	5%

Each Used Equipment Curtailment Payment shall be accrued on the applicable date set forth in the table above and shall be due and payable on the fifteenth day after the date of the invoice setting forth such Used Equipment Curtailment Payment. Each such Used Equipment Curtailment Payment shall be deemed to reduce the principal amount of the related Used Equipment Loan, and shall be applied to the Obligations in accordance with Section 2.12.

Section 2.7 Optional Prepayments. The Borrowers may prepay the Revolving Loans and Swing Loans in whole or in part at any time (together with any breakage costs that may be owing pursuant to Section 2.16(a) after giving effect to such prepayment); provided, however, that in no event shall the aggregate amount of partial prepayments of Revolving Loans and Swing Loans exceed 65% of the Total Equipment Loans. The Borrowers may prepay the Working Capital Loans in whole or in part at any time (together with any breakage costs that may be owing pursuant to Section 2.16(a) after giving effect to such prepayment). All such partial prepayments shall be applied to the Obligations in accordance with Section 2.12, but shall not be deemed to reduce any New Equipment Loans or Used Equipment Loans.

Section 2.8 Mandatory Repayments.

- (a) Excess Outstandings. On any date on which the aggregate Credit Exposure exceeds the aggregate Commitments, the Borrowers shall pay to the Administrative Agent an amount equal to such excess, allocated in accordance with Section 2.12(d). On any date on which the aggregate Working Capital Loans exceeds the Working Capital Subfacility Amount, the Borrowers shall pay to the Administrative Agent an amount equal to such excess, to be allocated ratably to outstanding Working Capital Loans.
- (b) <u>Sale, Loss or Destruction of Inventory.</u> Subject to the terms of <u>Section 2.10</u>, if any Inventory is Sold, the Borrowers shall pay or cause to be paid to the Administrative Agent an amount equal to the principal amount of the New Equipment Loan or Used Equipment Loan borrowed to purchase such Inventory (less any curtailment payments paid with respect to such New Equipment Loan or Used Equipment Loan pursuant to <u>Section 2.6</u>), together with all accrued and unpaid interest thereon, on the earlier of the date a Borrower receives payment for such item of Inventory or the date possession of such item of Inventory is delivered to the purchaser thereof, notwithstanding that the relevant purchase order or invoice may list an earlier date of sale. If any Inventory is lost or destroyed, the Borrowers shall pay or cause to be paid to the Administrative Agent an amount equal to the principal amount of the Loan or Loans borrowed to purchase such Inventory, together with all accrued and unpaid interest thereon, no later than thirty (30) Business Days after any Borrower obtains knowledge or notice of such loss or destruction.
- (c) Loss of Franchises. Upon the termination of any franchise at a particular location, the Administrative Agent may demand payment within thirty (30) days of all New Equipment Loans and Used Equipment Loans that relate to such franchise at that location. Upon the termination by a Governmental Authority of any license to operate as a motor vehicle dealer at a particular location, the Administrative Agent may demand payment within thirty (30) days of all New Equipment Loans and Used Equipment Loans related to Inventory at such location. Should the franchises representing more than twenty-five percent (25.0%) of the Total Equipment Loans to Borrowers by dollar volume be terminated or the licenses to operate a motor vehicle dealer at locations representing more than twenty-five percent (25.0%) of the Total Equipment Loans to Borrowers by dollar volume be terminated, the Administrative Agent may demand payment of all Loans then outstanding, in which event such Loans, together with all accrued but unpaid interest, shall be paid by the Borrowers no later than thirty (30) days after such demand.

- <u>Section 2.9 Interest; Fees.</u> (a) <u>Interest Rate</u>. Except as otherwise provided in <u>clause (c)</u> below, all Loans and the outstanding amount of all other Obligations shall bear interest, in the case of Loans, on the unpaid principal amount thereof from the date such Loans are made and, in the case of such other Obligations, from the date such other Obligations are due and payable until, in all cases, paid in full at a rate per annum equal to the sum of the LIBOR Rate plus 2.95%.
- (b) <u>Working Capital Fee</u>. The Borrowers agree to pay to the Administrative Agent, for the ratable benefit of the Working Capital Lenders, a fee on the actual daily amount by which the Total Equipment Loans exceeds the sum of (i) the Net Equipment Loans plus (ii) all outstanding Working Capital Loans, measured from the date hereof through the Scheduled Termination Date at a rate per annum equal to 0.35%, payable in arrears (x) on the last day of each calendar month and (y) on the Scheduled Termination Date.
- (c) <u>Payments</u>. Interest accrued shall be payable in arrears jointly and severally by the Borrowers to the Administrative Agent (i) if accrued on the principal amount of any Loan, (A) at maturity (whether by acceleration or otherwise), and (B) within fifteen days after the date of any monthly invoice delivered by the Administrative Agent to the Borrower Representative setting forth the amount of interest due and payable, and (ii) if accrued on any other Obligation, on demand from any Lender after the time such Obligation is due and payable (whether by acceleration or otherwise). On the last day of each calendar month, the Administrative Agent shall pay to each Lender interest on the principal amount of the Loans and other Obligations owed to such Lender for the period of time for which such interest was paid by the Borrower at a rate per annum equal to the sum of the LIBOR Rate plus the Applicable Lender Margin for such Lender; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that in no event shall the amount due to such Lender exceed such Lender's pro rata share (based upon Credit Exposure of such Lender) of the interest received by the Administrative Agent from the Borrower during such calendar month. The remaining interest shall be paid by the Administrative Agent to GE Capital for its own account on such Settlement Date.
- (d) <u>Delinquency Charges</u>. To the extent any charge or amount is due hereunder, and are not paid within 10 days of its due date, the Borrowers shall pay to the Administrative Agent for the benefit of the Lenders a delinquency charge calculated thereon at the rate of 1½% per month for the period of delinquency or, at the Administrative Agent's option, 5% of such past due amounts, provided that such delinquency charge is not prohibited by law, otherwise at the highest rate the Borrowers can legally obligate themselves to pay and/or the Administrative Agent or Lenders can legally collect (provided such delinquency charges may not exceed those set out herein).
- (e) <u>Savings Clause</u>. Anything herein to the contrary notwithstanding, the obligations of the Borrowers hereunder shall be subject to the limitation that payments of interest shall not be required, for any period for which interest is computed hereunder, to the extent (but only to the extent) that contracting for or receiving such payment by the respective Lender would be contrary to the provisions of any law applicable to such Lender limiting the highest rate of interest which may be lawfully contracted for, charged or received by such Lender, and in such event the Borrowers shall pay such Lender interest at the highest rate permitted by applicable law ("<u>Maximum Lawful Rate</u>"); provided, however, that if at any time thereafter the rate of interest payable hereunder is less than the Maximum Lawful Rate, the Borrowers shall continue to pay interest hereunder at the Maximum Lawful Rate until such time as the total interest received by the Administrative Agent, on behalf of Lenders, is equal to the total interest that would have been received had the interest payable hereunder been (but for the operation of this paragraph) the interest rate payable since the Closing Date as otherwise provided in this Agreement.

Section 2.10 Delayed Payment Privilege.

- (a) The Borrowers have requested the privilege of delaying payment of a Loan in the limited instances where Collateral is sold by a Borrower to a purchaser for whom both the Borrower Representative and the Administrative Agent have agreed to a delayed payment period (the "Delayed Payment Privilege") and the portion of the purchase price for such Collateral (the "Collateral Amount Financed") subject to such Delayed Payment Privilege. In no event shall the Collateral Amount Financed exceed \$45,000,000 without the consent of the Required Lenders. Notwithstanding anything contained herein to the contrary, the Loan Parties acknowledge and agree that the Administrative Agent's security interest in any and all vehicles sold to a customer, and in which event the full payment thereof by cash or on the basis of a properly perfected retail installment contract or other security agreement in favor of the Administrative Agent is not made contemporaneous with the delivery of such Collateral by the Borrowers (the "Delayed Payment Collateral"), shall remain in full force and effect in such Delayed Payment Collateral and shall not be relinquished, extinguished, released or terminated as a consequence of such sale or delivery unless and until the payment is thereafter made directly to the Administrative Agent or jointly to the Borrowers and the Administrative Agent. Moreover, Borrowers are expressly prohibited and shall not have any express, implied or apparent authority to sell, lease, transfer or otherwise dispose of any Delayed Payment Collateral. The terms of this Section 2.10 shall not be altered, modified, supplemented, qualified, waived or amended by reason of any agreement (unless in writing executed by the Borrowers and the Administrative Agent), or by the course of performance, course of dealing, or usage of trade by the Borrowers and the Administrative Agent or any of them.
- (b) Any previously executed Agreement for the Delayed Payment Privilege for New Floor Plan Units among the Borrowers and GE Capital is superseded by the terms and conditions of this Agreement for all transactions arising on or after the effective date thereof.
- (c) The Borrower Representative shall advise the Administrative Agent of each and every potential transaction in which the Borrower Representative requests the Administrative Agent to grant the Delayed Payment Privilege, and the period of time for which the Delayed Payment Privilege is being requested. Such request shall be made of the Administrative Agent in writing and on a form of the type and kind provided by the Administrative Agent from time to time. Upon receipt of request from the Borrower Representative to grant a Delayed Payment Privilege in accordance with the previous sentence, the Administrative Agent shall notify the Borrower Representative within one Business Day if it does not consent to the requested grant of a Delayed Payment Privilege or needs additional information in order to evaluate the requested grant of a Delayed Payment Privilege. If Borrower Representative does not receive a response from the Administrative Agent to any request to grant a Delayed Payment Privilege within one Business Day of such request, then Administrative Agent shall be deemed to have consented to such request and the Borrower Representative may grant the Delayed Payment Privilege. The Administrative Agent's express or deemed consent, if any, to the Borrower Representative's request to grant a Delayed Payment Privilege must be obtained prior to the sale, transfer or delivery of any vehicles proposed by the Borrowers to be disposed by the Delayed Payment Privilege (the "Delayed Payment Privilege Collateral").

- (d) The Administrative Agent's consent to any request for disposition of Delayed Payment Privilege Collateral shall be in the Administrative Agent's sole and exclusive discretion and further subject and contingent upon the following additional terms and conditions:
 - (i) The Administrative Agent may, in its sole and exclusive discretion limit the number of items of Collateral, amount outstanding and terms and conditions for which the Delayed Payment Privilege requested by the Borrower Representative is approved.
 - (ii) The Administrative Agent may, in its sole and exclusive discretion withdraw, cancel, or suspend the Delayed Payment Privilege at anytime and for any reason upon a ten-day advance written notice and immediately if any Event of Default exists; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that such withdrawal, cancellation or suspension shall not affect the rights, interests and duties under this Agreement prior thereto.
- (e) Borrowers shall complete, execute and deliver to Administrative Agent, immediately upon the delivery of Delayed Payment Privilege Collateral, a form of the type and kind provided by Administrative Agent from time to time (the "<u>Delivery Schedule</u>").
- (f) Borrowers shall immediately pay Administrative Agent the Collateral Amount Financed upon the earliest of (i) demand by Administrative Agent; or (ii) receipt of the amount due from the disposition of each of the Delayed Payment Privilege Collateral; or (iii) the "Purchaser Payment Date" set forth on the applicable Delivery Schedule; or (iv) with respect to any particular vehicle as to which the Borrowers have exercised the Deferred Payment Privilege, sixty (60) days after such vehicle was sold (unless the Required Lenders consent to an extension of such 60-day period).
- (g) Upon Administrative Agent's request, Borrowers shall obtain from the person acquiring the Delayed Payment Privilege Collateral a duly authorized and executed acknowledgement from the Purchaser confirming that the terms of sale including the continuation of Administrative Agent's security interest in the Delayed Payment Privilege Collateral. The acknowledgement shall be in writing and on a form of the type and kind provided by Administrative Agent from time to time, which shall be delivered to Administrative Agent prior to any sale, transfer or delivery of any Delayed Payment Privilege Collateral to such person (the "Acknowledgement of Purchaser").
- (h) The grant and exercise of the Delayed Payment Privilege by Borrowers shall in no way extinguish, release or terminate Administrative Agent's security interest in the Delayed Payment Privilege Collateral unless and until the conditions described in the <u>clause (d)</u> above and the aforesaid Acknowledgement of Purchaser are first fulfilled, which shall then and thereafter continue in the proceeds thereof.
- (i) Administrative Agent shall have no duty or obligation to examine, review or consider the creditworthiness of any proposed or actual customer of Borrowers for which Borrowers seeks Administrative Agent's consent to the Delayed Payment Privilege and any such examination, review or consideration by Administrative Agent shall be for its sole and exclusive use and purposes.

- (j) Borrowers' obligation to pay Administrative Agent for the Collateral Amount Financed shall be absolute, unconditional and primary, notwithstanding (a) Administrative Agent consenting to the Delayed Payment Privilege; or (b) default in the payment or acquisition terms by the customer of the Borrowers for Delayed Payment Privilege Collateral, or that of any of customer's surety, guarantor, co-obligor or lender; or (c) rejection or revocation of acceptance of any Delayed Payment Privilege Collateral by such customer; or (d) the acceptance by Administrative Agent of any assignment or proceeds from any Delayed Payment Privilege Collateral; provided, however, that nothing in this Section 2.10 is intended to permit payment to Administrative Agent of any more than the greater of (i) the Collateral Amounts Financed or (ii) the value of Administrative Agent's security interest in the Delayed Payment Privilege Collateral. For the avoidance of doubt, notwithstanding the fact that any Collateral is subject to the Delayed Payment Privilege, any Loans made to finance the purchase price of such Collateral subject to the Delayed Payment Privilege shall remain outstanding until paid in full in accordance with the terms hereof and such Loans shall be included, as applicable, in the calculation of the aggregate amount of Loans, New Equipment Loans and Used Equipment Loans outstanding and in the calculation of the Total Equipment Loans, Net Equipment Loans and Total Loans.
- (k) Upon demand by Administrative Agent, Borrowers shall provide Administrative Agent with an assignment of all right, title, and interest of the Borrowers in and to the accounts, contract rights, sale proceeds or any other interest Borrowers may then or thereafter have in the Delayed Payment Privilege Collateral. Said assignment shall be for the purpose of additional security only and shall be on a form of the type and kind provided by Administrative Agent from time to time.
- (l) Administrative Agent may take such actions as it reasonably deems appropriate to assure and enforce compliance with this Agreement, including requesting, for audit purposes, verification from Borrowers' customers the fact of delivery, possession, and amount, date and circumstances of payment of any Delayed Payment Privilege Collateral, and the notification to appropriate persons of any security interest, assignment or other claim in the Delayed Payment Privilege Collateral of Administrative Agent.

<u>Section 2.11 Settlement Dates</u>. On each Settlement Date, the Administrative Agent shall pay to all Lenders, in accordance with <u>Section 2.12</u>, their share of all principal repayments received by the Administrative Agent from the Borrowers since the prior Settlement Date (or with respect to the first Settlement Date, since the Closing Date). On each Settlement Date, each Lender shall pay to the Administrative Agent, for the benefit of the Swingline Lender, its Pro Rata Share of the Revolving Loan to be made on such Settlement Date to refinance Swing Loans in accordance with <u>Section 2.3</u>. The Administrative Agent shall be entitled to offset such fundings and fund or receive payment on a net basis.

Section 2.12 Application of Payments.

(a) <u>Application of Payments During an Event of Default</u>. Each of the Borrowers hereby irrevocably waives, and agrees to cause each Loan Party and each other Group Member to waive, the right to direct the application during the continuance of an Event of Default of any and all payments in respect of any Obligation and any proceeds of Collateral and agrees that the Administrative Agent may apply all payments in respect of any Obligation and all proceeds of Collateral to the Obligations in accordance with this <u>Section 2.12</u> or as otherwise directed by the Administrative Agent and all Lenders.

- (b) <u>Application of Payments under Sections 2.6(b)</u>, <u>2.6(c)</u> and <u>2.8(b)</u>. All repayments of the Obligations made by the Borrowers pursuant to <u>Section 2.6(b)</u>, <u>Section 2.6(c)</u> or <u>Section 2.8(b)</u> shall be allocated (i) <u>first</u>, to pay the outstanding principal amount of the Swing Loans, and (ii) <u>second</u>, to pay the outstanding principal amount of the Revolving Loans in proportion to each Lender's Pro Rata Share, subject to <u>Section 2.13(f)</u>. If sufficient amounts are not available to repay all outstanding Obligations described in any priority level set forth in this <u>Section 2.12</u>, the available amounts shall be applied, unless otherwise expressly specified herein, to such Obligations ratably based on the proportion of the Secured Parties' interest in such Obligations. Any priority level set forth in this <u>Section 2.12</u> that includes interest shall include all such interest, whether or not accruing after the filing of any petition in bankruptcy or the commencement of any insolvency, reorganization or similar proceeding, and whether or not a claim for post-filing or post-petition interest is allowed in any such proceeding.
- (c) <u>Application of Voluntary Partial Prepayments under Section 2.7</u>. All voluntary partial prepayments of the Obligations made by the Borrowers pursuant to <u>Section 2.7</u> shall be allocated (i) <u>first</u>, to pay the outstanding principal amount of the Working Capital Loans, (ii) <u>second</u>, to pay the outstanding principal amount of the Swing Loans (which shall be deemed to reduce the interests of the Working Capital Lenders therein but not the interests of any other Lenders), and (iii) <u>third</u>, to pay the outstanding principal amount of Revolving Loans made by the Working Capital Lenders (but not any other Lenders). If sufficient amounts are not available to repay all outstanding Obligations described in any priority level set forth in this <u>Section 2.12</u>, the available amounts shall be applied, unless otherwise expressly specified herein, to such Obligations ratably based on the proportion of the Secured Parties' interest in such Obligations. Any priority level set forth in this <u>Section 2.12</u> that includes interest shall include all such interest, whether or not accruing after the filing of any petition in bankruptcy or the commencement of any insolvency, reorganization or similar proceeding, and whether or not a claim for post-filing or post-petition interest is allowed in any such proceeding.
- (d) <u>Application of Payments Generally.</u> Subject to <u>Section 2.12(a)</u> and <u>Section 2.12(c)</u>, all payments that would otherwise be allocated to the Lenders pursuant to this <u>Section 2.12</u> shall be allocated (i) <u>first</u>, to pay Obligations in respect of any cost or expense reimbursements, fees or indemnities then due to the Administrative Agent, (ii) <u>second</u>, to pay accrued and unpaid interest and fees due and payable to the Lenders, (iii) <u>third</u>, to pay the outstanding principal amount of Swing Loans, (iv) <u>fourth</u>, to pay the outstanding principal amount of Revolving Loans allocated ratably based on each Lender's Pro Rata Share, (v) <u>fifth</u>, to pay the outstanding principal amount of Working Capital Loans and (vi) <u>sixth</u>, to pay any other Obligations then due and payable. If sufficient amounts are not available to repay all outstanding Obligations described in any priority level set forth in this <u>Section 2.12</u>, the available amounts shall be applied, unless otherwise expressly specified herein, to such Obligations ratably based on the proportion of the Secured Parties' interest in such Obligations. Any priority level set forth in this <u>Section 2.12</u> that includes interest shall include all such interest, whether or not accruing after the filing of any petition in bankruptcy or the commencement of any insolvency, reorganization or similar proceeding, and whether or not a claim for post-filing or post-petition interest is allowed in any such proceeding.

Section 2.13 Payments and Computations. (a) Procedure. The Borrowers shall make each payment under any Loan Document not later than 11:00 a.m. on the day when due to the Administrative Agent by wire transfer or ACH transfer (which shall be the exclusive means of payment hereunder) to the following account (or at such other account or by such other means to such other address as the Administrative Agent shall have notified the Borrower Representative in writing within a reasonable time prior to such payment) in immediately available Dollars and without setoff or counterclaim:

ABA No. 021-001-033 Account Number 502-797-91 Deutsche Bank Trust Company Americas, New York, New York Account Name: GECC/CAF Depository

Reference: GE Capital Re Rush Enterprises

- (b) <u>Computations of Interests and Fees</u>. All computations of interest and of fees shall be made by the Administrative Agent on the basis of a year of 360 days consisting of 12 30-day months (including the first day but excluding the last day) occurring in the period for which such interest and fees are payable. Each determination of an interest rate or the amount of a fee hereunder shall be made by the Administrative Agent (including determinations of a LIBOR Rate in accordance with the definitions of "LIBOR Rate") and shall be conclusive, binding and final for all purposes, absent manifest error.
- (c) <u>Payment Dates</u>. Whenever any payment hereunder shall be stated to be due on a day other than a Business Day, the due date for such payment shall be extended to the next succeeding Business Day without any increase in such payment as a result of additional interest or fees; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that such interest and fees shall continue accruing as a result of such extension of time.
- (d) Advancing Payments. Unless the Administrative Agent shall have received notice from the Borrower Representative to the Lenders prior to the date on which any payment is due hereunder that the Borrowers will not make such payment in full, the Administrative Agent may assume that the Borrowers have made such payment in full to the Administrative Agent on such date and the Administrative Agent may, in reliance upon such assumption, cause to be distributed to each Lender on such due date an amount equal to the amount then due such Lender. If and to the extent that the Borrowers shall not have made such payment in full to the Administrative Agent, each Lender shall repay to the Administrative Agent on demand such amount distributed to such Lender together with interest thereon (at the Federal Funds Rate for the first Business Day and thereafter, at the rate applicable to the Loans) for each day from the date such amount is distributed to such Lender until the date such Lender repays such amount to the Administrative Agent. The Lenders shall make any payment under any Loan Document in immediately available Dollars and without setoff or counterclaim.
- (e) Non-Pro Rata Payments. Notwithstanding anything contained in this Agreement to the contrary, to the extent that the outstanding Revolving Loans are not held ratably among the Lenders and the payments to be allocated to any Lender under this Agreement exceed its outstanding Revolving Loans, such excess payments shall be applied first to any outstanding Working Capital Loans of such Lender, and then refunded to the Borrowers in the form of a Working Capital Loan; provided, however, that for purposes of calculating Total Equipment Loans, the entire payment amount (including any portion that is retained by or returned to the Borrowers) shall be deemed to have been paid and shall reduce Total Equipment Loans.
- (f) <u>Non-Pro Rata Funding of Loans</u>. To the extent that the outstanding Revolving Loans are not held ratably among the Lenders and there is insufficient availability under the Commitments of any Lender to fund its Pro Rata Share of any requested new Borrowing of Revolving Loans, such Lender shall fund a portion of such Borrowing equal to the unfunded amount of its Commitment, and the remaining portion of such Borrowing shall be funded ratably by the remaining Lenders.

(g) <u>Allocation of Payments to New Equipment Loans and Used Equipment Loans</u>. The Administrative Agent may maintain books and records associating each New Equipment Loan and each Used Equipment Loan with specific items of Inventory. The principal amount of each New Equipment Loan shall be deemed reduced by each New Equipment Loan Curtailment Payment associated with such New Equipment Loan and each repayment thereof required under <u>Section 2.8(b)</u>, regardless of how such payments are allocated pursuant to <u>Section 2.12</u>. The principal amount of each Used Equipment Loan shall be deemed reduced by each Used Equipment Loan Curtailment Payment associated with such Used Equipment Loan and each repayment thereof required under <u>Section 2.8(b)</u>, regardless of how such payments are allocated pursuant to <u>Section 2.12</u>. None of the New Equipment Loans or Used Equipment Loans will be deemed to be reduced as a result of any prepayments made pursuant to <u>Section 2.7</u>.

