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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549
FORM S-3
REGISTRATION STATEMENT
UNDER
THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933

CENDANT CORPORATION	DELAWARE	06-0918165
CENDANT CAPITAL II	DELAWARE	22-356523
CENDANT CAPITAL III	DELAWARE	22-3565321

(EXACT NAME OF THE REGISTRANTS AS SPECIFIED IN THEIR RESPECTIVE CHARTERS) (State or other Jurisdiction of Incorporation or Organization) (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

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APPROXIMATE DATE OF COMMENCEMENT OF PROPOSED SALE TO THE PUBLIC: From time to time after the effective date of this Registration Statement as determined by market conditions.

If the only securities being registered on this Form are being offered pursuant to dividend or interest reinvestment plans, please check the following box.

If any of the securities being registered on this Form are to be offered on a delayed or continuous basis pursuant to Rule 415 under the Securities Act of 1933, other than securities offered only in connection with dividend or interest reinvestment plans, check the following box.

If this Form is filed to register additional securities for an offering pursuant to Rule 462(b) under the Securities Act, please check the following box and list the Securities Act Registration Statement Number of the earlier Effective Registration Statement for the same offering.

If this Form is a Post-Effective Amendment filed pursuant to Rule 462(c) under the Securities Act, check the following box and list the Securities Act Registration Statement Number of the earlier Effective Registration Statement for the same offering.

If delivery of the Prospectus is expected to be made pursuant to Rule 434, please check the following box.

CALCULATION OF REGISTRATION FEE

TITLE OF SECURITIES TO BE REGISTERED	AMOUNT TO BE REGISTERED	PROPOSED MAXIMUM OFFERING PRICE PER SECURITY(1)	PROPOSED MAXIMUM AGGREGATE OFFERING PRICE(1)	AMOUNT OF REGISTRATION FEE
Debt Securities(2)				
Common Stock, \$.01 par value				
Preferred Stock, par value \$.01				
Stock Purchase Units of Cendant Corporation				
Stock Purchase Contracts of Cendant Corporation				
Warrants of Cendant Corporation				
Preferred Securities of Cendant Capital II				
Preferred Securities of Cendant Capital III				
Guarantees and backup Undertakings of Cendant Corporation in connection with Preferred Securities of Cendant Capital II and Cendant Capital III				
Total.....	\$3,000,000,000(3)	100%	\$3,000,000,000(3)(4)	\$885,000

- (1) Estimated solely for the purpose of calculating the registration fee pursuant to Rule 457(i).
- (2) Also includes such indeterminate number of Debt Securities, shares of Common Stock, shares of Preferred Stock, Stock Purchase Units, Stock Purchase Contracts, Guarantees and Warrants of Cendant Corporation, or Preferred Securities of Cendant Capital II and Cendant Capital III as may be issued upon conversion or exchange of any of the Debt Securities or Preferred Stock that provide for conversion or exchange into other securities.
- (3) Such amount represents the principal amount of any Debt Securities issued at their principal amount, the issue price rather than the principal amount of any Debt Securities issued at original issue discount, the liquidation preference of any Preferred Stock and the amount computed pursuant to Rule 457(i) for any Common Stock.
- (4) No separate consideration will be received for Debt Securities, Preferred Stock, Common Stock, Stock Purchase Units, Stock Purchase Contracts, Guarantees and Warrants of Cendant Corporation, or Preferred Securities of Cendant Capital II and Cendant Capital III issuable upon conversion or exchange of the Debt Securities or Preferred Stock.

THE REGISTRANT HEREBY AMENDS THIS REGISTRATION STATEMENT ON SUCH DATE OR DATES AS MAY BE NECESSARY TO DELAY ITS EFFECTIVE DATE UNTIL THE REGISTRANT SHALL FILE A FURTHER AMENDMENT WHICH SPECIFICALLY STATES THAT THIS REGISTRATION STATEMENT SHALL THEREAFTER BECOME EFFECTIVE IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 8(A) OF THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933 OR UNTIL THE REGISTRATION STATEMENT SHALL BECOME EFFECTIVE ON SUCH DATE AS THE COMMISSION, ACTING PURSUANT TO SAID SECTION 8(A), MAY DETERMINE.

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CENDANT CORPORATION

DEBT SECURITIES, PREFERRED STOCK, COMMON STOCK,
STOCK PURCHASE CONTRACTS, STOCK PURCHASE UNITS AND WARRANTS

CENDANT CAPITAL II
CENDANT CAPITAL III

PREFERRED SECURITIES FULLY AND UNCONDITIONALLY GUARANTEED
BY CENDANT CORPORATION

Cendant Corporation (the "Company"), directly or through such agents, dealers or underwriters as may be designated from time to time, may offer, issue and sell, together or separately, its (i) debt securities (the "Debt Securities"), which may be senior debt securities (the "Senior Debt Securities") or subordinated debt securities (the "Subordinated Debt Securities"), (ii) shares of its preferred stock, par value \$0.01 per share (the "Preferred Stock"), (iii) shares of its common stock, par value \$0.01 per share (the "Common Stock"), (iv) Stock Purchase Contracts ("Stock Purchase Contracts") to purchase shares of Common Stock, (v) Stock Purchase Units, each representing ownership of a Stock Purchase Contract and Preferred Securities (as defined herein) or debt obligations of third parties, including U.S. Treasury securities, securing the holder's obligation to purchase Common Stock under the Stock Purchase Contracts ("Stock Purchase Units") and (vi) warrants to purchase Debt Securities, Preferred Stock, Common Stock or other securities or rights ("Warrants").

Cendant Capital II and Cendant Capital III (each, a "Cendant Trust"), statutory business trusts formed under the laws of the State of Delaware, may offer, from time to time, preferred securities, representing preferred undivided beneficial interests in the assets of the respective Cendant Trusts ("Preferred Securities"). The payment of periodic cash distributions ("Distributions") with respect to Preferred Securities out of moneys held by each of the Cendant Trusts, and payments on liquidation, redemption or otherwise with respect to such Preferred Securities, will be guaranteed by the Company to the extent described herein (each, a "Trust Guarantee"). See "Description of Preferred Securities" and "Description of Trust Guarantees." The Company's obligations under the Trust Guarantees will rank junior and subordinate in right of payment to all other liabilities of the Company and on a parity with its obligations under the senior most preferred or preference stock of the Company. See "Description of Trust Guarantees--Status of the Trust Guarantees." Debt Securities may be issued and sold by the Company in one or more series to a Cendant Trust or a trustee of such Cendant Trust in connection with the investment of the proceeds from the offering of Preferred Securities and Common Securities (as defined herein) of such Cendant Trust. The Debt Securities purchased by a Cendant Trust may be subsequently distributed pro rata to holders of Preferred Securities and Common Securities in connection with the dissolution of such Cendant Trust. The Debt Securities, Preferred Stock, Common Stock, Stock Purchase Contracts, Stock Purchase Units, Warrants and Preferred Securities are herein collectively referred to as the "Securities," with an aggregate public offering price of up to \$3,000,000,000 (or its equivalent in foreign currencies or foreign currency units based on the applicable exchange rate at the time of offering) in amounts, at prices and on terms to be determined at the time of sale.

The form in which the Securities are to be issued, their specific designation, aggregate principal amount or aggregate initial offering price, maturity, if any, rate and times of payment of interest or dividends, if any, redemption, conversion, and sinking fund terms, if any, voting or other rights, if any, exercise price and detachability, if any, and other specific terms will be set forth in a Prospectus Supplement (the "Prospectus Supplement"), together with the terms of offering of such Securities. Any such Prospectus Supplement will also contain information, as applicable, about certain material United States Federal income tax considerations relating to the particular Securities offered thereby.

The Declaration of Trust for each of such Trusts also provides that to the full extent permitted by law, the Company shall indemnify any Company Indemnified Person who was or is a party or is threatened to be made a party

to any threatened, pending or completed action, suit or proceeding, whether civil, criminal, administrative or investigative (other than an action by or in the right of any such Trust) by reason of the fact that he is or was a Company Indemnified Person against expenses (including attorneys' fees), judgments, fines and amounts paid in settlement actually and reasonably incurred by such person in connection with such action, suit or proceeding if such person acted in good faith and in a manner such person reasonably believed to be in or not opposed to the best interests of any such Trust, and, with respect to any criminal action or proceeding, had no reasonable cause to believe such person's conduct was unlawful. Each of the Declaration of Trusts also provides that to the full extent permitted by law, the Company shall indemnify any Company Indemnified Person who was or is a party or is threatened to be made a party to any threatened, pending or completed action or suit by or in the right of any such trust to procure a judgment in its favor by reason of the fact that such person is or was a Company Indemnified Person against expenses (including attorneys' fees) actually and reasonably incurred by such person in connection with the defense or settlement of such action or suit if such person acted in good faith and in a manner such person reasonably believed to be in or not opposed to the best interests of any such trust and except that no such indemnification shall be made in respect of any claim, issue or matter as to which such Company Indemnified Person shall have been adjudged to be liable to any such trust unless and only to the extent that the Court of Chancery of Delaware or the court in which such action or suit was brought shall determine upon application that, despite the adjudication of liability but in view of all the circumstances of the case, such person is fairly and reasonably entitled to indemnity for such expenses which such Court of Chancery or such other court shall deem proper. The Declaration of Trust for each such Trust further provides that expenses (including attorneys' fees) incurred by a Company Indemnified Person in defending a civil, criminal, administrative or investigative action, suit or proceeding referred to in the immediately preceding two sentences shall be paid by the Company in advance of the final disposition of such action, suit or proceeding upon receipt of an undertaking by or on behalf of such Company Indemnified Person to repay such amount if it shall ultimately be determined that such person is not entitled to be indemnified by the Company as authorized in any such Declaration.

The Declaration of Trust for each Trust also provides that the Company shall indemnify each Fiduciary Indemnified Person against any loss, liability or expense incurred without negligence or bad faith on its part, arising out of or in connection with the acceptance or administration of the trust or trusts under any such Trust, including the costs and expenses (including reasonable legal fees and expenses) of defending itself against or investigating any claim or liability in connection with the exercise or performance of any of its powers or duties thereunder.

The Company's Common Stock is listed on the New York Stock Exchange under the symbol "CD". Any Prospectus Supplement will also contain information, where applicable, as to any other listing on a securities exchange of the Securities covered by such Prospectus Supplement.

THESE SECURITIES HAVE NOT BEEN APPROVED OR DISAPPROVED BY THE SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION OR ANY STATE SECURITIES COMMISSION NOR HAS THE SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION OR ANY STATE SECURITIES COMMISSION PASSED UPON THE ACCURACY OR ADEQUACY OF THIS PROSPECTUS. ANY REPRESENTATION TO THE CONTRARY IS A CRIMINAL OFFENSE.

The Securities may be sold directly by the Company, through agents designated from time to time or to or through underwriters or dealers. The Company reserves the sole right to accept, and together with its agents, from time to time, to reject in whole or in part any proposed purchase of Securities to be made directly or through agents. If any agents or underwriters are involved in the sale of any Securities, the names of such agents or underwriters and any applicable fees, commissions or discounts will be set forth in the applicable Prospectus Supplement. See "Plan of Distribution."

This Prospectus may not be used to consummate any sale of Securities unless accompanied by a Prospectus Supplement.

The date of this Prospectus is April , 1998

NO DEALER, SALESPERSON OR OTHER INDIVIDUAL HAS BEEN AUTHORIZED TO GIVE ANY INFORMATION OR MAKE ANY REPRESENTATIONS OTHER THAN THOSE CONTAINED IN THIS PROSPECTUS OR INCORPORATED HEREIN BY REFERENCE IN CONNECTION WITH THE OFFERING DESCRIBED HEREIN, AND, IF GIVEN OR MADE, SUCH INFORMATION OR REPRESENTATIONS MUST NOT BE RELIED UPON AS HAVING BEEN AUTHORIZED BY THE COMPANY OR ANY UNDERWRITER, DEALER OR AGENT INVOLVED IN THE OFFERING DESCRIBED HEREIN. THIS PROSPECTUS DOES NOT CONSTITUTE AN OFFER TO SELL OR A SOLICITATION OF AN OFFER TO BUY ANY SECURITIES OTHER THAN THOSE SPECIFICALLY OFFERED HEREBY OR OF ANY SECURITIES OFFERED HEREBY IN ANY JURISDICTION WHERE, OR TO ANY PERSON TO WHOM, IT IS UNLAWFUL TO MAKE SUCH OFFER OR SOLICITATION IN SUCH JURISDICTION. NEITHER THE DELIVERY OF THIS PROSPECTUS NOR ANY SALE MADE HEREUNDER SHALL, UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES, CREATE ANY IMPLICATION THAT THE INFORMATION HEREIN IS CORRECT AS OF ANY TIME SUBSEQUENT TO ITS DATE.

AVAILABLE INFORMATION

This Prospectus constitutes a part of a combined Registration Statement on Form S-3 (together with all the amendments and exhibits thereto, the "Registration Statement") filed by the Company and the Cendant Trusts with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "Commission") under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act"), with respect to the Securities. This Prospectus does not contain all of the information set forth in such Registration Statement, certain parts of which are omitted in accordance with the rules and regulations of the Commission, although it does include a summary of the material terms of the Indenture and the Declaration of Trust (each as defined herein). Reference is made to such Registration Statement and to the exhibits relating thereto for further information with respect to the Company, the Cendant Trusts and the Securities. Any statements contained herein concerning the provisions of any document filed as an exhibit to the Registration Statement or otherwise filed with the Commission or incorporated by reference herein are not necessarily complete, and, in each instance, reference is made to the copy of such document so filed for a more complete description of the matter involved. Each such statement is qualified in its entirety by such reference.

The Company is subject to the informational requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), and in accordance therewith files reports, proxy and information statements and other information with the Commission. Such reports, proxy statements and other information can be inspected and copied at prescribed rates at the public reference facilities maintained by the Commission at Judiciary Plaza, 450 Fifth Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20549, and at the following Regional Offices of the Commission: Northwestern Atrium Center, 500 West Madison Street, Suite 1400, Chicago, IL 60661 and 7 World Trade Center, 13th Floor, New York, New York 10048. The Commission also maintains a website that contains reports, proxy and information statements and other information. The website address is <http://www.sec.gov>. In addition, such material can be inspected at the offices of the New York Stock Exchange, 20 Broad Street, New York, New York 10005.

No separate financial statements of the Cendant Trusts have been included or incorporated by reference herein. The Company does not consider that such financial statements would be material to holders of the Preferred Securities because (i) all of the voting securities of the Cendant Trusts will be owned, directly or indirectly, by the Company, a reporting company under the Exchange Act, (ii) the Cendant Trusts have and will have no independent operations but exist for the sole purpose of issuing securities representing undivided beneficial interests in their assets and investing the proceeds thereof in Subordinated Debt Securities issued by the Company, and (iii) the Company's obligations described herein and in any accompanying Prospectus Supplement, under the Declaration (as defined herein) (including the obligation to pay expenses of the Cendant Trusts), the Subordinated Indenture and any supplemental indentures thereto, the Subordinated Debt Securities issued to the Cendant Trust and the Trust Guarantees taken together, constitute a full and unconditional guarantee by the Company of payments due on the Preferred Securities. See "Description of Preferred Securities of the Cendant Trusts" and "Description of Trust Guarantees."

The Cendant Trusts are not currently subject to the information reporting requirements of the Exchange Act. The Cendant Trusts will become subject to such requirements upon the effectiveness of the Registration Statement, although they intend to seek and expect to receive exemptions therefrom.

INCORPORATION OF CERTAIN DOCUMENTS BY REFERENCE

The following documents previously filed by the Company with the Commission pursuant to the Exchange Act are incorporated herein by reference: (i) Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1997 (the "1997 Form 10-K"); (ii) Current Reports on Form 8-K dated January 14, 1998, January 22, 1998, January 27, 1998, January 29, 1998, February 4, 1998, February 6, 1998, February 16, 1998, March 6, 1998, March 10, 1998 and March 25, 1998; and (iii) description of the common stock of the Company which is contained in the Registration Statements on Form 8-A of the Company dated July 27, 1984 and August 15, 1989.

All documents filed by the Company pursuant to Sections 13(a), 13(c), 14 or 15(d) of the Exchange Act subsequent to the date of this Prospectus and prior to the termination of the offering of the Securities shall be deemed to be incorporated herein by reference and to be a part hereof from the date of filing of such documents. Any statement contained in this Prospectus or in a document incorporated or deemed to be incorporated herein by reference shall be deemed to be modified or superseded for purposes of this Prospectus to the extent that a statement contained herein or in any other subsequently filed document which also is or is deemed to be incorporated herein by reference or in any Prospectus Supplement modifies or supersedes such statement. Any such statement so modified or superseded shall not be deemed, except as so modified or superseded, to constitute a part of this Prospectus.

The Company will provide without charge to each person to whom a copy of this Prospectus has been delivered, upon the written or oral request of such person, a copy of any or all of the documents referred to above which have been or may be incorporated herein by reference (other than exhibits to such documents unless such exhibits are specifically incorporated by reference in such documents). Requests for such copies should be directed to James E. Buckman, Esq., Senior Executive Vice President and General Counsel, Cendant Corporation, 6 Sylvan Way, Parsippany, New Jersey 07054, (Telephone: (973) 428-9700).

CERTAIN PERSONS PARTICIPATING IN THIS OFFERING MAY ENGAGE IN TRANSACTIONS THAT STABILIZE, MAINTAIN OR OTHERWISE AFFECT THE PRICES OF THE SECURITIES OFFERED HEREBY, INCLUDING STABILIZING TRANSACTIONS, THE PURCHASE OF SECURITIES TO COVER SYNDICATE SHORT POSITIONS AND THE IMPOSITION OF PENALTY BIDS.

THE COMPANY

The Company is one of the foremost consumer and business services companies in the world. The Company was created through the merger (the "Merger") of CUC International Inc. ("CUC") and HFS Incorporated ("HFS") in December 1997 with CUC surviving and being renamed Cendant Corporation. The Company provides all the services formerly provided by each of CUC and HFS including technology-driven membership-based consumer services, travel services and real estate services.

Within three principal operating segments--membership, travel and real estate services--the Company's businesses provide a wide range of complementary consumer and business services. The travel segment facilitates vacation timeshare exchanges, manages corporate and government vehicle fleets and franchises car rental and hotel businesses; the real estate segment assists in employee relocation, provides home buyers with mortgages and franchises real estate brokerage businesses; and the membership segment provides an array of value driven services through more than 20 membership clubs. The Company also offers tax preparation services, consumer software in various multimedia forms, information technology services, credit information services and financial products.

The Company's membership-based consumer services provide more than 66.5 million members with access to a variety of goods and services worldwide. These memberships include such components as shopping, travel, auto, dining, home improvement, lifestyle, credit card and checking account enhancement packages, financial products and discount programs. The Company also administers insurance package programs which are generally combined with discount shopping and travel for credit union members. The Company believes that it is the leading provider of membership-based consumer services of these types in the United States. The Company's membership activities are conducted principally through Cendant Membership Services, Inc. and certain of the Company's other wholly-owned subsidiaries, including FISI*Madison Financial Corporation, Benefit Consultants, Inc., Entertainment Publications, Inc. and SafeCard Services, Incorporated.

In the travel industry, the Company, through certain of its subsidiaries, franchises hotels primarily in the mid-priced and economy markets. The Company is the world's largest hotel franchisor, operating the Days Inn(Registered Trademark), Ramada(Registered Trademark) (in the United States), Howard Johnson(Registered Trademark), Super 8(Registered Trademark), Travelodge(Registered Trademark) (in North America), Villager Lodge(Registered Trademark), Knights Inn(Registered Trademark) and Wingate Inn(Registered Trademark) franchise systems. Additionally, the Company owns the Avis worldwide vehicle rental franchise system which, operated by its franchisees, is the second-largest car rental system in the world (based on total revenues and volume of rental transactions). The Company currently owns approximately 20% of the capital stock of the world's largest Avis franchisee, Avis Rent A Car, Inc. The Company also owns Resort Condominiums International, LLC, the world's leading timeshare exchange organization, and PHH Vehicle Management Services Corporation which operates the second largest provider in North America of comprehensive vehicle management services, and is the market leader in the United Kingdom among the four nationwide providers of fuel card services and the six nationwide providers of vehicle management services. The Company also operates the world's leading value-added tax refund service for travelers.

In the residential real estate industry, the Company, through certain of its subsidiaries, franchises real estate brokerage offices under the CENTURY 21(Registered Trademark), Coldwell Banker(Registered Trademark) and Electronic Realty Associates(Registered Trademark) (ERA(Registered Trademark)) real estate brokerage franchise systems and is the world's largest real estate brokerage franchisor. Additionally, the Company, through Cendant Mobility Services Corporation, is the largest provider of corporate relocation services in the United States, offering relocation clients a variety of services in connection with the transfer of a client's employees. Through Cendant Mortgage Corporation, the Company originates, sells and services residential mortgage loans in the United States, marketing such services to consumers through relationships with corporations, affinity groups, financial institutions, real estate brokerage firms and mortgage banks.

