

§ 2.03. The Bonds of each series shall be executed by the Executing Company designated for such Bonds in the supplemental indenture with respect thereto by its President or a Vice President and by its Treasurer or an Assistant Treasurer or its Secretary or an Assistant Secretary, under its corporate seal. The officers' signatures may be the manual or facsimile signatures of the present or any future such officers, and such corporate seal may be in the form of a facsimile thereof and may be impressed, affixed, imprinted or otherwise reproduced on the Bonds.

Only such Bonds as shall bear thereon a certificate of authentication substantially in the form hereinbefore recited, executed by the Trustee by the manual signature of one of its authorized officers, shall be entitled to the benefits of this Indenture or be valid or obligatory for any purpose. No coupon shall be or become valid or obligatory for any purpose until such certificate shall have been duly executed on the Bond to which such coupon appertains. Such certificate by the Trustee upon any Bond shall be conclusive evidence that the Bond so authenticated has been duly authenticated and delivered hereunder and that the holder is entitled to the benefits of the trust hereby created and the other benefits of this Indenture. The Trustee shall not authenticate or deliver any coupon Bond until all matured coupons thereunto appertaining shall have been detached and cancelled, except as otherwise provided in § 2.04 or as permitted in § 2.06.

In case any officer who shall have signed any Bond shall cease to be such officer before the Bond so signed shall be authenticated and delivered by the Trustee, such Bond nevertheless may be authenticated and delivered or disposed of as though the person who signed such Bond had not ceased to be such officer; and any Bond may be signed by such persons as, at the actual date of the execution of such Bond, shall be the proper officers for the purpose of such execution, although at the date of the execution of this Indenture or of any Joint Mortgage, as the case may be, any such person was not such officer.