Section 2.14 Evidence of Debt. (a) Records of Lenders. Each Lender shall maintain in accordance with its usual practice accounts evidencing Indebtedness of the Borrowers to such Lender resulting from each Loan of such Lender from time to time, including the amounts of principal and interest payable and paid to such Lender from time to time under this Agreement. In addition, each Lender having sold a participation in any of its Obligations to the Administrative Agent, acting as agent of the Borrowers solely for this purpose and solely for tax purposes, shall establish and maintain at its address referred to in Section 11.11 (or at such other address as such Lender shall notify the Borrower Representative) a record of ownership (the "Participant Register"), in which such Lender shall register by book entry (A) the name and address of each such participant (and each change thereto, whether by assignment or otherwise) and (B) the rights, interest or obligation of each such participant in any Obligation, in any Commitment and in any right to receive any payment hereunder.

- (b) Records of Administrative Agent. The Administrative Agent, acting as agent of the Borrowers solely for tax purposes and solely with respect to the actions described in this Section 2.14, shall establish and maintain at its address referred to in Section 11.11 (or at such other address as the Administrative Agent may notify the Borrower Representative) (A) a record of ownership (the "Register") in which the Administrative Agent agrees to register by book entry the interests (including any rights to receive payment hereunder) of the Administrative Agent and each Lender, their Commitments, their Loans, each of their obligations under this Agreement to participate in each Loan, and any assignment of any such interest, obligation or right and (B) accounts in the Register in accordance with its usual practice in which it shall record (1) the names and addresses of the Lenders (and each change thereto pursuant to Section 2.18 (Substitution of Lenders) and Section 11.2 (Assignments and Participations; Binding Effect)), (2) the Commitments of each Lender, (3) the amount of each Loan and each funding of any participation described in clause (a) above, (4) the amount of any principal or interest due and payable or paid and (5) any other payment received by the Administrative Agent from the Borrowers and its application to the Obligations.
- (c) <u>Registered Obligations</u>. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in this Agreement, the Loans are registered obligations, the right, title and interest of the Lenders and their assignees in and to such Loans shall be transferable only upon notation of such transfer in the Register and no assignment thereof shall be effective until recorded therein. This <u>Section 2.14</u> and <u>Section 11.2</u> shall be construed so that the Loans are at all times maintained in "<u>registered form</u>" within the meaning of Sections 163(f), 871(h)(2) and 881(c)(2) of the Code and any related regulations (and any successor provisions).

- (d) <u>Prima Facie Evidence</u>. The entries made in the Register and in the accounts maintained pursuant to <u>clauses (a)</u> and <u>(b)</u> above shall, to the extent permitted by applicable Requirements of Law, be prima facie evidence of the existence and amounts of the obligations recorded therein; <u>provided, however</u>, that no error in such account and no failure of any Lender or the Administrative Agent to maintain any such account shall affect the obligations of any Loan Party to repay the Loans in accordance with their terms. In addition, the Loan Parties, the Administrative Agent and the Lenders shall treat each Person whose name is recorded in the Register as a Lender for all purposes of this Agreement. Information contained in the Register and the Participant Register with respect to any Lender or any participant shall be available for access by the Borrowers, the Administrative Agent and such Lender at any reasonable time during normal business hours and from time to time upon reasonable prior notice of at least three Business Days. No Lender shall, in such capacity, have access to or be otherwise permitted to review any information in the Register other than information with respect to such Lender unless otherwise agreed by the Administrative Agent.
- (e) <u>Notes</u>. Upon any Lender's reasonable request, the Borrowers shall promptly execute and deliver notes to such Lender evidencing the Loans of such Lender. Each note, if issued, shall only be issued as means to evidence the right, title or interest of a Lender or a registered assignee in and to the related Loan, as set forth in the Register, and in no event shall any note be considered a bearer instrument or obligation.
- <u>Section 2.15</u> <u>Suspension of LIBOR Rate Option</u>. Notwithstanding any provision to the contrary in this <u>Article 2</u>, the following shall apply:
- (a) <u>Interest Rate Unascertainable, Inadequate or Unfair</u>. In the event that the Administrative Agent determines that adequate and fair means do not exist for ascertaining the applicable interest rates by reference to which the LIBOR Rate is determined, the Administrative Agent shall promptly so notify the Borrower Representative and the Lenders, whereupon the obligation of each Lender to make or to continue LIBOR Rate Loans shall be suspended as provided in <u>clause (c)</u> below until the Administrative Agent shall notify the Borrower Representative that the Required Lenders have determined that the circumstances causing such suspension no longer exist.
- (b) <u>Illegality</u>. If any Lender determines that the introduction of, or any change in or in the interpretation of, any Requirement of Law after the date of this Agreement shall make it unlawful, or any Governmental Authority shall assert that it is unlawful, for any Lender or its applicable lending office to make LIBOR Rate Loans or to continue to fund or maintain LIBOR Rate Loans, then, on notice thereof and demand therefor by such Lender to the Borrower Representative through the Administrative Agent, the obligation of such Lender to make or to continue LIBOR Rate Loans shall be suspended as provided in <u>clause (c)</u> below until such Lender shall, through the Administrative Agent, notify the Borrower Representative that it has determined that it may lawfully make LIBOR Rate Loans.

(c) Effect of Suspension. If the obligation of any Lender to make LIBOR Rate Loans is suspended, (A) such Lender shall make a Base Rate Loan at any time such Lender would otherwise be obligated to make a LIBOR Rate Loan, (B) the Borrower Representative may revoke any pending request for a LIBOR Rate Loan and (C) each LIBOR Rate Loan of such Lender shall automatically and immediately (or, in the case of any suspension pursuant to clause (a) above, on the last day of the current calendar month) be converted into a Base Rate Loan. For purposes of this Section 2.15(c) and Section 2.16, a "Base Rate Loan" means any Loan that bears interest based on the Base Rate, and "Base Rate" means, for any day, the sum of a rate per annum equal to the higher of (a) the rate last quoted by The Wall Street Journal as the "Prime Rate" in the United States or, if The Wall Street Journal ceases to quote such rate, the highest per annum interest rate published by the Federal Reserve Board in Federal Reserve Statistical Release H.15 (519) (Selected Interest Rates) as the "bank prime loan" rate or, if such rate is no longer quoted therein, any similar rate quoted therein (as determined by the Administrative Agent) or any similar release by the Federal Reserve Board (as determined by the Administrative Agent) and (b) the sum of 3.50% per annum and the Federal Funds Rate. Any change in the Base Rate due to a change in any of the foregoing shall be effective on the effective date of such change in the "Prime Rate", "bank prime loan" rate or the Federal Funds Rate.

Section 2.16 Breakage Costs. The Borrowers shall compensate each Lender, upon demand from such Lender to the Borrower Representative (with copy to the Administrative Agent), for all Liabilities (including, in each case, those incurred by reason of the liquidation or reemployment of deposits or other funds acquired by such Lender to prepare to fund, to fund or to maintain the LIBOR Rate Loans of such Lender to the Borrowers) that such Lender may incur (A) to the extent, for any reason other than solely by reason of such Lender being a Non-Funding Lender, a proposed Borrowing does not occur on a date specified therefor in a Request for Equipment Loan Borrowing or a Request for Working Capital Borrowing or in a similar request made by telephone by the Borrower Representative, (B) to the extent any LIBOR Rate Loan is paid (whether through a scheduled payment, optional prepayment or mandatory repayment) or converted to a Base Rate Loan (but excluding because of Section 2.15) on a date that is not the last day of the applicable calendar month or (C) as a consequence of any failure by the Borrowers to repay LIBOR Rate Loans when required by the terms hereof. For purposes of this Section 2.16, each Lender shall be deemed to have funded each LIBOR Rate Loan made by it using a matching deposit or other borrowing in the London interbank market. Each demand for compensation under this Section 2.16 shall be accompanied by a certificate of the Lender claiming such compensation, setting forth the amounts to be paid hereunder, which certificate shall be conclusive, binding and final for all purposes, absent manifest error. In determining such amount, such Lender may use any reasonable averaging and attribution methods.

Section 2.17 Taxes. (a) Payments Free and Clear of Taxes. Except as otherwise provided in this Section 2.17, each payment by any Loan Party under any Loan Document shall be made free and clear of all present or future taxes, levies, imposts, deductions, charges or withholdings and all liabilities with respect thereto (and without deduction for any of them) (collectively, but excluding the taxes set forth in clauses (i) and (ii) below, the "Taxes") other than for (i) taxes measured by net income (including branch profits taxes) and overall receipts, total capital or franchise taxes imposed in lieu of net income taxes, in each case imposed on any Secured Party as a result of a present or former connection between such Secured Party and the jurisdiction of the Governmental Authority imposing such tax or any political subdivision or taxing authority thereof or therein (other than such connection arising solely from any Secured Party having executed, delivered or performed its obligations or received a payment under, or enforced, any Loan Document) or (ii) taxes that are directly attributable to the failure (other than as a result of a change in any Requirement of Law in effect as of the date such Secured Party becomes a party to this Agreement) by any Secured Party to deliver the forms, certificates or other documentation required to be delivered pursuant to clause (e) below.

- (b) Gross-Up. Except as provided in this Section 2.17(b), if any Taxes shall be required by law to be deducted from or in respect of any amount payable under any Loan Document to any Secured Party (i) such amount shall be increased as necessary to ensure that, after all required deductions for Taxes are made (including deductions applicable to any increases to any amount under this Section 2.17), such Secured Party receives the amount it would have received had no such deductions been made, (ii) the relevant Loan Party shall make such deductions, (iii) the relevant Loan Party shall timely pay the full amount deducted to the relevant taxing authority or other authority in accordance with applicable Requirements of Law and (iv) within 30 days after such payment is made, the relevant Loan Party shall deliver to the Administrative Agent an original or certified copy of a receipt evidencing such payment; provided, however, that no such increase shall be made with respect to, and no Loan Party shall be required to indemnify any such Secured Party pursuant to clause (d) below for, withholding taxes to the extent that the obligation to withhold amounts existed on the date that such Secured Party became a "Secured Party" under this Agreement in the capacity under which such Secured Party makes a claim under this clause (b), except in each case to the extent such Secured Party is a direct or indirect assignee (other than pursuant to Section 2.18 (Substitution of Lenders)) of any other Secured Party that was entitled, at the time the assignment of such other Secured Party became effective, to receive additional amounts under this clause (b).
- (c) Other Taxes. In addition, the Borrowers agree to pay, and authorize the Administrative Agent to pay in their names, any stamp, documentary, excise or property tax, charges or similar levies imposed by any applicable Requirement of Law or Governmental Authority and all Liabilities with respect thereto (including by reason of any delay in payment thereof), in each case arising from the execution, delivery or registration of, or otherwise with respect to, any Loan Document or any transaction contemplated therein (collectively, "Other Taxes"). Within 30 days after the date of any payment of Taxes or Other Taxes by any Loan Party, the Borrowers shall furnish to the Administrative Agent, at its address referred to in Section 11.11, the original or a certified copy of a receipt evidencing payment thereof.
- (d) <u>Indemnification</u>. Except as provided in <u>Section 2.17(b)</u>, the Borrowers shall reimburse and indemnify, within 30 days after receipt of demand therefor (with copy to the Administrative Agent), each Secured Party for all Taxes and Other Taxes (including any Taxes and Other Taxes imposed by any jurisdiction on amounts payable under this <u>Section 2.17()</u> paid by such Secured Party and any Liabilities arising therefrom or with respect thereto, whether or not such Taxes or Other Taxes were correctly or legally asserted. Each Secured Party agrees to use commercially reasonable efforts to make any claim for payment to which it is entitled under this <u>Section 2.17(d)</u> within a reasonable period of time after becoming aware of its entitlement thereto. A certificate of the Secured Party (or of the Administrative Agent on behalf of such Secured Party) claiming any compensation under this <u>clause (d)</u>, setting forth the amounts to be paid thereunder and delivered to the Borrowers with copy to the Administrative Agent, shall be conclusive, binding and final for all purposes, absent manifest error. In determining such amount, the Administrative Agent and such Secured Party may use any reasonable averaging and attribution methods.

(e) Tax Forms.

(i) Each Lender shall (A) on the Closing Date, (B) on or prior to the date on which any such form or certification expires or becomes obsolete, (C) after the occurrence of any event requiring a change in the most recent form or certification previously delivered by it pursuant to this <u>clause (e)</u> and (D) from time to time if requested by the Borrower Representative or the Administrative Agent (or, in the case of a participant, the relevant Lender), provide the Administrative Agent and the Borrower Representative (or, in the case of a participant, the relevant Lender) with two completed originals of Form W-9 (certifying that such Lender is entitled to an exemption from U.S. backup withholding tax) or any successor form.

- (ii) Each Lender having sold a participation in any of its Obligations to the Administrative Agent shall collect from such participant the documents described in this <u>clause (e)</u> and provide them to the Administrative Agent.
- (f) If any Secured Party determines, in its sole discretion, that it has received a refund of any Taxes or Other Taxes as to which it has been indemnified by the Borrower or with respect to which any Loan Party has paid additional amounts pursuant to this Section 2.17, such Secured Party shall pay to the Borrower an amount equal to such refund (but only to the extent of indemnity payments made, or additional amounts paid, by any Loan Party under this Section 2.17 with respect to such Taxes or Other Taxes giving rise to such refund), net of all out-of-pocket expenses of such Secured Party and without interest (other than any interest paid by the relevant Governmental Authority with respect to such refund); provided, that, the Borrower, upon the request of such Secured Party, shall repay the amount paid over to the Borrower (plus any penalties, interest or other charges imposed by the relevant Governmental Authority) to the Secured Party in the event the Secured Party is required to repay such refund to such Governmental Authority. This paragraph shall not be construed to require any Secured Party to make available its tax returns (or any other information relating to its taxes which it deems confidential) to the Borrower or any other person.
- Section 2.18 Substitution of Lenders. (a) Substitution Right. In the event that any Lender (an "Affected Lender"), (i) notifies the Borrower Representative pursuant to Section 2.15(b) (Illegality) that it becomes illegal for such Lender to continue to fund or make any LIBOR Rate Loan, (ii) makes a claim for payment pursuant to Section 2.17(b) (Taxes Gross Up) or (iii) does not consent to any amendment, waiver or consent to any Loan Document for which the consent of the Required Lenders is obtained but that requires the consent of other Lenders, the Borrowers may either pay in full such Affected Lender with respect to amounts due with the consent of the Administrative Agent or substitute for such Affected Lender any Lender or any Affiliate or Approved Fund of any Lender or any other Person acceptable (which acceptance shall not be unreasonably withheld or delayed) to the Administrative Agent (in each case, a "Substitute Lender"). Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, with respect to a Lender that is a Non-Funding Lender, the Administrative Agent may, but shall not be obligated to, obtain a Substitute Lender and execute an Assignment on behalf of such Non-Funding Lender at any time with three Business Days' prior notice to such Non-Funding Lender (unless notice is not practicable under the circumstances) and cause such Lender's Loans and Commitments to be sold and assigned, in whole or in part, at par.
- (b) <u>Procedure</u>. To substitute such Affected Lender or pay in full the Obligations owed to such Affected Lender as described in the first sentence of <u>clause (a)</u> above, the Borrower Representative shall deliver a notice to the Administrative Agent and such Affected Lender. The effectiveness of such payment or substitution shall be subject to the delivery to the Administrative Agent by the Borrowers (or, as may be applicable in the case of a substitution, by the Substitute Lender) of (i) payment for the account of such Affected Lender, of, to the extent accrued through, and outstanding on, the effective date for such payment or substitution, all Obligations owing to such Affected Lender, (ii) in the case of a payment in full of the Obligations owing to such Affected Lender, payment of any amount that, after giving effect to the termination of the Commitment of such Affected Lender, is required to be paid pursuant to <u>Section 2.8(a)</u> (<u>Excess Outstandings</u>) and (iii) in the case of a substitution, (A) payment of the assignment fee set forth in <u>Section 11.2(c)</u> and (B) an assumption agreement in form and substance satisfactory to the Administrative Agent whereby the Substitute Lender shall, among other things, agree to be bound by the terms of the Loan Documents and assume the Commitment of the Affected Lender.

(c) Effectiveness. Upon satisfaction of the conditions set forth in clause (b) above or in the case of a substitution of a Non-Funding Lender as described in the last sentence of clause (a) above, the Administrative Agent shall record such substitution or payment in the Register, whereupon (i) in the case of any payment in full, such Affected Lender's Commitments shall be terminated and (ii) in the case of any substitution, (A) the Affected Lender shall sell and be relieved of, and the Substitute Lender shall purchase and assume, all rights and claims of such Affected Lender under the Loan Documents and the relevant Lender Interest Letter, except that the Affected Lender shall retain such rights expressly providing that they survive the repayment of the Obligations and the termination of the Commitments, (B) the Substitute Lender shall become a "Lender" hereunder having a Commitment in the amount of such Affected Lender's Commitment and (C) the Affected Lender shall execute and deliver to the Administrative Agent an Assignment to evidence such substitution; provided, however, that the failure of any Affected Lender to execute any such Assignment shall not render such sale and purchase (or the corresponding assignment) invalid. Each Lender agrees that if the Borrower Representative or the Administrative Agent exercises its option hereunder to cause an assignment by such Lender as an Affected Lender, such Lender shall, promptly after receipt of written notice of such election, execute and deliver all documentation necessary to effectuate such assignment in accordance with Section 11.2. In the event that a Lender does not comply with the requirements of the immediately preceding sentence within one Business Day after receipt of such notice, each Lender hereby authorizes and directs the Administrative Agent to execute and deliver, on behalf of such Lender as assignor, any assignment agreement or other documentation as may be required to give effect to an assignment in accordance with Section 11.2 on behalf of an Affected Lender and any such documentation so executed by the Administrative Agent shall be effective for purposes of documenting an assignment pursuant to Section 11.2.

ARTICLE 3 SECURITY INTEREST

To secure payment of all Obligations, Holdings and each Borrower grants to the Administrative Agent, for the benefit of the holders of the Obligations, a security interest in all present and future Inventory of Holdings or such Borrower, together with all attachments, accessories, exchanges, replacement parts, repairs, and additions to any such Inventory, and all chattel paper, documents, certificates of title, certificates of origin, general intangibles, instruments, accounts and contract rights now existing or hereafter arising with respect thereto, and all cash and non-cash proceeds of any of the foregoing (collectively, the "Collateral"). Each Borrower agrees that at any time and from time to time, upon the request of Administrative Agent, Borrowers will promptly (i) deliver to Administrative Agent all Collateral other than Inventory, (ii) mark all chattel paper, documents and instruments and Borrowers' books of account, ledger cards and other records relative to the Collateral with a notation reasonably satisfactory to Administrative Agent disclosing that they are subject to Administrative Agent's security interest, (iii) execute and deliver to Administrative Agent such

instruments, statements and agreements as Administrative Agent may reasonably request to evidence further each Loan and the security interests granted hereunder; provided, however, a Borrower's failure to comply with such request shall not affect or limit Administrative Agent's security interest or other rights in and to the Collateral, and (iv) permit Administrative Agent or its representatives to examine the Collateral and Borrowers' books and records and, during the continuation of an Event of Default, Borrowers agree to pay to Administrative Agent its actual costs relating to such examinations immediately upon receipt of Administrative Agent's invoice therefore. Borrowers agree that Administrative Agent may directly collect any amount owed to Borrowers with respect to the Collateral (hereafter referred to as an "Account") and credit Borrowers with all sums received by Administrative Agent. With the consent of the Borrower Representative, not to be unreasonably withheld or delayed, or at any time that an Event of Default has occurred and is continuing, Administrative Agent may contact any customer of Borrower to confirm and verify the terms of sale, payments made on an Account, and any modifications claimed to be made by the Borrowers with such customer of Borrower. If an Event of Default has occurred and is continuing, Borrowers agree that Administrative Agent may at any time notify any customer of Borrower of the assignment of said Account and revoke the authority of the Borrowers to collect the same and should the Administrative Agent at any time receive any checks, drafts, money orders or other instruments or orders for money payable to a Borrower to apply to an Account, Administrative Agent is irrevocably appointed attorney-in-fact for each such Borrower to endorse each such instrument with the name of the Borrower and collect the same.

ARTICLE 4 REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES

To induce the Lenders and the Administrative Agent to enter into the Loan Documents, each Loan Party represents and warrants that:

Section 4.1 Corporate Existence; Compliance with Law; Line of Business. Each Group Member (a) is duly organized, validly existing and in good standing under the laws of the jurisdiction of its organization, (b) is duly qualified to do business as a foreign entity and in good standing under the laws of each jurisdiction where such qualification is necessary, except where the failure to be so qualified or in good standing would not, in the aggregate, have a Material Adverse Effect, (c) has all requisite corporate or limited partnership power, as applicable, and authority and the legal right to own, pledge, mortgage and operate its property, to lease or sublease any property it operates under lease or sublease and to conduct its business as now or currently proposed to be conducted, (d) is in compliance in all material respects with its Constituent Documents, (e) is in compliance with all applicable Requirements of Law, except where the failure to be in compliance would not have a Material Adverse Effect and (f) has all necessary Permits from or by, has made all necessary filings with, and has given all necessary notices to, each Governmental Authority having jurisdiction, to the extent required for such ownership, lease, sublease, operation, occupation or conduct of business, except where the failure to obtain such Permits, make such filings or give such notices would not, in the aggregate, have a Material Adverse Effect. The Borrowers are engaged in the business of selling Inventory at retail.

Section 4.2 Loan. (a) Power and Authority. The execution, delivery and performance by each Loan Party of the Loan Documents (i) are within such Loan Party's corporate or similar powers and, at the time of execution thereof, have been duly authorized by all necessary corporate and similar action (including, if applicable, consent of holders of its Securities), (ii) do not (A) contravene such Loan Party's Constituent Documents, (B) violate any applicable Requirement of Law, (C) conflict with, contravene, constitute a default or breach under, or result in or permit the termination or acceleration of, any material Contractual Obligation of any Loan Party or any of its Subsidiaries (including other Loan Documents) other than those that would not, in the aggregate, have a Material Adverse Effect or (D) result in the imposition of any Lien (other than a Lien securing the Obligations) upon any property of any Loan Party or any of its Subsidiaries and (iii) do not require any Permit of, or filing with, any Governmental Authority or any consent of, or notice to, any Person, other than (A) with respect to the Loan Documents, the filings required to perfect the Liens created by the Loan Documents, and (B) those listed on Schedule 4.2 and that have been, or will be prior to the Closing Date, obtained or made, copies of which have been, or will be prior to the Closing Date, delivered to the Administrative Agent, and each of which on the Closing Date will be in full force and effect.