Through the acquisition of Jackson Hewitt, Inc. on January 7, 1998, the Company operates the second largest tax preparation service system in the United States with locations in 43 states. The Company franchises a system of approximately 2,000 offices that specialize in computerized preparation of federal and state individual income tax returns.

The Company also offers consumer software in various multimedia forms, predominately on CD-ROM for personal computers. The Company's Cendant Software unit is one of the largest personal computer consumer software groups in the world, and a leader in entertainment and educational software. It includes Sierra On-Line, Inc., Davidson & Associates, Inc., Blizzard Entertainment and Knowledge Adventure, Inc., and offers such titles as Diablo, Warcraft, You Don't Know Jack, King's Quest, JumpStart, Math Blaster, Reading Blaster and many others.

As a franchisor of hotels, residential real estate brokerage offices, car rental operations and tax preparation services, the Company licenses the owners and operators of independent businesses to use the Company's brand names. The Company does not own or operate hotels, real estate brokerage offices or tax preparation offices (except for certain company-owned Jackson Hewitt offices which the Company intends to resell during 1998). Instead, the Company provides its franchisee customers with services designed to increase their revenue and profitability.

The Company from time to time explores and conducts discussions with regard to acquisitions and other strategic corporate transactions in its industries and in other businesses. Historically, the Company has been involved in numerous transactions of various magnitudes, for consideration which included cash or securities (including Common Stock) or combinations thereof. The Company will evaluate and pursue appropriate acquisition and combination opportunities as they arise. No assurance can be given with respect to the timing, likelihood or financial or business effect of any possible transaction. In the past, acquisitions by the Company have involved both relatively small acquisitions and acquisitions which have been significant.

As part of its regular on-going evaluation of acquisition opportunities, the Company is currently engaged in a number of separate and unrelated preliminary discussions concerning possible acquisitions. The Company is in the early stages of such discussions and has not entered into any agreement in principle with respect to any of these possible acquisitions. The purchase price for the possible acquisitions may be paid in cash, through the issuance of Common Stock (which would increase the number of shares of Common Stock outstanding) Preferred Stock, Debt Securities or other securities of the Company, borrowings, or a combination thereof. Prior to consummating any such possible acquisitions, the Company, among other things, will have to initiate and satisfactorily complete its due diligence investigation; negotiate the financial and other terms (including price) and conditions of such acquisitions; obtain appropriate Board of Directors, regulatory and other necessary consents and approvals; and secure financing. The Company cannot predict whether any such acquisitions will be consummated or, if consummated, will result in a financial or other benefit to the Company.

The Company's principal executive offices are located at 6 Sylvan Way, Parsippany, New Jersey 07054 (telephone number: (973) 428-9700).

RECENT DEVELOPMENTS

Proposed Acquisition of American Bankers. On March 23, 1998, the Company announced that it had entered into a definitive agreement to acquire American Bankers Insurance Group Inc. ("American Bankers") for \$67 per share in cash and stock, for an aggregate consideration of approximately \$3.1 billion. The Company intends to purchase 23.5 million shares of American Bankers at \$67 per share through its pending cash tender offer, to be followed by a merger in which the Company will deliver Cendant shares with a value of \$67 for each remaining share of American Bankers common stock outstanding. The Company has already received anti-trust clearance to acquire American Bankers. The tender offer is subject to the receipt of tenders representing at least 51 percent of the common shares of American Bankers as well as customary closing conditions, including regulatory approvals. The transaction is expected to be completed in the latter part of the second quarter of 1998. American Bankers concentrates on marketing affordable, specialty insurance products and services through financial institutions, retailers and other entities offering consumer financing as a regular part of their business. American Bankers, through its subsidiaries, operates in the United States, Canada, Latin America, the Caribbean and the United Kingdom.

In connection with the Company's proposal to acquire American Bankers, the Company entered into a commitment letter, dated January 23, 1998, with The Chase Manhattan Bank and Chase Securities Inc. to provide a \$1.5 billion 364-day revolving credit facility (the "New Facility") which will mature 364 days after the execution of the definitive documentation relating thereto. The New Facility will bear interest, at the option of the Company, at rates based on competitive bids of lenders participating in such facilities at a prime rate or at LIBOR plus an applicable variable margin based on the Company's senior unsecured long-term debt rating.

National Parking Corporation Acquisition. On March 23, 1998, the Company announced that it had agreed with the board of directors of U.K.-based National Parking Corporation Limited ("NPC") to the terms of a recommended cash offer to acquire the entire issued share capital of NPC for 673 pence per share, a total of approximately (pound sterling)801 million (approximately \$1.3 billion). Payment for the shares will be made in cash. The Company has received irrevocable undertakings to accept the offer with respect to holdings amounting to approximately 73 percent of NPC's issued share capital and the directors of NPC intend unanimously to recommend that NPC shareholders accept the offer. The offer is subject to customary regulatory approvals and it is anticipated that the transaction will close during the second quarter of 1998. NPC operates in two principal segments: National Car Parks Limited, the largest private (non-municipality owned) car park operator in the U.K. with approximately 500 locations; and Green Flag Group Limited, the largest for-profit roadside assistance organization with more than 3.5 million members in the U.K.

Providian Acquisition. On December 10, 1997, the Company announced that it had entered into a definitive agreement to acquire Providian Auto and Home Insurance Company ("Providian") and its subsidiaries from an Aegon N.V. subsidiary for approximately \$219 million in cash. Providian sells automobile insurance to consumers through direct response marketing in 45 states and the District of Columbia. The closing of this transaction is subject to customary conditions, including regulatory approval, and is anticipated to occur in the spring of 1998. Upon acquisition, the Company intends to change the name of Providian to Cendant Auto Insurance Company ("Cendant Auto") and expand Cendant Auto's marketing channels to the Company's existing distribution channels, while also providing the Company's existing customer base with a new product offering.

THE CENDANT TRUSTS

Each of the Cendant Trusts is a statutory business trust formed under Delaware law pursuant to (i) a declaration of trust (each a "Declaration") executed by the Company as sponsor for such trust (the "Sponsor"), and the Cendant Trustees (as defined herein) of such trust and (ii) the filing of a certificate of trust with the Secretary of State of the State of Delaware on February 5, 1998. Each Cendant Trust exists for the exclusive purposes of (i) issuing and selling the Preferred Securities and common securities representing common undivided beneficial interests in the assets of such Cendant Trust (the "Common Securities" and, together with the Preferred Securities, the "Trust Securities"), (ii) using the gross proceeds from the sale of the Trust Securities to acquire the Debt Securities and (iii) engaging in only those other activities necessary, appropriate, convenient or incidental thereto. All of the Common Securities will be directly or indirectly owned by the Company. The Common Securities will rank on a parity, and payments will be made thereon pro rata, with the Preferred Securities, except that, if an event of default under the Declaration has occurred and is continuing, the rights of the holders of the Common Securities to payment in respect of distributions and payments upon liquidation, redemption and otherwise will be subordinated to the rights of the holders of the Preferred Securities. The Company will directly or indirectly acquire Common Securities in an aggregate liquidation amount equal to at least 3% of the total capital of each Cendant Trust.

Unless otherwise specified in the applicable Prospectus Supplement, each Cendant Trust has a term of up to 55 years but may terminate earlier, as provided in the Declaration. Each Cendant Trust's business and affairs will be conducted by the trustees (the "Cendant Trustees") appointed by the Company as the direct or indirect holder of all of the Common Securities. The holder of the Common Securities will be entitled to appoint, remove or replace any of, or increase or reduce the number of, the Cendant Trustees of each Cendant Trust. The duties and obligations of the Cendant Trustees shall be governed by the Declaration of such Cendant Trust. A majority of the Cendant Trustees (the "Regular Trustees") of each Cendant Trust will be persons who are employees or officers of or who are affiliated with the Company. One Cendant Trustee of each Cendant Trust will be a financial institution (the "Institutional Trustee") that is not affiliated with the Company and has a minimum amount of combined capital and surplus of not less than \$50,000,000, which shall act as property trustee and as indenture trustee for the purposes of compliance with the provisions of Trust Indenture Act of 1939, as amended (the "Trust Indenture Act"), pursuant to the terms set forth in the applicable Prospectus Supplement. In addition, unless the Institutional Trustee maintains a principal place of business in the State of Delaware and otherwise meets the requirements of applicable law, one Cendant Trustee of each Cendant Trust will be an entity having a principal place of business in, or a natural person resident of, the State of Delaware (the "Delaware Trustee"). The Company will pay all fees and expenses related to the Cendant Trust and the offering of the Trust Securities.

Unless otherwise specified in the applicable Prospectus Supplement, the Institutional Trustee and Delaware Trustee for each Cendant Trust shall be Wilmington Trust Company, and its address in the State of Delaware is Rodney Square North, 1100 North Mamet Street, Wilmington, Delaware 19890. The principal place of business of each Cendant Trust shall be c/o Cendant Corporation, 6 Sylvan Way, Parsippany, New Jersey 07054, telephone (973) 428-9700.

USE OF PROCEEDS

Unless otherwise set forth in a Prospectus Supplement, the net proceeds from the offering of the Securities will be used for general corporate purposes, which may include acquisitions, repayment of other debt, working capital and capital expenditures. When a particular series of Securities is offered, the Prospectus Supplement relating thereto will set forth the Company's intended use for the net proceeds received from the sale of such Securities. Pending application for specific purposes, the net proceeds may be invested in short-term marketable securities.

CONSOLIDATED RATIO OF EARNINGS TO FIXED CHARGES

The following table sets forth the unaudited consolidated ratio of earnings to fixed charges of the Company for the periods indicated.

	HISTORICAL				
	YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31,				
	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993

Ratio of Earnings to Fixed Charges (1)(2)	1.68x	3.06x	2.70x	2.94x	2.68x
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(1) The ratio of earnings to fixed charges is computed by dividing income before income taxes and extraordinary items plus fixed charges, less capitalized interest by fixed charges. Fixed charges consist of interest expense on all indebtedness (including amortization of deferred financing costs) and the portion of operating lease rental expense that is representative of the interest factor (deemed to be one-third of operating lease rentals).

(2) For the year ended December 31, 1997, income before income taxes includes non-recurring merger-related costs and other unusual charges in the amount of \$1,147.9 million (\$816.8 million after-tax). Excluding such charges, the ratio of earnings to fixed charges is 4.34x.

DESCRIPTION OF THE DEBT SECURITIES

The Debt Securities may be offered from time to time by the Company as Senior Debt Securities and/or as Subordinated Debt Securities. The Senior Debt Securities will be issued under an Indenture, as it may be supplemented from time to time (the "Senior Indenture"), between the Company and The Bank of Nova Scotia Trust Company of New York, as trustee (the "Senior Trustee"). The Subordinated Debt Securities will be issued under an Indenture, as it may be supplemented from time to time (the "Subordinated Indenture"), between the Company and The Bank of Nova Scotia Trust Company of New York, as trustee (the "Subordinated Trustee"). The term "Trustee", as used herein, refers to either the Senior Trustee or the Subordinated Trustee, as appropriate. The forms of the Senior Indenture and the Subordinated Indenture (being sometimes referred to herein collectively as the "Indentures" and individually as an "Indenture") have been filed as exhibits to the Registration Statement. The terms of the Indentures are also governed by certain provisions of the Trust Indenture Act of 1939, as amended (the "Trust Indenture Act"). The following summary of certain material provisions of the Debt Securities does not purport to be complete and is qualified in its entirety by reference to the Indentures. All capitalized terms used herein and not otherwise defined shall have the meanings ascribed to such terms in the Indentures. For a summary of certain definitions used in this section, see "Certain Definitions" below.

GENERAL

The Indentures will provide for the issuance of Debt Securities in series up to the aggregate amount from time to time authorized by the Company for each series. A Prospectus Supplement will set forth the following terms (to the extent such terms are applicable to such Debt Securities) of and information relating to the Debt Securities in respect of which this Prospectus is delivered: (1) the designation of such Debt Securities; (2) classification as Senior or Subordinated Debt Securities; (3) the aggregate principal amount of such Debt Securities; (4) the percentage of their principal amount at which such Debt Securities will be issued; (5) the date or dates on which such Debt Securities will mature; (6) the rate or rates, if any, per annum, at which such Debt Securities will bear interest, or the method of determination of such rate or rates; (7) the times and places at which such interest, if any, will be payable; (8) provisions for sinking, purchase or other analogous fund, if any; (9) the date or dates, if any, after which such Debt Securities may be redeemed at the option of the Company or of the holder and the redemption price or prices; (10) the date or the dates, if any, after which such Debt Securities may be converted or exchanged at the option of the holder into or for shares of Common Stock or Preferred Stock of the Company and the terms for any such conversion or exchange; and (11) any other specific terms of the Debt Securities. Principal, premium, if any, and interest, if any, will be payable and the Debt Securities offered hereby will be transferable, at the corporate trust office of the Trustee's agent in the borough of Manhattan, City of New York, provided that payment of interest, if any, may be made at the option of the Company by check mailed to the address of the person entitled thereto as it appears in the Security Register. (Section 301 of each Indenture)

If a Prospectus Supplement specifies that a series of Debt Securities is denominated in a currency or currency unit other than United States dollars, such Prospectus Supplement shall also specify the denomination in which such Debt Securities will be issued and the coin or currency in which the principal, premium, if any, and interest, if any, on such Debt Securities will be payable, which may be United States dollars based upon the exchange rate for such other currency or currency unit existing on or about the time a payment is due. Special United States federal income tax considerations applicable to any Debt Securities so denominated are also described in the applicable Prospectus Supplement.

The Debt Securities may be issued in registered or bearer form and, unless otherwise specified in a Prospectus Supplement, in denominations of \$1,000 and integral multiples thereof. Debt Securities may be issued in book-entry form, without certificates. Any such issue will be described in the Prospectus Supplement relating to such Debt Securities. No service charge will be made for any transfer or exchange of the Debt Securities, but the Company or the Trustee may require payment of a sum sufficient to cover any tax or other government charge payable in connection therewith.

Debt Securities may be issued under the Indentures as Original Issue Discount Securities to be sold at a substantial discount from their stated principal amount. United States Federal income tax consequences and other considerations applicable thereto will be described in the Prospectus Supplement relating to such Debt Securities.

MERGER, CONSOLIDATION AND SALE OF ASSETS

The Indentures will provide that the Company shall not consolidate with or merge into any other corporation or convey, transfer or lease its properties and assets substantially as an entirety to any Person, unless: (1) the corporation formed by such consolidation or into which the Company is merged or the Person which acquires by conveyance or transfer, or which leases, the properties and assets of the Company substantially as an entirety (A) shall be a corporation, partnership, limited liability company or trust organized and validly existing under the laws of the United States of America, any state thereof or the District of Columbia and (B) shall expressly assume, by an indenture supplemental hereto, executed and delivered to the Trustee, in form satisfactory to the Trustee, the Company's obligation for the due and punctual payment of the principal of (and premium, if any, on) and interest on all the Debt Securities and the performance and observance of every covenant of the Indentures on the part of the Company to be performed or observed; (2) immediately after giving effect to such transaction, no Default or Event of Default shall have occurred and be continuing; and (3) the Company or such Person shall have delivered to the Trustee an Officers' Certificate and an Opinion of Counsel, each stating that such consolidation, merger, conveyance, transfer or lease and such supplemental indenture comply with this "Merger, Consolidation and Sale of Assets" section and that all conditions precedent herein provided for relating to such transaction have been complied with. This paragraph shall apply only to a merger or consolidation in which the Company is not the surviving corporation and to conveyances, leases and transfers by the Company as transferor or lessor. (Section 801 of each Indenture)

The Indentures will further provide that upon any consolidation by the Company with or merger by the Company into any other corporation or any conveyance, transfer or lease of the properties and assets of the Company substantially as an entirety to any Person in accordance with the preceding paragraph, the successor Person formed by such consolidation or into which the Company is merged or to which such conveyance, transfer or lease is made shall succeed to, and be substituted for, and may exercise every right and power of, the Company under the Indentures with the same effect as if such successor Person had been named as the Company therein, and in the event of any such conveyance or transfer, the Company (which term shall for this purpose mean Cendant Corporation or any successor Person which shall theretofore become such in the manner described in the preceding paragraph), except in the case of a lease, shall be discharged of all obligations and covenants under the Indentures and the Debt Securities and the coupons and may be dissolved and liquidated. (Section 802 of each Indenture)

EVENTS OF DEFAULT

The following will be "Events of Default" under the Indentures with respect to Debt Securities of any series:

(1) default in the payment of any interest on any Debt Securities of that series or any related coupon, when such interest or coupon becomes due and payable, and continuance of such default for a period of 30 days; or

(2) default in the payment of the principal of (or premium, if any, on) any Debt Securities of that series at its Maturity; or

(3) default in the deposit of any sinking fund payment when and as due pursuant to the terms of the Debt Securities of that series and Article Twelve of the Indentures; or

(4) default in the performance, or breach, of any covenant or warranty of the Company in the Indentures (other than a default in the performance, or breach, of a covenant or warranty which is specifically dealt with elsewhere under this "Events of Default" section), and continuance of such default or breach for a period of 90 days after there has been given, by registered or certified mail,

to the Company by the Trustee or to the Company and the Trustee by the Holders of at least 25% in principal amount of all Outstanding Debt Securities, a written notice specifying such default or breach and requiring it to be remedied and stating that such notice is a "Notice of Default" thereunder; or

(5) the entry of a decree or order by a court having jurisdiction in the premises adjudging the Company bankrupt or insolvent, or approving as properly filed a petition seeking reorganization, arrangement, adjustment or composition of or in respect of the Company under the Federal Bankruptcy Code or any other applicable federal or state law, or appointing a receiver, liquidator, assignee, trustee, sequestrator (or other similar official) of the Company or of any substantial part of its property, or ordering the winding up or liquidation of its affairs, and the continuance of any such decree or order unstayed and in effect for a period of 90 consecutive days; or

(6) the institution by the Company of proceedings to be adjudicated bankrupt or insolvent, or the consent by it to the institution of bankruptcy or insolvency proceedings against it, or the filing by it of a petition or answer or consent seeking reorganization or relief under the Federal Bankruptcy Code or any other applicable federal or state law, or the consent by it to the filing of any such petition or to the appointment of a receiver, liquidator, assignee, trustee, sequestrator (or other similar official) of the Company or of any substantial part of its property, or the making by it of an assignment for the benefit of creditors, or the admission by it in writing of its inability to pay its debts generally as they become due; or

(7) (A) there shall have occurred one or more defaults by the Company in the payment of the principal of (or premium, if any, on) Debt aggregating \$50 million or more, when the same becomes due and payable at the stated maturity thereof, and such default or defaults shall have continued after any applicable grace period and shall not have been cured or waived, or (B) Debt of the Company aggregating \$50 million or more shall have been accelerated or otherwise declared due and payable, or required to be prepaid or repurchased (other than by regularly scheduled required prepayment), prior to the stated maturity thereof; or

(8) any other Event of Default provided with respect to Debt Securities of that series.

If an Event of Default described in clause (1), (2), (3), (4), (7) or (8) above with respect to Debt Securities of any series at the time Outstanding occurs and is continuing, then in every such case the Trustee or the Holders of not less than 25% in principal amount of the Outstanding Debt Securities of that series may declare the principal amount (or, if the Debt Securities of that series are Original Issue Discount Securities or Indexed Securities, such portion of the principal amount as may be specified in the terms of that series) of all of the Debt Securities of that series to be due and payable immediately, by a notice in writing to the Company (and to the Trustee if given by Holders), and upon any such declaration such principal amount (or specified portion thereof) shall become immediately due and payable. If an Event of Default described in clause (5) or (6) above occurs and is continuing, then the principal amount of all the Debt Securities shall become and be immediately due and payable without any declaration or other act on the part of the Trustee or any Holder, subject, however, to all rights, powers and limitations provided for by the Federal Bankruptcy Code or any other applicable Federal or State Law.

