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ARTICLE VI

MAINTENANCE, TAXES AND INSURANCE

<u>SECTION 6.1. Maintenance and Modifications of Project</u>
<u>by Lessee.</u> The Lessee agrees that during the Lease Term it
will at its own expense

- (i) keep the Project in as reasonably safe condition as its operations shall permit and
- (ii) keep the Building, the Leased Equipment and all other improvements forming the Project in good repair and in good operating condition, making from time to time all necessary repairs thereto and renewals and replacements thereof.

The Lessee may, also at its own expense, make from time to time any additions, modifications or improvements to the Project it may deem desirable for its business purposes that do not materially adversely affect the value of the Project or its use for the purpose for which it is intended. Subject to the provisions of Section 9.7 hereof, such additions, modifications and improvements so made by the Lessee shall be on the Leased Land, shall become a part of the Project, and as such shall become the property of the County. The Lessee will not permit any mechanics' or other liens (other than Permitted Encumbrances) to be established or remain against the Project for labor or materials furnished in connection with any additions, modifications, improvements, repairs, renewals or replacements so made by it; provided, that if the Lessee shall first notify the Mortgagees of its intention so to do, the Lessee may in good faith contest any mechanics' or other liens filed or established against the Project, and in such event may permit the items so contested to remain undischarged and unsatisfied during the period of such contest and any appeal therefrom unless the Agent shall notify the Lessee that, in the opinion of an Independent Counsel satisfactory to the Agent, by nonpayment of any such items, the lien of the Mortgage as to any part of the Project will be materially endangered or the Project or any part thereof will be subject to loss or forfeiture, in which event the Lessee shall promptly pay and cause to be satisfied and discharged all such unpaid items. The County will cooperate fully with the Lessee in any such contest.

shall not be under any obligation to renew, repair or replace any inadequate, obsolete, worn out, unsuitable, undesirable, or unnecessary Leased Equipment. If no event of default under this Agreement shall have happened and be continuing, in any instance where the Lessee in its discre-