(b) <u>Due Execution and Delivery</u>. From and after its delivery to the Administrative Agent, each Loan Document has been duly executed and delivered to the other parties thereto by each Loan Party party thereto, is the legal, valid and binding obligation of such Loan Party and is enforceable against such Loan Party in accordance with its terms, except as enforceability may be limited by applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, moratorium or similar laws affecting the enforcement of creditors' rights generally or by equitable principles relating to enforceability.

<u>Section 4.3 Ownership of Group Members</u>. Set forth on <u>Schedule 4.3</u> is a complete and accurate list showing, as of the Closing Date, for each Group Member and each Subsidiary of any Group Member and each joint venture of any of them, its legal name, its jurisdiction of organization and the percentage of its Voting Stock owned by Holdings and each other Subsidiary, and for each joint venture, the nature of the application.

Section 4.4 Financial Statements. Each of (i) the audited Consolidated balance sheet of Holdings as at December 31, 2009 and the related Consolidated statements of income, retained earnings and cash flows of Holdings for the Fiscal Year then ended, certified by Group Members' Accountants, and (ii) subject to the absence of footnote disclosure and normal recurring year-end audit adjustments, the unaudited Consolidated balance sheets of Holdings as at September 30, 2010 and the related Consolidated statements of income, retained earnings and cash flows of Holdings for the 9 months then ended, copies of each of which have been furnished to the Administrative Agent, fairly present in all material respects the Consolidated financial position, results of operations and cash flow of Holdings as at the dates indicated and for the periods indicated in accordance with GAAP.

<u>Section 4.5 Material Adverse Effect</u>. Since December 31, 2009, there have been no events, circumstances, developments or other changes in facts that would, in the aggregate, have a Material Adverse Effect.

<u>Section 4.6 Solvency</u>. Giving effect to the contribution rights of the Loan Parties contained in <u>Section 12.7</u> and the limitation in <u>Section 12.6(b)</u>, both before and after giving effect to (a) the Loans made on or prior to the date this representation and warranty is made, (b) the disbursement of the proceeds of such Loans, and (c) the payment and accrual of all transaction costs in connection with the foregoing, both the Loan Parties taken as a whole and each Borrower are Solvent.

<u>Section 4.7 Litigation</u>. There are no pending (or, to the knowledge of any Group Member, threatened) actions, suits, proceedings, claims, demands, orders or disputes, or to the knowledge of any Group Member, any pending or threatened investigation or audit, against any Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries with, by or before any Governmental Authority other than those that cannot reasonably be expected to adversely affect the Obligations, the Loan Documents and the other transactions contemplated therein and would not, in the aggregate, have a Material Adverse Effect.

<u>Section 4.8 Taxes</u>. All federal, state, local and foreign income and franchise and other material tax returns, reports and statements (collectively, the "<u>Tax Returns</u>") required to be filed by any Tax Affiliate have been filed with the appropriate Governmental Authorities in all jurisdictions in which such Tax Returns are required to be filed, all such Tax Returns are true and correct in all material respects, and all taxes, charges and other impositions reflected therein or otherwise due and payable have been paid prior to the date on which any Liability may be added thereto for non-payment thereof except for those contested in good faith by appropriate proceedings diligently conducted and for which adequate reserves are maintained on the books of the appropriate Tax Affiliate in accordance with GAAP.

<u>Section 4.9 Margin Regulations</u>. No Borrower is engaged in the business of extending credit for the purpose of, and no proceeds of any Loan or other extensions of credit hereunder will be used for the purpose of, buying or carrying margin stock (within the meaning of Regulation U of the Federal Reserve Board) or extending credit to others for the purpose of purchasing or carrying any such margin stock, in each case in contravention of Regulation T, U or X of the Federal Reserve Board.

<u>Section 4.10</u> <u>No Burdensome Obligations; No Defaults.</u> No Group Member is a party to any Contractual Obligation, no Group Member has Constituent Documents containing obligations, and, to the knowledge of any Group Member, there are no applicable Requirements of Law, in each case the compliance with which would have, in the aggregate, a Material Adverse Effect. No Group Member (and, to the knowledge of each Group Member, no other party thereto) is in default under or with respect to any Contractual Obligation of any Group Member, other than those that would not, in the aggregate, have a Material Adverse Effect.

<u>Section 4.11 Investment Company Act; Public Utility Holding Company Act</u>. No Group Member is (a) an "investment company" or an "affiliated person" of, or "promoter" or "principal underwriter" for, an "investment company", as such terms are defined in the Investment Company Act of 1940 or (b) a "holding company" or an "affiliate" of a "holding company" or a "subsidiary company" of a "holding company", as each such term is defined and used in the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 2005.

Section 4.12 Full Disclosure. All of the information prepared or furnished by or on behalf of the Group Members in connection with any Loan Document (including the information contained in any Financial Statement or Disclosure Document) or any other transaction contemplated therein, when read together, does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements contained therein, in light of the circumstances when made, not misleading; provided, however, that projections contained therein are not to be viewed as factual and that actual results during the periods covered thereby may differ from the results set forth in such projections by a material amount. All projections that are part of such information are based upon good faith estimates and stated assumptions believed to be reasonable and fair as of the date made in light of conditions and facts then known and, as of such date, reflect good faith, reasonable and fair estimates of the information projected for the periods set forth therein. All facts (other than facts of a general economic or political nature) known to any Group Member and material to an understanding of the financial condition, business, property or prospects of the Group Member taken as one enterprise have been disclosed to the Lenders.

<u>Section 4.13 Patriot Act</u>. No Group Member (and, to the knowledge of each Group Member, no joint venture or subsidiary thereof) is in violation in any material respects of any United States Requirements of Law relating to terrorism, sanctions or money laundering (the "Anti-Terrorism Laws"), including the United States Executive Order No. 13224 on Terrorist Financing (the "Anti-Terrorism Order") and the Patriot Act.

Section 4.14 Collateral. The Collateral is free from all Liens other than those Liens securing the Obligations and mechanics', materialmen's, repairmen's or other similar Liens arising by operation of law in the ordinary course of business which are not delinquent for more than ninety (90) days or remain payable without penalty or which are being contested in good faith by proper proceedings diligently conducted and for which adequate reserves are maintained on the books of the appropriate Group Member in accordance with GAAP, in each case so long as no proceeding to enforce such Lien or marshall such Collateral has been commenced. Except as herein specifically permitted, no financing statement covering the Collateral is now on file in favor of anyone other than the Administrative Agent. The Collateral is not used by any Group Member for personal, family or household purposes.

ARTICLE 5 FINANCIAL COVENANTS

Each of Holdings and each Borrower agrees that as long as any Obligation (other than contingent indemnification Obligations to the extent no claim giving rise thereto has been asserted) or any Commitment remains outstanding:

- <u>Section 5.1</u> <u>Maximum Consolidated Leverage Ratio</u>. Holdings shall not have, on the last day of each Fiscal Quarter, a Consolidated Leverage Ratio greater than 2.50 to 1.00.
- <u>Section 5.2 Minimum Consolidated Fixed Charge Coverage Ratio</u>. Holdings shall not have, on the last day of each Fiscal Quarter, a Consolidated Fixed Charge Coverage Ratio for the four Fiscal Quarter period ending on such day less than (i) 1.15:1.0 on or prior to September 30, 2011 and (ii) 1.20:1.0 thereafter.
- <u>Section 5.3 Minimum Consolidated Tangible Net Worth.</u> Holdings shall have, on the last day of each Fiscal Quarter, a Consolidated Tangible Net Worth at least equal to the Minimum Consolidated Tangible Net Worth with respect to such Fiscal Quarter.
- <u>Section 5.4 Minimum Consolidated Net Worth</u>. Holdings shall have, on the last day of each Fiscal Quarter, a Consolidated Net Worth at least equal to the Minimum Consolidated Net Worth with respect to such Fiscal Quarter.

ARTICLE 6 REPORTING COVENANTS

Each of Holdings and each Borrower agrees that, as long as any Obligation (other than contingent indemnification Obligations to the extent no claim giving rise thereto has been asserted) or any Commitment remains outstanding:

<u>Section 6.1</u> <u>Financial Statements.</u> The Borrower Representative shall deliver to the Administrative Agent each of the following that are not publicly available on the United States Securities and Exchange Commission's Electronic Data Gathering, Analysis and Retrieval System (or "EDGAR"):

(a) Reserved.

- (b) <u>Quarterly Reports</u>. As soon as available, and in any event within 45 days after the end of each Fiscal Quarter, the Consolidated unaudited balance sheet of Holdings as of the close of such Fiscal Quarter and related Consolidated statements of income and cash flow for such Fiscal Quarter and that portion of the Fiscal Year ending as of the close of such Fiscal Quarter, setting forth in comparative form the figures for the corresponding period in the prior Fiscal Year, in each case certified by a Responsible Officer of the Borrower Representative as fairly presenting in all material respects the Consolidated financial position, results of operations and cash flow of Holdings as at the dates indicated and for the periods indicated in accordance with GAAP (subject to the absence of footnote disclosure and normal year-end audit adjustments).
- (c) <u>Annual Reports</u>. As soon as available, and in any event within 90 days after the end of each Fiscal Year, the Consolidated balance sheet of Holdings as of the end of such year and related Consolidated statements of income, stockholders' equity and cash flow for such Fiscal Year, each prepared in accordance with GAAP, together with a certification by the Group Members' Accountants that such Consolidated Financial Statements fairly present in all material respects the Consolidated financial position, results of operations and cash flow of Holdings as at the dates indicated and for the periods indicated therein in accordance with GAAP without qualification as to the scope of the audit or as to going concern and without any other similar qualification.
- (d) <u>Compliance Certificate</u>. Together with each delivery of any Financial Statement pursuant to <u>clause (b)</u> or (c) above, a Compliance Certificate duly executed by a Responsible Officer of the Borrower Representative that, among other things, states that no Default is continuing as of the date of delivery of such Compliance Certificate or, if a Default is continuing, states the nature thereof and the action that the Borrowers propose to take with respect thereto.
- (e) <u>Collateral Updates</u>. As part of the Compliance Certificate delivered pursuant to <u>clause (d)</u> above, a certification by a Responsible Officer of the Borrower Representative that (i) the corporate chart attached thereto (or the last corporate chart delivered pursuant to this <u>clause (e)</u>) is correct and complete as of the date of such Compliance Certificate, (ii) the Loan Parties have delivered all documents (including updated schedules as to locations of Collateral and acquisition of intellectual property or real property) they are required to deliver pursuant to any Loan Document on or prior to the date of delivery of such Compliance Certificate and (iii) complete and correct copies of all documents modifying any term of any Constituent Document of any Group Member (other than Immaterial Subsidiaries) or any Subsidiary or joint venture thereof on or prior to the date of delivery of such Compliance Certificate have been delivered to the Administrative Agent or are attached to such certificate. The Borrower Representative will notify the Administrative Agent in writing of any change in name of any Borrower or change in chief executive office or place of business of any Borrower, in each case at least 30 days prior to such change.

- (f) Reserved.
- (g) Reserved.
- (h) <u>Audit Reports, Management Letters, Etc.</u> Together with each delivery of any Financial Statement for any Fiscal Year pursuant to <u>clause (c)</u> above, copies of each management letter, audit report or similar letter or report received by any Group Member from any independent registered certified public accountant (including the Group Members' Accountants) in connection with such Financial Statements or any audit thereof, each certified to be complete and correct copies by a Responsible Officer of the Borrower Representative as part of the Compliance Certificate delivered in connection with such Financial Statements.
- (i) <u>Insurance</u>. Upon request of the Administrative Agent, a reasonably detailed summary of all material insurance coverage related to the Collateral maintained as of the date thereof by any Group Member, together with such other related documents and information as the Administrative Agent may reasonably require.

Section 6.2 Other Events. The Borrowers shall give the Administrative Agent notice of each of the following (which may be made by telephone if promptly confirmed in writing) promptly after any Responsible Officer of any Group Member knows or has reason to know of it: (a)(i) any Default and (ii) any event that would have a Material Adverse Effect, specifying, in each case, the nature and anticipated effect thereof and any action proposed to be taken in connection therewith, or (b) the commencement of, or any material developments in, any action, investigation, suit, proceeding, audit, claim, demand, order or dispute with, by or before any Governmental Authority affecting any Group Member or any property of any Group Member that (i) seeks injunctive or similar relief, (ii) in the reasonable judgment of the Borrowers, exposes any Group Member to liability in an aggregate amount in excess of \$2,500,000 or (iii) if adversely determined would have a Material Adverse Effect.

Section 6.3 Copies of Notices and Reports. The Borrowers shall promptly deliver to the Administrative Agent copies of each of the following: (a) all reports that Holdings transmits to its security holders generally, (b) all documents that any Group Member files with the Securities and Exchange Commission, the National Association of Securities Dealers, Inc., any securities exchange or any Governmental Authority exercising similar functions, (c) all press releases not made available directly to the general public, and (d) any material document transmitted or received pursuant to, or in connection with, any Contractual Obligation governing Indebtedness of any Group Member, which in the case of clauses (a) and (b) are not publicly available on EDGAR.

<u>Section 6.4</u> Other Information. The Borrowers shall provide the Administrative Agent with such other documents and information with respect to the business, property, condition (financial or otherwise), legal, financial or corporate or similar affairs or operations of any Group Member as the Administrative Agent or such Lender through the Administrative Agent may from time to time reasonably request.

ARTICLE 7 AFFIRMATIVE COVENANTS

Each of Holdings and each Borrower agrees that as long as any Obligation (other than contingent indemnification Obligations to the extent no claim giving rise thereto has been asserted) or any Commitment remains outstanding:

<u>Section 7.1 Maintenance of Corporate Existence</u>. Each Group Member (other than Immaterial Subsidiaries) shall (a) preserve and maintain its legal existence, except in the consummation of transactions expressly permitted by <u>Section 8.2</u>, and (b) preserve and maintain it rights (charter and statutory), privileges franchises and Permits necessary or desirable in the conduct of its business, except, in the case of this <u>clause (b)</u>, where the failure to do so would not, in the aggregate, have a Material Adverse Effect.

<u>Section 7.2 Compliance with Laws, Etc.</u> Each Group Member shall comply with all applicable Requirements of Law, Contractual Obligations and Permits, except for such failures to comply that would not, in the aggregate, have a Material Adverse Effect.

Section 7.3 Payment of Obligations. Each Group Member shall pay or discharge before they become delinquent (a) all material claims, taxes, assessments, charges and levies imposed by any Governmental Authority and (b) all other lawful claims that if unpaid would, by the operation of applicable Requirements of Law, become a Lien upon any Collateral, except, in each case, for those whose amount or validity is being contested in good faith by proper proceedings diligently conducted and for which adequate reserves are maintained on the books of the appropriate Group Member in accordance with GAAP.

Section 7.4 Maintenance of Property. Each Group Member (other than Immaterial Subsidiaries) shall maintain and preserve (a) in good working order and condition all of its property necessary in the conduct of its business and (b) all rights, permits, licenses, approvals and privileges (including all Permits) necessary or used, whether because of its ownership, lease, sublease or other operation or occupation of property or other conduct of its business, and shall make all necessary or appropriate filings with, and give all required notices to, Government Authorities, except for such failures to maintain and preserve the items set forth in clauses (a) and (b) above that would not, in the aggregate, have a Material Adverse Effect. No Inventory shall be used for any purpose other than demonstration at or in reasonable proximity to a Borrower's place of business or at industry trade shows and any such demonstration shall be in conformity in all material respects with any applicable Requirements of Law. All Inventory shall be kept at a Borrower's place of business other than (i) Inventory used in a demonstration or at an industry trade show in accordance with the immediately preceding sentence and (ii) Inventory undergoing body work or repairs. Without limitation to Section 8.1, no Inventory undergoing upfitting work, other body work or repairs shall be on consignment without the consent of the Administrative Agent or otherwise subject to a Lien (other than mechanics', materialmen's, repairmen's or other similar Liens arising by operation of law in the ordinary course of business which are not delinquent for more than ninety (90) days or remain payable without penalty or which are being contested in good faith by proper proceedings diligently conducted and for which adequate reserves are maintained on the books of the appropriate Group Member in accordance with GAAP, in each case so long as no proceeding to enforce such Lien or marshall such Collateral has been commenced) in favor of any Person performing such body work or repairs or any Person at whose location such Inventory is located while undergoing such body work or repairs. The Borrowers shall use and maintain the Collateral in compliance with any insurance policies and all applicable Requirements of Laws.

Section 7.5 Maintenance of Insurance. (a) Loan Parties shall at all times bear all risk of loss, damage to or destruction of the Collateral. Each Group Member shall maintain or cause to be maintained in full force and effect all policies of insurance of any kind with respect to the property and businesses of the Group Members (including policies of life, fire, theft, product liability, public liability, flood insurance, property damage, other casualty, employee fidelity, workers' compensation, business interruption and employee health and welfare insurance) with financially sound and reputable insurance companies or associations (in each case that are not Affiliates of any Borrower) of a nature and providing such coverage as is sufficient in light of the size and character of the business of the Group Members. Without limiting the foregoing, Loan Parties agree to procure forthwith and maintain insurance on the Inventory, all in form and amount and with insurers reasonably satisfactory to Administrative Agent.

(b) Each Group Member (other than Immaterial Subsidiaries) shall cause all such insurance relating to any property or business of any Loan Party to name the Administrative Agent on behalf of the Secured Parties as additional insured or loss payee, as appropriate, to provide that Administrative Agent's interest therein will not be invalidated by the acts, omissions or neglect of anyone other than Administrative Agent, and to provide that no cancellation, material addition in amount or material change in coverage shall be effective until after 45 days' notice thereof to the Administrative Agent. Loan Parties assign to Administrative Agent all proceeds of such insurance, including returned and unearned premiums, not to exceed the sum of all amounts payable pursuant hereto. Loan Parties direct all insurers to make payment of such proceeds jointly payable to Administrative Agent and the appropriate Loan Party unless the Loan Parties are legally required to pay such proceeds directly to a third party.

<u>Section 7.6 Keeping of Books</u>. Holdings shall keep proper books of record and account for itself and its Subsidiaries, in which full, true and correct entries shall be made in accordance with GAAP and all other applicable Requirements of Law of all financial transactions and the assets and business of each Group Member.

Section 7.7 Access to Books and Property. Each Group Member shall permit the Administrative Agent, and during the continuance of an Event of Default the Lenders, and any Related Person of any of them, as often as reasonably requested, at any reasonable time during normal business hours and with reasonable advance notice (except that, during the continuance of an Event of Default, no such notice shall be required) to (a) visit and inspect the property of each Group Member (other than Immaterial Subsidiaries) and examine and make copies of and abstracts from, the corporate (and similar), financial, operating and other books and records of each Group Member (other than Immaterial Subsidiaries), (b) discuss the affairs, finances and accounts of each Group Member with any officer or director of any Group Member (other than Immaterial Subsidiaries) and (c) communicate directly with any registered certified public accountants (including the Group Members' Accountants) of any Group Member (other than Immaterial Subsidiaries). Each Group Member shall authorize their respective registered certified public accountants (including the Group Members' Accountants) to communicate directly with the Administrative Agent, and during the continuance of an Event of Default the Lenders, and their Related Persons and to disclose to the Administrative Agent, and during the continuance of an Event of Default the Lenders, and their Related Persons all financial statements and other documents and information as they might have and the

Administrative Agent or, during the continuance of an Event of Default, any Lender reasonably requests with respect to any Group Member (other than Immaterial Subsidiaries). Without limiting the foregoing, (i) each Group Member shall permit the Administrative Agent and its Related Persons to conduct semi-annual audits of its Inventory, with such audits rotating on a monthly basis through the different Borrowers and shall permit the Lenders to be present at such audits; and (ii) Holdings and each Group Member (other than Immaterial Subsidiaries) shall permit the Administrative Agent and its Related Persons to conduct comprehensive financial audits of the Group Members (other than any Immaterial Subsidiaries) and shall permit the Lenders to be present at such audits; provided, however, that, unless an Event of Default has occurred and is continuing, the Administrative Agent shall not be permitted to conduct more than one such audit in any twelve month period.

<u>Section 7.8 Use of Proceeds</u>. The proceeds of the New Equipment Loans shall be used by the Borrowers (and, to the extent distributed to them by the Borrowers, each other Group Member) solely to finance the purchase of new Inventory not previously used or sold at retail. The proceeds of the Used Equipment Loans shall be used by the Borrowers (and, to the extent distributed to them by the Borrowers, each other Group Member) solely to finance the purchase of used Inventory and Inventory previously sold at retail. The proceeds of the Working Capital Loans shall be used by the Borrowers (and, to the extent distributed to them by the Borrowers, each other Group Member) for working capital and other general corporate purposes.

<u>Section 7.9 Future Borrowers</u>. In the event that, subsequent to the Closing Date, any Person becomes a Subsidiary of the Borrower Representative, other than Immaterial Subsidiaries, then such Person shall become a Borrower under this Agreement upon (i) the Administrative Agent's receipt of a joinder to this Agreement, in form and substance reasonably satisfactory to Administrative Agent and duly executed by such Person, and the Administrative Agent's receipt of all relevant documentation with respect thereto as such Person would have been required to provide and take if such Person had been a Borrower on the Closing Date and (ii) completion of all actions with respect to this Agreement as such Person would have been required to provide and take if such Person had been a Borrower on the Closing Date.

ARTICLE 8 NEGATIVE COVENANTS

Each of Holdings and each Borrower agrees that as long as any Obligation (other than contingent indemnification Obligations to the extent no claim giving rise thereto has been asserted) or any Commitment remains outstanding:

Section 8.1 Liens. No Group Member shall incur, maintain or otherwise suffer to exist any Lien upon or with respect to any of the Collateral, whether now owned or hereafter acquired, or assign any right to receive income or profits in connection with the Collateral, except Liens securing the Obligations and mechanics', materialmen's, repairmen's or other similar Liens arising by operation of law in the ordinary course of business which are not delinquent for more than ninety (90) days or remain payable without penalty or which are being contested in good faith by proper proceedings diligently conducted and for which adequate reserves are maintained on the books of the appropriate Group Member in accordance with GAAP, in each case so long as no proceeding to enforce such Lien or marshall such Collateral has been commenced.

Section 8.2 Fundamental Changes. Unless consented to by the Administrative Agent, such consent not to be unreasonably withheld, no Group Member shall merge, consolidate or amalgamate with any Person or Sell, lease as lessor, transfer or otherwise dispose of all or substantially all of its property, other than (i) the merger, consolidation or amalgamation of any Borrower with another Borrower or any Subsidiary of the Borrowers into any Borrower and (ii) the merger, consolidation or amalgamation of any Borrower with any Person that is not a Borrower so long as (A) such Borrower is the surviving entity or, if the surviving entity is not the Borrower, such surviving entity executes a joinder to this agreement, in form and substance satisfactory to Administrative Agent, and (B) no Default or Event of Default results therefrom. Unless consented to by the Administrative Agent, such consent not to be unreasonably withheld, the Borrower Representative shall not, and shall not permit the Group Members to, sell all or substantially all of the Consolidated assets of the Borrower Representative and its Subsidiaries.

<u>Section 8.3 Change in Nature of Business.</u> No Group Member (other than Immaterial Subsidiaries) shall carry on any business, operations or activities (whether directly, through a joint venture, in connection with an acquisition or otherwise) substantially different from those carried on by the Borrowers and their Subsidiaries at the date hereof and business, operations and activities reasonably related thereto.