At any time after a declaration of acceleration with respect to Debt Securities of any series (or of all series, as the case may be) has been made and before a judgment or decree for payment of the money due has been obtained by the Trustee as provided in Article Five of the Indentures, the Holders of a majority in principal amount of the Outstanding Debt Securities of that series (or of all series, as the case may be), by written notice to the Company and the Trustee, may rescind and annul such declaration and its consequences if:

(1) the Company has paid or deposited with the Trustee a sum sufficient to pay in the Currency in which the Debt Securities of such series are payable (except as otherwise specified pursuant to Section 301 of the Indentures for the Debt Securities of such series and except, if applicable, as provided in certain provisions of Section 312 of the Indentures):

(A) all overdue interest on all Outstanding Debt Securities of that series (or of all series, as the case may be) and any related coupons;

(B) all unpaid principal of (and premium, if any, on) any Outstanding Debt Securities of that series (or of all series, as the case may be) which has become due otherwise than by such declaration of acceleration, and interest on such unpaid principal at the rate or rates prescribed therefor in such Debt Securities;

(C) to the extent that payment of such interest is lawful, interest on overdue interest at the rate or rates prescribed therefor in such Debt Securities; and

(D) all sums paid or advanced by the Trustee thereunder and the reasonable compensation, expenses, disbursements and advances of the Trustee, its agents and counsel; and

(2) all Events of Default with respect to Debt Securities of that series (or of all series, as the case may be), other than the non-payment of amounts of principal of (or premium, if any, on) or interest on Debt Securities of that series (or of all series, as the case may be) which have become due solely by such declaration of acceleration, have been cured or waived as provided in Section 513 of the Indentures.

No such rescission shall affect any subsequent default or impair any right consequent thereon.

Notwithstanding the preceding paragraph, in the event of a declaration of acceleration in respect of the Debt Securities because of an Event of Default specified in clause (7) of the first paragraph of this section shall have occurred and be continuing, such declaration of acceleration shall be automatically annulled if the Debt that is the subject of such Event of Default has been discharged or the holders thereof have rescinded their declaration of acceleration in respect of such Debt, and written notice of such discharge or rescission, as the case may be, shall have been given to the Trustee by the Company and countersigned by the holders of such Debt or a trustee, fiduciary or agent for such holders, within 30 days after such declaration of acceleration in respect of the Debt Securities, and no other Event of Default has occurred during such 30-day period which has not been cured or waived during such period. (Section 502 of each Indenture)

Subject to Section 502 of each Indenture, the Holders of not less than a majority in principal amount of the Outstanding Debt Securities of any series may on behalf of the Holders of all the Debt Securities of such series waive any past default described in clause (1), (2), (3), (4), (7), or (8) of the first paragraph of this section (or, in the case of a default described in clause (5) or (6) of the first paragraph of this section, the Holders of not less than a majority in principal amount of all Outstanding Debt Securities may waive any such past default), and its consequences, except a default (i) in respect of the payment of the principal of (or premium, if any, on) or interest on any Debt Security or any related coupon, or (ii) in respect of a covenant or provision which under the Indentures cannot be modified or amended without the consent of the Holder of each Outstanding Debt Security of such series affected. (Section 513 of each Indenture)

Upon any such waiver, any such default shall cease to exist, and any Event of Default arising therefrom shall be deemed to have been cured, for every purpose of the Indentures; but no such waiver shall extend to any subsequent or other default or Event of Default or impair any right consequent thereon. (Section 513 of each Indenture)

No Holder of any Debt Security of any series or any related coupons shall have any right to institute any proceeding, judicial or otherwise, with respect to the Indentures, or for the appointment of a receiver or trustee, or for any other remedy thereunder, unless (i) such Holder has previously given written notice to the Trustee of a continuing Event of Default with respect to the Debt Securities of that series; (ii) the Holders of not less than 25% in principal amount of the Outstanding Debt Securities of that series in the case of any Event of Default under clause (1), (2), (3), (4), (7) or (8) of the first paragraph of this section, or, in the case of any Event of Default described in clause (5) or (6) of the first paragraph of this section, the Holders of not less than 25% in principal amount of all Outstanding Debt Securities, shall have made written request to the Trustee to institute proceedings in respect of such Event of Default in its own name

as Trustee under each of the Indentures; (iii) such Holder or Holders have offered to the Trustee reasonable indemnity against the costs, expenses and liabilities to be incurred in compliance with such request; (iv) the Trustee for 60 days after its receipt of such notice, request and offer of indemnity has failed to institute any such proceeding; and (v) no direction inconsistent with such written request has been given to the Trustee during such 60-day period by the Holders of a majority or more in principal amount of the Outstanding Debt Securities of that series in the case of any Event of Default described in clause (1), (2), (3), (4), (7) or (8) of the first paragraph of this section, or, in the case of any Event of Default described in clause (5) or (6) of the first paragraph of this section, by the Holders of a majority or more in principal amount of all Outstanding Debt Securities. (Section 507 of each Indenture)

During the existence of an Event of Default, the Trustee is required to exercise such rights and powers vested in it under either Indenture in good faith. Subject to the provisions of the Indentures relating to the duties of the Trustee, in case an Event of Default shall occur and be continuing, the Trustee under the Indentures is not under any obligation to exercise any of its rights or powers under the Indentures at the request or direction of any of the Holders unless such Holders shall have offered to the Trustee reasonable security or indemnity. Subject to certain provisions concerning the rights of the Trustee, with respect to the Debt Securities of any series, the Holders of not less than a majority in principal amount of the Outstanding Debt Securities of such series shall have the right to direct the time, method and place of conducting any proceeding for any remedy available to the Trustee, or exercising any trust or power conferred on the Trustee under the Indentures.

Within 90 days after the occurrence of any Default with respect to Debt Securities of any series, the Trustee shall transmit in the manner and to the extent provided in TIA Section 313(c), notice of such Default known to the Trustee, unless such Default shall have been cured or waived; provided, however, that, except in the case of a Default in the payment of the principal of (or premium, if any, on) or interest on any Debt Securities of such series, or in the payment of any sinking fund installment with respect to Debt Securities of such series, the Trustee shall be protected in withholding such notice if and so long as the board of directors, the executive committee or a trust committee of directors and/or Responsible Officers of the Trustee in good faith determines that the withholding of such notice is in the interest of the Holders of Debt Securities of such series and any related coupons; and provided further that, in the case of any Default of the character specified in clause (7) of the first paragraph of this section with respect to Debt Securities of such series, no such notice to Holders shall be given until at least 30 days after the occurrence thereof.

The Company is required to deliver to the Trustee, within 120 days after the end of each fiscal year, a brief certificate of the Company's compliance with all of the conditions and covenants under the Indentures.

DEFEASANCE OR COVENANT DEFEASANCE OF THE INDENTURES

The Indentures will provide that the Company may, at its option and at any time, terminate the obligations of the Company with respect to the Outstanding Debt Securities of any series ("defeasance"). Such defeasance means that the Company shall be deemed to have paid and discharged the entire indebtedness represented by the Outstanding Debt Securities and any related coupons, except for the following which shall survive until otherwise terminated or discharged under the Indentures: (A) the rights of Holders of such Outstanding Debt Securities and any related coupons (i) to receive, solely from the trust fund described in the Indentures, payments in respect of the principal of (and premium, if any, on) and interest on such Debt Securities and any related coupons when such payments are due, and (ii) to receive shares of common stock or other Securities from the Company upon conversion of any convertible Debt Securities issued thereunder, (B) the Company's obligations to issue temporary Debt Securities, register the transfer or exchange of any Debt Securities, replace mutilated, destroyed, lost or stolen Debt Securities, maintain an office or agency for payments in respect of the Debt Securities and, if the Company acts as its own Paying Agent, hold in trust, money to be paid to such Persons entitled to payment, and with respect to Additional Amounts, if any, on such Debt Securities as contemplated in the Indentures, (C) the rights, powers, trusts, duties and immunities of the Trustee under the Indentures and (D) the defeasance provisions of the Indentures. With respect to Subordinated Debt Securities, money

and securities held in trust pursuant to the Defeasance and Covenant Defeasance provisions described herein, shall not be subject to the subordination provisions of the Subordinated Indenture. In addition, the Company may, at its option and at any time, elect to terminate the obligations of the Company with respect to certain covenants that are set forth in the Indentures, some of which are described in the "Certain Covenants" section above, and any omission to comply with such obligations shall not constitute a Default or an Event of Default with respect to the Debt Securities ("covenant defeasance"). (Section 1403 of each Indenture)

In order to exercise either defeasance or covenant defeasance:

(1) the Company shall irrevocably have deposited or caused to be deposited with the Trustee, in trust, for the purpose of making the following payments, specifically pledged as security for, and dedicated solely to, the benefit of the Holders of such Debt Securities and any related coupons, (A) money in an amount (in such Currency in which such Debt Securities and any related coupons are then specified as payable at Stated Maturity), or (B) Government Obligations applicable to such Debt Securities (determined on the basis of the Currency in which such Debt Securities are then specified as payable at Stated Maturity) which through the scheduled payment of principal and interest in respect thereof in accordance with their terms will provide, not later than one day before the due date of any payment of principal (including any premium) and interest, if any, under such Debt Securities and any related coupons, money in an amount or (C) a combination thereof, sufficient, in the opinion of a nationally recognized firm of independent public accountants to pay and discharge (i) the principal of (and premium, if any, on) and interest on the Outstanding Debt Securities and any related coupons on the Stated Maturity (or Redemption Date, if applicable) of such principal (and premium, if any) or installment or interest and (ii) any mandatory sinking fund payments or analogous payments applicable to the Outstanding Debt Securities and any related coupons on the day on which such payments are due and payable in accordance with the terms of the Indentures and of such Debt Securities and any related coupons; provided that the Trustee shall have been irrevocably instructed to apply such money or the proceeds of such Government Obligations to said payments with respect to such Debt Securities and any related coupons. Before such a deposit, the Company may give to the Trustee, in accordance with certain redemption provisions in the Indentures, a notice of its election to redeem all or any portion of such Outstanding Debt Securities at a future date in accordance with the terms of the Debt Securities of such series and the redemption provisions of the Indentures, which notice shall be irrevocable. Such irrevocable redemption notice, if given, shall be given effect in applying the foregoing; and

(2) no Default or Event of Default with respect to the Debt Securities and any related coupons shall have occurred and be continuing on the date of such deposit or, insofar as the Event of Default described in clauses (5) and (6) of the Events of Default section above are concerned, at any time during the period ending on the 91st day after the date of such deposit (it being understood that this condition shall not be deemed satisfied until the expiration of such period); (3) such defeasance or covenant defeasance shall not result in a breach or violation of, or constitute a default under, the Indentures or any other material agreement or instrument to which the Company is a party or by which it is bound; (4) in the case of a defeasance, the Company shall have delivered to the Trustee an Opinion of Counsel stating that (x) the Company has received from, or there has been published by, the Internal Revenue Service a ruling or (y) since the Issue Date, there has been a change in the applicable federal income tax law, in either case to the effect that, and based thereon such opinion shall confirm that, the Holders of the Outstanding Debt Securities and any related coupons will not recognize income, gain or loss for federal income tax purposes as a result of such defeasance and will be subject to federal income tax on the same amounts, in the same manner and at the same times as would have been the case if such defeasance had not occurred; (5) in the case of a covenant defeasance, the Company shall have delivered to the Trustee an Opinion of Counsel to the effect that the Holders of the Outstanding Debt Securities and any related coupons will not recognize income, gain or loss for federal income tax purposes as a result of such covenant defeasance and will be subject to federal income tax on the same amounts, in the same manner and at the same times as would have been the case if such covenant defeasance had not occurred; (6) notwithstanding any other provisions of the defeasance and covenant defeasance provisions of the Indentures, such defeasance or covenant defeasance shall be effected in compliance with any additional or substitute terms, conditions or

limitations in connection therewith pursuant to Section 301 of the Indentures; and (7) the Company shall have delivered to the Trustee an Officers' Certificate and an Opinion of Counsel, each stating that all conditions precedent under the Indentures to either defeasance or covenant defeasance, as the case may be, have been complied with. (Section 1404 of each Indenture)

SATISFACTION AND DISCHARGE

The Indentures shall upon Company Request cease to be of further effect with respect to any series of Debt Securities (except as to any surviving rights of registration of transfer or exchange of Debt Securities of such series herein expressly provided for and the obligation of the Company to pay any Additional Amounts as contemplated by Section 1005 of each Indenture) and the Trustee, at the expense of the Company, shall execute proper instruments acknowledging satisfaction and discharge of such Indenture as to such series when (1) either (A) all Debt Securities of such series theretofore authenticated and delivered and all coupons, if any, appertaining thereto (other than (i) coupons appertaining to Bearer Securities surrendered for exchange for Registered Securities and maturing after such exchange, whose surrender is not required or has been waived as provided in Section 305 of the Indentures, (ii) Debt Securities and coupons of such series which have been destroyed, lost or stolen and which have been replaced or paid as provided in Section 306 of the Indentures, (iii) coupons appertaining to Debt Securities called for redemption and maturing after the relevant Redemption Date, whose surrender has been waived as provided in Section 1106 of the Indentures, and (iv) Debt Securities and coupons of such series for whose payment money has theretofore been deposited in trust with the Trustee or any Paying Agent or segregated and held in trust by the Company and thereafter repaid to the Company, as provided in Section 1003 of the Indentures) have been delivered to the Trustee for cancellation; or (B) all Debt Securities of such series and, in the case of (i) or (ii) below, any coupons appertaining thereto not theretofore delivered to the Trustee for cancellation (i) have become due and payable, or (ii) will become due and payable at their Stated Maturity within one year, or (iii) if redeemable at the option of the Company, are to be called for redemption within one year under arrangements satisfactory to the Trustee for the giving of notice of redemption by the Trustee in the name, and at the expense, of the Company, and the Company, in the case of (i), (ii) or (iii) above, has irrevocably deposited or caused to be deposited with the Trustee as trust funds in trust for the purpose an amount, in the Currency in which the Debt Securities of such series are payable, sufficient to pay and discharge the entire indebtedness on such Debt Securities not theretofore delivered to the Trustee for cancellation, for principal (and premium, if any) and interest to the date of such deposit (in the case of Debt Securities which have become due and payable) or to the Stated Maturity or Redemption Date, as the case may be; (2) the Company has paid or caused to be paid all other sums payable hereunder by the Company; and (3) the Company has delivered to the Trustee an Officers' Certificate and an Opinion of Counsel, each stating that all conditions precedent herein provided for relating to the satisfaction and discharge of the Indentures as to such series have been complied with. (Section 401 of each Indenture)

AMENDMENTS AND WAIVERS

The Indentures will provide that at any time and from time to time, the Company and the Trustee may, without the consent of any holder of Debt Securities, enter into one or more indentures supplemental thereto for certain specified purposes, including, among other things, (i) to cure ambiguities, defects or inconsistencies, or to make any other provisions with respect to questions or matters arising under the Indentures (provided that such action shall not adversely affect the interests of the Holders in any material respect), (ii) to effect or maintain the qualification of the Indentures under the Trust Indenture Act, or (iii) to evidence the succession of another person to the Company and the assumption by any such successor of the obligations of the Company in accordance with the Indentures and the Debt Securities. (Section 901 of each Indenture). Other amendments and modifications of the Indentures or the Debt Securities may be made by the Company and the Trustee with the consent of the holders of not less than a majority of the aggregate principal amount of all of the then Outstanding Debt Securities of any Series; provided, however, that no such modification or amendment may, without the consent of the holder of each Outstanding Debt Security affected thereby, (1) change the Stated Maturity of the principal of, or any installment of interest on, any Debt Security or reduce the principal amount thereof

or the rate of interest thereon or any premium payable upon the redemption thereof, or change any obligation of the Company to pay Additional Amounts contemplated by Section 1005 of each Indenture (except as contemplated and permitted by certain provisions of the Indentures), or reduce the amount of the principal of an Original Issue Discount Security that would be due and payable upon a declaration of acceleration of the Maturity thereof pursuant to Section 502 of the Indentures of the amount thereof provable in bankruptcy pursuant to Section 504 of the Indentures, or adversely affect any right of repayment at the option of any Holder of any Debt Security, or change any Place of Payment where, or the Currency in which, any Debt Security or any premium or the interest thereon is payable, or impair the right to institute suit for the enforcement of any such payment on or after the Stated Maturity thereof (or, in the case of redemption or repayment at the option of the Holder, on or after the Redemption Date or Repayment Date, as the case may be), or adversely affect any right to convert or manage any Debt Securities as may be provided pursuant to Section 301 of the Indentures, or (2) reduce the percent in principal amount of the Outstanding Debt Securities of any series, the consent of whose Holders is required for any such supplemental indenture, for any waiver of compliance with certain provisions of the Indentures or certain defaults thereunder and their consequences provided for in the Indentures, or reduce the requirements for quorum or voting.

GOVERNING LAW

The Indentures and the Debt Securities will be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of New York. The Indentures are subject to the provisions of the Trust Indenture Act that are required to be a part thereof and shall, to the extent applicable, be governed by such provisions.

CERTAIN DEFINITIONS

Set forth below is a summary of certain of the defined terms used in the Indentures.

"Affiliate" of any specified Person means any other Person directly or indirectly controlling or controlled by or under direct or indirect common control with such specified Person. For the purposes of this definition, "control" when used with respect to any specified Person means the power to direct the management and policies of such Person, directly or indirectly, whether through the ownership of voting securities, by contract or otherwise; and the terms "controlling" and "controlled" have meanings correlative to the foregoing.

"Capital Stock" means any and all shares, interests, participations, rights or equivalents (however designated) of corporate stock of the Company or any Principal Subsidiary.

"Company Request" or "Company Order" means a written request or order signed in the name of the Company by its Chairman, its President, any Vice President, its Treasurer or an Assistant Treasurer, and delivered to the Trustee.

"Debt" means notes, bonds, debentures or other similar evidences of indebtedness for money borrowed.

"Default" means any event which is, or after notice or passage of time or both would be, an Event of Default.

"Fair Market Value" means the fair market value of the item in question as determined by the Board of Directors acting in good faith and in exercise of its fiduciary duties.

"Holder" means a Person in whose name a Debt Security is registered in the Security Register.

"Interest Payment Date" means the Stated Maturity of an installment of interest on the Debt Securities.

"Issue Date" means the date of first issuance of the Debt Securities under either Indenture.

"Maturity", when used with respect to any Debt Securities, means the date on which the principal of such Debt Security or an installment of principal becomes due and payable as therein or herein provided, whether at the Stated Maturity or by declaration of acceleration, notice of redemption, notice of option to elect repayment or otherwise.

"Officers' Certificate" means a certificate signed by the Chairman, the President or a Vice President, and by the Treasurer, an Assistant Treasurer, the Secretary or an Assistant Secretary of the Company, and delivered to the Trustee.

"Opinion of Counsel" means a written opinion of counsel, who may be counsel for the Company, including an employee of the Company, and who shall be acceptable to the Trustee.

"Original Issue Discount Security" means any Debt Security which provides for an amount less than the principal amount thereof to be due and payable upon a declaration of acceleration of the Maturity thereof pursuant to Section 502 of the Indentures.

"Outstanding", when used with respect to Debt Securities, means, as of the date of determination, all Debt Securities theretofore authenticated and delivered under the Indentures, except:

(i) Debt Securities theretofore cancelled by the Trustee or delivered to the Trustee for cancellation;

(ii) Debt Securities, or portions thereof, for whose payment, money in the necessary amount has been theretofore deposited with the Trustee or any Paying Agent (other than the Company) in trust or set aside and segregated in trust by the Company (if the Company shall act as its own Paying Agent) for the Holders of such Debt Securities;

(iii) Debt Securities, except to the extent provided in the "Defeasance or Covenant Defeasance of the Indentures" section, with respect to which the Company has effected defeasance and/or covenant defeasance as provided in the Indenture; and

(iv) Mutilated, destroyed, lost or stolen Debt Securities which have become or are about to become due and payable which have been paid pursuant to Section 306 of the Indentures or in exchange for or in lieu of which other Debt Securities have been authenticated and delivered pursuant to the Indenture, other than any such Debt Securities in respect of which there shall have been presented to the Trustee proof satisfactory to it that such Debt Securities are held by a bona fide purchaser in whose hands the Debt Securities are valid obligations of the Company;

provided, however, that in determining whether the Holders of the requisite principal amount of Outstanding Debt Securities have given any request, demand, authorization, direction, notice, consent or waiver under the Indentures, and for the purpose of making the calculations required by TIA Section 313, Debt Securities owned by the Company or any other obligor upon the Debt Securities or any Affiliate of the Company or such other obligor shall be disregarded and deemed not to be Outstanding, except that, in determining whether the Trustee shall be protected in making such calculation or in relying upon any such request, demand, authorization, direction, notice, consent or waiver, only Debt Securities which the Trustee knows to be so owned shall be so disregarded. Debt Securities so owned which have been pledged in good faith may be regarded as Outstanding if the pledgee establishes to the satisfaction of the Trustee the pledgee's right so to act with respect to such Debt Securities and that the pledgee is not the Company or any other obligor upon the Debt Securities or any Affiliate of the Company or such other obligor.

"Paying Agent" means any Person (including the Company acting as Paying Agent) authorized by the Company to pay the principal of (and premium, if any, on) or interest on any Debt Securities on behalf of the Company.

