February, 1962, made and entered into by and between Duke Power Company, a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of New Jersey, hereinafter called the "Company", party of the first part, and Morgan Guaranty Trust Company of New York, a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York, having its principal place of business in the Borough of Manhattan, City and State of New York, hereinafter called the "Trustee", as Trustee, party of the second part.

Whereas the Company duly executed and delivered its First and Refunding Mortgage, dated as of December 1, 1927, to Guaranty Trust Company of New York, as Trustee, to secure the First and Refunding Mortgage Gold Bonds of the Company, to be issued from time to time in series as provided in said Mortgage, and has from time to time duly executed and delivered supplemental indentures, including supplemental indentures dated as of September 1, 1947, February 1, 1949, April 1, 1951, January 1, 1955, and May 1, 1956, to Guaranty Trust Company of New York (the corporate name of which was changed to Morgan Guaranty Trust Company of New York in connection with the merger on April 24, 1959, of J. P. Morgan & Co., Incorporated with Guaranty Trust Company of New York), as Trustee, and a supplemental indenture dated as of February 1, 1960, to Morgan Guaranty Trust Company of New York, as Trustee, supplementing and modifying said Mortgage (said Mortgage, as heretofore supplemented and modified, being hereinafter referred to as the "original indenture"); and

Whereas bonds of a series known as the "First and Refunding Mortgage Bonds, 2.65% Series Due 1977" (herein called "bonds of the 2.65% Series"), bonds of a series known as the "First and Refunding Mortgage Bonds, 2%% Series Due 1979" (herein called "bonds of the 1979 Series"), bonds of a series known as the "First and Refunding Mortgage Bonds, 3¼% Series Due 1981" (herein called "bonds of the 1981 Series"), bonds of a series known as the "First and Refunding Mortgage Bonds, 3% Series Due 1975" (herein called "bonds of the 1975 Series"), bonds of a series known as the "First and Refunding Mortgage Bonds, 35%% Series Due 1986" (herein called "bonds of the 1986 Series"), and bonds of a series known as the "First and "bonds of the 1986 Series"), and bonds of a series known as the "First and