<u>Section 8.4 Transactions with Affiliates</u>. No Group Member shall, except as otherwise expressly permitted herein, enter into any other transaction directly or indirectly with, or for the benefit of, any Affiliate of the Borrowers that is not a Loan Party (including Guaranty Obligations with respect to any obligation of any such Affiliate), except for transactions in the ordinary course of business on a basis no less favorable in the aggregate to such Group Member as would be obtained in a comparable arm's length transaction with a Person not an Affiliate of the Borrowers.

Section 8.5 Modification of Certain Documents; Change in Jurisdiction of Organization. No Group Member (other than Immaterial Subsidiaries) shall waive or otherwise modify any term of any Constituent Document of any Group Member (other than Immaterial Subsidiaries) except for those modifications and waivers that do not materially affect the rights and privileges of any Group Member or any Secured Party under the Loan Documents or in the Collateral. No Group Member (other than Immaterial Subsidiaries) will change its jurisdiction of organization if it is a corporation, limited liability company, limited partnership or other registered organization without giving the Administrative Agent at least thirty (30) days' prior written notice.

<u>Section 8.6 Accounting Changes; Fiscal Year</u>. No Group Member shall change its (a) accounting treatment or reporting practices, except as required by GAAP or any Requirement of Law, or (b) its Fiscal Year or its method for determining Fiscal Quarters.

<u>Section 8.7 Margin Regulations</u>. No Group Member shall use all or any portion of the proceeds of any credit extended hereunder to purchase or carry margin stock (within the meaning of Regulation U of the Federal Reserve Board) in contravention of Regulation U of the Federal Reserve Board.

ARTICLE 9 EVENTS OF DEFAULT

Section 9.1 Definition. Each of the following shall be an "Event of Default":

- (a) the Borrowers shall fail to pay any principal of any Loan when the same becomes due and payable or any interest on any Loan, any fee under any Loan Document or any other Obligation and such non-payment continues for a period of ten days after the due date therefor; or
- (b) any representation, warranty or certification made or deemed made by or on behalf of any Loan Party in any Loan Document or by or on behalf of any Loan Party (or any Responsible Officer thereof) in connection with any Loan Document (including in any document delivered in connection with any Loan Document) shall prove to have been incorrect in any material respect (or in any respect if such representation or warranty is qualified by "material" or "Material Adverse Effect") when made or deemed made; or
- (c) any Loan Party shall fail to comply with (i) any provision of Article 5 (Financial Covenants), Section 6.1 (Financial Statements), Section 6.2(a)(i) (Notice of Default), Section 7.1 (Maintenance of Corporate Existence) or Article 8 (Negative Covenants) or (ii) any other provision of any Loan Document if, in the case of this clause (ii), such failure shall remain unremedied for 30 days after the earlier of (A) the date on which a Responsible Officer of any Borrower becomes aware of such failure and (B) the date on which notice thereof shall have been given to the Borrower Representative by the Administrative Agent or the Required Lenders; or
- (d) (i) any Group Member (other than Immaterial Subsidiaries) shall fail to make any payment when due (whether due because of scheduled maturity, required repayment and prepayment provisions, acceleration, demand or otherwise) on any Indebtedness of any Group Member (other than Immaterial Subsidiaries) other than the Obligations and, in each case, such failure relates to Indebtedness having a principal amount of \$10,000,000 or more, (ii) any other event shall occur or condition shall exist under any Contractual Obligation relating to any such Indebtedness, if the effect of such event or condition is to accelerate, or to permit the acceleration of, the maturity of such Indebtedness or (iii) any such Indebtedness shall become or be declared to be due and payable, or be required to be prepaid, redeemed, defeased or repurchased (other than by a regularly scheduled required repayment or prepayment), prior to the stated maturity thereof; or
- (e) (i) any Group Member (other than Immaterial Subsidiaries) shall generally not pay its debts as such debts become due, shall admit in writing its inability to pay its debts generally or shall make a general assignment for the benefit of creditors, (ii) any proceeding shall be instituted by or against any Group Member (other than Immaterial Subsidiaries) seeking to adjudicate it a bankrupt or insolvent or seeking liquidation, winding up, reorganization, arrangement, adjustment, protection, relief, composition of it or its debts or any similar order, in each case under any Requirement of Law relating to bankruptcy, insolvency or reorganization or relief of debtors or seeking the entry of an order for relief or the appointment of a custodian, receiver, trustee, conservator, liquidating agent, liquidator, other similar official or other official with similar powers, in each case for it or for any substantial part of its property and, in the case of any such proceedings instituted against (but not by or with the consent of) any Group Member (other than Immaterial Subsidiaries), either such proceedings shall remain undismissed or unstayed for a period of 60 days or more or any action sought in such proceedings shall occur or (iii) any Group Member (other than Immaterial Subsidiaries) shall take any corporate or similar action or any other action to authorize any action described in clause (i) or (iii) above; or

- (f) one or more judgments, orders or decrees (or other similar process) shall be rendered against any Group Member (other than Immaterial Subsidiaries) (i)(A) in the case of money judgments, orders and decrees, involving an aggregate amount (excluding amounts adequately covered by insurance payable to any Group Member (other than Immaterial Subsidiaries), to the extent the relevant insurer has not denied coverage therefor) in excess of \$10,000,000 or (B) otherwise, that would have, in the aggregate, a Material Adverse Effect and (ii)(A) enforcement proceedings shall have been commenced by any creditor upon any such judgment, order or decree or (B) such judgment, order or decree shall not have been vacated or discharged for a period of 30 consecutive days and there shall not be in effect (by reason of a pending appeal or otherwise) any stay of enforcement thereof; or
- (g) except pursuant to a valid, binding and enforceable termination or release permitted under the Loan Documents and executed by the Administrative Agent or as otherwise expressly permitted under any Loan Document, (i) any provision of any Loan Document shall, at any time after the delivery of such Loan Document, fail to be valid and binding on, or enforceable against, any Loan Party party thereto or (ii) any Loan Document purporting to grant a Lien to secure any Obligation shall, at any time after the delivery of such Loan Document, fail to create a valid and enforceable Lien on any Collateral purported to be covered thereby or such Lien shall fail or cease to be a perfected Lien with the priority required in the relevant Loan Document, or any Group Member shall state in writing that any of the events described in clause (i) or (ii) above shall have occurred; or
- (h) any Borrower shall permit another financing source to commence financing Inventory (other than construction equipment); or
- (i) any Collateral having a value in excess of one percent of the Collateral is attached and such attachment is not contested and or resolved within ninety (90) days thereof and if part of the Collateral, paid off after such ninety (90) day period; or
 - (j) there shall occur any Material Adverse Effect; or
- (k) any Person in control of any Group Member is accused or alleged or charged (whether or not subsequently arraigned, indicted or convicted) by any Governmental Authority to have used any Inventory in connection with the commission of any crime (other than a misdemeanor moving violation); or
 - (l) there shall occur any Change of Control.

<u>Section 9.2 Remedies</u>. During the continuance of any Event of Default, the Administrative Agent may, and, at the request of the Required Lenders, shall, in each case by notice to the Borrowers and in addition to any other right or remedy provided under any Loan Document or by any applicable Requirement of Law, do each of the following: (a) declare all or any portion of the Commitments terminated, whereupon the Commitments shall immediately be reduced by such portion or, in the case of a termination in whole, shall terminate together with any obligation any Lender may have hereunder to make any Loan, (b) declare immediately due and payable all or part of any Obligation (including any accrued but unpaid interest thereon), whereupon the same shall become

immediately due and payable, without presentment, demand, protest or further notice or other requirements of any kind, all of which are hereby expressly waived by Holdings and each Borrower (and, to the extent provided in any other Loan Document, other Loan Parties), (c) cancel any insurance purchased by the Administrative Agent and credit any refund to the Obligations, and (d) exercise all of the rights and remedies of a secured party under the Uniform Commercial Code and any other applicable laws, including, without limitation, the right to require the Loan Parties to assemble the Collateral and deliver it to the Administrative Agent at a place to be designated by the Administrative Agent which is reasonably convenient to both parties; provided, however, that, effective immediately upon the occurrence of the Events of Default specified in Section 9.1(e)(ii), (x) the Commitments of each Lender to make Loans shall automatically be terminated and (y) each Obligation (including in each case all accrued but unpaid interest thereon) shall automatically become and be due and payable, without presentment, demand, protest or further notice or other requirement of any kind, all of which are hereby expressly waived by Holdings and each Borrower (and, to the extent provided in any other Loan Document, any other Loan Party).

ARTICLE 10 THE ADMINISTRATIVE AGENT

Section 10.1 Appointment and Duties. (a) Appointment of Administrative Agent. Each Lender hereby appoints GE Capital (together with any successor Administrative Agent pursuant to Section 10.9) as the Administrative Agent hereunder and authorizes the Administrative Agent to (i) execute and deliver the Loan Documents and Lender Interest Letters, (ii) accept delivery of the Loan Documents on its behalf from any Group Member, (iii) take such action on its behalf and to exercise all rights, powers and remedies and perform the duties as are expressly delegated to the Administrative Agent under such Loan Documents and Lender Interest Letters and (iv) exercise such powers as are reasonably incidental thereto.

(b) <u>Duties as Collateral and Disbursing Agent</u>. Without limiting the generality of <u>clause (a)</u> above, the Administrative Agent shall have the sole and exclusive right and authority (to the exclusion of the Lenders), and is hereby authorized, to (i) act as the disbursing and collecting agent for the Lenders with respect to all payments and collections arising in connection with the Loan Documents or Lender Interest Letters (including in any proceeding described in Section 9.1(e)(ii) or any other bankruptcy, insolvency or similar proceeding), and each Person making any payment in connection with any Loan Document or any Lender Interest Letter to any Secured Party is hereby authorized to make such payment to the Administrative Agent, (ii) file and prove claims and file other documents necessary or desirable to allow the claims of the Secured Parties with respect to any Obligation in any proceeding described in Section 9.1(e)(ii) or any other bankruptcy, insolvency or similar proceeding (but not to vote, consent or otherwise act on behalf of such Secured Party), (iii) act as collateral agent for each Secured Party for purposes of the perfection of all Liens created by such agreements and all other purposes stated therein, (iv) manage, supervise and otherwise deal with the Collateral, (v) take such other action as is necessary or desirable to maintain the perfection and priority of the Liens created or purported to be created by the Loan Documents, (vi) except as may be otherwise specified in any Loan Document, exercise all remedies given to the Administrative Agent and the other Secured Parties with respect to the Collateral, whether under the Loan Documents, Lender Interest Letters, applicable Requirements of Law or otherwise and (vii) execute any amendment, consent or waiver under the Loan Documents on behalf of any Lender that has consented in writing to such amendment, consent or waiver; provided, however, that the Administrative Agent hereby appoints, authorizes and directs each Lender to act as collateral sub-agent for the Administrative Agent and the Lenders for purposes of the perfection of all Liens with respect to the Collateral, including any deposit account maintained by a Loan Party with, and cash and Cash Equivalents held by, such Lender, and may further authorize and direct the Lenders to take further actions as collateral sub-agents for purposes of enforcing such Liens or otherwise to transfer the Collateral subject thereto to the Administrative Agent, and each Lender hereby agrees to take such further actions to the extent, and only to the extent, so authorized and directed.

(c) <u>Limited Duties</u>. Under the Loan Documents and Lender Interest Letters, the Administrative Agent (i) is acting solely on behalf of the Lenders (except to the limited extent provided in <u>Section 2.14(b)</u> with respect to the Register and in <u>Section 10.6</u>), with duties that are entirely administrative in nature, notwithstanding the use of the defined term "Administrative Agent", the terms "agent", "administrative agent" and "collateral agent" and similar terms in any Loan Document or any Lender Interest Letter to refer to the Administrative Agent, which terms are used for title purposes only, (ii) is not assuming any obligation under any Loan Document or any Lender Interest Letter other than as expressly set forth therein or any role as agent, fiduciary or trustee of or for any Lender or any other Secured Party and (iii) shall have no implied functions, responsibilities, duties, obligations or other liabilities under any Loan Document or any Lender Interest Letter, and each Lender hereby waives and agrees not to assert any claim against the Administrative Agent based on the roles, duties and legal relationships expressly disclaimed in <u>clauses (i)</u> through (<u>iii</u>) above.

Section 10.2 Binding Effect. Each Lender agrees that (i) any action taken by the Administrative Agent or the Required Lenders (or, if expressly required hereby, a greater proportion of the Lenders) in accordance with the provisions of the Loan Documents and the Lender Interest Letters, (ii) any action taken by the Administrative Agent in reliance upon the instructions of Required Lenders (or, where so required, such greater proportion) and (iii) the exercise by the Administrative Agent or the Required Lenders (or, where so required, such greater proportion) of the powers set forth herein or therein, together with such other powers as are reasonably incidental thereto, shall be authorized and binding upon all of the Secured Parties.

Section 10.3 <u>Use of Discretion</u>. (a) <u>No Action without Instructions</u>. The Administrative Agent shall not be required to exercise any discretion or take, or to omit to take, any action, including with respect to enforcement or collection, except any action it is required to take or omit to take (i) under any Loan Document or any Lender Interest Letter or (ii) pursuant to instructions from the Required Lenders (or, where expressly required by the terms of this Agreement, a greater proportion of the Lenders).

(b) <u>Right Not to Follow Certain Instructions</u>. Notwithstanding <u>clause (a)</u> above, the Administrative Agent shall not be required to take, or to omit to take, any action (i) unless, upon demand, the Administrative Agent receives an indemnification satisfactory to it from the Lenders (or, to the extent applicable and acceptable to the Administrative Agent, any other Secured Party) against all Liabilities that, by reason of such action or omission, may be imposed on, incurred by or asserted against the Administrative Agent or any Related Person thereof or (ii) that is, in the opinion of the Administrative Agent or its counsel, contrary to any Loan Document, any Lender Interest Letter or applicable Requirement of Law.

<u>Section 10.4 Delegation of Rights and Duties</u>. The Administrative Agent may, upon any term or condition it specifies, delegate or exercise any of its rights, powers and remedies under, and delegate or perform any of its duties or any other action with respect to, any Loan Document or any Lender Interest Letter by or through any trustee, co-agent, employee, attorney-in-fact and any other Person (including any Secured Party). Any such Person shall benefit from this <u>Article 10</u> to the extent provided by the Administrative Agent.

Section 10.5 Reliance and Liability. (a) The Administrative Agent may, without incurring any liability hereunder, (i) rely on the Register to the extent set forth in Section 2.14, (ii) consult with any of its Related Persons and, whether or not selected by it, any other advisors, accountants and other experts (including advisors to, and accountants and experts engaged by, any Loan Party) and (iii) rely and act upon any document and information (including those transmitted by Electronic Transmission) and any telephone message or conversation, in each case believed by it to be genuine and transmitted, signed or otherwise authenticated by the appropriate parties.

- (b) None of the Administrative Agent and its Related Persons shall be liable for any action taken or omitted to be taken by any of them under or in connection with any Loan Document or any Lender Interest Letter, and each Lender, Holdings and the Borrower hereby waive and shall not assert (and each of Holdings and the Borrower shall cause each other Loan Party to waive and agree not to assert) any right, claim or cause of action based thereon, except to the extent of liabilities resulting primarily from the gross negligence or willful misconduct of the Administrative Agent or, as the case may be, such Related Person (each as determined in a final, non-appealable judgment by a court of competent jurisdiction) in connection with the duties expressly set forth herein. Without limiting the foregoing, the Administrative Agent:
 - (i) shall not be responsible or otherwise incur liability for any action or omission taken in reliance upon the instructions of the Required Lenders or for the actions or omissions of any of its Related Persons selected with reasonable care (other than employees, officers and directors of the Administrative Agent, when acting on behalf of the Administrative Agent);
 - (ii) shall not be responsible to any Secured Party for the due execution, legality, validity, enforceability, effectiveness, genuineness, sufficiency or value of, or the attachment, perfection or priority of any Lien created or purported to be created under or in connection with, any Loan Document or any Lender Interest Letter;
 - (iii) makes no warranty or representation, and shall not be responsible, to any Secured Party for any statement, document, information, representation or warranty made or furnished by or on behalf of any Related Person or any Loan Party in connection with any Loan Document, any Lender Interest Letter or any transaction contemplated therein or any other document or information with respect to any Loan Party, whether or not transmitted or (except for documents expressly required under any Loan Document to be transmitted to the Lenders) omitted to be transmitted by the Administrative Agent, including as to completeness, accuracy, scope or adequacy thereof, or for the scope, nature or results of any due diligence performed by the Administrative Agent in connection with the Loan Documents or the Lender Interest Letters;
 - (iv) shall not be responsible or liable for any election to make or not make any Revolving Loan or any other Loan, regardless of the credit profile of any Borrower or the Borrowers generally at the time of such Loan, any information known or that should have been known by the Administrative Agent at the time of such Loan, the Borrowers' failure to comply with the terms of this Agreement or any other matter; and

(v) shall not have any duty to ascertain or to inquire as to the performance or observance of any provision of any Loan Document or any Lender Interest Letter, whether any condition set forth in any Loan Document is satisfied or waived, as to the financial condition of any Loan Party or as to the existence or continuation or possible occurrence or continuation of any Default or Event of Default and shall not be deemed to have notice or knowledge of such occurrence or continuation unless it has received a notice from the Borrower or any Lender describing such Default or Event of Default clearly labeled "notice of default" (in which case the Administrative Agent shall promptly give notice of such receipt to all Lenders);

and, for each of the items set forth in $\underline{\text{clauses}}(i)$ through (\underline{v}) above, each Lender, Holdings and the Borrower hereby waives and agrees not to assert (and each of Holdings and the Borrower shall cause each other Loan Party to waive and agree not to assert) any right, claim or cause of action it might have against the Administrative Agent based thereon. Each Lender acknowledges and agrees that Revolving Loans will be made at the election of the Administrative Agent, acting in its sole discretion, but the Administrative Agent shall not be liable to any Lender due to or in connection with such election to make or not make any Revolving Loan and each Lender completely absolves the Administrative Agent of any responsibility or liability due to or in connection with such election to make or not make any Revolving Loan.

Section 10.6 Administrative Agent Individually. The Administrative Agent and its Affiliates may make loans and other extensions of credit to, acquire Stock and Stock Equivalents of, engage in any kind of business with, any Loan Party or Affiliate thereof as though it were not acting as Administrative Agent and may receive separate fees and other payments therefor. To the extent the Administrative Agent or any of its Affiliates makes any Loan or otherwise becomes a Lender hereunder, it shall have and may exercise the same rights and powers hereunder and shall be subject to the same obligations and liabilities as any other Lender and the terms "Lender" and "Required Lender" and any similar terms shall, except where otherwise expressly provided in any Loan Document, include, without limitation, the Administrative Agent or such Affiliate, as the case may be, in its individual capacity as Lender, or as one of the Required Lenders.

Section 10.7 Lender Credit Decision. Each Lender acknowledges that it shall, independently and without reliance upon the Administrative Agent, any Lender or any of its Related Persons or upon any document (including the Disclosure Documents) solely or in part because such document was transmitted by the Administrative Agent or any of its Related Persons, conduct its own independent investigation of the financial condition and affairs of each Loan Party and make and continue to make its own credit decisions in connection with entering into, and taking or not taking any action under, any Loan Document, any Lender Interest Letter or with respect to any transaction contemplated in any Loan Document or any Lender Interest Letter, in each case based on such documents and information as it shall deem appropriate. Except for documents expressly required by any Loan Document or any Lender Interest Letter to be transmitted by the Administrative Agent to the Lenders, the Administrative Agent shall not have any duty or responsibility to provide any Lender with any credit or other information concerning the business, prospects, operations, property, financial and other condition or creditworthiness of any Loan Party or any Affiliate of any Loan Party that may come in to the possession of the Administrative Agent or any of its Related Persons.

Section 10.8 Expenses; Indemnities. (a) Each Lender agrees to reimburse the Administrative Agent and each of its Related Persons (to the extent not reimbursed by any Loan Party) promptly upon demand for such Lender's Pro Rata Share of any costs and expenses (including fees, charges and disbursements of financial, legal and other advisors and Other Taxes paid in the name of, or on behalf of, any Loan Party) that may be incurred by the Administrative Agent or any of its Related Persons in connection with the preparation, syndication, execution, delivery, administration, modification, consent, waiver or enforcement (whether through negotiations, through any work-out, bankruptcy, restructuring or other legal or other proceeding or otherwise) of, or legal advice in respect of its rights or responsibilities under, any Loan Document or any Lender Interest Letter.

(b) Each Lender further agrees to indemnify the Administrative Agent and each of its Related Persons (to the extent not reimbursed by any Loan Party), from and against such Lender's aggregate Pro Rata Share of the Liabilities (including taxes, interests and penalties imposed for not properly withholding or backup withholding on payments made to on or for the account of any Lender) that may be imposed on, incurred by or asserted against the Administrative Agent or any of its Related Persons in any matter relating to or arising out of, in connection with or as a result of any Loan Document, any Lender Interest Letter or any other act, event or transaction related, contemplated in or attendant to any such document, or, in each case, any action taken or omitted to be taken by the Administrative Agent or any of its Related Persons under or with respect to any of the foregoing; provided, however, that no Lender shall be liable to the Administrative Agent or any of its Related Persons to the extent such liability has resulted primarily from the gross negligence or willful misconduct of the Administrative Agent or, as the case may be, such Related Person, as determined by a court of competent jurisdiction in a final non-appealable judgment or order.

(c) To the extent required by any applicable law, the Administrative Agent may withhold from any payment to any Lender an amount equivalent to any applicable withholding Tax. If any payment has been made to any Lender by the Administrative Agent without the applicable withholding Tax being withheld from such payment and the Administrative Agent has paid over the applicable withholding Tax to the Internal Revenue Service or any other Governmental Authority, or the Internal Revenue Service or any other Governmental Authority asserts a claim that the Administrative Agent did not properly withhold Tax from amounts paid to or for the account of any Lender because the appropriate form was not delivered or was not properly executed or because such Lender failed to notify the Administrative Agent of a change in circumstance which rendered the exemption from, or reduction of, withholding Tax ineffective or for any other reason, such Lender shall indemnify the Administrative Agent fully for all amounts paid, directly or indirectly, by the Administrative Agent as Tax or otherwise, including any penalties or interest and together with all expenses (including legal expenses, allocated internal costs and out-of-pocket expenses) incurred.

Section 10.9 Resignation of Administrative Agent. (a) The Administrative Agent may resign at any time by delivering notice of such resignation to the Lenders and the Borrower, effective on the earlier to occur of (i) the expiration of thirty (30) days after such notice is delivered, (ii) the appointment by retiring Administrative Agent of a successor Administrative Agent from among the Lenders (as provided for below) and (iii) the appointment by the Required Lenders of a successor Administrative Agent (as provided for below). If the Administrative Agent delivers any such notice, the Required Lenders shall have the right to appoint a successor Administrative Agent. If, within 30 days after the retiring Administrative Agent having given notice of resignation, no successor Administrative Agent has been appointed by the Required Lenders that has accepted such appointment, then the retiring Administrative Agent may, on behalf of the Lenders, appoint a successor Administrative Agent. Each appointment under this clause (a) shall be subject to the prior consent of the Borrower, which consent may not be unreasonably withheld, delayed or conditioned, but which shall not be required during the continuance of an Event of Default.