"Person" means any individual, corporation, partnership, limited liability company, joint venture, association, joint-stock company, trust, unincorporated organization or government or any agency or political subdivision thereof.

"Responsible Officer", when used with respect to the Trustee, means the chairman or any vice-chairman of the board of directors, the chairman or any vice-chairman of the executive committee of the board of directors, the chairman of the trust committee, the president, any vice president, the secretary, any assistant secretary, the treasurer, any assistant treasurer, the cashier, any assistant cashier, any trust officer or assistant trust officer, the controller or any assistant controller or any other officer of

the Trustee customarily performing functions similar to those performed by any of the above-designated officers, and also means, with respect to a particular corporate trust matter, any other officer to whom such matter is referred because of his knowledge of and familiarity with the particular subject.

"Rolling Period" shall mean with respect to any fiscal quarter, such fiscal quarter and the three immediately preceding fiscal quarters considered as a single accounting period.

"Security Register" and "Security Registrar" have the respective meanings specified in Section 305 of the Indenture.

"Stated Maturity", when used with respect to any Debt Security or any installment of principal thereof or interest thereon, means the date specified in such Debt Security as the fixed date on which the principal of such Debt Security or such installment of principal or interest is due and payable.

"Subsidiary" means any corporation of which at the time of determination the Company, directly and/or indirectly through one or more Subsidiaries, owns more than 50% of the Voting Stock.

"Trust Indenture Act" or "TIA" means the Trust Indenture Act of 1939 as in force at the date as of which the Indentures were executed, except that any supplemental indenture executed pursuant to the Indentures shall conform to the requirements of the Trust Indenture Act as in effect on the date of execution thereof.

"Trustee" means The Bank of Nova Scotia Trust Company of New York until a successor Trustee shall have become such pursuant to the applicable provisions of the Indentures, and thereafter "Trustee" shall mean such successor Trustee.

"Vice President", when used with respect to the Company or the Trustee, means any vice president, whether or not designated by a number or a word or words added before or after the title "vice president".

"Voting Stock" means stock of the class or classes having general voting power under ordinary circumstances to elect at least a majority of the board of directors, managers or trustees of a corporation (irrespective of whether or not at the time stock of any other class or classes shall have or might have voting power by reason of the happening of any contingency).

GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF CAPITAL STOCK

The following description of the Company's capital stock does not purport to be complete and is subject to, and qualified in its entirety by reference to, the more complete descriptions thereof set forth in the Company's Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation (the "Certificate"), and Amended and Restated By-laws (the "By-laws") which documents are exhibits to this Registration Statement.

The Company is authorized to issue up to 2,000,000,000 shares of Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share, and up to 10,000,000 shares of Preferred Stock, par value \$1.00 per share. As of March 20, 1998, there were 843,661,053 shares of Common Stock and no shares of Preferred Stock outstanding.

DESCRIPTION OF PREFERRED STOCK

GENERAL

The following summary contains a description of certain general terms of the Company's Preferred Stock. The particular terms of any series of Preferred Stock that may be offered will be described in the applicable Prospectus Supplement. If so indicated in a Prospectus Supplement, the terms of any such series may differ from the terms set forth below. The summary of terms of the Preferred Stock does not purport to be complete and is subject to and qualified in its entirety by reference to the provisions of the Certificate and the Certificate of Designation (the "Certificate of Designation") relating to a particular series of offered Preferred Stock which is or will be in the form filed or incorporated by reference as an exhibit to the Registration Statement of which this Prospectus is a part at or prior to the time of the issuance of such series of Preferred Stock.

The Board of Directors of the Company has the power, without further action by the shareholders, to issue Preferred Stock in one or more series, with such designations of series, dividend rates, redemption

provisions, special or relative rights in the event of liquidation, dissolution, distribution or winding up of the Company, sinking fund provisions, conversion or exchange provisions, voting rights thereof and other preferences, privileges, powers, rights, qualifications, limitations and restrictions, as shall be set forth as and when established by the Board of Directors of the Company. The shares of any series of Preferred Stock will be, when issued, fully paid and non-assessable and holders thereof will have no preemptive rights in connection therewith.

RANK

Unless otherwise specified in the Prospectus Supplement relating to a particular series of Preferred Stock, each series of Preferred Stock will rank on parity as to dividends and liquidation rights in all respects with each other series of Preferred Stock.

DIVIDEND RIGHTS

Holders of the Preferred Stock of each series will be entitled to receive, when, as and if declared by the Board of Directors of the Company, out of funds legally available therefor, cash dividends at such rates and on such dates as are set forth in the Prospectus Supplement relating to such series of Preferred Stock. Different series of the Preferred Stock may be entitled to dividends at different rates or based upon different methods of determination. Such rates may be fixed or variable or both. Each such dividend will be payable to the holders of record as they appear on the stock books of the Company on such record dates as will be fixed by the Board of Directors of the Company or a duly authorized committee thereof. Dividends on any series of the Preferred Stock may be cumulative or noncumulative, as provided in the Prospectus Supplement relating thereto.

RIGHTS UPON LIQUIDATION

In the event of any voluntary or involuntary liquidation, dissolution or winding up of the Company, the holders of each series of Preferred Stock will be entitled to receive out of assets of the Company available for distribution to stockholders, before any distribution of assets is made to holders of Common Stock or any other class of stock ranking junior to such series of the Preferred Stock upon liquidation, liquidating distributions in the amount set forth in the Prospectus Supplement relating to such series of Preferred Stock plus an amount equal to accrued and unpaid dividends for the then current dividend period and, if such series of the Preferred Stock is cumulative, for all dividend periods prior thereto, all as set forth in the Prospectus Supplement with respect to such series of Preferred Stock.

REDEMPTION

The terms, if any, on which shares of a series of Preferred Stock may be subject to optional or mandatory redemption, in whole or in part, will be set forth in the Prospectus Supplement relating to such series.

CONVERSION AND EXCHANGE

The terms, if any, on which shares of a series of Preferred Stock are convertible into another series of Preferred Stock or Common Stock or exchangeable for another series of Preferred Stock or Common Stock will be set forth in the Prospectus Supplement relating thereto. Such terms may include provisions for conversion, either mandatory, at the option of the holder, or at the option of the Company, in which case the number of shares of another series of Preferred Stock or Common Stock to be received by the holders of such series of Preferred Stock would be calculated as of a time and in the manner stated in such Prospectus Supplement.

TRANSFER AGENT AND REGISTRAR

The transfer agent, registrar and dividend disbursement agent for each series of Preferred Stock will be designated in the applicable Prospectus Supplement. The registrar for shares of each series of Preferred Stock will send notices to shareholders of any meetings at which holders of the Preferred Stock have the right to elect directors of the Company or to vote on any other matter.

VOTING RIGHTS

The holders of Preferred Stock of a series offered hereby will not be entitled to vote except as indicated in the Prospectus Supplement relating to such series of Preferred Stock or as required by applicable law.

DESCRIPTION OF COMMON STOCK

GENERAL

Subject to the rights of the holders of any shares of the Company's Preferred Stock which may at the time be outstanding, holders of Common Stock are entitled to such dividends as the Board of Directors may declare out of funds legally available therefor. The holders of Common Stock will possess exclusive voting rights in the Company, except to the extent the Board of Directors specifies voting power with respect to any Preferred Stock issued. Except as hereinafter described, holders of Common Stock are entitled to one vote for each share of Common Stock, but will not have any right to cumulate votes in the election of directors. In the event of liquidation, dissolution or winding up of the Company, the holders of Common Stock are entitled to receive, after payment of all of the Company's debts and liabilities and of all sums to which holders of any Preferred Stock may be entitled, the distribution of any remaining assets of the Company. Holders of the Common Stock will not be entitled to preemptive rights with respect to any shares which may be issued. Any shares of Common Stock sold hereunder will be fully paid and non-assessable upon issuance against full payment of the purchase price therefor. The Common Stock is listed on the New York Stock Exchange under the symbol "CD."

CERTAIN PROVISIONS

The provisions of the Company's Certificate and By-Laws which are summarized below may be deemed to have an anti-takeover effect and may delay, defer or prevent a tender offer or takeover attempt that a stockholder might consider in such stockholder's best interest, including those attempts that might result in a premium over the market price for the shares held by stockholders.

CLASSIFIED BOARD

The Board of Directors is divided into three classes that are elected for staggered three-year terms. A director may be removed by the stockholders without cause only by the affirmative vote of the holders, voting as a single class, of 80% or more of the total number of votes entitled to be cast by all holders of the voting stock, which shall include all capital stock of the Company which by its terms may vote on all matters submitted to stockholders of the Company generally. The size of the Board of Directors was set by resolution at 30 and pursuant to the By-Laws (i) until the third anniversary of the consummation of the merger of HFS and CUC (the "Effective Time"), an affirmative vote of 80% of the entire Board of Directors will be required in order to change the number of directors, and (ii) a quorum, at any meeting of the Board of Directors, shall consist of a majority of the entire Board of Directors.

COMMITTEES OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Pursuant to the Certificate, the Board of Director's authority to designate committees shall be subject to the provisions of the By-Laws. Pursuant to the By-Laws, the Board of Directors shall have the following committees: (i) an Executive Committee consisting of four CUC Directors (as defined below) and four HFS Directors (as defined below) and whose Chairman shall be the Chairman of the Board; (ii) a Compensation Committee consisting of two CUC Directors and two HFS Directors and whose Chairman shall be an HFS Director; and (iii) an Audit Committee consisting of two CUC Directors and two HFS Directors and whose Chairman shall be a CUC Director. The Board of Directors may designate one or more directors as alternate members of any committee to fill any vacancy on a committee and to fill a vacant chairmanship of a committee occurring as a result of a member or chairman leaving the committee, whether through death, resignation, removal or otherwise. Until the third anniversary of the Effective Time, the affirmative vote of 80% of the entire Board of Directors will be required in order to

remove a director from a committee, change the chairmanship of a committee, designate an alternate member to any committee, designate any additional committee, or amend, modify or repeal or adopt any provision inconsistent with the provisions described herein.

The term "HFS Director" means (A) any person serving as a Director of HFS on May 27, 1997 (or any person appointed by the Board of Directors of HFS after May 27, 1997 to fill a vacancy on the HFS Board of Directors created other than due to an increase in the size of the Board of Directors of HFS) who continues as a Director of the Company at the Effective Time and (B) any person who becomes a Director of the Company and who was designated as such by the remaining HFS Directors prior to his or her election; and the term "CUC Director" means (A) any person serving as a Director of the Company on May 27, 1997 (or any person appointed by the Board of Directors of the Company after May 27, 1997 but prior to the Effective Time to fill a vacancy on the Board of Directors created other than due to an increase in the size of the Board of Directors) who continues as a Director of the Company at the Effective Time, (B) any of the four persons designated by the CUC Directors to become a Director of the Company at the Effective Time and (C) any person who becomes Director of the Company and who was designated as such by the remaining CUC Directors prior to his or her election.

NEWLY CREATED DIRECTORSHIPS AND VACANCIES

Pursuant to the By-Laws, until the third anniversary of the Effective Time, the Board of Directors will delegate to the Executive Committee the full and exclusive power and authority to nominate directors for election to the Board of Directors at the next stockholders' meetings at which directors are to be elected, elect directors to fill vacancies on the Board of Directors between stockholders' meetings and fill vacancies on any committee of the Board of Directors to the extent an alternate member has not been previously designated. Such nominations and elections of directors and members of committees shall be undertaken by the Executive Committee such that (i) the number of HFS Directors and CUC Directors on the Board of Directors or any committee of the Board of Directors shall be equal and (ii) the remaining HFS Directors (if the number of HFS Directors is less than the number of CUC Directors) or the remaining CUC Directors (if the number of CUC Directors is less than the number of HFS Directors) shall designate the person to be nominated or elected. Any resolution regarding such election or nomination as described above in a manner that (a) is consistent with the two preceding sentences will require the approval by only three members of the Executive Committee (or only two members if there are then two vacancies on the Executive Committee) or (b) is inconsistent with the two preceding sentences will require approval by at least seven members of the Executive Committee. Until the third anniversary of the Effective Time, the affirmative vote of at least 80% of the entire Board of Directors shall be required in order for the Board of Directors to amend, modify or repeal, or adopt any provision inconsistent with, the provisions of the By-Laws described herein.

OFFICERS

Pursuant to the By-Laws, Walter A. Forbes shall be the Chairman of the Board from and after the Effective Time and until January 1, 2000, at which time Henry R. Silverman will be the Chairman of the Board. If, for any reason Mr. Forbes ceases to serve as Chairman of the Board prior to January 1, 2000 and at such time Mr. Silverman is President and Chief Executive Officer, Mr. Silverman shall become Chairman of the Board. Mr. Silverman will be President and Chief Executive Officer from and after the Effective Time and until January 1, 2000, at which time Mr. Forbes will be President and Chief Executive Officer. If, for any reason Mr. Silverman ceases to serve as President and Chief Executive Officer prior to January 1, 2000 and at such time Mr. Forbes is Chairman of the Board, Mr. Forbes shall become President and Chief Executive Officer. Until January 1, 2002, the affirmative vote of 80% of the entire Board of Directors shall be required in order for the Board to (i) amend, modify, repeal or adopt any provision inconsistent with the provisions described herein, (ii) remove Mr. Forbes or Mr. Silverman from the positions specifically provided for in their employment agreements with the Company and HFS, respectively, (iii) modify either of the respective roles, duties or authority of Messrs. Forbes and Silverman.

SPECIAL MEETINGS OF STOCKHOLDERS

A special meeting of stockholders may be called only by the Chairman of the Board of Directors, the President or the Board of Directors pursuant to a resolution approved by a majority of the entire Board of Directors.

QUORUM AT STOCKHOLDER MEETINGS

The holders of one-third of the shares entitled to vote at any meeting of the stockholders, present in person or by proxy, shall constitute a quorum at all stockholder meetings.

STOCKHOLDER ACTION BY WRITTEN CONSENT

Stockholder action by written consent in lieu of a meeting is prohibited under the Certificate. As a result, stockholder action can be taken only at an annual or special meeting of stockholders. This prevents the holders of a majority of the outstanding voting stock of the Company from using the written consent procedure to take stockholder action without giving all the stockholders of the Company entitled to vote on a proposed action the opportunity to participate in determining the proposed action.

ADVANCE NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDER--PROPOSED BUSINESS AT ANNUAL MEETINGS

The By-Laws provide that for business to be properly brought before an annual meeting by a stockholder, the stockholder must have given timely notice thereof in writing to the Secretary of the Company. To be timely, a stockholder's notice must be delivered to or mailed and received at the principal executive offices of the Company not less than 60 days nor more than 90 days prior to the meeting; provided, however, that in the event that less than 70 days' notice or prior public disclosure of the date of the meeting is given or made to stockholders, notice by the stockholder to be timely must be so received not later than the close of business on the tenth day following the date on which such notice of the date of the annual meeting was mailed or such public disclosure was made. A stockholder's notice to the Secretary must set forth as to each matter the stockholder proposes to bring before the annual meeting; (i) a brief description of the business desired to be brought before the annual meeting, (ii) the name and address, as they appear on the Company's books, of the stockholder proposing such business, (iii) the class and number of shares of the Company which are beneficially owned by the stockholder, and (iv) any material interest of the stockholder in such business.

In addition, the By-Laws provide that for a stockholder to properly nominate a director at a meeting of stockholders, the stockholder must have given timely notice thereof in writing to the Secretary of the Company. To be timely, a stockholder's notice must be delivered to or mailed and received at the principal executive offices of the Company (i) in the case of an annual meeting, at least 90 days prior to the date of the last annual meeting of the Company stockholders and (ii) with respect to a special meeting of stockholders, the close of business on the 10th day following the date on which notice of such meeting is first given to stockholders. Such stockholder's notice to the Secretary must set forth: (i) the name and address of the stockholder who intends to make the nomination and of the person or persons to be nominated, (ii) a representation that the stockholder is holder of record of Common Stock and intends to appear in person or by proxy at the meeting to nominate each such nominee, (iii) a description of all arrangements between such stockholder and each nominee, (iv) such other information with respect to each nominee as would be required to be included in a proxy statement filed pursuant to the proxy rules of the Commission, and (v) the consent of each nominee to serve as director of the Company if so elected.

AMENDMENT OF GOVERNING DOCUMENTS

In addition to the provisions of the Certificate which require a super-majority of stockholders to approve certain amendments to the Certificate and the By-Laws, the By-Laws require the affirmative vote of 80% of the entire Board of Directors in order for the Board of Directors to adopt certain amendments to the By-Laws as described under "--Board of Directors," "--Committees of the Board of Directors," "Newly Created Directorships and Vacancies" and "--Officers."

FAIR PRICE PROVISIONS

Under the Delaware General Corporation Law and the Certificate, an agreement of merger, sale, lease or exchange of all or substantially all of the Company's assets must be approved by the Board of Directors and adopted by the holders of a majority of the outstanding shares of stock entitled to vote thereon. However, the Certificate includes what generally is referred to as a "fair price provision," which requires the affirmative vote of the holders of at least 80% of the outstanding shares of capital stock entitled to vote generally in the election of the Company's directors, voting together as a single class, to approve certain business combination transactions (including certain mergers, recapitalization and the issuance or transfer of securities of the Company or a subsidiary having an aggregate fair market value of \$10 million or more) involving the Company or a subsidiary and an owner or any affiliate of an owner of 5% or more of the outstanding shares of capital stock entitled to vote, unless either (i) such business combination is approved by a majority of disinterested directors, or (ii) the shareholders receive a "fair price" for their securities and certain other procedural requirements are met. The Certificate provides that this provision may not be repealed or amended in any respect except by the affirmative vote of the holders of not less than 80% of the outstanding shares of capital stock entitled to vote generally in the election of directors.

DESCRIPTION OF WARRANTS

GENERAL

The Company may issue Warrants to purchase Debt Securities, Preferred Stock, Common Stock or any combination thereof, and such Warrants may be issued independently or together with any such Securities and may be attached to or separate from such Securities. Each series of Warrants will be issued under a separate warrant agreement (each a "Warrant Agreement") to be entered into between the Company and a warrant agent ("Warrant Agent"). The Warrant Agent will act solely as an agent of the Company in connection with the Warrants of each such series and will not assume any obligation or relationship of agency for or with holders or beneficial owners of Warrants. The following sets forth certain general terms and provisions of the Warrants offered hereby. Further terms of the Warrants and the applicable Warrant Agreement will be set forth in the applicable Prospectus Supplement.

The applicable Prospectus Supplement will describe the terms of any Warrants in respect of which this Prospectus is being delivered, including the following: (i) the title of such Warrants; (ii) the aggregate number of such Warrants; (iii) the price or prices at which such Warrants will be issued; (iv) the currency or currencies, including composite currencies, in which the price of such Warrants may be payable; (v) the designation and terms of the Securities (other than Preferred Securities and Common Securities) purchasable upon exercise of such Warrants; (vi) the price at which and the currency or currencies, including composite currencies, in which the Securities (other than Preferred Securities and Common Securities) purchasable upon exercise of such Warrants may be purchased; (vii) the date on which the right to exercise such Warrants shall commence and the date on which such right shall expire; (viii) whether such Warrants will be issued in registered form or bearer form; (ix) if applicable, the minimum or maximum amount of such Warrants which may be exercised at any one time; (x) if applicable, the designation and terms of the Securities (other than Preferred Securities and Common Securities) with which such Warrants are issued and the number of such Warrants issued with each such Security; (xi) if applicable, the date on and after which such Warrants and the related Securities (other than Preferred Securities and Common Securities) will be separately transferable; (xii) information with respect to book-entry procedures, if any; (xiii) if applicable, a discussion of certain United States Federal income tax considerations; and (xiv) any other terms of such Warrants, including terms, procedures and limitations relating to the exchange and exercise of such Warrants.

