hereto. This Agreement may be modified only by written instrument duly executed by the parties hereto.

- 7. Assignments. DIC may not assign its rights hereunder except with the prior written consent of DP-17.
- 8. Successors and Assigns. This Agreement shall bind and inure to the benefit of the parties hereto and their respective successors and assigns.
- 9. <u>Days</u>. If any action is required to be performed, or if any notice, consent or other communication is required to be given, on a day that is a Saturday or Sunday or a legal holiday in the jurisdiction in which the action is required to be performed or in which is located the intended recipient of such notice, consent or other communication, such performance shall be deemed to be required, and such notice, consent or other communication shall be deemed to be given, on the first business day following such Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday. Unless otherwise specified herein, all references herein to a "day" or "days" shall refer to calendar days and not business days.
- 10. Governing Law. This Agreement and all documents referred to herein shall be governed by and construed and interpreted in accordance with the laws of the state of South Carolina.
- 11. <u>Counterparts</u>. To facilitate execution, this Agreement may be executed in as many counterparts as may be required. It shall not be necessary that the signature on behalf of both parties hereto appear on each counterpart hereof. All counterparts hereof shall collectively constitute a single agreement.

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