(b) Effective immediately upon its resignation, (i) the retiring Administrative Agent shall be discharged from its duties and obligations under the Loan Documents and the Lender Interest Letters, (ii) the Lenders shall assume and perform all of the duties of the Administrative Agent until a successor Administrative Agent shall have accepted a valid appointment hereunder, (iii) the retiring Administrative Agent and its Related Persons shall no longer have the benefit of any provision of any Loan Document or any Lender Interest Letter other than with respect to any actions taken or omitted to be taken while such retiring Administrative Agent was, or because such Administrative Agent had been, validly acting as Administrative Agent under the Loan Documents and the Lender Interest Letters and (iv) subject to its rights under Section 10.3, the retiring Administrative Agent shall take such action as may be reasonably necessary to assign to the successor Administrative Agent its rights as Administrative Agent under the Loan Documents and the Lender Interest Letters. Effective immediately upon its acceptance of a valid appointment as Administrative Agent, a successor Administrative Agent shall succeed to, and become vested with, all the rights, powers, privileges and duties of the retiring Administrative Agent under the Loan Documents and the Lender Interest Letters.

<u>Section 10.10 Release of Collateral or Guarantors</u>. Each Lender hereby consents to the automatic release and hereby directs the Administrative Agent to release (or, in the case of <u>clause (b)(ii)</u> below, release or subordinate) the following:

- (a) any Subsidiary of the Borrower from its guaranty of any Obligation of any Loan Party if all of the Securities of such Subsidiary owned by any Group Member are Sold in a Sale permitted under the Loan Documents (including pursuant to a waiver or consent), to the extent that, after giving effect to such Sale, such Subsidiary would not be a Borrower hereunder or required to guaranty any Obligations; and
- (b) any Lien held by the Administrative Agent for the benefit of the Secured Parties against (i) any Collateral that is Sold by a Loan Party in a Sale permitted by the Loan Documents (including pursuant to a valid waiver or consent) and (ii) all of the Collateral and all Loan Parties, upon (A) termination of the Commitments, (B) payment and satisfaction in full of all Loans and all other Obligations that the Administrative Agent has been notified in writing are then due and payable by the holder of such Obligation, (C) deposit of cash collateral with respect to all contingent Obligations (excluding contingent Obligations as to which no claim has been asserted), in amounts and on terms and conditions and with parties reasonably satisfactory to the Administrative Agent and each Indemnitee that is owed such Obligations and (D) to the extent requested by the Administrative Agent, receipt by the Secured Parties of liability releases from the Loan Parties each in form and substance acceptable to the Administrative Agent.

Each Lender hereby directs the Administrative Agent, and the Administrative Agent hereby agrees, upon receipt of reasonable advance notice from the Borrower, to execute and deliver or file such documents and to perform other actions reasonably necessary to release the guaranties and Liens when and as directed in this Section 10.10.

ARTICLE 11 MISCELLANEOUS

Section 11.1 Amendments, Waivers, Etc. (a) No amendment or waiver of any provision of any Loan Document and no consent to any departure by any Loan Party therefrom shall be effective unless the same shall be in writing and signed by the Required Lenders (or by the Administrative Agent with the consent of the Required Lenders) and the Borrower; provided, however, that no amendment, consent or waiver shall, unless in writing and signed by each Lender directly affected thereby (or by the Administrative Agent with the consent of such Lender), in addition to any other Person the signature of which is otherwise required pursuant to any Loan Document, do any of the following:

- (i) increase the Commitment of such Lender or subject such Lender to any additional obligation;
- (ii) reduce (A) the principal amount of, the interest rate on, or any obligation of the Borrower to repay (whether or not on a fixed date), any outstanding Loan owing to such Lender, or (B) any accrued interest payable to such Lender; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that this <u>clause (ii)</u> does not apply to (x) any change to any provision increasing any interest rate or fee during the continuance of an Event of Default or to any payment of any such increase or (y) any modification to any financial covenant set forth in <u>Article 5</u> or in any definition set forth therein or principally used therein;
- (iii) except as expressly set forth in this Agreement, waive or postpone any scheduled maturity date or other scheduled date fixed for the payment, in whole or in part, of principal of or interest on any Loan or fee owing to such Lender or for the reduction of such Lender's Commitment;
- (iv) except as provided in <u>Section 10.10</u>, release all or substantially all of the Collateral or any Guarantor from its guaranty of any Obligation of the Borrower;
- (v) reduce or increase the proportion of Lenders required for the Lenders (or any subset thereof) to take any action hereunder or change the definition of the terms "Required Lenders" or "Pro Rata Share"; or
- (vi) amend <u>Section 2.4</u> (Reallocation of Loans), <u>Section 2.7</u> (Optional Prepayments), <u>Section 2.8</u> (Mandatory Repayments), <u>Section 2.12</u> (Application of Payments), <u>Section 10.10</u> (Release of Collateral or Guarantors), <u>Section 11.9</u> (Sharing of Payments, Etc.) or this <u>Section 11.1</u>;

and <u>provided</u>, <u>further</u>, that (y) no amendment, waiver or consent shall affect the rights or duties under any Loan Document of, or any payment to, the Administrative Agent (or otherwise modify any provision of <u>Article 10</u> or the application thereof), unless in writing and signed by the Administrative Agent in addition to any signature otherwise required and (z) the consent of the Borrower shall not be required to change any order of priority set forth in <u>Section 2.12</u>.

(b) Each waiver or consent under any Loan Document shall be effective only in the specific instance and for the specific purpose for which it was given. No notice to or demand on any Loan Party shall entitle any Loan Party to any notice or demand in the same, similar or other circumstances. No failure on the part of any Secured Party to exercise, and no delay in exercising, any right hereunder shall operate as a waiver thereof, nor shall any single or partial exercise of any such right preclude any other or further exercise thereof or the exercise of any other right.

<u>Section 11.2</u> <u>Assignments and Participations; Binding Effect.</u> (a) <u>Binding Effect.</u> This Agreement shall become effective when it shall have been executed by Holdings, the Borrower and the Administrative Agent and when the Administrative Agent shall have been notified by each Lender that such Lender has executed it. Thereafter, it shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of, but only to the benefit of, Holdings, the Borrower (in each case except for <u>Article 10</u>), the Administrative Agent, each Lender and each other Indemnitee and, in each case, their respective successors and permitted assigns. Except as expressly provided in any Loan Document (including in <u>Section 10.9</u>), none of Holdings, the Borrower or the Administrative Agent shall have the right to assign any rights or obligations hereunder or any interest herein.

(b) Right to Assign. Each Lender may sell, transfer, negotiate or assign all or a portion of its rights and obligations hereunder (including all or a portion of its Commitments and its rights and obligations with respect to Loans) to (i) any existing Lender (other than a Non-Funding Lender), (ii) any Affiliate or Approved Fund of any existing Lender (other than a Non-Funding Lender) or (iii) any other Person (other than the Borrower Representative or its Affiliates) acceptable (which acceptance shall not be unreasonably withheld or delayed) to the Administrative Agent and, so long as no Event of Default is continuing, the Borrower Representative; provided, however, that (x) the aggregate outstanding principal amount (determined as of the effective date of the applicable Assignment) of the Loans, and Commitments subject to any such Sale shall be in a minimum amount of \$1,000,000, unless such Sale is made to an existing Lender or an Affiliate or Approved Fund of any existing Lender, is of the assignor's (together with its Affiliates and Approved Funds) entire interest or is made with the prior consent of the Administrative Agent and (y) such Sales by Lenders who are Non-Funding Lenders due to clause (a) of the definition of Non-Funding Lender shall be subject to the Administrative Agent's prior written consent in all instances, unless in connection with such sale, such Non-Funding Lender cures, or causes the cure of, its Non-Funding Lender status. The Administrative Agent's refusal to accept a Sale to a Loan Party, an Affiliate of a Loan Party, or to a Person that would be (or could reasonably be expected to become) a Non-Funding Lender, or the imposition of conditions or limitations (including limitations on voting) upon Sales to such Persons, shall not be deemed to be unreasonable.

(c) <u>Procedure</u>. The parties to each Sale made in reliance on <u>clause (b)</u> above shall execute and deliver to the Administrative Agent an Assignment via an electronic settlement system designated by the Administrative Agent (or if previously agreed with the Administrative Agent, via a manual execution and delivery of the assignment) evidencing such Sale, any tax forms required to be delivered pursuant to <u>Section 2.17(e)</u> and payment of an assignment fee in the amount of \$3,500, provided that (1) if a Sale by a Lender is made to an Affiliate or an Approved Fund of such assigning Lender, then no assignment fee shall be due in connection with such Sale, and (2) if a Sale by a Lender is made to an assignee that is not an Affiliate or Approved Fund of such assignor Lender, and concurrently to one or more Affiliates or Approved Funds of such assignee, then only one assignment fee of \$3,500 shall be due in connection with such Sale. Upon receipt of all the foregoing, and conditioned upon such receipt and, if such assignment is made in accordance with <u>Section 11.2(b)(iii)</u>, upon the Administrative Agent consenting to such Assignment, from and after the effective date specified in such Assignment, the Administrative Agent shall record or cause to be recorded in the Register the information contained in such Assignment.

(d) <u>Effectiveness</u>. Subject to the recording of an Assignment by the Administrative Agent in the Register pursuant to <u>Section 2.14(b)</u>, (i) the assignee thereunder shall become a party hereto and, to the extent that rights and obligations under the Loan Documents have been assigned to such assignee pursuant to such Assignment, shall have the rights and obligations of a Lender and (ii) the assignor thereunder shall, to the extent that rights and obligations under this Agreement have been assigned by it pursuant to such Assignment, relinquish its rights (except for those surviving the termination of the Commitments and the payment in full of the Obligations) and be released from its obligations under the Loan Documents, other than those relating to events or circumstances occurring prior to such assignment (and, in the case of an Assignment covering all or the remaining portion of an assigning Lender's rights and obligations under the Loan Documents, such Lender shall cease to be a party hereto except that each Lender agrees to remain bound by <u>Article 10</u>, <u>Section 11.8</u> (<u>Right of Setoff</u>) and <u>Section 11.9</u> (<u>Sharing of Payments</u>).

(e) <u>Grant of Security Interests</u>. In addition to the other rights provided in this <u>Section 11.2</u>, each Lender may grant a security interest in, or otherwise assign as collateral, any of its rights under this Agreement, whether now owned or hereafter acquired (including rights to payments of principal or interest on the Loans), to (A) any federal reserve bank (pursuant to Regulation A of the Federal Reserve Board), without notice to the Administrative Agent or (B) any holder of, or trustee for the benefit of the holders of, such Lender's Securities by notice to the Administrative Agent; <u>provided, however</u>, that no such holder or trustee, whether because of such grant or assignment or any foreclosure thereon (unless such foreclosure is made through an assignment in accordance with <u>clause</u> (b) above), shall be entitled to any rights of such Lender hereunder and no such Lender shall be relieved of any of its obligations hereunder.

Section 11.3 Costs and Expenses. Any action taken by any Loan Party under or with respect to any Loan Document, even if required under any Loan Document or at the request of any Secured Party, shall be at the expense of such Loan Party, and no Secured Party shall be required under any Loan Document to reimburse any Loan Party or Group Member therefor except as expressly provided therein. In addition, the Borrowers and Holdings agree to pay or reimburse upon demand (a) the Administrative Agent for all reasonable out-of-pocket costs and expenses incurred by it or any of its Related Persons in connection with the investigation, development, preparation, negotiation, syndication, execution, interpretation or administration of, any modification of any term of or termination of, any Loan Document, any Lender Interest Letter, any commitment or proposal letter therefor, any other document prepared in connection therewith or the consummation and administration of any transaction contemplated therein (including periodic audits in connection therewith and environmental audits and assessments), in each case including the reasonable fees, charges and disbursements of legal counsel to the Administrative Agent or such Related Persons, fees, costs and expenses incurred in connection with COMS® or any other E-System and allocated to the credit facilities contemplated by this Agreement by the Administrative Agent in its sole discretion and fees, charges and disbursements of the auditors, appraisers, printers and other of their Related Persons retained by or on behalf of any of them or any of their Related Persons, (b) the Administrative Agent for all reasonable costs and expenses incurred by it or any of its Related Persons in connection with internal audit reviews, field examinations and Collateral examinations (which shall be reimbursed, in addition to the out-of-pocket costs and expenses of such examiners, at the per diem rate per individual charged by the Administrative Agent for its examiners), (c) each of the Administrative Agent and its Related Persons for all costs and expenses incurred in connection with (i) any refinancing or restructuring of the credit arrangements provided hereunder in the nature of a "work-out", (ii) the enforcement or preservation of any right or remedy under any Loan Document, any Obligation, with respect to the Collateral or any other related right or remedy or (iii) the commencement, defense, conduct of, intervention in, or the taking of any other action with respect to, any proceeding (including any bankruptcy or insolvency proceeding) related to any Group Member, Loan Document, Obligation (or the response to and preparation for any subpoena or request for document production relating thereto) and (d) fees and disbursements of one law firm on behalf of all Lenders (other than the Administrative Agent) incurred in connection with any matters referred to in <u>clause (c)</u> above.

Section 11.4 Indemnities. The Borrower agrees to indemnify, hold harmless and defend the Administrative Agent, each Lender and each of their respective Related Persons (each such Person being an "Indemnitee") from and against all Liabilities (including brokerage commissions, fees and other compensation) that may be imposed on, incurred by or asserted against any such Indemnitee in any matter relating to or arising out of, in connection with or as a result of (i) any Loan Document, any Disclosure Document, any Obligation (or the repayment thereof), the use or intended use of the proceeds of any Loan, or any securities filing of, or with respect to, any Group Member, (ii) any commitment letter, proposal letter or term sheet with any Person or any Contractual Obligation, arrangement or understanding with any broker, finder or consultant, in each case entered into by or on behalf of any Group Member or any Affiliate of any of them in connection with any of the foregoing and any Contractual Obligation entered into in connection with any E-Systems or other Electronic Transmissions, (iii) any actual or prospective investigation, litigation or other proceeding, whether or not brought by any such Indemnitee or any of its Related Persons, any holders of Securities or creditors (and including attorneys' fees in any case), whether or not any such Indemnitee, Related Person, holder or creditor is a party thereto, and whether or not based on any securities or commercial law or regulation or any other Requirement of Law or theory thereof, including common law, equity, contract, tort or otherwise, or (iv) any other act, event or transaction related, contemplated in or attendant to any of the foregoing (collectively, the "Indemnified Matters"); provided, however, that the Borrower shall not have any liability under this Section 11.4 to any Indemnitee with respect to any Indemnified Matter, and no Indemnitee shall have any liability with respect to any Indemnified Matter other than (to the extent otherwise liable), to the extent such liability has resulted primarily from the gross negligence or willful misconduct of such Indemnitee, as determined by a court of competent jurisdiction in a final non-appealable judgment or order. Furthermore, each of Holdings and the Borrower waives and agrees not to assert against any Indemnitee, and shall cause each other Loan Party to waive and not assert against any Indemnitee, any right of contribution with respect to any Liabilities that may be imposed on, incurred by or asserted against any Related Person.

Section 11.5 Survival. Any indemnification or other protection provided to any Indemnitee pursuant to any Loan Document (including pursuant to Section 2.17 (Taxes), Section 2.16 (Breakage Costs), Article 10 (The Administrative Agent), Section 11.3 (Costs and Expenses), Section 11.4 (Indemnities) or this Section 11.5) and all representations and warranties made in any Loan Document shall (A) survive the termination of the Commitments and the payment in full of other Obligations and (B) inure to the benefit of any Person that at any time held a right thereunder (as an Indemnitee or otherwise) and, thereafter, its successors and permitted assigns.

Section 11.6 <u>Limitation of Liability for Certain Damages</u>. In no event shall any Indemnitee be liable on any theory of liability for any special, indirect, consequential or punitive damages (including any loss of profits, business or anticipated savings). Each of Holdings and the Borrower hereby waives, releases and agrees (and shall cause each other Loan Party to waive, release and agree) not to sue upon any such claim for any special, indirect, consequential or punitive damages, whether or not accrued and whether or not known or suspected to exist in its favor.

Section 11.7 Lender-Creditor Relationship. The relationship between the Lenders and the Administrative Agent, on the one hand, and the Loan Parties, on the other hand, is solely that of lender and creditor. No Secured Party has any fiduciary relationship or duty to any Loan Party arising out of or in connection with, and there is no agency, tenancy or joint venture relationship between the Secured Parties and the Loan Parties by virtue of, any Loan Document or any transaction contemplated therein.

Section 11.8 Right of Setoff. Each of the Administrative Agent, each Lender and each Affiliate (including each branch office thereof) of any of them is hereby authorized, without notice or demand (each of which is hereby waived by Holdings and the Borrower), at any time and from time to time during the continuance of any Event of Default and to the fullest extent permitted by applicable Requirements of Law, to set off and apply any and all deposits (whether general or special, time or demand, provisional or final) at any time held and other Indebtedness, claims or other obligations at any time owing by the Administrative Agent, such Lender or any of their respective Affiliates to or for the credit or the account of Holdings or the Borrower against any Obligation of any Loan Party now or hereafter existing, whether or not any demand was made under any Loan Document with respect to such Obligation and even though such Obligation may be unmatured. Each of the Administrative Agent and each Lender agrees promptly to notify the Borrower and the Administrative Agent after any such setoff and application made by such Lender or its Affiliates; provided, however, that the failure to give such notice shall not affect the validity of such setoff and application. The rights under this Section 11.8 are in addition to any other rights and remedies (including other rights of setoff) that the Administrative Agent, the Lenders and their Affiliates and other Secured Parties may have.

Section 11.9 Sharing of Payments, Etc. If any Lender, directly or through an Affiliate or branch office thereof, obtains any payment of any Obligation of any Loan Party (whether voluntary, involuntary or through the exercise of any right of setoff or the receipt of any Collateral or "proceeds" (as defined under the applicable UCC) of Collateral) other than pursuant to Sections 2.16 (Breakage Costs), 2.17 (Taxes), 2.18 (Substitution of Lenders) and 11.2 (Assignments and Participations; Binding Effect) and such payment exceeds the amount such Lender would have been entitled to receive if all payments had gone to, and been distributed by, the Administrative Agent in accordance with the provisions of the Loan Documents and the Lender Interest Letters, such Lender shall purchase for cash from other Secured Parties such payment is applied as though it had been received by the Administrative Agent and applied in accordance with this Agreement (or, if such application would then be at the discretion of the Borrower, applied to repay the Obligations in accordance herewith); provided, however, that (a) if such payment is rescinded or otherwise recovered from such Lender in whole or in part, such purchase shall be rescinded and the purchase price therefor shall be returned to such Lender without interest and (b) such Lender shall, to the fullest extent permitted by applicable Requirements of Law, be able to exercise all its rights of payment (including the right of setoff) with respect to such participation as fully as if such Lender were the direct creditor of the Borrower in the amount of such participation. If a Non-Funding Lender receives any such payment as described in the previous sentence, such Lender shall turn over such payments to Agent.

Section 11.10 Marshaling; Payments Set Aside. No Secured Party shall be under any obligation to marshal any property in favor of any Loan Party or any other party or against or in payment of any Obligation. To the extent that any Secured Party receives a payment from the Borrower, from the proceeds of the Collateral, from the exercise of its rights of setoff, any enforcement action or otherwise, and such payment is subsequently, in whole or in part, invalidated, declared to be fraudulent or preferential, set aside or required to be repaid to a trustee, receiver or any other party, then to the extent of such recovery, the obligation or part thereof originally intended to be satisfied, and all Liens, rights and remedies therefor, shall be revived and continued in full force and effect as if such payment had not occurred.

Section 11.11 Notices. (a) Addresses. All notices, demands, requests, directions and other communications required or expressly authorized to be made by this Agreement shall, whether or not specified to be in writing but unless otherwise expressly specified to be given by any other means, be given in writing and (i) addressed to (A) if to Holdings or the Borrower, to Rush Enterprises, Inc., 555 IH 35 South, Suite 500, New Braunfels, Texas 78130, Attention: Steven Keller, Chief Financial Officer, Tel: (830) 626-5256, Fax: (830) 626-5307, with copy to Rush Enterprises, Inc., 555 IH 35 South, Suite 500, New Braunfels, Texas 78130, Attention: Derrek Weaver, General Counsel, Tel: (830) 626-5929, Fax: (830) 626-5307, (B) if to the Administrative Agent, to General Electric Capital Corporation, 300 E. John W. Carpenter Freeway, Suite 510, Irving, TX 75062, Attention: Randy Talley/Rush Enterprises Account Manager, Tel: (972) 830-6621, Fax: (972) 830-6620, with copy to General Electric Capital Corporation, 300 E. John W. Carpenter Freeway, Suite 510, Irving, TX 75062, Attention: Matthew J. Cleaves/Associate General Counsel, Tel: (469) 586-2044, Fax: (469) 519-4014 and (C) otherwise to the party to be notified at its address specified opposite its name on Schedule II or on the signature page of any applicable Assignment, or (ii) addressed to such other address as shall be notified in writing (A) in the case of the Borrower and the Administrative Agent, to the other parties hereto and (B) in the case of all other parties, to the Borrower and the Administrative Agent; provided that (x) any Request for Equipment Borrowing with respect to any franchised or name brand Inventory shall be given by facsimile or email and addressed to General Electric Capital Corporation, Attention: Sherri Long, Tel: 972-830-6074, Fax: 866-205-6336, email: Sherri.A.Long@ge.com,(y) any manufacturer of Inventory may provide notice of a sale of such Inventory to a Borrower and a related New Equipment Loan by use of the COMS® system and (z) any Request for Working Capital Borrowing or Request for Equipment Borrowing not made pursuant to clause (x) or clause (y) shall be given by email or fax to the Administrative Agent as provided in clause (i)(B) above.

(b) <u>Effectiveness</u>. All communications described in <u>clause (a)</u> above and all other notices, demands, requests and other communications made in connection with this Agreement shall be effective and be deemed to have been received (i) if delivered by hand, upon personal delivery, (ii) if delivered by overnight courier service, one Business Day after delivery to such courier service, (iii) if delivered by mail, when deposited in the mails, (iv) if delivered by facsimile (other than to post to an E-System pursuant to <u>clause (a)(v)</u> below), upon sender's receipt of confirmation of proper transmission, and (v) if delivered by posting to any E-System, on the later of the date of such posting in an appropriate location and the date access to such posting is given to the recipient thereof in accordance with the standard procedures applicable to such E-System; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that no communications to the Administrative Agent pursuant to <u>Article 2</u> or <u>Article 10</u> shall be effective until received by the Administrative Agent.