DESCRIPTION OF PREFERRED SECURITIES OF THE CENDANT TRUSTS

GENERAL

Each Cendant Trust may issue, from time to time, only one series of Preferred Securities having terms described in the Prospectus Supplement relating thereto. The Declaration of each Cendant Trust authorizes the Regular Trustees of such Cendant Trust to issue on behalf of such Cendant Trust one series of Preferred Securities. Each Declaration will be qualified as an indenture under the Trust Indenture Act. The Institutional Trustee, an independent trustee, will act as indenture trustee for the Preferred Securities for purposes of compliance with the provisions of the Trust Indenture Act. The Preferred Securities will have such terms, including distributions, redemption, voting, liquidation rights and such other preferred, deferred or other special rights or such restrictions as shall be established by the Regular Trustees in accordance with the applicable Declaration or as shall be set forth in the Declaration or made part of the Declaration by the Trust Indenture Act. Reference is made to any Prospectus Supplement relating to the Preferred Securities of a Cendant Trust for specific terms of the Preferred Securities, including, to the extent applicable, (i) the distinctive designation of such Preferred Securities, (ii) the number of Preferred Securities issued by such Cendant Trust, (iii) the annual distribution rate (or method of determining such rate) for Preferred Securities issued by such Cendant Trust and the date or dates upon which such distributions shall be payable (provided, however, that distributions on such Preferred Securities shall, subject to any deferral provisions, and any provisions for payment of defaulted distributions, be payable on a quarterly basis to holders of such Preferred Securities as of a record date in each quarter during which such Preferred Securities are outstanding), (iv) any right of such Cendant Trust to defer quarterly distributions on the Preferred Securities as a result of an interest deferral right exercised by the Company on the Subordinated Debt Securities held by such Cendant Trust; (v) whether distributions on Preferred Securities shall be cumulative, and, in the case of Preferred Securities having such cumulative distribution rights, the date or dates or method of determining the date or dates from which distributions on Preferred Securities shall be cumulative, (vi) the amount or amounts which shall be paid out of the assets of such Cendant Trust to the holders of Preferred Securities upon voluntary or involuntary dissolution, winding-up or termination of such Cendant Trust, (vii) the obligation or option, if any, of such Cendant Trust to purchase or redeem Preferred Securities and the price or prices at which, the period or periods within which and the terms and conditions upon which Preferred Securities shall be purchased or redeemed, in whole or in part, pursuant to such obligation or option with such redemption price to be specified in the applicable Prospectus Supplement, (viii) the voting rights, if any, of Preferred Securities in addition to those required by law, including the number of votes per Preferred Security and any requirement for the approval by the holders of Preferred Securities as a condition to specified action or amendments to the Declaration, (ix) the terms and conditions, if any, upon which Subordinated Debt Securities held by such Cendant Trust may be distributed to holders of Preferred Securities, and (x) any other relevant rights, preferences, privileges, limitations or restrictions of Preferred Securities consistent with the Declaration or with applicable law. All Preferred Securities offered hereby will be guaranteed by the Company to the extent set forth below under "Description of Trust Guarantees." The Trust Guarantee issued to each Cendant Trust, when taken together with the Company's back-up undertakings, consisting of its obligations under each Declaration (including the obligation to pay expenses of each Cendant Trust), the applicable Indenture and any applicable supplemental indentures thereto and the Subordinated Debt Securities issued to any Cendant Trust will provide a full and unconditional guarantee by the Company of amounts due on the Preferred Securities issued by each Cendant Trust. The payment terms of the Preferred Securities will be the same as the Subordinated Debt Securities issued to the applicable Cendant Trust by the Company.

Each Declaration authorizes the Regular Trustees to issue on behalf of the applicable Trust one series of Common Securities having such terms including distributions, redemption, voting, liquidation rights or such restrictions as shall be established by the Regular Trustees in accordance with the Declaration or as shall otherwise be set forth therein. The terms of the Common Securities issued by each Cendant Trust will be substantially identical to the terms of the Preferred Securities issued by such Cendant Trust, and the Common Securities will rank on a parity, and payments will be made thereon pro rata, with the Preferred Securities except that, if an event of default under such Declaration has occurred and is

continuing, the rights of the holders of the Common Securities to payment in respect of distributions and payments upon liquidation, redemption and otherwise will be subordinated to the rights of the holders of the Preferred Securities. The Common Securities will also carry the right to vote and to appoint, remove or replace any of the Cendant Trustees of such Cendant Trust. All of the Common Securities of each Cendant Trust will be directly or indirectly owned by the Company.

The financial statements of any Cendant Trust that issues Preferred Securities will be reflected in the Company's consolidated financial statements with the Preferred Securities shown as Company-obligated mandatorily-redeemable preferred securities of a subsidiary trust under minority interest in consolidated subsidiaries. In a footnote to the Company's audited financial statements there will be included statements that the applicable Cendant Trust is wholly-owned by the Company and that the sole asset of such Cendant Trust is the Subordinated Debt Securities (indicating the principal amount, interest rate and maturity date thereof).

DESCRIPTION OF TRUST GUARANTEES

Set forth below is a summary of information concerning the Trust Guarantees that will be executed and delivered by the Company for the benefit of the holders, from time to time, of Preferred Securities. Each Trust Guarantee will be qualified as an indenture under the Trust Indenture Act. Unless otherwise specified in the applicable Prospectus Supplement, Wilmington Trust Company will act as independent indenture trustee for Trust Indenture Act purposes under each Trust Guarantee (the "Preferred Securities Guarantee Trustee"). The terms of each Trust Guarantee will be those set forth in such Trust Guarantee and those made part of such Trust Guarantee by the Trust Indenture Act. The following summary does not purport to be complete and is subject to and qualified in its entirety by reference to the provisions of the form of Trust Guarantee, a copy of which has been filed as an exhibit to the Registration Statement of which this Prospectus is a part, and the Trust Indenture Act. Each Trust Guarantee will be held by the Preferred Securities Guarantee Trustee for the benefit of the holders of the Preferred Securities of the applicable Cendant Trust.

GENERAL

Unless otherwise specified in the applicable Prospectus Supplement, pursuant to each Trust Guarantee, the Company will agree, to the extent set forth therein, to pay in full to the holders of the Preferred Securities, the Guarantee Payments (as defined below) (except to the extent paid by such Cendant Trust), as and when due, regardless of any defense, right of set-off or counterclaim which such Cendant Trust may have or assert. The following payments or distributions with respect to the Preferred Securities (the "Guarantee Payments"), to the extent not paid by such Cendant Trust, will be subject to the Trust Guarantee (without duplication): (i) any accrued and unpaid distributions that are required to be paid on such Preferred Securities, to the extent such Cendant Trust shall have funds available therefor, (ii) the redemption price, including all accrued and unpaid distributions to the date of redemption (the "Redemption Price"), to the extent such Cendant Trust has funds available therefor, with respect to any Preferred Securities called for redemption by such Cendant Trust and (iii) upon a voluntary or involuntary dissolution, winding-up or termination of such Cendant Trust (other than in connection with such distribution of Debt Securities to the holders of Preferred Securities or the redemption of all of the Preferred Securities upon maturity or redemption of the Subordinated Debt Securities) the lesser of (a) the aggregate of the liquidation amount and all accrued and unpaid distributions on such Preferred Securities to the date of payment, to the extent such Cendant Trust has funds available therefor or (b) the amount of assets of such Cendant Trust remaining for distribution to holders of such Preferred Securities in liquidation of such Cendant Trust. The Company's obligation to make a Guarantee Payment may be satisfied by direct payment of the required amounts by the Company to the holders of Preferred Securities or by causing the applicable Cendant Trust to pay such amounts to such holders.

Each Trust Guarantee will not apply to any payment of distributions except to the extent the applicable Cendant Trust shall have funds available therefor. If the Company does not make interest or principal payments on the Subordinated Debt Securities purchased by such Cendant Trust, such Cendant Trust will not pay distributions on the Preferred Securities issued by such Cendant Trust and will not have funds available therefore.

The Company has also agreed to guarantee the obligations of each Cendant Trust with respect to the Common Securities (the "Common Guarantee") issued by such Cendant Trust to the same extent as the Trust Guarantee, except that, if an Event of Default under the Subordinated Indenture has occurred and is continuing, holders of Preferred Securities under the Trust Guarantee shall have priority over holders of the Common Securities under the Common Guarantee with respect to distributions and payments on liquidation, redemption or otherwise.

CERTAIN COVENANTS OF THE COMPANY

Unless otherwise specified in the applicable Prospectus Supplement, in each Trust Guarantee, the Company will covenant that, so long as any Preferred Securities issued by the applicable Cendant Trust remain outstanding, if there shall have occurred any event of default under such Trust Guarantee or under the Declaration of such Cendant Trust, then (a) the Company will not declare or pay any dividend on, make any distributions with respect to, or redeem, purchase, acquire or make a liquidation payment with respect to, any of its capital stock (other than (i) purchases or acquisitions of capital stock of the Company in connection with the satisfaction by the Company of its obligations under any employee or agent benefit plans or the satisfaction by the Company of its obligations pursuant to any contract or security outstanding on the date of such event requiring the Company to purchase capital stock of the Company, (ii) as a result of a reclassification of the Company's capital stock (other than into cash or other property) or the exchange or conversion of one class or series of the Company's capital stock for another class or series of the Company's capital stock, (iii) the purchase of fractional interests in shares of the Company's capital stock pursuant to the conversion or exchange provisions of such capital stock or the security being converted or exchanged, (iv) dividends or distributions in capital stock of the Company (or rights to acquire capital stock) or repurchases or redemptions of capital stock solely from the issuance or exchange of capital stock or (v) redemptions or repurchases of any rights outstanding under a shareholder rights plan); (b) the Company shall not make any payment of interest, principal or premium, if any, on or repay, repurchase or redeem any debt securities issued by the Company which rank junior to the Subordinated Debt Securities issued to the applicable Cendant Trust and (c) the Company shall not make any guarantee payments with respect to the foregoing (other than pursuant to a Trust Guarantee).

MODIFICATION OF THE TRUST GUARANTEES; ASSIGNMENT

Except with respect to any changes that do not adversely affect the rights of holders of Preferred Securities (in which case no consent of such holders will be required), each Trust Guarantee may be amended only with the prior approval of the holders of not less than a majority in liquidation amount of the outstanding Preferred Securities of such Cendant Trust. The manner of obtaining any such approval of holders of such Preferred Securities will be set forth in accompanying Prospectus Supplement. All guarantees and agreements contained in a Trust Guarantee shall bind the successors, assigns, receivers, trustees and representatives of the Company and shall inure to the benefit of the holders of the Preferred Securities of the applicable Cendant Trust then outstanding.

EVENTS OF DEFAULT

An event of default under a Trust Guarantee will occur upon the failure of the Company to perform any of its payment or other obligations thereunder. The holders of a majority in liquidation amount of the Preferred Securities to which such Trust Guarantee relates have the right to direct the time, method and place of conducting any proceeding for any remedy available to the Preferred Securities Guarantee Trustee in respect of such Trust Guarantee or to direct the exercise of any trust or power conferred upon the Preferred Securities Guarantee Trustee under such Trust Guarantee.

If the Preferred Securities Guarantee Trustee fails to enforce such Trust Guarantee, any record holder of Preferred Securities to which such Trust Guarantee relates may institute a legal proceeding directly against the Company to enforce the Preferred Securities Guarantee Trustee's rights under such Trust Guarantee without first instituting a legal proceeding against the applicable Cendant Trust, the Preferred Securities Guarantee Trustee or any other person or entity. Notwithstanding the foregoing, if the Company has failed to make a Guarantee Payment under a Trust Guarantee, a record holder of

Preferred Securities to which such Trust Guarantee relates may directly institute a proceeding against the Company for enforcement of such Trust Guarantee for such payment to the record holder of the Preferred Securities to which such Trust Guarantee relates of the principal of or interest on the applicable Debt Securities on or after the respective due dates specified in the Debt Securities, and the amount of the payment will be based on the holder's pro rata share of the amount due and owing on all of the Preferred Securities to which such Trust Guarantee relates. The Company has waived any right or remedy to require that any action be brought first against the applicable Cendant Trust or any other person or entity before proceeding directly against the Company. The record holder in the case of the issuance of one or more global Preferred Securities certificates will be The Depository Trust Company acting at the direction of the beneficial owners of the Preferred Securities.

The Company will be required to provide annually to the Preferred Securities Guarantee Trustee a statement as to the performance by the Company of certain of its obligations under each outstanding Trust Guarantee and as to any default in such performance.

INFORMATION CONCERNING THE PREFERRED SECURITIES GUARANTEE TRUSTEE

The Preferred Securities Guarantee Trustee, prior to the occurrence of a default to a Trust Guarantee, undertakes to perform only such duties as are specifically set forth in such Trust Guarantee and, after default with respect to such Trust Guarantee, shall exercise the same degree of care as a prudent individual would exercise in the conduct of his or her own affairs. Subject to such provision, the Preferred Securities Guarantee Trustee is under no obligation to exercise any of the powers vested in it by a Trust Guarantee at the request of any holder of Preferred Securities to which such Trust Guarantee relates unless it is offered reasonable indemnity against the costs, expenses and liabilities that might be incurred thereby.

TERMINATION

Each Trust Guarantee will terminate as to the Preferred Securities issued by the applicable Cendant Trust upon full payment of the Redemption Price of all Preferred Securities of such Cendant Trust, upon distribution of the Debt Securities held by such Cendant Trust to the holders of all of the Preferred Securities of such Cendant Trust or upon full payment of the amounts payable in accordance with the Declaration of such Cendant Trust upon liquidation of such Cendant Trust. Each Trust Guarantee will continue to be effective or will be reinstated, as the case may be, if at any time any holder of Preferred Securities issued by the applicable Cendant Trust must restore payment of any sums paid under such Preferred Securities or such Trust Guarantee.

STATUS OF THE TRUST GUARANTEES

The Trust Guarantees will constitute senior unsecured obligations of the Company and will rank on a parity with all of the Company's other senior unsecured obligations.

Each Trust Guarantee will constitute a guarantee of payment and not of collection (that is, the guaranteed party may institute a legal proceeding directly against the Company to enforce its rights under such Trust Guarantee without instituting a legal proceeding against any other person or entity).

GOVERNING LAW

The Trust Guarantees will be governed by and construed in accordance with the law of the State of New York.

DESCRIPTION OF STOCK PURCHASE CONTRACTS AND STOCK PURCHASE UNITS

The Company may issue Stock Purchase Contracts, including contracts obligating holders to purchase from the Company, and the Company to sell to the holders, a specified number of shares of Common Stock or Preferred Stock at a future date or dates. The consideration per share of Common Stock or Preferred Stock may be fixed at the time the Stock Purchase Contracts are issued or may be determined by reference to a specific formula set forth in the Stock Purchase Contracts. The Stock Purchase Contracts may be issued separately or as a part of units ("Stock Purchase Units") consisting of a Stock Purchase Contract and Debt Securities, Preferred Securities or debt obligations of third parties, including U.S. Treasury securities, securing the holders' obligations to purchase the Common Stock or Preferred Stock under the Stock Purchase Contracts. The Stock Purchase Contracts may require the Company to make periodic payments to the holders of the Stock Purchase Units or vice versa, and such payments may be unsecured or prefunded on some basis. The Stock Purchase Contracts may require holders to secure their obligations thereunder in a specified manner.

The applicable Prospectus Supplement will describe the terms of any Stock Purchase Contracts or Stock Purchase Units. The description in the Prospectus Supplement will not necessarily be complete, and reference will be made to the Stock Purchase Contracts, and, if applicable, collateral arrangements and depositary arrangements, relating to such Stock Purchase Contracts or Stock Purchase Units.

PLAN OF DISTRIBUTION

The Company may sell the Securities and the Cendant Trusts may sell Preferred Securities being offered hereby in any of, or any combination of, the following ways: (i) directly to purchasers; (ii) through agents; (iii) through underwriters; and/or (iv) through dealers.

Offers to purchase Securities may be solicited directly by the Company and/or a Cendant Trust or by agents designated by the Company and/or a Cendant Trust from time to time. Any such agent, who may be deemed to be an underwriter as that term is defined in the Securities Act, involved in the offer or sale of Securities, will be named, and any commissions payable by the Company and/or a Cendant Trust to such agent will be set forth, in the Prospectus Supplement. Unless otherwise indicated in a Prospectus Supplement, any such agent will be acting on a best efforts basis for the period of its appointment (ordinarily five business days or less).

If an underwriter or underwriters are utilized in the offer or sale of Securities, the Company and/or the applicable Cendant Trust will execute an underwriting agreement with such underwriters at the time of sale of such Securities to such underwriters and the names of such underwriters and the principal terms of the Company's and/or the applicable Cendant Trust's agreement with such underwriters will be set forth in the appropriate Prospectus Supplement.

If a dealer is utilized in the offer or sale of Securities, the Company and/or the applicable Cendant Trust will sell such Securities to such dealer, as principal. Such dealer may then resell such Securities to the public at varying prices to be determined by such dealer at the time of resale. The name of such dealer and the principal terms of the Company's and/or the applicable Cendant Trust's agreement with such dealer will be set forth in the appropriate Prospectus Supplement.

Agents, underwriters, and dealers may be entitled under agreements with the Company and/or a Cendant Trust to indemnification by the Company and/or a Cendant Trust against certain liabilities, including liabilities under the Securities Act. Agents, dealers and underwriters may also be customers of, engage in transactions with, or perform services for the Company in the ordinary course of their business.

Underwriters, agents or their controlling persons may engage in transactions with and perform services for the Company in the ordinary course of business.

The place and time of delivery for Securities will be set forth in the accompanying Prospectus Supplement for such Securities.

LEGAL OPINIONS

Certain matters of Delaware law relating to the validity of the Preferred Securities will be passed upon on behalf of the Cendant Trusts by Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP. The validity of the Securities offered hereby by the Company will be passed on for the Company by Eric J. Bock, Esq., Vice President--Legal, of the Company. Mr. Bock holds shares of Common Stock and options to acquire shares of Common Stock.

EXPERTS

The consolidated financial statements of the Company and its consolidated subsidiaries, except PHH Corporation ("PHH"), as of December 31, 1996 and for the years ended December 31, 1996 and January 31, 1996 and Cendant Membership Services, Inc. ("CMS") and CUC International Inc. ("CUC") as of December 31, 1997 and January 31, 1997, respectively, and for the year ended December 31, 1997 and the years ended January 31, 1997 and 1996, respectively, incorporated in this Prospectus by reference from the Company's Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 1997, have been audited by Deloitte & Touche LLP, as stated in their report which is incorporated herein by reference. Such financial statements of PHH, before the restatement related to the merger of Cendant Corporation's relocation business with PHH and reclassifications to conform to the presentation used by Cendant Corporation (consolidated with those of the Company) have been audited by KPMG Peat Marwick LLP, independent auditors of PHH Corporation, as stated in their report incorporated herein by reference. The consolidated financial statements of CMS and CUC (consolidated with those of the Company) have been audited by Ernst & Young LLP, as set forth in their report which is incorporated herein by reference, which, as to the year ended January 31, 1996, is based in part on the reports of Deloitte & Touche LLP, independent auditors of Sierra On-Line, Inc., KPMG Peat Marwick LLP, independent auditors of Davidson & Associates, Inc., and Price Waterhouse LLP, independent accountants of Ideon Group, Inc. Such consolidated financial statements of the Company and its consolidated subsidiaries are incorporated by reference herein in reliance upon the respective reports of such firms given upon their authority as experts in accounting and auditing. All of the foregoing firms are independent auditors.

The consolidated financial statements of Avis Rent A Car, Inc. incorporated in this Prospectus by reference from the Current Report on Form 8-K, dated February 6, 1998, filed by Cendant Corporation have been audited by Deloitte & Touche LLP, independent auditors, as stated in their report, which is incorporated herein by reference, and have been so incorporated in reliance upon the report of such firm given upon their authority as experts in accounting and auditing.

PART II
INFORMATION NOT REQUIRED IN PROSPECTUS

ITEM 14. OTHER EXPENSES OF ISSUANCE AND DISTRIBUTION.

Securities and Exchange Commission Registration Fee	\$885,000
Trustee's Expenses	5,000
*Accounting Fees and Expenses	35,000
*Legal Fees and Expenses	10,000
*Miscellaneous	10,000

Total Expenses	\$945,000
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* Estimated for purposes of completing the information required pursuant to this Item 14.

The Company will pay all fees and expenses associated with filing the Registration Statement.

ITEM 15. INDEMNIFICATION OF DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS.

Section 145 of the Delaware General Corporation Law empowers a Delaware corporation to indemnify any person who was or is a party or is threatened to be made a party to any threatened, pending or completed action, suit or proceeding, whether civil, criminal, administrative or investigative (other than an action by or in the right of such corporation) by reason of the fact that such person is or was a director, officer, employee or agent of such corporation or is or was serving at the request of such corporation as a director, officer, employee or agent of another corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust or other enterprise. The indemnity may include expenses (including attorneys' fees), judgments, fines and amounts paid in settlement actually and reasonably incurred by such person in connection with such action, suit or proceeding, provided that such person acted in good faith and in a manner such person reasonably believed to be in or not opposed to the best interest of the corporation and, with respect to any criminal action or proceeding, had no reasonable cause to believe such person's conduct was unlawful. A Delaware corporation may indemnify directors, officers, employees and other agents of such corporation in an action by or in the right of a corporation under the same conditions, except that no indemnification is permitted without judicial approval if the person to be indemnified has been adjudged to be liable to the corporation. Where a director, officer, employee or agent of the corporation is successful on the merits or otherwise in the defense of any action, suit or proceeding referred to above or in defense of any claim, issue or matter therein, the corporation must indemnify such person against the expenses (including attorneys' fees) which he or she actually and reasonably incurred in connection therewith.

The Registrant's By-Laws contain provisions that provide for indemnification of officers and directors and their heirs and distributees to full extent permitted by, and in the manner permissible under, the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware.

As permitted by Section 102(b)(7) of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware, registrant's Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation contains a provision eliminating the personal liability of a director to the Registrant or its stockholders for monetary damages for breach of fiduciary duty as a director, subject to certain exceptions.

The Company maintains, at its expense, a policy of insurance which insures its directors and officers, subject to certain exclusions and deductions as are usual in such insurance policies, against certain liabilities which may be incurred in those capacities.

Article IV of the Declaration of Trust for each Trust limits the liability to the Trust and certain other persons and provides for the indemnification by the Trust or the Company of Trustees, the Officers, other employees and certain other persons.

ITEM 16. EXHIBITS AND FINANCIAL STATEMENT SCHEDULES.

(a) Exhibits

EXHIBIT NO.	DESCRIPTION
1.1	Form of Underwriting Agreement (Standard Provisions) for Debt Securities. (Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 1.1 to the Company's Form S-3 Registration Statement No. 333-45227)
1.2	Form of Underwriting Agreement (Standard Provisions) for Common Stock. (Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 1.2 to the Company's Form S-3 Registration Statement No. 333-45227)
1.3	Form of Underwriting Agreement (Standard Provisions) for Preferred Stock. (Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 1.3 to the Company's Form S-3 Registration Statement No. 333-45227)
1.4	Forms of Underwriting Agreement for Offering of Preferred Securities, Stock Purchase Units, Stock Purchase Contracts, Guarantees and Warrants. (To be filed under subsequent Form 8-K, which is incorporated herein by reference)
3.1	Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation of the Registrant (incorporated by reference to Appendix B to the Joint Proxy Statement/Prospectus included as part of the Registration Statement on Form S-4 of the Registrant, Registration No. 333-34517).
3.2	Amended and Restated By-Laws of the Registrant (incorporated by reference to Appendix C of the Registrant's Proxy Statement/Prospectus included as part of the Registration Statement on Form S-4 of the Registrant, Registration No. 333-34517).
4.1	Form of Certificate for the Company's Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share. (Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 4.1 to the Company's Form S-3 Registration Statement No. 333-45227)
4.2	Form of Senior Indenture to be entered into by the Company and The Bank of Nova Scotia Trust Company of New York, as Trustee. (Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 4.2 to the Company's Form S-3 Registration Statement No. 333-45227)
4.3	Form of Subordinated Indenture to be entered into by the Company and The Bank of Nova Scotia Trust Company of New York, as Trustee. (Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 4.3 to the Company's Form S-3 Registration Statement No. 333-45227)
4.4	Certificate of Trust of Cendant Capital II. (Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 4.5 to the Company's Form S-3 Registration Statement No. 333-45227)
4.5	Certificate of Trust of Cendant Capital III. (Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 4.6 to the Company's Form S-3 Registration Statement No. 333-45227)
4.6	Declaration of Trust of Cendant Capital II. (Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 4.8 to the Company's Form S-3 Registration Statement No. 333-45227)
4.7	Declaration of Trust of Cendant Capital III. (Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 4.9 to the Company's Form S-3 Registration Statement No. 333-45227)
4.8	Form of Amended and Restated Declaration of Trust of Cendant Capital II. (Including as Exhibit A-1 the form of Preferred Security)(Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 4.11 to the Company's Form S-3 Registration Statement No. 333-45227)
4.9	Form of Amended and Restated Declaration of Trust of Cendant Capital III. (Including as Exhibit A-1 the form of Preferred Security)(Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 4.12 to the Company's Form S-3 Registration Statement No. 333-45227)
4.10	Form of Preferred Securities Guarantee Agreement by Cendant Corporation with respect to Cendant Capital II. (Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 4.14 to the Company's Form S-3 Registration Statement No. 333-45227)

EXHIBIT NO.	DESCRIPTION
4.11	Form of Preferred Securities Guarantee Agreement by Cendant Corporation with respect to Cendant Capital III. (Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 4.15 to the Company's Form S-3 Registration Statement No. 333-45227)
4.12	Form of Warrant Agreement.**
4.13	Form of Warrant.**
5.1	Opinion of Eric J. Bock, Esq. regarding the legality of the Securities being registered by the Company hereby. (To be filed by subsequent Form 8-K, which is incorporated herein by reference)
5.2	Opinion of Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP regarding the legality of the Securities being registered by the Cendant Trusts hereby. (To be filed by subsequent Form 8-K, which is incorporated herein by reference)
12.1	Statement re: Computation of Consolidated Ratio of Earnings to Fixed Charges.
23.1	Consent of Deloitte & Touche LLP related to the financial statements of Cendant Corporation.
23.2	Consent of Ernst & Young LLP relating to the financial statements of CUC International Inc.
23.3	Consent of KPMG Peat Marwick LLP related to the financial statements of PHH Corporation.
23.4	Consent of Deloitte & Touche LLP relating to the financial statements of Sierra On-Line, Inc.
23.5	Consent of KPMG Peat Marwick LLP relating to the financial statements of Davidson & Associates, Inc.
23.6	Consent of Price Waterhouse LLP relating to the financial statements of Ideon Group, Inc.
23.7	Consent of Deloitte & Touche LLP relating to the financial statements of Avis Rent A Car, Inc.
23.8	Consent of Eric J. Bock (included in Exhibit 5.1). (To be filed by subsequent Form 8-K, which is incorporated herein by reference)
23.9	Consent of Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP (included in Exhibit 5.2). (To be filed by subsequent Form 8-K, which is incorporated herein by reference)
24.1	Power of attorney.
25.1	Form T-1 Statement of Eligibility under the Trust Indenture Act of 1939 of The Bank of Nova Scotia Trust Company of New York, as Trustee for the Senior Debt Securities.
25.2	Form T-1 Statement of Eligibility under the Trust Indenture Act of 1939 of The Bank of Nova Scotia Trust Company of New York, as Trustee for the Subordinated Debt Securities.
25.3	Form T-1 Statement of Eligibility under the Trust Indenture Act of 1939 of Wilmington Trust Company, as Trustee under the Declaration of Trust of Cendant Capital II.
25.4	Form T-1 Statement of Eligibility under the Trust Indenture Act of 1939 of Wilmington Trust Company, as Trustee under the Preferred Securities Guarantee of Cendant Capital II.
25.5	Form T-1 Statement of Eligibility under the Trust Indenture Act of 1939 of Wilmington Trust Company, as Trustee under the Declaration of Trust of Cendant Capital III.
25.6	Form T-1 Statement of Eligibility under the Trust Indenture Act of 1939 of Wilmington Trust Company, as Trustee under the Preferred Securities Guarantee of Cendant Capital IV.

* Previously filed.

** To be filed by amendment.

ITEM 17. UNDERTAKINGS.

(a) The Undersigned Registrants hereby undertake:

(1) To file, during any period in which offers or sales are being made, a post-effective amendment to this Registration Statement, to include any material information with respect to the plan of distribution not previously disclosed in the Registration Statement or any material change to such information in the registration statement;

(2) That, for the purpose of determining any liability under the Securities Act of 1933, each such post-effective amendment shall be deemed to be a new registration statement relating to the securities offered therein, and the offering of such securities at that time shall be deemed to be the initial bona fide offering thereof.

(3) To remove from registration by means of a post-effective amendment any of the securities registered which remain unsold at the termination of the offering.

(b) The undersigned Registrants hereby undertake that, for purposes of determining any liability under the Securities Act of 1933, each filing of each such Registrant's annual report pursuant to Section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (and, where applicable, each filing of an employee benefit plan's annual report pursuant to Section 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934) that is incorporated by reference in the Registration Statement shall be deemed to be a new registration statement relating to the securities offered therein, and the offering of such securities at that time shall be deemed to be the initial bona fide offering thereof;

(h) Insofar as indemnification for liabilities arising under the Securities Act of 1933 may be permitted to directors, officers and controlling persons of the Registrants pursuant to the foregoing provisions, or otherwise, the Registrants have been advised that in the opinion of the Securities and Exchange Commission such indemnification is against public policy as expressed in the Act and is, therefore, unenforceable. In the event that a claim for indemnification against such liabilities (other than the payment by Registrants of expenses incurred or paid by a director, officer or controlling person of such Registrant in the successful defense of any action, suit or proceeding) is asserted by such director, officer or controlling person in connection with the securities being registered, such Registrant will, unless in the opinion of its counsel the matter has been settled by controlling precedent, submit to a court of appropriate jurisdiction the question whether such indemnification by it is against public policy as expressed in the Act and will be governed by the final adjudication of such issue.

(i) The undersigned Registrants hereby undertake that:

(1) For the purposes of determining any liability under the Securities Act of 1933, the information omitted from the form of prospectus filed as part of this registration statement in reliance upon Rule 430A and contained in a form of prospectus filed by the registrant pursuant to Rule 424(b)(1) or (4) or 497(h) under the Securities Act shall be deemed to be part of this Registration Statement as of the time it was declared effective.

(2) For the purpose of determining any liability under the Securities Act of 1933, each post-effective amendment that contains a form of prospectus shall be deemed to be a new registration statement relating to the securities offered therein, and the offering of such securities at that time shall be deemed to be the initial bona fide offering thereof.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, Cendant Corporation certifies that it has reasonable grounds to believe that it meets all of the requirements for filing on Form S-3 and has duly caused this Registration Statement, to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, in the city of Parsippany, State of New Jersey, on April 3, 1998.

CENDANT CORPORATION

By: /s/ James E. Buckman

James E. Buckman
Senior Executive Vice
President,
General Counsel and
Director

POWER OF ATTORNEY

KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS, that each person whose signatures appear below, constitutes and appoints each of James E. Buckman, Stephen P. Holmes and Eric J. Bock, or any of them, each acting alone, his true and lawful attorney-in-fact and agent, with full power of substitution and resubstitution, for such person and in his name, place and stead, in any and all capacities, in connection with the Registrant's Registration Statement in the name and on behalf of the Registrant or on behalf of the undersigned as a director or officer of the Registrant, on Form S-3 under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, including, without limiting the generality of the foregoing, to sign the Registration Statement and any and all amendments (including post-effective amendments) to the Registration Statement, and any subsequent registration statement filed pursuant to Rule 462(b) under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and to file the same, with all exhibits thereto, and other documents in connection therewith, with the Securities and Exchange Commission, granting unto said attorneys-in-fact and agents, and each of them, full power and authority to do and perform each and every act and thing requisite and necessary to be done in connection therewith, as fully to all intents and purposes as they might or could do in person, thereby ratifying and confirming all that said attorneys-in-fact and agents, or any of them, or their or his or her substitute or substitutes, may lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue hereof.

PURSUANT TO THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933, THE REGISTRATION STATEMENT HAS BEEN SIGNED BY THE FOLLOWING PERSONS IN THE CAPACITIES AND ON THE DATES INDICATED.

SIGNATURE -----	TITLE -----	DATE ----
/s/ Walter A. Forbes ----- (Walter A. Forbes)	Chairman of the Board	April 3, 1998
/s/ Henry R. Silverman ----- (Henry R. Silverman)	President, Chief Executive Officer and Director	April 3, 1998
/s/ Michael P. Monaco ----- (Michael P. Monaco)	Vice Chairman, Chief Financial Officer and Director	April 3, 1998
/s/ Scott E. Forbes ----- Scott E. Forbes	Senior Vice President-Finance (Chief Accounting Officer)	April 3, 1998
/s/ Stephen P. Holmes ----- (Stephen P. Holmes)	Vice Chairman and Director	April 3, 1998
----- (Robert D. Kunisch)	Vice Chairman and Director	April 3, 1998
----- (Christopher K. McLeod)	Vice Chairman and Director	April 3, 1998
/s/ Kirk Shelton ----- (E. Kirk Shelton)	Vice Chairman and Director	April 3, 1998

SIGNATURE -----	TITLE -----	DATE ----
/s/ Robert T. Tucker ----- (Robert T. Tucker)	Vice Chairman, Director and Secretary	April 3, 1998
/s/ James E. Buckman ----- (James E. Buckman)	Senior Executive Vice President, General Counsel and Director	April 3, 1998
/s/ John D. Snodgrass ----- (John D. Snodgrass)	Director	April 3, 1998
/s/ Bartlett Burnap ----- (Bartlett Burnap)	Director	April 3, 1998
----- (Leonard S. Coleman)	Director	April 3, 1998
----- (T. Barnes Donnelley)	Director	April 3, 1998
----- (Martin L. Edelman)	Director	April 3, 1998
/s/ Frederick D. Green ----- (Frederick D. Green)	Director	April 3, 1998
/s/ Stephen A. Greyser ----- (Stephen A. Greyser)	Director	April 3, 1998
/s/ Carole G. Hankin ----- (Dr. Carole G. Hankin)	Director	April 3, 1998
----- (The Rt. Hon. Brian Mulroney, P.C., LL.D.)	Director	April 3, 1998
/s/ Robert E. Nederlander ----- (Robert E. Nederlander)	Director	April 3, 1998
/s/ Burton C. Perfit ----- (Burton C. Perfit)	Director	April 3, 1998

SIGNATURE -----	TITLE -----	DATE -----
/s/ Anthony G. Petrello ----- (Anthony G. Petrello)	Director	April 3, 1998
/s/ Robert W. Pittman ----- (Robert W. Pittman)	Director	April 3, 1998
/s/ E. John Rosenwald, Jr. ----- (E. John Rosenwald, Jr.)	Director	April 3, 1998
/s/ Robert P. Rittereiser ----- (Robert P. Rittereiser)	Director	April 3, 1998
/s/ Stanley M. Rumbough, Jr. ----- (Stanley M. Rumbough, Jr.)	Director	April 3, 1998
/s/ Leonard Schutzman ----- (Leonard Schutzman)	Director	April 3, 1998
----- (Robert F. Smith)	Director	April 3, 1998
----- (Craig R. Stapleton)	Director	April 3, 1998

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, Cendant Capital II and Cendant Capital III certify that they have reasonable grounds to believe that they meet all of the requirements for filing on Form S-3 and that they have duly caused this Registration Statement to be signed on their behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, in the City of Parsippany, State of New Jersey on April 3, 1998.

CENDANT CAPITAL II

By: /s/ Michael P. Monaco

Michael P. Monaco,
Trustee

By: /s/ James E. Buckman

James E. Buckman,
Trustee

CENDANT CAPITAL III

By: /s/ Michael P. Monaco

Michael P. Monaco,
Trustee

By: /s/ James E. Buckman

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4.2	Form of Senior Indenture to be entered into by the Company and The Bank of Nova Scotia Trust Company of New York, as Trustee. (Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 4.2 to the Company's Form S-3 Registration Statement No. 333-45227)	
4.3	Form of Subordinated Indenture to be entered into by the Company and The Bank of Nova Scotia Trust Company of New York, as Trustee. (Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 4.3 to the Company's Form S-3 Registration Statement No. 333-45227)	
4.4	Certificate of Trust of Cendant Capital II. (Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 4.5 to the Company's Form S-3 Registration Statement No. 333-45227)	
4.5	Certificate of Trust of Cendant Capital III. (Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 4.6 to the Company's Form S-3 Registration Statement No. 333-45227)	
4.6	Declaration of Trust of Cendant Capital II. (Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 4.8 to the Company's Form S-3 Registration Statement No. 333-45227)	
4.7	Declaration of Trust of Cendant Capital III. (Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 4.9 to the Company's Form S-3 Registration Statement No. 333-45227)	
4.8	Form of Amended and Restated Declaration of Trust of Cendant Capital II. (Including as Exhibit A-1 the form of Preferred Security)(Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 4.11 to the Company's Form S-3 Registration Statement No. 333-45227)	
4.9	Form of Amended and Restated Declaration of Trust of Cendant Capital III. (Including as Exhibit A-1 the form of Preferred Security)(Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 4.12 to the Company's Form S-3 Registration Statement No. 333-45227)	

EXHIBIT NO.	DESCRIPTION	PAGE NO.
4.10	Form of Preferred Securities Guarantee Agreement by Cendant Corporation with respect to Cendant Capital II. (Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 4.14 to the Company's Form S-3 Registration Statement No. 333-45227)	
4.11	Form of Preferred Securities Guarantee Agreement by Cendant Corporation with respect to Cendant Capital III. (Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 4.15 to the Company's Form S-3 Registration Statement No. 333-45227)	
4.12	Form of Warrant Agreement.**	
4.13	Form of Warrant.**	
5.1	Opinion of Eric J. Bock, Esq. regarding the legality of the Securities being registered by the Company hereby. (To be filed by subsequent Form 8-K, which is incorporated herein by reference)	
5.2	Opinion of Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP regarding the legality of the Securities being registered by the Cendant Trusts hereby. (To be filed by subsequent Form 8-K, which is incorporated herein by reference)	
12.1	Statement re: Computation of Consolidated Ratio of Earnings to Fixed Charges.	
23.1	Consent of Deloitte & Touche LLP related to the financial statements of Cendant Corporation.	
23.2	Consent of Ernst & Young LLP relating to the financial statements of CUC International Inc.	
23.3	Consent of KPMG Peat Marwick LLP related to the financial statements of PHH Corporation.	
23.4	Consent of Deloitte & Touche LLP relating to the financial statements of Sierra On-Line, Inc.	
23.5	Consent of KPMG Peat Marwick LLP relating to the financial statements of Davidson & Associates, Inc.	
23.6	Consent of Price Waterhouse LLP relating to the financial statements of Ideon Group, Inc.	
23.7	Consent of Eric J. Bock (included in Exhibit 5.1). (To be filed by subsequent Form 8-K, which is incorporated herein by reference)	
23.8	Consent of Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP (included in Exhibit 5.2). (To be filed by subsequent Form 8-K, which is incorporated herein by reference)	
24.1	Power of attorney.	
25.1	Form T-1 Statement of Eligibility under the Trust Indenture Act of 1939 of The Bank of Nova Scotia Trust Company of New York, as Trustee for the Senior Debt Securities.	
25.2	Form T-1 Statement of Eligibility under the Trust Indenture Act of 1939 of The Bank of Nova Scotia Trust Company of New York, as Trustee for the Subordinated Debt Securities.	
25.3	Form T-1 Statement of Eligibility under the Trust Indenture Act of 1939 of Wilmington Trust Company, as Trustee under the Declaration of Trust of Cendant Capital II.	

EXHIBIT NO.	DESCRIPTION	PAGE NO.
25.4	Form T-1 Statement of Eligibility under the Trust Indenture Act of 1939 of Wilmington Trust Company, as Trustee under the Preferred Securities Guarantee of Cendant Capital II.	
25.5	Form T-1 Statement of Eligibility under the Trust Indenture Act of 1939 of Wilmington Trust Company, as Trustee under the Declaration of Trust of Cendant Capital III.	
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* Previously filed.

** To be filed by amendment.

EXHIBIT 12

CENDANT CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES
 COMPUTATION OF RATIO OF EARNINGS TO FIXED CHARGES (1)
 (DOLLARS IN MILLIONS)

	YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31,				
	1997	1996	1995	1994	1993
Income before income taxes, minority interest and extraordinary loss	\$294.7	\$ 713.7	\$503.3	\$464.3	\$365.9
Plus: Fixed charges	430.4	345.4	295.2	238.6	217.4
Less: Capitalized interest	--	(.6)	--	(.2)	(.4)
Earnings available to cover fixed charges	\$725.1	\$1,058.5	\$798.5	\$702.7	\$582.9
Fixed charges (2):					
Interest, including amortization of deferred loans costs	\$397.0	\$ 317.1	\$273.2	\$219.8	\$198.9
Capitalized interest	--	.6	--	.2	.4
Interest portion of rental payment	33.4	27.7	22.0	18.6	18.1
Total fixed charges	\$430.4	\$ 345.4	\$295.2	\$238.6	\$217.4
Ratio of earnings to fixed charges (3)	1.68x	3.06x	2.70x	2.95x	2.68x

- (1) For the years ended 1993 through 1995, information included for CUC International Inc. and PHH Corporation is based on the fiscal years ended January 31.
- (2) Fixed charges consist of interest expense on all indebtedness (including amortization of deferred financing costs) and the portion of operating lease rental expense that is representative of the interest factor (deemed to be one-third of operating lease rentals).
- (3) For the year ended December 31, 1997, income before income taxes includes non-recurring merger-related costs and other unusual charges in the amount of \$1,147.9 million (\$816.8 million after-tax). Excluding such charges, the ratio of earnings to fixed charges is 4.34x.

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' CONSENT

We consent to the incorporation by reference in this Registration Statement of Cendant Corporation on Form S-3 of our report dated March 30, 1998, appearing in the Annual Report on Form 10-K of Cendant Corporation for the year ended December 31, 1997, and to the reference to us under the heading "Experts" in the Prospectus, which is a part of this Registration Statement.