- Section 11.12 Electronic Transmissions. (a) Authorization. Subject to the provisions of Section 11.11(a), each of the Administrative Agent, the Borrower, the Lenders and each of their Related Persons is authorized (but not required) to transmit, post or otherwise make or communicate, in its sole discretion, Electronic Transmissions in connection with any Loan Document and the transactions contemplated therein. Each of Holdings, each Borrower and each Secured Party hereby acknowledges and agrees, and each of Holdings and each Borrower shall cause each other Group Member to acknowledge and agree, that the use of Electronic Transmissions is not necessarily secure and that there are risks associated with such use, including risks of interception, disclosure and abuse and each indicates it assumes and accepts such risks by hereby authorizing the transmission of Electronic Transmissions.
- (b) <u>Signatures</u>. Subject to the provisions of <u>Section 11.11(a)</u>, (i)(A) no posting to any E-System shall be denied legal effect merely because it is made electronically, (B) each PDF or other digital signature on any such posting shall be deemed sufficient to satisfy any requirement for a "signature" and (C) each such posting shall be deemed sufficient to satisfy any requirement for a "writing", in each case including pursuant to any Loan Document, any applicable provision of any UCC, the federal Uniform Electronic Transactions Act, the Electronic Signatures in Global and National Commerce Act and any substantive or procedural Requirement of Law governing such subject matter, (ii) each such posting that is not readily capable of bearing either a signature or a reproduction of a signature may be signed, and shall be deemed signed, by attaching to, or logically associating with such posting, a PDF or other digital signature, upon which each Secured Party and Loan Party may rely and assume the authenticity thereof, (iii) each such posting containing a signature, a reproduction of a signature or a PDF or other digital signature shall, for all intents and purposes, have the same effect and weight as a signed paper original and (iv) each party hereto or beneficiary hereto agrees not to contest the validity or enforceability of any posting on any E-System or PDF or other digital signature on any such posting under the provisions of any applicable Requirement of Law requiring certain documents to be in writing or signed; provided, however, that nothing herein shall limit such party's or beneficiary's right to contest whether any posting to any E-System or PDF or other digital signature has been altered after transmission.
- (c) <u>Separate Agreements</u>. All uses of an E-System (including, without limitation, the COMS® system) shall be governed by and subject to, in addition to <u>Section 11.11</u> and this <u>Section 11.12</u>, separate terms and conditions posted or referenced in such E-System and related Contractual Obligations executed by Secured Parties and Group Members in connection with the use of such E-System.
- (d) <u>Limitation of Liability</u>. All E-Systems and Electronic Transmissions shall be provided "as is" and "as available". None of Administrative Agent or any of its Related Persons warrants the accuracy, adequacy or completeness of any E-Systems or Electronic Transmission, and each disclaims all liability for errors or omissions therein. No warranty of any kind is made by the Administrative Agent or any of its Related Persons in connection with any E-Systems or Electronic Transmission, including any warranty of merchantability, fitness for a particular purpose, non-infringement of third-party rights or freedom from viruses or other code defects. Each of Holdings, the Borrower and each Secured Party agrees (and each of Holdings and the Borrower shall cause each other Loan Party to agree) that the Administrative Agent has no responsibility for maintaining or providing any equipment, software, services or any testing required in connection with any Electronic Transmission or otherwise required for any E-System.

Section 11.13 GOVERNING LAW. THIS AGREEMENT, EACH OTHER LOAN DOCUMENT THAT DOES NOT EXPRESSLY SET FORTH ITS APPLICABLE LAW, AND THE RIGHTS AND OBLIGATIONS OF THE PARTIES HERETO AND THERETO SHALL BE GOVERNED BY, AND CONSTRUED AND INTERPRETED IN ACCORDANCE WITH, THE LAW OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK.

Section 11.14 JURISDICTION. (a) SUBMISSION TO JURISDICTION. ANY LEGAL ACTION OR PROCEEDING WITH RESPECT TO ANY LOAN DOCUMENT SHALL BE BROUGHT EXCLUSIVELY IN THE COURTS OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK LOCATED IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, OR OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK AND, BY EXECUTION AND DELIVERY OF THIS AGREEMENT, EACH OF HOLDINGS AND THE BORROWER HEREBY ACCEPTS FOR ITSELF AND IN RESPECT OF ITS PROPERTY, GENERALLY AND UNCONDITIONALLY, THE JURISDICTION OF THE AFORESAID COURTS; PROVIDED, THAT NOTHING IN THIS AGREEMENT SHALL LIMIT THE RIGHT OF ADMINISTRATIVE AGENT TO COMMENCE ANY PROCEEDING IN THE FEDERAL OR STATE COURTS OF ANY OTHER JURISDICTION TO THE EXTENT ADMINISTRATIVE AGENT DETERMINES THAT SUCH ACTION IS NECESSARY OR APPROPRIATE TO EXERCISE ITS RIGHTS OR REMEDIES UNDER THE LOAN DOCUMENTS. THE PARTIES HERETO (AND, TO THE EXTENT SET FORTH IN ANY OTHER LOAN DOCUMENT, EACH OTHER LOAN PARTY) HEREBY IRREVOCABLY WAIVE ANY OBJECTION, INCLUDING ANY OBJECTION TO THE LAYING OF VENUE OR BASED ON THE GROUNDS OF FORUM NON CONVENIENS, THAT ANY OF THEM MAY NOW OR HEREAFTER HAVE TO THE BRINGING OF ANY SUCH ACTION OR PROCEEDING IN SUCH JURISDICTIONS.

- (b) <u>SERVICE OF PROCESS</u>. EACH OF HOLDINGS AND BORROWER (AND, TO THE EXTENT SET FORTH IN ANY OTHER LOAN DOCUMENT, EACH OTHER LOAN PARTY) HEREBY IRREVOCABLY WAIVES PERSONAL SERVICE OF ANY AND ALL LEGAL PROCESS, SUMMONS, NOTICES AND OTHER DOCUMENTS AND OTHER SERVICE OF PROCESS OF ANY KIND AND CONSENTS TO SUCH SERVICE IN ANY SUIT, ACTION OR PROCEEDING BROUGHT IN THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA WITH RESPECT TO OR OTHERWISE ARISING OUT OF OR IN CONNECTION WITH ANY LOAN DOCUMENT BY ANY MEANS PERMITTED BY APPLICABLE REQUIREMENTS OF LAW, INCLUDING BY THE MAILING THEREOF (BY REGISTERED OR CERTIFIED MAIL, POSTAGE PREPAID) TO THE ADDRESS OF BORROWER SPECIFIED IN <u>SECTION 11.11</u> (AND SHALL BE EFFECTIVE WHEN SUCH MAILING SHALL BE EFFECTIVE, AS PROVIDED THEREIN). EACH OF HOLDINGS AND THE BORROWER (AND, TO THE EXTENT SET FORTH IN ANY OTHER LOAN DOCUMENT, EACH OTHER LOAN PARTY) AGREES THAT A FINAL JUDGMENT IN ANY SUCH ACTION OR PROCEEDING SHALL BE CONCLUSIVE AND MAY BE ENFORCED IN OTHER JURISDICTIONS BY SUIT ON THE JUDGMENT OR IN ANY OTHER MANNER PROVIDED BY LAW.
- (c) <u>NON-EXCLUSIVE JURISDICTION</u>. NOTHING CONTAINED IN THIS <u>SECTION 11.14</u> SHALL AFFECT THE RIGHT OF THE ADMINISTRATIVE AGENT OR ANY LENDER TO SERVE PROCESS IN ANY OTHER MANNER PERMITTED BY APPLICABLE REQUIREMENTS OF LAW OR COMMENCE LEGAL PROCEEDINGS OR OTHERWISE PROCEED AGAINST ANY LOAN PARTY IN ANY OTHER JURISDICTION.

Section 11.15 WAIVER OF JURY TRIAL. EACH PARTY HERETO HEREBY IRREVOCABLY WAIVES TRIAL BY JURY IN ANY SUIT, ACTION OR PROCEEDING WITH RESPECT TO, OR DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY ARISING OUT OF, UNDER OR IN CONNECTION WITH, ANY LOAN DOCUMENT OR THE TRANSACTIONS CONTEMPLATED THEREIN OR RELATED THERETO (WHETHER FOUNDED IN CONTRACT, TORT OR ANY OTHER THEORY). EACH PARTY HERETO (A) CERTIFIES THAT NO OTHER PARTY AND NO RELATED PERSON OF ANY OTHER PARTY HAS REPRESENTED, EXPRESSLY OR OTHERWISE, THAT SUCH OTHER PARTY WOULD NOT, IN THE EVENT OF LITIGATION, SEEK TO ENFORCE THE FOREGOING WAIVER AND (B) ACKNOWLEDGES THAT IT AND THE OTHER PARTIES HERETO HAVE BEEN INDUCED TO ENTER INTO THE LOAN DOCUMENTS, AS APPLICABLE, BY THE MUTUAL WAIVERS AND CERTIFICATIONS IN THIS SECTION 11.15.

<u>Section 11.16 Severability</u>. Any provision of any Loan Document being held illegal, invalid or unenforceable in any jurisdiction shall not affect any part of such provision not held illegal, invalid or unenforceable, any other provision of any Loan Document or any part of such provision in any other jurisdiction.

<u>Section 11.17</u> Execution in Counterparts. This Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts and by different parties in separate counterparts, each of which when so executed shall be deemed to be an original and all of which taken together shall constitute one and the same agreement. Signature pages may be detached from multiple separate counterparts and attached to a single counterpart. Delivery of an executed signature page of this Agreement by facsimile transmission or Electronic Transmission shall be as effective as delivery of a manually executed counterpart hereof.

Section 11.18 Entire Agreement. The Loan Documents and Lender Interest Letters embody the entire agreement of the parties and supersede all prior agreements and understandings relating to the subject matter thereof and any prior letter of interest, commitment letter, fee letter, confidentiality and similar agreements involving any Loan Party and any of the Administrative Agent or any Lender or any of their respective Affiliates relating to a financing of substantially similar form, purpose or effect, including without limitation, that certain Amended and Restated Wholesale Security Agreement, dated as of August 1, 2007 (the "Wholesale Security Agreement"), by and among GE Capital and the Borrowers party thereto. For the avoidance of doubt, this Agreement shall not be deemed to be an extension, amendment and restatement, or other modification of the Wholesale Security Agreement. In the event of any conflict between the terms of this Agreement and any other Loan Document, the terms of this Agreement shall govern (unless such terms of such other Loan Documents are necessary to comply with applicable Requirements of Law, in which case such terms shall govern to the extent necessary to comply therewith).

Section 11.19 Use of Name. Each of Holdings and the Borrower agrees, and shall cause each other Loan Party to agree, that it shall not, and none of its Affiliates shall, issue any press release or other public disclosure (other than any document filed with any Governmental Authority (i) relating to a public offering of the Securities of any Loan Party or (ii) pursuant to the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended) using the name, logo or otherwise referring to GE Capital or of any of its Affiliates, the Loan Documents or any transaction contemplated therein to which the Secured Parties are party without at least 2 Business Days' prior notice to GE Capital and without the prior consent of GE Capital except to the extent required to do so under applicable Requirements of Law and then, only after consulting with GE Capital prior thereto (any such consultation not to be required more than once with respect to duplicate references).

<u>Section 11.20 Non-Public Information; Confidentiality.</u> (a) Each Lender acknowledges and agrees that it may receive material non-public information hereunder concerning the Loan Parties and their Affiliates and Securities and agrees to use such information in compliance with all relevant policies, procedures and Contractual Obligations and applicable Requirements of Laws (including United States federal and state security laws and regulations).

(b) Each Lender and the Administrative Agent agrees to use all reasonable efforts to maintain, in accordance with its customary practices, the confidentiality of information obtained by it pursuant to any Loan Document and designated in writing by any Loan Party as confidential, except that such information may be disclosed (i) with the Borrower's consent, (ii) to Related Persons of such Lender or the Administrative Agent, as the case may be, that are advised of the confidential nature of such information and are instructed to keep such information confidential in accordance with the terms hereof, (iii) to the extent such information presently is or hereafter becomes (A) publicly available other than as a result of a breach of this Section 11.20 or (B) available to such Lender or the Administrative Agent or any of their Related Persons, as the case may be, from a source (other than any Loan Party) not known to them to be subject to disclosure restrictions, (iv) to the extent disclosure is required by applicable Requirements of Law or other legal process or requested or demanded by any Governmental Authority, (v) to the extent necessary or customary for inclusion in league table measurements or in any tombstone or other advertising materials (and the Loan Parties consent to the publication of such tombstone or other advertising materials by the Administrative Agent, any Lender or any of their Related Persons), (vi) to the National Association of Insurance Commissioners or any similar organization, any examiner or any nationally recognized rating agency or otherwise to the extent consisting of general portfolio information that does not identify Loan Parties, (vii) to current or prospective assignees, grantees of any option described in Section 11.2 or participants, direct or contractual counterparties to any swap agreement permitted hereunder and to their respective Related Persons, in each case to the extent such assignees, participants, counterparties or Related Persons agree to be bound by provisions substantially similar to the provisions of this Section 11.20 (and such Person may disclose information to their respective Related Persons in accordance with clause (ii) above), (viii) to any other party hereto and (ix) in connection with the exercise or enforcement of any right or remedy under any Loan Document, in connection with any litigation or other proceeding to which such Lender or the Administrative Agent or any of their Related Persons is a party or bound, to the extent necessary to respond to public statements or disclosures by Loan Parties or their Related Persons referring to a Lender or the Administrative Agent or any of their Related Persons. In the event of any conflict between the terms of this Section 11.20 and those of any other Contractual Obligation entered into with any Loan Party (whether or not a Loan Document), the terms of this Section 11.20 shall govern. Any Person required to maintain the confidentiality of information as provided in this Section 11.20 shall be considered to have complied with its obligation to do so if such Person has exercised the same degree of care to maintain the confidentiality of such Information as such Person would accord its own confidential information.

(c) Notwithstanding the foregoing, Administrative Agent may receive from and disclose to any individual, corporation, business trust, association, company, partnership, joint venture, or other entity (herein collectively, the "Entity"), including, without limitation, Administrative Agent's parent or any affiliate or any subsidiary of Administrative Agent and any credit reporting agency or other entity whether or not related to Administrative Agent for any purpose, information about any Loan Party's accounts, credit application and credit experience with Administrative Agent and each Loan Party authorizes any Entity to release to Administrative Agent any information related to such Loan Party's accounts, credit experience and account information regarding such Loan Party. This shall be continuing authorization for all present and future disclosures of the Loan Parties' account information, credit application and credit experience on the Loan Parties made by Administrative Agent, or any Entity requested to release such information to Administrative Agent.

Section 11.21 Actions in Concert. Notwithstanding anything herein or in the other Loan Documents to the contrary, each Lender hereby agrees with each other Lender that no Lender shall take any action to protect or enforce its rights against any Loan Party arising out of this Agreement or any other Loan Document (including exercising any rights of setoff) without first obtaining the prior written consent of the Administrative Agent or the Required Lenders, it being the intent of the Lenders that any such action to protect or enforce rights under this Agreement and the other Loan Documents shall be taken in concert and at the direction or with the consent of the Administrative Agent or the Required Lenders.

<u>Section 11.22 Patriot Act Notice</u>. Each Lender subject to the USA Patriot Act of 2001 (31 U.S.C. 5318 et seq.) hereby notifies the Borrower that, pursuant to Section 326 thereof, it is required to obtain, verify and record information that identifies the Borrower, including the name and address of the Borrower and other information allowing such Lender to identify the Borrower in accordance with such act.

ARTICLE 12 CROSS-GUARANTY

<u>Section 12.1 Cross-Guaranty</u>. Each Borrower hereby agrees that such Borrower is jointly and severally liable for, and hereby absolutely and unconditionally guarantees to the Administrative Agent and the Lenders and their respective successors and assigns, the full and prompt payment (whether at stated maturity, by acceleration or otherwise) and performance of, all Obligations owed or hereafter owing to the Administrative Agent and the Lenders by each other Borrower ("<u>Guaranteed Obligations</u>"). Each Borrower agrees that its guaranty obligation hereunder is a continuing guaranty of payment and performance and not of collection, that its obligations under this <u>Article 12</u> shall not be discharged until payment and performance, in full, of the Obligations has occurred, and that its obligations under this Article 12 shall be absolute and unconditional, irrespective of, and unaffected by:

- (a) the genuineness, validity, regularity, enforceability or any future amendment of, or change in, this Agreement, any other Loan Document or any other agreement, document or instrument to which any Borrower is or may become a party;
- (b) the absence of any action, against any Person other than such Borrower, to enforce this Agreement (including this <u>Article 12</u>) or any other Loan Document or the waiver or consent by the Administrative Agent and the Lenders with respect to any of the provisions thereof;

- (c) the existence, value or condition of, or failure to perfect its Lien against, any security for the Obligations or any action, or the absence of any action, by the Administrative Agent and the Lenders in respect thereof (including the release of any such security);
 - (d) the insolvency of any Loan Party; or
- (e) any other action or circumstances that might otherwise constitute a legal or equitable discharge or defense of a surety or guarantor.

Each Borrower shall be regarded, and shall be in the same position, as principal debtor with respect to the Guaranteed Obligations.

Section 12.2 Waivers by Borrowers. Each Borrower expressly waives all rights it may have now or in the future under any statute, or at common law, or at law or in equity, or otherwise, to compel the Administrative Agent or the Lenders to marshal assets or to proceed in respect of the Obligations guaranteed hereunder against any other Loan Party, any other party or against any security for the payment and performance of the Guaranteed Obligations before proceeding against, or as a condition to proceeding against, such Borrower. It is agreed among each Borrower, the Administrative Agent and the Lenders that the foregoing waivers are of the essence of the transaction contemplated by this Agreement and the other Loan Documents and that, but for the provisions of this Article 12 and such waivers, the Administrative Agent and the Lenders would decline to enter into this Agreement.

<u>Section 12.3</u> <u>Benefit of Guaranty.</u> Each Borrower agrees that the provisions of this <u>Article 12</u> are for the benefit of the Administrative Agent and the Lenders and their respective successors, transferees, endorsees and assigns, and nothing herein contained shall impair, as between any other Borrower and the Administrative Agent or the Lenders, the obligations of such other Borrower under the Loan Documents.

Section 12.4 Subordination of Subrogation, Etc. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Agreement or in any other Loan Document, and except as set forth in Section 12.7, each Borrower hereby expressly and irrevocably subordinates to payment of the Obligations any and all rights at law or in equity to subrogation, reimbursement, exoneration, contribution, indemnification or set off and any and all defenses available to a surety, guarantor or accommodation co-obligor until the Obligations are paid in full in cash and the applicable preference period has passed. Each Borrower acknowledges and agrees that this subordination is intended to benefit the Administrative Agent and the Lenders and shall not limit or otherwise affect such Borrower's liability hereunder or the enforceability of this Article 12, and that the Administrative Agent, the Lenders and their respective successors and assigns are intended third party beneficiaries of the waivers and agreements set forth in this Section 12.4.

Section 12.5 Election of Remedies. If the Administrative Agent or any Lender may, under applicable law, proceed to realize its benefits under any of the Loan Documents giving the Administrative Agent or such Lender a Lien upon any Collateral, whether owned by any Borrower or by any other Person, either by judicial foreclosure or by non judicial sale or enforcement, the Administrative Agent or any Lender may, at its sole option, determine which of its remedies or rights it may pursue without affecting any of its rights and remedies under this Article 12. If, in the exercise of any of its rights and remedies, the Administrative Agent or any Lender shall forfeit any of its rights or remedies, including its right to enter a deficiency judgment against any Borrower or any other Person, whether because of any applicable laws pertaining to "election of remedies" or the like, each Borrower hereby consents to such action by the Administrative Agent or such Lender and waives any claim based upon such action, even if such action by the Administrative Agent or such Lender shall result in a full or partial loss of any rights of subrogation that such Borrower might otherwise have had but for such action by the Administrative Agent or such Lender. Any election of remedies that results in the denial or impairment of the right of the Administrative Agent or any Lender to seek a deficiency judgment against any Borrower shall not impair any other Borrower's obligation to pay the full amount of the Obligations. In the event the Administrative Agent or any Lender shall bid at any foreclosure or trustee's sale or at any private sale permitted by law or the Loan Documents, the Administrative Agent or such Lender may bid all or less than the amount of the Obligations and the amount of such bid need not be paid by the Administrative Agent or such Lender but shall be credited against the Obligations. The amount of the successful bid at any such sale, whether the Administrative Agent, Lender or any other party is the successful bidder, shall be conclusively deemed to be the fair market value of the Collateral and the difference between such bid amount and the remaining balance of the Obligations shall be conclusively deemed to be the amount of the Obligations guaranteed under this Article 12, notwithstanding that any present or future law or court decision or ruling may have the effect of reducing the amount of any deficiency claim to which the Administrative Agent or any Lender might otherwise be entitled but for such bidding at any such sale.

<u>Section 12.6 Limitation</u>. Notwithstanding any provision herein contained to the contrary, each Borrower's liability under this <u>Article 12</u> (which liability is in any event in addition to amounts for which such Borrower is primarily liable under <u>Article 2</u>) shall be limited to an amount not to exceed as of any date of determination the greater of:

- (a) the net amount of all Loans advanced to any other Borrower under this Agreement and then re-loaned or otherwise transferred to, or for the benefit of, such Borrower; and
- (b) the amount that could be claimed by the Administrative Agent and the Lenders from such Borrower under this Article 12 without rendering such claim voidable or avoidable under Section 548 of Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code or under any applicable state Uniform Fraudulent Transfer Act, Uniform Fraudulent Conveyance Act or similar statute or common law after taking into account, among other things, such Borrower's right of contribution and indemnification from each other Borrower under Section 12.7.

Section 12.7 Contribution with Respect to Guaranty Obligations.

- (a) To the extent that any Borrower shall make a payment under this Article 12 of all or any of the Obligations (other than Loans made to that Borrower for which it is primarily liable) (a "Guarantor Payment") that, taking into account all other Guarantor Payments then previously or concurrently made by any other Borrower, exceeds the amount that such Borrower would otherwise have paid if each Borrower had paid the aggregate Obligations satisfied by such Guarantor Payment in the same proportion that such Borrower's "Allocable Amount" (as defined below) (as determined immediately prior to such Guarantor Payment) bore to the aggregate Allocable Amounts of each of the Borrowers as determined immediately prior to the making of such Guarantor Payment, then, following payment in full in cash of the Obligations, termination of the Commitments and the passage of the applicable preference period, such Borrower shall be entitled to receive contribution and indemnification payments from, and be reimbursed by, each other Borrower for the amount of such excess, pro rata based upon their respective Allocable Amounts in effect immediately prior to such Guarantor Payment.
- (b) As of any date of determination, the "<u>Allocable Amount</u>" of any Borrower shall be equal to the maximum amount of the claim that could then be recovered from such Borrower under this <u>Article 12</u> without rendering such claim voidable or avoidable under Section 548 of Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code or under any applicable state Uniform Fraudulent Transfer Act, Uniform Fraudulent Conveyance Act or similar statute or common law.
- (c) This <u>Section 12.7</u> is intended only to define the relative rights of the Borrowers and nothing set forth in this <u>Section 12.7</u> is intended to or shall impair the obligations of the Borrowers, jointly and severally, to pay any amounts as and when the same shall become due and payable in accordance with the terms of this Agreement, including <u>Section 12.1</u>. Nothing contained in this <u>Section 12.7</u> shall limit the liability of any Borrower to pay the Loans made directly or indirectly to such Borrower and accrued interest, fees and expenses with respect thereto for which such Borrower shall be primarily liable.
- (d) The parties hereto acknowledge that the rights of contribution and indemnification hereunder shall constitute assets of the Borrowers to which such contribution and indemnification is owing.
- (e) The rights of the indemnifying Borrowers against other Loan Parties under this <u>Section 12.7</u> shall be exercisable upon the full and final payment of the Obligations, the termination of the Commitments and the passage of the applicable preference period.
- Section 12.8 <u>Liability Cumulative</u>. The liability of the Borrowers under this <u>Article 12</u> is in addition to and shall be cumulative with all liabilities of each Borrower to the Administrative Agent and the Lenders under this Agreement and the other Loan Documents to which such Borrower is a party or in respect of any Obligations or obligation of the other Borrower, without any limitation as to amount, unless the instrument or agreement evidencing or creating such other liability specifically provides to the contrary.