/s/ Deloitte & Touche LLP
DELOITTE & TOUCHE LLP

Parsippany, New Jersey
March 30, 1998

CONSENT OF INDEPENDENT AUDITORS

We consent to the reference to our firm under the caption "Experts" and to the use of our report dated February 3, 1998 (with respect to the consolidated financial statements, not included herein, of Cendant Membership Services, Inc. and CUC International Inc.), included in the Annual Report (Form 10-K) of Cendant Corporation (formerly "CUC International Inc."), incorporated by reference in the Form S-3 Registration Statement and related Prospectus of Cendant Corporation for the registration of up to \$3,000,000,000 of its Securities.

/s/ Ernst & Young LLP
ERNST & YOUNG LLP

Stamford, Connecticut
March 31, 1998

The Board of Directors
PHH Corporation:

We consent to the incorporation by reference in this Registration Statement of Cendant Corporation on Form S-3 of our report dated April 30, 1997, with respect to the consolidated balance sheet of PHH Corporation and subsidiaries (the "Company") at December 31, 1996 and the related consolidated statements of income, shareholders' equity, and cash flows for the years ended December 31, 1996 and January 31, 1996, before the restatement related to the merger of Cendant Corporation's relocation business with the Company and reclassifications to conform to the presentation used by Cendant Corporation, which report appears in the Annual Report on Form 10-K of Cendant Corporation for the year ended December 31, 1997, which is incorporated by reference in this Registration Statement. We also consent to the reference to our firm under the heading "Experts" in this Registration Statement.

/s/ KPMG Peat Marwick LLP
KPMG Peat Marwick LLP

Baltimore, Maryland
March 30, 1998

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' CONSENT

We consent to the incorporation by reference in this Registration Statement of Cendant Corporation on Form S-3 of our report dated June 24, 1996, related to the consolidated financial statements of Sierra On-Line Inc., which report appears in the Annual Report on Form 10-K of Cendant Corporation for the year ended December 31, 1997, and to the reference to us under the heading "Experts" in the Prospectus, which is a part of this Registration Statement.

/s/ Deloitte & Touche LLP
DELOITTE & TOUCHE LLP

Seattle, Washington
March 30, 1998

CONSENT OF INDEPENDENT AUDITORS

The Board of Directors
Cendant Corporation

We consent to the use of our report incorporated by reference in the Registration Statement of Cendant Corporation on Form S-3 (No. 333-) with respect to the consolidated statements of earnings, shareholders' equity, and cash flows of Davidson & Associates, Inc. and subsidiaries for the year ended December 31, 1995 and to the reference to our firm under the heading "Experts" in the prospectus. Our report appears in the Annual Report on Form 10-K of Cendant Corporation dated March 31, 1998.

/s/ KPMG Peat Marwick LLP
KPMG Peat Marwick LLP

Long Beach, California
March 31, 1998

CONSENT OF INDEPENDENT CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

We hereby consent to the incorporation by reference in the Prospectus constituting part of the Registration Statement on Form S-3 (No. 333-) of Cendant Corporation of our report dated February 2, 1996, relating to the consolidated financial statements of Ideon Group, Inc., which appears on page F-8 in the Annual Report on Form 10-K of Cendant Corporation for the year ended December 31, 1997. We also consent to the reference to us under the heading "Experts" in such Prospectus.

/s/ Price Waterhouse LLP
PRICE WATERHOUSE LLP

Tampa, Florida
March 30, 1998

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' CONSENT

We consent to the incorporation by reference in this Registration Statement of Cendant Corporation on Form S-3 of our report dated May 12, 1997 (August 20, 1997 as to Note 15), related to the consolidated financial statements of Avis Rent A Car, Inc., appearing in the Current Report on Form 8-K of Cendant Corporation filed on February 6, 1998, and to the reference to us under the heading "Experts" in the Prospectus, which is a part of this Registration Statement.

/s/ Deloitte & Touche LLP
DELOITTE & TOUCHE LLP

New York, New York
March 30, 1998

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM T-1
STATEMENT OF ELIGIBILITY
UNDER THE TRUST INDENTURE ACT OF 1939 OF A
CORPORATION DESIGNATED TO ACT AS TRUSTEE

CHECK IF AN APPLICATION TO DETERMINE
ELIGIBILITY OF A TRUSTEE PURSUANT TO
SECTION 305(B)(2)

THE BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA TRUST COMPANY OF NEW YORK
(Exact name of trustee as specified in its charter)

New York
(State of Incorporation
if not a U.S. national bank)

13-5691211
(I.R.S. employer
Identification number)

One Liberty Plaza
New York, N.Y.
(Address of principal
Executive office)

10006
(Zip code)

CENDANT CORPORATION
(Exact name of obligor as specified in its charter)
DELAWARE
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)
06-0918165
(I.R.S. employer identification no.)
6 Sylvan Way
Parsippany, N.J. 07054

(Address of principal executive offices)(Postal Code)

CONVERTIBLE AND NON-CONVERTIBLE
SENIOR DEBT SECURITIES
(Title of the indenture securities)

Item 1. General information

Furnish the following information as to the trustee:

(a) Name and address of each examining or supervising authority to which it is subject.

Federal Reserve Bank of New York
33 Liberty Street
New York, N.Y. 10045

State of New York Banking Department
State House, Albany, N.Y.

(b) Whether it is authorized to exercise corporate trust powers.
The Trustee is authorized to exercise corporate trust powers.

Item 2. Affiliation with the Obligor.

If the obligor is an affiliate of the trustee, describe each such affiliation.

The obligor is not an affiliate of the Trustee.

Item 16. List of Exhibits.

List below all exhibits filed as part of this statement of eligibility.

Exhibit 1 - Copy of the Organization Certificate of the Trustee as now in effect. (Exhibit 1 to T-1 to Registration Statement No. 333-6688).

Exhibit 2 - Copy of the Certificate of Authority of the Trustee to commerce business. (Exhibit 2 to T-1 to Registration Statement No. 333-6688).

Exhibit 3 - None; authorization to exercise corporate trust powers is contained in the documents identified above as Exhibit 1 and 2.

Exhibit 4 - Copy of the existing By-Laws of the Trustee. (Exhibit 4 to T-1 to Registration Statement No. 333-6688).

Exhibit 5 - No Indenture referred to Item 4.

Exhibit 6 - The consent of the Trustee required by Section 321 (b) of the Trust Indenture Act of 1939. (Exhibit 6 to T-1 to Registration Statement No. 333-27685).

Exhibit 7 - Copy of the latest Report of Condition of the Trustee as of December 31, 1997.

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Trust Indenture Act of 1939, the Trustee, The Bank of Nova Scotia Trust Company of New York, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York, has duly caused this statement of eligibility to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, all in the City of New York, and State of New York, on the 3rd day of April, 1998.

THE BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA TRUST
COMPANY OF NEW YORK

By: /s/ George E. Timmes

George E. Timmes
Vice President

The Bank of Nova Scotia Trust Company of New York

Legal Title of Bank

New York

City

New York 10006

State Zip Code

FDIC Certificate Number |_|_|_|_|_|

CONSOLIDATED REPORT OF CONDITION FOR INSURED COMMERCIAL
AND STATE-CHARTERED SAVINGS BANKS FOR DECEMBER 31, 1997

ALL SCHEDULES ARE TO BE REPORTED IN THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS. UNLESS OTHERWISE
INDICATED, REPORT THE AMOUNT OUTSTANDING AS OF THE LAST BUSINESS DAY OF THE
QUARTER.

SCHEDULE RC-BALANCE SHEET

	DOLLAR AMOUNTS IN THOUSANDS	C100		
		MIL	THOU	
ASSETS				
1. Cash and balances due from depository institutions:				
a. Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin(1)(2)	RCON	645		1. a.
b. Interest-bearing balances(3)	RCON	0		1. b.
	0061			
	0071			
2. Securities:				
a. Held-to-maturity securities (from Schedule RC-B, column A)	RCON	1 877		2. a.
b. Available-for-sale securities (from Schedule RC-B, column D)	RCON	0		2. b.
	1754			
	1773			
3. Federal funds sold(4) and securities purchased under agreements to resell	RCON	2 500		3.
	1350			
4. Loans and lease financing receivables:				
a. Loans and leases, net of unearned income (from Schedule RC-C)	RCON			4. a.
b. LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses	RCON			4. b.
c. LESS: Allocated transfer risk reserve	RCON			4. c.
d. Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve (item 4.a				
minus 4.b and 4.c)	RCON	0		4. d.
	2122			
	3123			
	3128			
	2125			
5. Trading assets	RCON	0		5.
	3545			
6. Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)	RCON	12		6.
	2145			
7. Other real estate owned (from Schedule RC-M)	RCON	0		7.
	2150			
8. Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies (from Schedule RC-M)	RCON	0		8.
	2130			
9. Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	RCON	0		9.
	2155			
10. Intangible assets (from Schedule RC-M)	RCON	0		10.
	2143			
11. Other assets (from Schedule RC-F)	RCON	117		11.
	2160			
12. a. Total assets (sum of items 1 through 11)	RCON	5 151		12. a.
b. Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	RCON	0		12. b.
c. Total assets and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j) (sum of items 12.a and 12.b)	RCON	5 151		12. c.
	0306			
	0307			

(1) Includes cash items in process of collection and unposted debits.
(2) The amount reported in this item must be greater than or equal to the sum
of Schedule RC-M, items 3.a and 3.b.
(3) Includes time certificates of deposit not held for trading.
(4) Report "term federal funds sold" in Schedule RC, item 4.a. "Loans and
leases, net of unearned income," and in Schedule RC-C, part I.

		DOLLAR AMOUNTS IN THOUSANDS		MIL	THOU
LIABILITIES					
13. Deposits:					
a.	In domestic offices (sum of totals of columns A and C from Schedule RC-E).....	RCON	2	915	13. a.
	(1) Noninterest-bearing(1).....	RCON	2	059	13. a. (1)
	(2) Interest-bearing	RCON		856	13. a. (2)
b.	In foreign offices, Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and IBFs				
	(1) Noninterest-bearing				
	(2) Interest-bearing				
14.	Federal funds purchased(3) and securities sold under agreements to repurchase.....	RCON		0	14.
15. a.	Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury	RCON		0	15. a.
b.	Trading liabilities	RCON		0	15. b.
16.	Other borrowed money (includes mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases):				
a.	With a remaining maturity of one year or less	RCON		0	16. a.
b.	With a remaining maturity of more than one year through three years	RCON		0	16. b.
c.	With a remaining maturity of more than three years	RCON		0	16. c.
17.	Not applicable				
18.	Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding.....	RCON		0	18.
19.	Subordinated notes and debentures(3).....	RCON		0	19.
20.	Other liabilities (from Schedule RC-G).....	RCON		88	20.
21.	Total liabilities (sum of items 13 through 20).....	RCON	3	003	21.
22.	Not applicable				
EQUITY CAPITAL					
23.	Perpetual preferred stock and related surplus.....	RCON		0	23.
24.	Common stock.....	RCON	1	000	24.
25.	Surplus (exclude all surplus related to preferred stock).....	RCON	1	000	25.
26. a.	Undivided profits and capital reserves.....	RCON		148	26. a.
b.	Net unrealized holding gains (losses) on available-for-sale securities.....	RCON		0	26. b.
27.	Cumulative foreign currency translation adjustments.....				
28. a.	Total equity capital (sum of items 23 through 27).....	RCON	2	148	28. a.
b.	Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j).....	RCON		0	28. b.
c.	Total equity capital and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j) (sum of items 28.a and 28.b).....	RCON	2	148	28. c.
29.	Total liabilities, equity capital, and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j) (sum of items 21 and 28.c).....	RCON	5	151	29.

Memorandum

To be reported only with the March Report of Condition.

1. Indicate in the box at the right the number of the statement below that best describes the most comprehensive level of auditing work performed for the bank by independent external auditors as of any date during 1996.....

- 1 = Independent audit of the bank conducted in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards by a certified public accounting firm which submits a report on the bank
- 2 = Independent audit of the bank's parent holding company conducted in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards by a certified public accounting firm which submits a report on the consolidated holding company (but not on the bank separately)
- 3 = Directors' examination of the bank conducted in accordance with

generally accepted auditing standards by a certified public accounting firm (may be required by state chartering authority)

4 = Directors' examination of the bank performed by other external auditors (may be required by state chartering authority)

5 = Review of the bank's financial statements by external auditors

6 = Compilation of the bank's financial statements by external auditors

7 = Other audit procedures (excluding tax preparation work)

8 = No external audit work

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(1) Includes total demand deposits and noninterest-bearing time and savings deposits.

(2) Report "term federal funds purchased" in Schedule RC, Item 16, "Other borrowed money."

(3) Includes limited-life preferred stock and related surplus.

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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UNDER THE TRUST INDENTURE ACT OF 1939 OF A
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CHECK IF AN APPLICATION TO DETERMINE
ELIGIBILITY OF A TRUSTEE PURSUANT TO
SECTION 305(B)(2)

THE BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA TRUST COMPANY OF NEW YORK
(Exact name of trustee as specified in its charter)

New York
(State of Incorporation
if not a U.S. national bank)

13-5691211
(I.R.S. employer
Identification number)

One Liberty Plaza
New York, N.Y.
(Address of principal
Executive office)

10006
(Zip code)

CENDANT CORPORATION
(Exact name of obligor as specified in its charter)
DELAWARE
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)
06-0918165
(I.R.S. employer identification no.)
6 Sylvan Way
Parsippany, N.J. 07054
(Address of principal executive offices)(Postal Code)

CONVERTIBLE AND NON-CONVERTIBLE
SUBORDINATED DEBT SECURITIES
(Title of the indenture securities)

Item 1. General information

Furnish the following information as to the trustee:

(a) Name and address of each examining or supervising authority to which it is subject.

Federal Reserve Bank of New York
33 Liberty Street
New York, N.Y. 10045

State of New York Banking Department
State House, Albany, N.Y.

(b) Whether it is authorized to exercise corporate trust powers.
The Trustee is authorized to exercise corporate trust powers.

Item 2. Affiliation with the Obligor.

If the obligor is an affiliate of the trustee, describe each such affiliation.

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List below all exhibits filed as part of this statement of eligibility.

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Exhibit 2 - Copy of the Certificate of Authority of the Trustee to commerce business. (Exhibit 2 to T-1 to Registration Statement No. 333-6688).

Exhibit 3 - None; authorization to exercise corporate trust powers is contained in the documents identified above as Exhibit 1 and 2.

Exhibit 4 - Copy of the existing By-Laws of the Trustee. (Exhibit 4 to T-1 to Registration Statement No. 333-6688).

Exhibit 5 - No Indenture referred to Item 4.

Exhibit 6 - The consent of the Trustee required by Section 321 (b) of the Trust Indenture Act of 1939. (Exhibit 6 to T-1 to Registration Statement No. 333-27685).

Exhibit 7 - Copy of the latest Report of Condition of the Trustee as of December 31, 1997.

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Trust Indenture Act of 1939, the Trustee, The Bank of Nova Scotia Trust Company of New York, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York, has duly caused this statement of eligibility to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, all in the City of New York, and State of New York, on the 3rd day of April, 1998.

THE BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA TRUST
COMPANY OF NEW YORK

By: /s/ George E. Timmes

George E. Timmes
Vice President

The Bank of Nova Scotia Trust Company of New York

Legal Title of Bank

New York

City

New York

10006

State

Zip Code

FDIC Certificate Number |_|_|_|_|_|

CONSOLIDATED REPORT OF CONDITION FOR INSURED COMMERCIAL AND STATE-CHARTERED SAVINGS BANKS FOR DECEMBER 31, 1997

ALL SCHEDULES ARE TO BE REPORTED IN THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS. UNLESS OTHERWISE INDICATED, REPORT THE AMOUNT OUTSTANDING AS OF THE LAST BUSINESS DAY OF THE QUARTER.

SCHEDULE RC-BALANCE SHEET

	DOLLAR AMOUNTS IN THOUSANDS	C100	
		MIL	THOU
ASSETS			
1. Cash and balances due from depository institutions:			
a. Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin(1)(2)	RCON 0061	645	1. a.
b. Interest-bearing balances(3)	RCON 0071	0	1. b.
2. Securities:			
a. Held-to-maturity securities (from Schedule RC-B, column A)	RCON 1754	1 877	2. a.
b. Available-for-sale securities (from Schedule RC-B, column D)	RCON 1773	0	2. b.
3. Federal funds sold(4) and securities purchased under agreements to resell	RCON 1350	2 500	3.
4. Loans and lease financing receivables:			
a. Loans and leases, net of unearned income (from Schedule RC-C)	RCON 2122		4. a.
b. LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses	RCON 3123		4. b.
c. LESS: Allocated transfer risk reserve	RCON 3128		4. c.
d. Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve (item 4.a minus 4.b and 4.c)	RCON 2125	0	4. d.
5. Trading assets	RCON 3545	0	5.
6. Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)	RCON 2145	12	6.
7. Other real estate owned (from Schedule RC-M)	RCON 2150	0	7.
8. Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies (from Schedule RC-M)	RCON 2130	0	8.
9. Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	RCON 2155	0	9.
10. Intangible assets (from Schedule RC-M)	RCON 2143	0	10.
11. Other assets (from Schedule RC-F)	RCON 2160	117	11.
12. a. Total assets (sum of items 1 through 11)	RCON 2170	5 151	12. a.
b. Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j)	RCON 0306	0	12. b.
c. Total assets and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j) (sum of items 12.a and 12.b)	RCON 0307	5 151	12. c.

(1) Includes cash items in process of collection and unposted debits.
(2) The amount reported in this item must be greater than or equal to the sum of Schedule RC-M, items 3.a and 3.b.
(3) Includes time certificates of deposit not held for trading.
(4) Report "term federal funds sold" in Schedule RC, item 4.a. "Loans and leases, net of unearned income," and in Schedule RC-C, part I.

DOLLAR AMOUNTS IN THOUSANDS MIL THOU

LIABILITIES

13. Deposits:

a. In domestic offices (sum of totals of columns A and C from Schedule RC-E).....	RCON	2	915	13. a.
	2200			
(1) Noninterest-bearing(1).....	RCON	2	059	13. a.(1)
	6631			
(2) Interest-bearing	RCON		856	13. a.(2)
	6636			
b. In foreign offices, Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and IBFs				
(1) Noninterest-bearing				
(2) Interest-bearing				

14. Federal funds purchased(3) and securities sold under agreements to repurchase.....	RCON		0	14.
	2800			
15. a. Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury	RCON		0	15. a.
	2840			
b. Trading liabilities	RCON		0	15. b.
	3548			

16. Other borrowed money (includes mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases):				
a. With a remaining maturity of one year or less	RCON		0	16. a.
	2332			
b. With a remaining maturity of more than one year through three years	RCON		0	16. b.
	A547			
c. With a remaining maturity of more than three years	RCON		0	16. c.
	A548			

17. Not applicable

18. Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding.....	RCON		0	18.
	2920			

19. Subordinated notes and debentures(3).....	RCON		0	19.
	3200			

20. Other liabilities (from Schedule RC-G).....	RCON		88	20.
	2930			

21. Total liabilities (sum of items 13 through 20).....	RCON	3	003	21.
	2948			

22. Not applicable

EQUITY CAPITAL

23. Perpetual preferred stock and related surplus.....	RCON		0	23.
	3838			

24. Common stock.....	RCON	1	000	24.
	3230			

25. Surplus (exclude all surplus related to preferred stock).....	RCON	1	000	25.
	3839			

26. a. Undivided profits and capital reserves.....	RCON		148	26. a.
	3632			

b. Net unrealized holding gains (losses) on available-for-sale securities.....	RCON		0	26. b.
	8434			

27. Cumulative foreign currency translation adjustments.....

28. a. Total equity capital (sum of items 23 through 27).....	RCON	2	148	28. a.
	3210			

b. Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j).....	RCON		0	28. b.
	0306			

c. Total equity capital and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j) (sum of items 28.a and 28.b).....	RCON	2	148	28. c.
	3559			

29. Total liabilities, equity capital, and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j) (sum of items 21 and 28.c).....	RCON	5	151	29.
	2257			

Memorandum

To be reported only with the March Report of Condition.

Number

1. Indicate in the box at the right the number of the statement below that best describes the most comprehensive level of auditing work performed for the bank by independent external auditors as of any date during 1996.....	RCON	M.1.
	6724	

- 1 = Independent audit of the bank conducted in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards by a certified public accounting firm which submits a report on the bank
- 2 = Independent audit of the bank's parent holding company conducted in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards by a certified public accounting firm which submits a report on the consolidated holding company (but not on the bank separately)
- 3 = Directors' examination of the bank conducted in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards by a certified public accounting firm (may be required by state chartering authority)

- 4 = Directors' examination of the bank performed by other external auditors
(may be required by state chartering authority)
- 5 = Review of the bank's financial statements by external auditors
- 6 = Compilation of the bank's financial statements by external auditors
- 7 = Other audit procedures (excluding tax preparation work)
- 8 = No external audit work

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- (1) Includes total demand deposits and noninterest-bearing time and savings deposits.
- (2) Report "term federal funds purchased" in Schedule RC, Item 16, "Other borrowed money."
- (3) Includes limited-life preferred stock and related surplus.