[SIGNATURE PAGES FOLLOW]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this Agreement to be executed by their respective officers thereunto duly authorized, as of the date first above written.

BORROWERS:

RUSH TRUCK CENTERS OF ALABAMA, INC.

RUSH TRUCK CENTERS OF ARIZONA, INC.

RUSH TRUCK CENTERS OF CALIFORNIA, INC.

RUSH MEDIUM DUTY TRUCK CENTERS OF COLORADO, INC.

RUSH TRUCK CENTERS OF COLORADO, INC.

RUSH TRUCK CENTERS OF FLORIDA, INC.

RUSH TRUCK CENTERS OF GEORGIA, INC.

RUSH TRUCK CENTERS OF NEW MEXICO, INC.

RUSH TRUCK CENTERS OF OKLAHOMA, INC.

RUSH TRUCK CENTERS OF TENNESSEE, INC.

RUSH TRUCK CENTERS OF NORTH CAROLINA, INC.

RUSH TRUCK CENTERS OF IDAHO, INC.

RUSH TRUCK CENTERS OF UTAH, INC.

RUSH TRUCK CENTERS OF OREGON, INC.

By: /s/ W.M. "Rusty" Rush

Name: W.M. "Rusty" Rush

Title: President of each of the foregoing entities

RUSH TRUCK CENTERS OF TEXAS, L.P.

By: Rushtex, Inc., a Delaware corporation

By: /s/ W.M. "Rusty" Rush

Name: W.M. "Rusty" Rush

Title: President

HOLDINGS:

RUSH ENTERPRISES, INC.

By: /s/ W.M. "Rusty" Rush

Name: W.M. "Rusty" Rush Title: CEO & President

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GENERAL ELECTRIC CAPITAL CORPORATION, AS ADMINISTRATIVE AGENT AND LENDER

By: /s/ C. Daniel Clark

Name: C. Daniel Clark
Title: Vice President

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OTHER LENDERS:

BANK OF THE WEST,

AS A LENDER

By: /s/ James Chesser

Name: James Chesser Title: Vice President

PNC BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION,

AS A LENDER

By: /s/ Robert L. Bidinger

Name: Robert L. Bidinger

Title: SVP

MASSMUTUAL ASSET FINANCE LLC,

AS A LENDER

By: /s/ Don Buttler

Name: Don Buttler Title: Director

COMERICA BANK,

AS A LENDER

By: /s/ Jonathan S. Heine

Name: Jonathan S. Heine Title: Vice President

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SCHEDULE 1.1 Immaterial Subsidiaries

Rig Tough, Inc.	Importer of truck parts sold at dealerships
Rush Truck Center of Albuquerque, Inc.	No revenue
Rush GMC Truck Center of El Paso, Inc.	Inactive
Rush GMC Truck Center of Phoenix, Inc.	Inactive
Rush GMC Truck Center of San Diego, Inc.	Inactive
Rush GMC Truck Center of Tucson, Inc.	Inactive
Rush Equipment Centers of Texas, Inc.	Inactive
Rushtex, Inc.	General Partner of Rush Truck Centers of Texas, L.P.
Rushco, Inc.	Limited Partner of Rush Truck Centers of Texas, L.P.
Rush Real Estate Holdings, Inc.	Owns corporate headquarters
International General Agency	Insurance Agency that sells insurance to truck owners
Los Cuernos, Inc.	Ranch used for customer entertainment
AiRush, Inc.	This entity owns the corporate aircraft
Rush Retail Centers, Inc.	Inactive
Associated Acceptance, Inc.	Owned by International General Agency above
Associated Acceptance of Florida, Inc.	Owned by International General Agency above
Advance Premium Finance, Inc.	Owned by International General Agency above
Adams International Trucks, Inc.	Inactive

SCHEDULE 4.2 Consents and Approvals

None.

SCHEDULE 4.3 GROUP MEMBERS

Rush Enterprises, Inc.

Jurisdiction of Organization: Texas

WHOLLY OWNED Subsidiaries Of Rush Enterprises, Inc.:

AiRush, Inc.

Jurisdiction of Organization: Delaware

International General Agency, Inc.

Jurisdiction of Organization: Texas

Wholly Owned Subsidiaries of International General Agency, Inc.:

Advance Premium Finance, Inc. Jurisdiction of Organization: California

Associated Acceptance, Inc. Jurisdiction of Organization: Texas

Associated Acceptance of Florida, Inc. Jurisdiction of Organization: Delaware

Los Cuernos, Inc.

Jurisdiction of Organization: Delaware

Rig Tough, Inc.

Jurisdiction of Organization: Delaware

Rushco, Inc.

Jurisdiction of Organization: Delaware

Rushtex, Inc.

Rush Accessories Corporation

Jurisdiction of Organization: Delaware

Rush Administrative Services, Inc.

Jurisdiction of Organization: Delaware

Rush Equipment Centers of Texas, Inc.

Jurisdiction of Organization: Delaware

Rush Retail Centers, Inc.

Jurisdiction of Organization: Delaware

Rush GMC Truck Center of El Paso, Inc.

Jurisdiction of Organization: Delaware

Rush GMC Truck Center of Phoenix, Inc.

Jurisdiction of Organization: Delaware

Rush GMC Truck Center of San Diego, Inc.

Jurisdiction of Organization: Delaware

Rush GMC Truck Center of Tucson, Inc.

Jurisdiction of Organization: Delaware

Rush Idealease, Inc.

Jurisdiction of Organization: Delaware

Rush Real Estate Holdings, Inc.

Jurisdiction of Organization: Delaware

Rush Truck Leasing, Inc.

Jurisdiction of Organization: Delaware

Rush Truck Centers of Alabama, Inc.

Jurisdiction of Organization: Delaware

Rush Truck Centers of Arizona, Inc.

Rush Truck Centers of California, Inc.

Jurisdiction of Organization: Delaware

Rush Truck Centers of Colorado, Inc.

Jurisdiction of Organization: Delaware

Wholly Owned Subsidiary of Rush Truck Centers of Colorado, Inc.:

Rush Medium Duty Truck Centers of Colorado, Inc.

Jurisdiction of Organization: Delaware

Rush Truck Centers of Florida, Inc.

Jurisdiction of Organization: Delaware

Rush Truck Centers of Georgia, Inc.

Jurisdiction of Organization: Delaware

Rush Truck Centers of Idaho, Inc.

Jurisdiction of Organization: Delaware

Rush Truck Centers of New Mexico, Inc.

Jurisdiction of Organization: Delaware

Wholly Owned Subsidiary of Rush Truck Centers of New Mexico, Inc.:

Rush Truck Center of Albuquerque, Inc. Jurisdiction of Organization: New Mexico

Rush Truck Centers of North Carolina, Inc.

Jurisdiction of Organization: Delaware

Wholly Owned Subsidiary of Rush Truck Centers of North Carolina, Inc.:

Adams International Trucks, Inc. Jurisdiction of Organization: Delaware

Rush Truck Centers of Oklahoma, Inc.

Rush Truck Centers of Oregon, Inc.

Jurisdiction of Organization: Delaware

Rush Truck Centers of Texas, L.P.

Jurisdiction of Organization: Texas

General Partner: Rushtex, Inc., a Delaware corporation (0.1% owner) Limited Partner: Rushco, Inc., a Delaware corporation (99.9% owner)

Rush Truck Centers of Tennessee, Inc.

Jurisdiction of Organization: Delaware

Rush Truck Centers of Utah, Inc.

Exhibit A to Credit Agreement

Form of Assignment

This ASSIGNMENT, dated as of the Effective Date, is entered into between the Assignor and the Assignee (each as defined below).

The parties hereto hereby agree as follows:

Borrower:	Rush Truck Centers of Alabama, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of Arizona, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of California, Inc., Rush Medium Duty Truck Centers of Colorado, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of Colorado, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of Florida, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of Georgia, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of New Mexico, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of Oklahoma, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of Tennessee, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of North Carolina, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of Idaho, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of Utah, Inc., and Rush Truck Centers of Oregon, Inc., each a Delaware corporation and Rush Truck Centers of Texas, L.P., Texas limited partnership (collectively, the "Borrowers" and individually a "Borrower")
Administrative Agent:	General Electric Capital Corporation, as administrative agent and collateral agent for the Lenders (in such capacity and together with its successors and permitted assigns, the " <u>Administrative Agent</u> ")
Credit Agreement:	Credit Agreement, dated as of, 2010, among the Borrowers, Rush Enterprises, Inc., a Texas corporation, as one of the Guarantors and the Borrower Representative, the Lenders party thereto and the Administrative Agent (as the same may be amended, restated, supplemented or otherwise modified from time to time, the "Credit Agreement"; capitalized terms used herein without definition are used as defined in the Credit Agreement)
[Trade Date:	$,]^1$
Effective Date:	2

¹ Insert for informational purposes only if needed to determine other arrangements between the assignor and the assignee.

² To be filled out by Administrative Agent upon entry in the Register.

Aggregate amount of Commitments or principal amount of Revolving Loans for all Lenders Aggregate amount of Commitments or principal amount of Revolving Loans Assigned³

Percentage Assigned4

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Amount to be adjusted by the counterparties to take into account any payments or prepayments made between the Trade Date and the Effective Date. The aggregate amounts are inserted for informational purposes only to help in calculating the percentages assigned which, themselves, are for informational purposes only.

⁴ Set forth, to at least 5 decimals, the Assigned Interest as a percentage of the aggregate Commitment or Loans in the credit facility. This percentage is set forth for informational purposes only and is not intended to be binding. The assignments are based on the amounts assigned not on the percentages listed in this column.

- 1. <u>Assignment</u>. Assignor hereby sells and assigns to Assignee, and Assignee hereby purchases and assumes from Assignor, Assignor's rights and obligations in its capacity as Lender under the Credit Agreement (including Liabilities owing to or by Assignor thereunder) and the other Loan Documents, in each case to the extent related to the amounts identified above (the "<u>Assigned Interest</u>").
- 2. Representations, Warranties and Covenants of Assignors. Assignor (a) represents and warrants to Assignee and the Administrative Agent that (i) it has full power and authority, and has taken all actions necessary for it, to execute and deliver this Assignment and to consummate the transactions contemplated hereby and (ii) it is the legal and beneficial owner of its Assigned Interest and that such Assigned Interest is free and clear of any Lien and other adverse claims, and (iii) by executing, signing and delivering this Assignment, the Person signing, executing and delivering this Assignment on behalf of the Assignor is an authorized signer for the Assignor and is authorized to execute, sign and deliver this Agreement, (b) makes no other representation or warranty and assumes no responsibility, including with respect to the aggregate amount of the Loans and Commitments, the percentage of the Loans and Commitments represented by the amounts assigned, any statements, representations and warranties made in or in connection with any Loan Document or any other document or information furnished pursuant thereto, the execution, legality, validity, enforceability or genuineness of any Loan Document or any document or information provided in connection therewith and the existence, nature or value of any Collateral, and (c) assumes no responsibility (and makes no representation or warranty) with respect to the financial condition of any Group Member or Loan Party or the performance or nonperformance by any Loan Party of any obligation under any Loan Document or any document provided in connection therewith.
- 3. Representations, Warranties and Covenants of Assignees. Assignee (a) represents and warrants to Assignor and the Administrative Agent that (i) it has full power and authority, and has taken all actions necessary for Assignee, to execute and deliver this Assignment and to consummate the transactions contemplated hereby, [(ii) is an Affiliate or an Approved Fund of the Lender set forth above, [5 (iii) it is sophisticated with respect to decisions to acquire assets of the type represented by the Assigned Interest assigned to it hereunder and either such Assignee or the Person exercising discretion in making the decision for such assignment is experienced in acquiring assets of such type, and (iv) by executing, signing and delivering this Assignment, the Person signing, executing and delivering this Assignment on behalf of the Assignee is an authorized signer for the Assignee and is authorized to execute, sign and deliver this Agreement, (b) appoints and authorizes the Administrative Agent to take such action as administrative agent and collateral agent on its behalf and to exercise such powers under the Loan Documents as are delegated to the Administrative Agent by the terms thereof, together with such powers as are reasonably incidental thereto, (c) shall perform in accordance with their terms all obligations that, by the terms of the Loan Documents, are required to be performed by it as a Lender, (d) confirms it has received such documents and information as it has deemed appropriate to make its own credit analysis and decision to enter into this Assignment and shall continue to make its own credit decisions in taking or not taking any action under any Loan Document independently and without reliance upon any Secured Party and based on such documents and information as it shall deem appropriate at the time, (e) acknowledges and agrees that, as a Lender, it may receive material non-public information and confidential information concerning the Loan Parties and their Affiliates and Securities and agrees to use such information in accordance with Section 11.20 of the Credit Agreement, (f) specifies as its applicable lending offices (and addresses for notices) the offices at the addresses set forth beneath its name on the signature pages hereof, (g) shall pay to the Administrative Agent an assignment fee in the amount of \$3,500 to the extent such fee is required to be paid under Section 11.2(c) of the Credit Agreement and (h) to the extent required pursuant to Section 2.17(e) of the Credit Agreement, attaches two completed originals of Forms W-9.

⁵ Remove if not applicable.

- 4. <u>Determination of Effective Date; Register</u>. Following the due execution and delivery of this Assignment by Assignor and Assignee, this Assignment (including its attachments) will be delivered to the Administrative Agent for its acceptance and recording in the Register. The effective date of this Assignment (the "<u>Effective Date</u>") shall be the later of (i) the acceptance of this Assignment by the Administrative Agent and (ii) the recording of this Assignment in the Register. The Administrative Agent shall insert the Effective Date when known in the space provided therefor at the beginning of this Assignment.
- 5. Effect. As of the Effective Date, (a) Assignee shall be a party to the Credit Agreement and, to the extent provided in this Assignment, have the rights and obligations of a Lender under the Credit Agreement and (b) Assignor shall, to the extent provided in this Assignment, relinquish its rights (except those surviving the termination of the Commitments and payment in full of the Obligations) and be released from its obligations under the Loan Documents other than those obligations relating to events and circumstances occurring prior to the Effective Date.
- 6. <u>Distribution of Payments</u>. On and after the Effective Date, the Administrative Agent shall make all payments under the Loan Documents in respect of each Assigned Interest (a) in the case of amounts accrued to but excluding the Effective Date, to Assignor and (b) otherwise, to the Assignee.
- 7. <u>Miscellaneous</u>. This Assignment is a Loan Document and, as such, is subject to certain provisions of the Credit Agreement, including <u>Sections 1.4 (Interpretation)</u>, <u>11.14(a)</u> (<u>Submission to Jurisdiction</u>) and <u>11.15</u> (<u>Waiver of Jury Trial</u>) thereof. On and after the Effective Date, this Assignment shall be binding upon, and inure to the benefit of, the Assignors, Assignees, the Administrative Agent and their Related Persons and their successors and assigns. This Assignment shall be governed by, and be construed and interpreted in accordance with, the law of the State of New York. This Assignment may be executed in any number of counterparts and by different parties in separate counterparts, each of which when so executed shall be deemed to be an original and all of which taken together shall constitute one and the same agreement. Signature pages may be detached from multiple separate counterparts and attached to a single counterpart. Delivery of an executed signature page of this Assignment by facsimile transmission or Electronic Transmission shall be as effective as delivery of a manually executed counterpart of this Assignment.

[SIGNATURE PAGES FOLLOW]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this Assignment to be executed by their respective officers thereunto duly authorized, as of the date first above written.

[NAME OF ASSIGNOR]
as Assignor
Ву:
Name:
Title:
INAME OF ACCIONEE
[NAME OF ASSIGNEE]
as Assignee
By:
Name:
Title:
Lending Office for LIBOR Rate Loans:
[Insert Address (including contact name, fax
number and e-mail address)]
<u>Lending Office (and address for notices)</u>
<u>for any other purpose</u> :
[Insert Address (including contact name, fax

[SIGNATURE PAGE FOR ASSIGNMENT FOR RUSH ENTERPRISES, INC. CREDIT AGREEMENT]

number and e-mail address)]

ACCEPTED	and AGREED
this day o	f:
GENERAL I	ELECTRIC CAPITAL CORPORATION
as Administr	ative Agent
By:	
Name:	
Title:	
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Exhibit B-1 to Credit Agreement

Form of Notice of Borrowing for Equipment Loan Borrowing

GENERAL ELECTRIC CAPITAL CORPORATION as Administrative Agent under the Credit Agreement referred to below

Credit Agreement referred to below
Attention:
Re: Rush Truck Centers of Alabama, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of Arizona, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of California, Inc., Rush Medium Duty Truck Centers of Colorado, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of Colorado, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of Florida, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of Georgia, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of New Mexico, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of Oklahoma, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of Tennessee, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of North Carolina, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of Idaho, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of Utah, Inc., and Rush Truck Centers of Oregon, Inc., each a Delaware corporation and Rush Truck Centers of Texas, L.P., a Texas limited partnership (collectively, the "Borrowers" and individually a "Borrower")
Reference is made to the Credit Agreement, dated as of, 2010 (as the same may be amended, restated, supplemented or otherwise modified from time to time, the "Credit Agreement"), among the Borrowers, Rush Enterprises, Inc., a Texas corporation, as one of the Guarantors and the Borrower Representative, the Lenders party thereto and General Electric Capital Corporation, as administrative agent and collateral agent for such Lenders. Capitalized terms used herein without definition are used as defined in the Credit Agreement.
The Borrower Representative hereby gives you irrevocable notice, pursuant to <u>Section 2.2</u> of the Credit Agreement of its request of a Borrowing (the " <u>Proposed Borrowing</u> ") under the Credit Agreement and, in that connection, sets forth the following information:
The Borrower is
The date of the Proposed Borrowing is, (the " <u>Funding Date</u> ").
The aggregate principal amount of Revolving Loans is \$
The Proposed Borrowing shall be a [New Equipment Loan][Used Equipment Loan].

The undersigned hereby certifies that the following statements are true on the date hereof, both before and after giving effect to the Proposed Borrowing and any other Loan to be made on or before the Funding Date:

- (i) the representations and warranties set forth in <u>Article 4</u> of the Credit Agreement and elsewhere in the Loan Documents are true and correct in all material respects, except to the extent such representations and warranties expressly relate to an earlier date, in which case such representations and warranties were true and correct as of such date;
 - (ii) no Default is continuing; [and]
- (iii) [copies of the invoices to be paid with the proceeds of the Proposed Borrowing are attached hereto]/[the invoices to be paid with the proceeds of the Proposed Borrowing have previously been electronically submitted to the Administrative Agent.]6

OR

- (iii) [the used equipment to be purchased with the proceeds of the Proposed Borrowing includes the following: [DESCRIBE USED EQUIPMENT AND PURCHASE PRICE THEREFOR]; copies of the certificates of title of the Inventory to be purchased with the Proposed Borrowing are attached hereto; and
- (iv) the aggregate principal amount of the Revolving Loan requested does not exceed the lesser of (A) the cost to the relevant Borrower of the used equipment to be purchased with the proceeds of such Proposed Borrowing or (B) 105% of the wholesale value of the used inventory to be purchased with the proceeds of such Proposed Borrowing.]

⁶ Either option to be used for New Equipment Loans.

⁷ To be used for Used Equipment Loans.

RUSH ENTERPRISES, INC., AS BORROWER REPRESENTATIVE

By:
Name:
Title:
[SIGNATURE PAGE TO EQUIPMENT LOAN NOTICE OF BORROWING DATED

Exhibit B-2 to Credit Agreement

Form of Notice of Borrowing for Working Capital Borrowing

GENERAL ELECTRIC CAPITAL CORPORATION

as Administrative Agent under the Credit Agreement referred to below

Credit Agreement referred to below
Attention:
Re: Rush Truck Centers of Alabama, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of Arizona, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of California, Inc., Rush Medium Duty Truck Centers of Colorado, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of Colorado, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of Florida, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of Georgia, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of New Mexico, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of Oklahoma, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of Tennessee, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of North Carolina, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of Idaho, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of Utah, Inc., and Rush Truck Centers of Oregon, Inc., each a Delaware corporation and Rush Truck Centers of Texas, L.P., a Texas limited partnership (collectively, the "Borrowers" and individually a "Borrower")
Reference is made to the Credit Agreement, dated as of, 2010 (as the same may be amended, restated, supplemented or otherwise modified from time to time, the " <u>Credit Agreement</u> "), among the Borrowers, Rush Enterprises, Inc., a Texas corporation, as one of the Guarantors and the Borrower Representative, the Lenders party thereto and General Electric Capital Corporation, as administrative agent and collateral agent for such Lenders. Capitalized terms used herein without definition are used as defined in the Credit Agreement.
The Borrower Representative hereby gives you irrevocable notice, pursuant to <u>Section 2.2</u> of the Credit Agreement of its request of a Borrowing (the " <u>Proposed Borrowing</u> ") under the Credit Agreement and, in that connection, sets forth the following information:
The date of the Proposed Borrowing is, (the "Funding Date").
The aggregate principal amount of Revolving Loans is \$
The Proposed Borrowing shall be a Working Capital Loan.

The undersigned hereby certifies that the following statements are true on the date hereof, both before and after giving effect to the Proposed Borrowing and any other Loan to be made on or before the Funding Date:

- (i) the representations and warranties set forth in <u>Article 4</u> of the Credit Agreement and elsewhere in the Loan Documents are true and correct in all material respects, except to the extent such representations and warranties expressly relate to an earlier date, in which case such representations and warranties were true and correct as of such date; and
 - (ii) no Default is continuing.

RUSH ENTERPRISES, INC., AS BORROWER REPRESENTATIVE

By:	
Name:	
Title:	
[SIGNATURE PAGE TO WORKING CAPITAL NOTICE OF BORROWING DATED,,]

Exhibit C to Credit Agreement

Form of Compliance Certificate

[Date]

This certificate is delivered pursuant to Section 6.1(d) of, and in connection with the consummation of the transactions contemplated in, the Credit Agreement, dated as of ______, 2010 (as the same may be amended, restated, supplemented or otherwise modified from time to time, the "Credit Agreement"), among Rush Truck Centers of Alabama, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of Arizona, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of Colorado, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of Colorado, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of Florida, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of Georgia, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of New Mexico, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of Oklahoma, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of Tennessee, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of North Carolina, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of Idaho, Inc., Rush Truck Centers of Utah, Inc., and Rush Truck Centers of Oregon, Inc., each a Delaware corporation and Rush Truck Centers of Texas, L.P., a Texas limited partnership (collectively, the "Borrowers" and individually a "Borrower"), Rush Enterprises, Inc., a Texas corporation, as one of the Guarantors and the Borrower Representative, the Lenders party thereto and General Electric Capital Corporation, as administrative agent and collateral agent for the Lenders (the "Administrative Agent"). Capitalized terms used herein and not otherwise defined herein are used herein as defined in the Credit Agreement.

The undersigned, a duly authorized Responsible Officer of the Borrower having the name and title set forth below under his signature, hereby certifies, on behalf of the Borrower for the benefit of the Secured Parties and pursuant to Section 6.1 of the Credit Agreement that such Responsible Officer of the Borrower is familiar with the Credit Agreement and that, in accordance with each of the following sections of the Credit Agreement, each of the following is true on the date hereof, both before and after giving effect to any Loan to be made on or before the date hereof:

(a) [In accordance with Section 6.1[(b)/(c)] of the Credit Agreement, attached hereto as Annex A are the Financial Statements for the [Fiscal Quarter/Fiscal Year] ended _____, ____ required to be delivered pursuant to Section 6.1[(b)/(c)] of the Credit Agreement. Such Financial Statements]⁸ [The Financial Statements for the [Fiscal Quarter][Fiscal Year] ended _____, ____ made available on EDGAR]⁹, fairly present in all material respects the Consolidated financial position, results of operations and cash flow of Holdings as at the dates indicated therein and for the periods indicated therein in accordance with GAAP [(subject to the absence of footnote disclosure and normal year-end audit adjustments)]¹⁰ [without qualification as to the scope of the audit or as to going concern and without any other similar qualification.]¹¹

⁸ Insert if the financial statements are not available on EDGAR.

⁹ Insert if the financial statements are available on EDGAR.

¹⁰ Insert language in brackets only for quarterly reports.

¹¹ Insert language in brackets only for annual certifications.

- (b) Attached hereto as <u>Annex B</u> are the calculations used to determine the Consolidated Leverage Ratio, the Consolidated Fixed Charge Coverage Ratio and to determine compliance with each financial covenant contained in <u>Article 5</u> of the Credit Agreement [that are tested on a quarterly basis]¹².
- (c) In accordance with <u>Section 6.1(d)</u> of the Credit Agreement, no Default is continuing as of the date hereof[, except as provided for on <u>Annex C</u> attached hereto, with respect to each of which the Borrower proposes to take the actions set forth on <u>Annex C</u>].
- (d) In accordance with Section 6.1(e) of the Credit Agreement, (i) the [corporate chart attached hereto as Annex D[-1]] [last corporate chart delivered pursuant to such Section)], is correct and complete as of the date hereof, (ii) all documents (including updated schedules as to locations of Collateral and acquisition of Intellectual Property or real property) required to be delivered pursuant to the Loan Documents by any Loan Party in the preceding Fiscal Quarter have been delivered thereunder (or such delivery requirement was otherwise duly waived or extended) and (iii) complete and correct copies of all documents modifying any term of any Constituent Document of any Group Member or any Subsidiary or joint venture thereof on or prior to the date hereof have been delivered to the Administrative Agent [or are attached hereto as Annex D[-2]].
- (e) [In accordance with Section 6.1(h) of the Credit Agreement, attached hereto as Annex E are complete and correct copies of each management letter, audit report or similar letter or report received by any Group Member from any independent registered certified public accountant (including the Group Members' Accountants) in connection with such Financial Statements or any audit thereof].¹³

[SIGNATURE PAGE FOLLOWS]

¹² Insert bracketed language only for quarterly certifications.

¹³ Insert bracketed language only for annual reports.

		Name:		
		Title:		
[Signature Pag	e to compliance certificate	e of RUSH ENTERPRISES, INC. o	ated	

ANNEX A
TO
COMPLIANCE CERTIFICATE OF
DATED,

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

ANNEX B
ТО
COMPLIANCE CERTIFICATE OF
DATED,

FINANCIAL CALCULATIONS

[ANNEX C
TO
COMPLIANCE CERTIFICATE OF
DATED,

CONTINUING DEFAULTS]14

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ANNEX D[-1]
ТО
COMPLIANCE CERTIFICATE OF
DATED,

CORPORATE CHART

ANNEX D[-2]

TO

COMPLIANCE CERTIFICATE OF ______

DATED ______, ____

MODIFICATIONS TO CONSTITUENT DOCUMENTS

ANNEX E
ТО
COMPLIANCE CERTIFICATE OF
DATED,

MANAGEMENT LETTERS

GUARANTY AGREEMENT

Dated as of December 31, 2010

among

RUSH ENTERPRISES, INC.

and

Each Other Guarantor From Time to Time Party Hereto

and

GENERAL ELECTRIC CAPITAL CORPORATION, as Administrative Agent and Collateral Agent

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GUARANTY AGREEMENT (this "<u>Agreement</u>"), dated as of December 31, 2010, by RUSH ENTERPRISES, INC. ("<u>Holdings</u>") and each of the other entities listed on the signature pages hereof or that becomes a party hereto pursuant to <u>Section 2.7</u> (together with Holdings, the "<u>Guarantors</u>"), in favor of General Electric Capital Corporation ("<u>GE Capital</u>"), as administrative agent and collateral agent (in such capacity, together with its successors and permitted assigns, the "<u>Administrative Agent</u>") for the Lenders (as defined in the Credit Agreement referred to below).

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Credit Agreement dated as of December 31, 2010 (as the same may be modified from time to time, the "Credit Agreement"; capitalized terms used herein without definition are used as defined in the Credit Agreement) among the Borrowers party thereto, Holdings, the Lenders from time to time party thereto and GE Capital, as administrative agent and collateral agent for the Lenders, the Lenders have severally agreed to make extensions of credit to the Borrowers upon the terms and subject to the conditions set forth therein;

WHEREAS, each Guarantor has agreed to guaranty the Obligations (as defined in the Credit Agreement) of the Borrowers;

WHEREAS, each Guarantor will derive substantial direct and indirect benefits from the making of the extensions of credit under the Credit Agreement; and

WHEREAS, it is a condition precedent to the obligation of the Lenders to make their respective extensions of credit to the Borrowers under the Credit Agreement that the Guarantors shall have executed and delivered this Agreement to the Administrative Agent;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises and to induce the Lenders and the Administrative Agent to enter into the Credit Agreement and to induce the Lenders to make their respective extensions of credit to the Borrower thereunder, each Guarantor hereby agrees with the Administrative Agent as follows:

ARTICLE I

GUARANTY

<u>Section 1.1 Guaranty</u>. To induce the Lenders to make the Loans, each Guarantor hereby, jointly and severally, absolutely, unconditionally and irrevocably guarantees, as primary obligor and not merely as surety, the full and punctual payment when due, whether at stated maturity or earlier, by reason of acceleration, mandatory prepayment or otherwise in accordance with any Loan Document, of all the Obligations of the Borrowers whether existing on the date hereof or hereinafter incurred or created (the "<u>Guaranteed Obligations</u>"). This guaranty by each Guarantor hereunder constitutes a guaranty of payment and not of collection.

Section 1.2 Limitation of Guaranty. Any term or provision of this Agreement or any other Loan Document to the contrary notwithstanding, the maximum aggregate amount for which any Guarantor that is a Subsidiary of Holdings (any "Subsidiary Guarantor") shall be liable hereunder shall not exceed the maximum amount for which such Subsidiary Guarantor can be liable without rendering this Agreement or any other Loan Document, as it relates to such Subsidiary Guarantor, subject to avoidance under applicable Requirements of Law relating to fraudulent conveyance or fraudulent transfer (including the Uniform Fraudulent Conveyance Act, the Uniform Fraudulent Transfer Act and Section 548 of title 11, United States Code or any applicable provisions of comparable Requirements of Law) (collectively, "Fraudulent Transfer Laws"). Any analysis of the provisions of this Agreement for purposes of Fraudulent Transfer Laws shall take into account the right of contribution established in Section 1.3 and, for purposes of such analysis, give effect to any discharge of intercompany debt as a result of any payment made under this Agreement.

<u>Section 1.3 Contribution</u>. To the extent that any Subsidiary Guarantor shall be required hereunder to pay any portion of any Guaranteed Obligation exceeding the greater of (a) the amount of the economic benefit actually received by such Subsidiary Guarantor from the Loans and other Obligations and (b) the amount such Subsidiary Guarantor would otherwise have paid if such Subsidiary Guarantor had paid the aggregate amount of the Guaranteed Obligations (excluding the amount thereof repaid by the Borrowers and Holdings) in the same proportion as such Subsidiary Guarantor's net worth on the date enforcement is sought hereunder bears to the aggregate net worth of all the Subsidiary Guarantors on such date, then such Guarantor shall be reimbursed by such other Subsidiary Guarantors for the amount of such excess, pro rata, based on the respective net worth of such other Subsidiary Guarantors on such date.

<u>Section 1.4 Authorization; Other Agreements</u>. The Secured Parties are hereby authorized, without notice to or demand upon any Guarantor and without discharging or otherwise affecting the obligations of any Guarantor hereunder and without incurring any liability hereunder, from time to time, to do each of the following:

- (a) (i) modify, amend, supplement or otherwise change, (ii) accelerate or otherwise change the time of payment or (iii) waive or otherwise consent to noncompliance with, any Guaranteed Obligation or any Loan Document;
- (b) apply to the Guaranteed Obligations any sums by whomever paid or however realized to any Guaranteed Obligation in such order as provided in the Loan Documents;
 - (c) refund at any time any payment received by any Secured Party in respect of any Guaranteed Obligation;
- (d) (i) Sell, exchange, enforce, waive, substitute, liquidate, terminate, release, abandon, fail to perfect, subordinate, accept, substitute, surrender, exchange, affect, impair or otherwise alter or release any Collateral for any Guaranteed Obligation or any other guaranty therefor in any manner, (ii) receive, take and hold additional Collateral to secure any Guaranteed Obligation, (iii) add, release or substitute any one or more other Guarantors, makers or endorsers of any Guaranteed Obligation or any part thereof and (iv) otherwise deal in any manner with the Borrower and any other Guarantor, maker or endorser of any Guaranteed Obligation or any part thereof; and
 - (e) settle, release, compromise, collect or otherwise liquidate the Guaranteed Obligations.

- <u>Section 1.5 Guaranty Absolute and Unconditional</u>. Each Guarantor hereby waives and agrees not to assert any defense, whether arising in connection with or in respect of any of the following or otherwise, and hereby agrees that its obligations under this Agreement are irrevocable, absolute and unconditional and shall not be discharged as a result of or otherwise affected by any of the following (which may not be pleaded and evidence of which may not be introduced in any proceeding with respect to this Agreement, in each case except as otherwise agreed in writing by the Administrative Agent):
- (a) the invalidity or unenforceability of any obligation of any Borrower or any other Guarantor under any Loan Document or any other agreement or instrument relating thereto (including any amendment, consent or waiver thereto), or any security for, or other guaranty of the Guaranteed Obligations or any part of them, or the lack of perfection or continuing perfection or failure of priority of any security for the Guaranteed Obligations or any part of them;
- (b) the absence of (i) any attempt to collect any Guaranteed Obligation or any part thereof from the Borrower or any other Guarantor or other action to enforce any of the same or (ii) any action to enforce any Loan Document or any Lien thereunder;
- (c) the failure by any Person to take any steps to perfect and maintain any Lien on, or to preserve any rights with respect to, any Collateral;
- (d) any workout, insolvency, bankruptcy proceeding, reorganization, arrangement, liquidation or dissolution by or against the Borrower, any other Guarantor or any of the Borrower's other Subsidiaries or any procedure, agreement, order, stipulation, election, action or omission thereunder, including any discharge or disallowance of, or bar or stay against collecting, any Guaranteed Obligation (or interest thereon) in or as a result of any such proceeding;
- (e) any foreclosure, whether or not through judicial sale, and any other Sale of Collateral or any election following the occurrence of an Event of Default by any Secured Party to proceed separately against any Collateral in accordance with such Secured Party's rights under any applicable Requirement of Law; or
- (f) any other defense, setoff, counterclaim or any other circumstance that might otherwise constitute a legal or equitable discharge of any Borrower, any other Guarantor or any of the Borrower's other Subsidiaries, in each case other than the payment in full of the Guaranteed Obligations.

Section 1.6 Waivers. Each Guarantor hereby unconditionally and irrevocably waives and agrees not to assert any claim, defense, setoff or counterclaim based on diligence, promptness, presentment, requirements for any demand or notice hereunder including any of the following: (a) any demand for payment or performance and protest and notice of protest, (b) any notice of acceptance, (c) any presentment, demand, protest or further notice or other requirements of any kind with respect to any Guaranteed Obligation (including any accrued but unpaid interest thereon) becoming immediately due and payable and (d) any other notice in respect of the Guaranteed Obligations or any part of them, and any defense arising by reason of any disability or other defense of the Borrower or any other Guarantor. Each Guarantor further unconditionally and irrevocably agrees not to (x) enforce or otherwise exercise any right of subrogation or any right of reimbursement or contribution or similar right against any Borrower or any other Guarantor by reason of any Loan Document or any payment made thereunder or (y) assert any claim, defense, setoff or counterclaim it may have against any other Loan Party or set off any of its obligations to such other Loan Party against obligations of such Loan Party to such Guarantor. No obligation of any Guarantor hereunder shall be discharged other than by complete performance.

Section 1.7 Reliance. Each Guarantor hereby assumes responsibility for keeping itself informed of the financial condition of the Borrowers, each other Guarantor and any other guarantor, maker or endorser of any Guaranteed Obligation or any part thereof, and of all other circumstances bearing upon the risk of nonpayment of any Guaranteed Obligation or any part thereof, that diligent inquiry would reveal, and each Guarantor hereby agrees that no Secured Party shall have any duty to advise any Guarantor of information known to it regarding such condition or any such circumstances. In the event any Secured Party, in its sole discretion, undertakes at any time or from time to time to provide any such information to any Guarantor, such Secured Party shall be under no obligation to (a) undertake any investigation not a part of its regular business routine, (b) disclose any information that such Secured Party, pursuant to accepted or reasonable commercial finance or banking practices, wishes to maintain confidential or (c) make any future disclosures of such information or any other information to any Guarantor.

ARTICLE II

MISCELLANEOUS

- <u>Section 2.1 Representations and Warranties; Covenants.</u> To induce the Lenders and the Administrative Agent to enter into the Loan Documents, each Guarantor hereby agrees to each of the following with the Administrative Agent, the Lenders and the other Secured Parties, as long as any Obligation or Commitment remains outstanding and, in each case, unless the Required Lenders otherwise consent in writing:
- (a) the representations and warranties as to such Guarantor made by the Borrowers in <u>Article 4 (Representations and Warranties)</u> of the Credit Agreement are true and correct; and
- (b) such Guarantor shall comply with all covenants and other provisions applicable to it under the Credit Agreement, including <u>Sections 2.17 (Taxes)</u>, <u>11.3 (Costs and Expenses)</u> and <u>11.4 (Indemnities)</u> of the Credit Agreement, and agrees to the same submission to jurisdiction as that agreed to by the Borrowers in the Credit Agreement.
- <u>Section 2.2 Reinstatement</u>. Each Guarantor agrees that, if any payment made by any Loan Party or other Person and applied to the Secured Obligations is at any time annulled, avoided, set aside, rescinded, invalidated, declared to be fraudulent or preferential or otherwise required to be refunded or repaid, then, if, prior to any of the foregoing, any provision of this Agreement (including the guaranty of such Guarantor hereunder) shall have been terminated, cancelled or surrendered, such provision, and any Lien or other Collateral securing such Guarantor's liability hereunder that may have been released or terminated by virtue of such termination, cancellation or surrender, shall be reinstated in full force and effect and such prior termination, cancellation or surrender shall not diminish, release, discharge, impair or otherwise affect the obligations of any such Guarantor in respect of any Lien or other Collateral securing such obligation or the amount of such payment.

<u>Section 2.3 Release of Guaranty</u>. At the time provided in <u>Section 10.10(a)</u> of the Credit Agreement and at the request of the Borrower, a Guarantor shall be released from its obligations hereunder in the event that all the Securities of such Guarantor shall be Sold to any Person that is not an Affiliate of Holdings, the Borrower and the Subsidiaries of the Borrower in a transaction permitted by the Loan Documents.

<u>Section 2.4 Independent Obligations</u>. The obligations of each Guarantor hereunder are independent of and separate from the Guaranteed Obligations. If any Guaranteed Obligation is not paid when due, or upon any Event of Default, the Administrative Agent may, at its sole election, proceed directly and at once, without notice, against any Guarantor to collect and recover the full amount or any portion of any Secured Obligation or Guaranteed Obligation then due, without first proceeding against any other Guarantor or any other Loan Party and without first joining any other Guarantor or any other Loan Party in any proceeding.

Section 2.5 No Waiver by Course of Conduct. No Secured Party shall by any act (except by a written instrument pursuant to Section 2.6), delay, indulgence, omission or otherwise be deemed to have waived any right or remedy hereunder or to have acquiesced in any Default or Event of Default. No failure to exercise, nor any delay in exercising, on the part of any Secured Party, any right, power or privilege hereunder shall operate as a waiver thereof. No single or partial exercise of any right, power or privilege hereunder shall preclude any other or further exercise thereof or the exercise of any other right, power or privilege. A waiver by any Secured Party of any right or remedy hereunder on any one occasion shall not be construed as a bar to any right or remedy that such Secured Party would otherwise have on any future occasion.

<u>Section 2.6 Amendments in Writing</u>. None of the terms or provisions of this Agreement may be waived, amended, supplemented or otherwise modified except in accordance with <u>Section 11.1</u> of the Credit Agreement.

<u>Section 2.7 Additional Guarantors</u>. If, at the option of the Borrower Representative, the Borrower Representative shall cause any Subsidiary that is not a Guarantor to become a Guarantor hereunder, such Subsidiary shall execute and deliver to the Administrative Agent a Joinder Agreement substantially in the form of <u>Annex 1</u> and shall thereafter for all purposes be a party hereto and have the same rights, benefits and obligations as a Guarantor party hereto on the Closing Date.

<u>Section 2.8 Notices</u>. All notices, requests and demands to or upon the Administrative Agent or any Guarantor hereunder shall be effected in the manner provided for in <u>Section 11.11</u> of the Credit Agreement; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that any such notice, request or demand to or upon any Guarantor shall be addressed to the Borrower Representative's notice address set forth in such <u>Section 11.11</u>.

<u>Section 2.9 Successors and Assigns</u>. This Agreement shall be binding upon the successors and assigns of each Guarantor and shall inure to the benefit of each Secured Party and their successors and assigns; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that no Guarantor may assign, transfer or delegate any of its rights or obligations under this Agreement without the prior written consent of the Administrative Agent.

<u>Section 2.10 Counterparts</u>. This Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts and by different parties in separate counterparts, each of which when so executed shall be deemed to be an original and all of which taken together shall constitute one and the same agreement. Signature pages may be detached from multiple separate counterparts and attached to a single counterpart. Delivery of an executed signature page of this Agreement by facsimile transmission or by Electronic Transmission shall be as effective as delivery of a manually executed counterpart hereof.

<u>Section 2.11 Interpretation.</u> <u>Section 1.4 (Interpretation)</u> of the Credit Agreement is applicable to this Agreement as and to the extent set forth therein. The meanings given to terms defined herein shall be equally applicable to both the singular and plural forms of such terms. The terms "<u>herein</u>," "<u>hereof</u>" and similar terms refer to this Agreement as a whole and not to any particular Article, Section or clause in this Agreement. References herein to an Annex, Article, Section or clause refer to the appropriate Annex to, or Article, Section or clause of this Agreement.

<u>Section 2.12 Severability</u>. Any provision of this Agreement being held illegal, invalid or unenforceable in any jurisdiction shall not affect any part of such provision not held illegal, invalid or unenforceable, any other provision of this Agreement or any part of such provision in any other jurisdiction.

<u>Section 2.13 Governing Law</u>. This Agreement and the rights and obligations of the parties hereto shall be governed by, and construed and interpreted in accordance with, the law of the State of New York.

Section 2.14 Waiver of Jury Trial. Each party hereto hereby irrevocably waives trial by Jury in any suit, action or proceeding with respect to, or directly or indirectly arising out of, under or in connection with, any loan document or the transactions contemplated therein or related thereto (whether founded in contract, tort or any other theory). Each party hereto (A) certifies that no other party and no Related Person of any other party has represented, expressly or otherwise, that such other party would not, in the event of litigation, seek to enforce the foregoing waiver and (B) acknowledges that it and the other parties hereto have been induced to enter into this agreement by the mutual waivers and certifications in this Section 2.14.

[SIGNATURE PAGES FOLLOW]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, each of the undersigned has caused this Agreement to be duly executed and delivered as of the date first above written.

RUSH ENTERPRISES, INC. as Guarantor

By: /s/ W.M. "Rusty" Rush

Name: W.M. "Rusty" Rush Title: CEO & President

ACCEPTED AND AGREED as of the date first above written:

GENERAL ELECTRIC CAPITAL CORPORATION as Administrative Agent

By: /s/ C. Daniel Clark

Name: C. Daniel Clark Title: Vice President

[SIGNATURE PAGE TO GUARANTY AGREEMENT FOR RUSH ENTERPRISES, INC.'S CREDIT AGREEMENT]

ANNEX 1 TO GUARANTY AND SECURITY AGREEMENT

FORM OF JOINDER AGREEMENT

This JOINDER AGREEMENT, dated as of _____, 20_____, is delivered pursuant to <u>Section 2.7</u> of the Guaranty, dated as of December 31, 2010, by Rush Enterprises, Inc. ("<u>Holdings</u>") and the Affiliates of Holdings from time to time party thereto as Guarantors in favor of General Electric Capital Corporation, as administrative agent and collateral agent for the Secured Parties referred to therein (the "<u>Guaranty</u>"). Capitalized terms used herein without definition are used as defined in the Guaranty.

By executing and delivering this Joinder Agreement, the undersigned, as provided in <u>Section 2.7</u> of the Guaranty, hereby becomes a party to the Guaranty as a Guarantor thereunder with the same force and effect as if originally named as a Guarantor therein and, without limiting the generality of the foregoing, expressly assumes all obligations and liabilities of a Guarantor thereunder and hereby agrees to be bound as a Guarantor for purposes thereof.

The undersigned hereby represents and warrants that each of the representations and warranties contained in <u>Section 2.1(a)</u> of the Guaranty applicable to it is true and correct on and as the date hereof as if made on and as of such date.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Joinder Agreement to be duly executed and delivered as of the date first above written.

[ADDITIONAL GUARANTOR]
Ву:
Name:
Title:
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ACKNOWLEDGED AND AGREED	
as of the date first above written:	
GENERAL ELECTRIC CAPITAL CORPORATIC as Administrative Agent)N
Ву:	
Name:	
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