Registration No.

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM T-1

STATEMENT OF ELIGIBILITY UNDER THE TRUST INDENTURE ACT OF 1939
OF A CORPORATION DESIGNATED TO ACT AS TRUSTEE

CHECK IF AN APPLICATION TO DETERMINE ELIGIBILITY OF A TRUSTEE PURSUANT TO
SECTION 305(B)(2) X

WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY
(Exact name of trustee as specified in its charter)

Delaware 51-0055023
(State of incorporation) (I.R.S. employer identification no.)

Rodney Square North
1100 North Market Street
Wilmington, Delaware 19890
(Address of principal executive offices)

Cynthia L. Corliss
Vice President and Trust Counsel
Wilmington Trust Company
Rodney Square North
Wilmington, Delaware 19890
(302) 651-8516
(Name, address and telephone number of agent for service)

CENDANT CORPORATION
CENDANT CAPITAL II

(Exact name of obligor as specified in its charter)

Delaware 06-0918165
Delaware 22-3565323
(State of incorporation) (I.R.S. employer identification no.)

9 Sylvan Way
Parsippany, New Jersey 07054
(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Preferred Securities of Cendant Capital II
(Title of the indenture securities)

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ITEM 1. GENERAL INFORMATION.

Furnish the following information as to the trustee:

- (a) Name and address of each examining or supervising authority to which it is subject.

Federal Deposit Insurance Co. State Bank Commissioner
Five Penn Center Dover, Delaware
Suite #2901
Philadelphia, PA

- (b) Whether it is authorized to exercise corporate trust powers.

The trustee is authorized to exercise corporate trust powers.

ITEM 2. AFFILIATIONS WITH THE OBLIGOR.

If the obligor is an affiliate of the trustee, describe each affiliation:

Based upon an examination of the books and records of the trustee and upon information furnished by the obligor, the obligor is not an affiliate of the trustee.

ITEM 3. LIST OF EXHIBITS.

List below all exhibits filed as part of this Statement of Eligibility and Qualification.

- A. Copy of the Charter of Wilmington Trust Company, which includes the certificate of authority of Wilmington Trust Company to commence business and the authorization of Wilmington Trust Company to exercise corporate trust powers.
- B. Copy of By-Laws of Wilmington Trust Company.
- C. Consent of Wilmington Trust Company required by Section 321(b) of Trust Indenture Act.
- D. Copy of most recent Report of Condition of Wilmington Trust Company.

Pursuant to the requirements of the Trust Indenture Act of 1939, as amended, the trustee, Wilmington Trust Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of Delaware, has duly caused this Statement of Eligibility to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, all in the City of Wilmington and State of Delaware on the 1st day of April, 1998.

WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY

[SEAL]

Attest: /s/ Linda M. Barley

By: /s/ David P. Fontello

Assistant Secretary

Name: David P. Fontello
Title: Vice President

EXHIBIT A
AMENDED CHARTER
WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY
WILMINGTON, DELAWARE
AS EXISTING ON MAY 9, 1987

AMENDED CHARTER
OR
ACT OF INCORPORATION
OF
WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY

WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY, originally incorporated by an Act of the General Assembly of the State of Delaware, entitled "An Act to Incorporate the Delaware Guarantee and Trust Company", approved March 2, A.D. 1901, and the name of which company was changed to "WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY" by an amendment filed in the Office of the Secretary of State on March 18, A.D. 1903, and the Charter or Act of Incorporation of which company has been from time to time amended and changed by merger agreements pursuant to the corporation law for state banks and trust companies of the State of Delaware, does hereby alter and amend its Charter or Act of Incorporation so that the same as so altered and amended shall in its entirety read as follows:

FIRST:- The name of this corporation is WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY.

SECOND:- The location of its principal office in the State of Delaware is at Rodney Square North, in the City of Wilmington, County of New Castle; the name of its resident agent is Wilmington Trust Company whose address is Rodney Square North, in said City. In addition to such principal office, the said corporation maintains and operates branch offices in the City of Newark, New Castle County, Delaware, the Town of Newport, New Castle County, Delaware, at Claymont, New Castle County, Delaware, at Greenville, New Castle County Delaware, and at Milford Cross Roads, New Castle County, Delaware, and shall be empowered to open, maintain and operate branch offices at Ninth and Shipley Streets, 418 Delaware Avenue, 2120 Market Street, and 3605 Market Street, all in the City of Wilmington, New Castle County, Delaware, and such other branch offices or places of business as may be authorized from time to time by the agency or agencies of the government of the State of Delaware empowered to confer such authority.

THIRD: - (a) The nature of the business and the objects and purposes proposed to be transacted, promoted or carried on by this Corporation are to do any or all of the things herein mentioned as fully and to the same extent as natural persons might or could do and in any part of the world, viz.:

(1) To sue and be sued, complain and defend in any Court of law or equity and to make and use a common seal, and alter the seal at pleasure, to hold, purchase, convey, mortgage or otherwise deal in real and personal estate and property, and to appoint such officers and agents as the business of the

Corporation shall require, to make by-laws not inconsistent with the Constitution or laws of the United States or of this State, to discount bills, notes or other evidences of debt, to receive deposits of money, or securities for money, to buy gold and silver bullion and foreign coins, to buy and sell bills of exchange, and generally to use, exercise and enjoy all the powers, rights, privileges and franchises incident to a corporation which are proper or necessary for the transaction of the business of the Corporation hereby created.

(2) To insure titles to real and personal property, or any estate or interests therein, and to guarantee the holder of such property, real or personal, against any claim or claims, adverse to his interest therein, and to prepare and give certificates of title for any lands or premises in the State of Delaware, or elsewhere.

(3) To act as factor, agent, broker or attorney in the receipt, collection, custody, investment and management of funds, and the purchase, sale, management and disposal of property of all descriptions, and to prepare and execute all papers which may be necessary or proper in such business.

(4) To prepare and draw agreements, contracts, deeds, leases, conveyances, mortgages, bonds and legal papers of every description, and to carry on the business of conveyancing in all its branches.

(5) To receive upon deposit for safekeeping money, jewelry, plate, deeds, bonds and any and all other personal property of every sort and kind, from executors, administrators, guardians, public officers, courts, receivers, assignees, trustees, and from all fiduciaries, and from all other persons and individuals, and from all corporations whether state, municipal, corporate or private, and to rent boxes, safes, vaults and other receptacles for such property.

(6) To act as agent or otherwise for the purpose of registering, issuing, certificating, countersigning, transferring or underwriting the stock, bonds or other obligations of any corporation, association, state or municipality, and may receive and manage any sinking fund therefor on such terms as may be agreed upon between the two parties, and in like manner may act as Treasurer of any corporation or municipality.

(7) To act as Trustee under any deed of trust, mortgage, bond or other instrument issued by any state, municipality, body politic, corporation, association or person, either alone or in conjunction with any other person or persons, corporation or corporations.

(8) To guarantee the validity, performance or effect of any contract or agreement, and the fidelity of persons holding places of responsibility or trust; to become surety for any person, or persons, for the faithful performance of any trust, office, duty, contract or agreement, either by itself or in conjunction with any other person, or persons, corporation, or corporations, or in like manner become surety upon any bond, recognizance, obligation, judgment, suit, order, or decree to be entered in any court of record within the State of Delaware or elsewhere, or which may now or hereafter be required by any law, judge, officer or court in the State of Delaware or elsewhere.

(9) To act by any and every method of appointment as trustee, trustee in bankruptcy, receiver, assignee, assignee in bankruptcy, executor, administrator, guardian, bailee, or in any other trust capacity in the receiving, holding, managing, and disposing of any and all estates and property, real, personal or mixed, and to be appointed as such trustee, trustee in bankruptcy, receiver, assignee, assignee in bankruptcy, executor, administrator, guardian or bailee by any persons, corporations, court, officer, or authority, in the State of Delaware or elsewhere; and whenever this Corporation is so appointed by any person, corporation, court, officer or authority such trustee, trustee in bankruptcy, receiver, assignee, assignee in bankruptcy, executor, administrator, guardian, bailee, or in any other trust capacity, it shall not be required to give bond with surety, but its capital stock shall be taken and held as security for the performance of the duties devolving upon it by such appointment.

(10) And for its care, management and trouble, and the exercise of any of its powers hereby given, or for the performance of any of the duties which it may undertake or be called upon to perform, or for the assumption of any responsibility the said Corporation may be entitled to receive a proper compensation.

(11) To purchase, receive, hold and own bonds, mortgages, debentures, shares of capital stock, and other securities, obligations, contracts and evidences of indebtedness, of any private, public or municipal corporation within and without the State of Delaware, or of the Government of the United States, or of any state, territory, colony, or possession thereof, or of any foreign government or country; to receive, collect, receipt for, and dispose of interest, dividends and income upon and from any of the bonds, mortgages, debentures, notes, shares of capital stock, securities, obligations, contracts, evidences of indebtedness and other property held and owned by it, and to exercise in respect of all such bonds, mortgages, debentures, notes, shares of capital stock, securities, obligations, contracts, evidences of indebtedness and other property, any and all the rights, powers and privileges of individual

owners thereof, including the right to vote thereon; to invest and deal in and with any of the moneys of the Corporation upon such securities and in such manner as it may think fit and proper, and from time to time to vary or realize such investments; to issue bonds and secure the same by pledges or deeds of trust or mortgages of or upon the whole or any part of the property held or owned by the Corporation, and to sell and pledge such bonds, as and when the Board of Directors shall determine, and in the promotion of its said corporate business of investment and to the extent authorized by law, to lease, purchase, hold, sell, assign, transfer, pledge, mortgage and convey real and personal property of any name and nature and any estate or interest therein.

(b) In furtherance of, and not in limitation, of the powers conferred by the laws of the State of Delaware, it is hereby expressly provided that the said Corporation shall also have the following powers:

(1) To do any or all of the things herein set forth, to the same extent as natural persons might or could do, and in any part of the world.

(2) To acquire the good will, rights, property and franchises and to undertake the whole or any part of the assets and liabilities of any person, firm, association or corporation, and to pay for the same in cash, stock of this Corporation, bonds or otherwise; to hold or in any manner to dispose of the whole or any part of the property so purchased; to conduct in any lawful manner the whole or any part of any business so acquired, and to exercise all the powers necessary or convenient in and about the conduct and management of such business.

(3) To take, hold, own, deal in, mortgage or otherwise lien, and to lease, sell, exchange, transfer, or in any manner whatever dispose of property, real, personal or mixed, wherever situated.

(4) To enter into, make, perform and carry out contracts of every kind with any person, firm, association or corporation, and, without limit as to amount, to draw, make, accept, endorse, discount, execute and issue promissory notes, drafts, bills of exchange, warrants, bonds, debentures, and other negotiable or transferable instruments.

(5) To have one or more offices, to carry on all or any of its operations and businesses, without restriction to the same extent as natural persons might or could do, to purchase or otherwise acquire, to hold, own, to mortgage, sell, convey or otherwise dispose of, real and personal property, of every class and description, in any State, District, Territory or Colony of the United States, and in any foreign country or place.

(6) It is the intention that the objects, purposes and powers specified and clauses contained in this paragraph shall (except where otherwise expressed in said paragraph) be nowise limited or restricted by reference to or inference from the terms of any other clause of this or any other paragraph in this charter, but that the objects, purposes and powers specified in each of the clauses of this paragraph shall be regarded as independent objects, purposes and powers.

FOURTH: - (a) The total number of shares of all classes of stock which the Corporation shall have authority to issue is forty-one million (41,000,000) shares, consisting of:

(1) One million (1,000,000) shares of Preferred stock, par value \$10.00 per share (hereinafter referred to as "Preferred Stock"); and

(2) Forty million (40,000,000) shares of Common Stock, par value \$1.00 per share (hereinafter referred to as "Common Stock").

(b) Shares of Preferred Stock may be issued from time to time in one or more series as may from time to time be determined by the Board of Directors each of said series to be distinctly designated. All shares of any one series of Preferred Stock shall be alike in every particular, except that there may be different dates from which dividends, if any, thereon shall be cumulative, if made cumulative. The voting powers and the preferences and relative, participating, optional and other special rights of each such series, and the qualifications, limitations or restrictions thereof, if any, may differ from those of any and all other series at any time outstanding; and, subject to the provisions of subparagraph 1 of Paragraph (c) of this Article FOURTH, the Board of Directors of the Corporation is hereby expressly granted authority to fix by resolution or resolutions adopted prior to the issuance of any shares of a particular series of Preferred Stock, the voting powers and the designations, preferences and relative, optional and other special rights, and the qualifications, limitations and restrictions of such series, including, but without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the following:

(1) The distinctive designation of, and the number of shares of Preferred Stock which shall constitute such series, which number may be increased (except where otherwise provided by the Board of Directors) or decreased (but not below the number of shares thereof then outstanding) from time to time by like action of the Board of Directors;

(2) The rate and times at which, and the terms and conditions on which, dividends, if any, on Preferred Stock of such series shall be paid, the extent of the preference or relation, if any, of such dividends to the dividends payable on any other class or classes, or series of the same or other class of

stock and whether such dividends shall be cumulative or non-cumulative;

(3) The right, if any, of the holders of Preferred Stock of such series to convert the same into or exchange the same for, shares of any other class or classes or of any series of the same or any other class or classes of stock of the Corporation and the terms and conditions of such conversion or exchange;

(4) Whether or not Preferred Stock of such series shall be subject to redemption, and the redemption price or prices and the time or times at which, and the terms and conditions on which, Preferred Stock of such series may be redeemed.

(5) The rights, if any, of the holders of Preferred Stock of such series upon the voluntary or involuntary liquidation, merger, consolidation, distribution or sale of assets, dissolution or winding-up, of the Corporation.

(6) The terms of the sinking fund or redemption or purchase account, if any, to be provided for the Preferred Stock of such series; and

(7) The voting powers, if any, of the holders of such series of Preferred Stock which may, without limiting the generality of the foregoing include the right, voting as a series or by itself or together with other series of Preferred Stock or all series of Preferred Stock as a class, to elect one or more directors of the Corporation if there shall have been a default in the payment of dividends on any one or more series of Preferred Stock or under such circumstances and on such conditions as the Board of Directors may determine.

(c) (1) After the requirements with respect to preferential dividends on the Preferred Stock (fixed in accordance with the provisions of section (b) of this Article FOURTH), if any, shall have been met and after the Corporation shall have complied with all the requirements, if any, with respect to the setting aside of sums as sinking funds or redemption or purchase accounts (fixed in accordance with the provisions of section (b) of this Article FOURTH), and subject further to any conditions which may be fixed in accordance with the provisions of section (b) of this Article FOURTH), then and not otherwise the holders of Common Stock shall be entitled to receive such dividends as may be declared from time to time by the Board of Directors.

(2) After distribution in full of the preferential amount, if any, (fixed in accordance with the provisions of section (b) of this Article FOURTH), to be distributed to the holders of Preferred Stock in the event of voluntary or involuntary liquidation, distribution or sale of assets, dissolution or winding-up, of the Corporation, the holders of the Common Stock shall be entitled to

receive all of the remaining assets of the Corporation, tangible and intangible, of whatever kind available for distribution to stockholders ratably in proportion to the number of shares of Common Stock held by them respectively.

(3) Except as may otherwise be required by law or by the provisions of such resolution or resolutions as may be adopted by the Board of Directors pursuant to section (b) of this Article FOURTH, each holder of Common Stock shall have one vote in respect of each share of Common Stock held on all matters voted upon by the stockholders.

(d) No holder of any of the shares of any class or series of stock or of options, warrants or other rights to purchase shares of any class or series of stock or of other securities of the Corporation shall have any preemptive right to purchase or subscribe for any unissued stock of any class or series or any additional shares of any class or series to be issued by reason of any increase of the authorized capital stock of the Corporation of any class or series, or bonds, certificates of indebtedness, debentures or other securities convertible into or exchangeable for stock of the Corporation of any class or series, or carrying any right to purchase stock of any class or series, but any such unissued stock, additional authorized issue of shares of any class or series of stock or securities convertible into or exchangeable for stock, or carrying any right to purchase stock, may be issued and disposed of pursuant to resolution of the Board of Directors to such persons, firms, corporations or associations, whether such holders or others, and upon such terms as may be deemed advisable by the Board of Directors in the exercise of its sole discretion.

(e) The relative powers, preferences and rights of each series of Preferred Stock in relation to the relative powers, preferences and rights of each other series of Preferred Stock shall, in each case, be as fixed from time to time by the Board of Directors in the resolution or resolutions adopted pursuant to authority granted in section (b) of this Article FOURTH and the consent, by class or series vote or otherwise, of the holders of such of the series of Preferred Stock as are from time to time outstanding shall not be required for the issuance by the Board of Directors of any other series of Preferred Stock whether or not the powers, preferences and rights of such other series shall be fixed by the Board of Directors as senior to, or on a parity with, the powers, preferences and rights of such outstanding series, or any of them; provided, however, that the Board of Directors may provide in the resolution or resolutions as to any series of Preferred Stock adopted pursuant to section (b) of this Article FOURTH that the consent of the holders of a majority (or such greater proportion as shall be therein fixed) of the outstanding shares of such series voting thereon shall be required for the issuance of any or all other series of Preferred Stock.

(f) Subject to the provisions of section (e), shares of any series of Preferred Stock may be issued from time to time as the Board of Directors of the Corporation shall determine and on such terms and for such consideration as shall be fixed by the Board of Directors.

(g) Shares of Common Stock may be issued from time to time as the Board of Directors of the Corporation shall determine and on such terms and for such consideration as shall be fixed by the Board of Directors.

(h) The authorized amount of shares of Common Stock and of Preferred Stock may, without a class or series vote, be increased or decreased from time to time by the affirmative vote of the holders of a majority of the stock of the Corporation entitled to vote thereon.

FIFTH: - (a) The business and affairs of the Corporation shall be conducted and managed by a Board of Directors. The number of directors constituting the entire Board shall be not less than five nor more than twenty-five as fixed from time to time by vote of a majority of the whole Board, provided, however, that the number of directors shall not be reduced so as to shorten the term of any director at the time in office, and provided further, that the number of directors constituting the whole Board shall be twenty-four until otherwise fixed by a majority of the whole Board.

(b) The Board of Directors shall be divided into three classes, as nearly equal in number as the then total number of directors constituting the whole Board permits, with the term of office of one class expiring each year. At the annual meeting of stockholders in 1982, directors of the first class shall be elected to hold office for a term expiring at the next succeeding annual meeting, directors of the second class shall be elected to hold office for a term expiring at the second succeeding annual meeting and directors of the third class shall be elected to hold office for a term expiring at the third succeeding annual meeting. Any vacancies in the Board of Directors for any reason, and any newly created directorships resulting from any increase in the directors, may be filled by the Board of Directors, acting by a majority of the directors then in office, although less than a quorum, and any directors so chosen shall hold office until the next annual election of directors. At such election, the stockholders shall elect a successor to such director to hold office until the next election of the class for which such director shall have been chosen and until his successor shall be elected and qualified. No decrease in the number of directors shall shorten the term of any incumbent director.

(c) Notwithstanding any other provisions of this Charter or Act of Incorporation or the By-Laws of the Corporation (and notwithstanding the fact that some lesser percentage may be specified by law, this Charter or Act of Incorporation or the By-Laws of the Corporation), any director or the entire Board of Directors of the

Corporation may be removed at any time without cause, but only by the affirmative vote of the holders of two-thirds or more of the outstanding shares of capital stock of the Corporation entitled to vote generally in the election of directors (considered for this purpose as one class) cast at a meeting of the stockholders called for that purpose.

(d) Nominations for the election of directors may be made by the Board of Directors or by any stockholder entitled to vote for the election of directors. Such nominations shall be made by notice in writing, delivered or mailed by first class United States mail, postage prepaid, to the Secretary of the Corporation not less than 14 days nor more than 50 days prior to any meeting of the stockholders called for the election of directors; provided, however, that if less than 21 days' notice of the meeting is given to stockholders, such written notice shall be delivered or mailed, as prescribed, to the Secretary of the Corporation not later than the close of the seventh day following the day on which notice of the meeting was mailed to stockholders. Notice of nominations which are proposed by the Board of Directors shall be given by the Chairman on behalf of the Board.

(e) Each notice under subsection (d) shall set forth (i) the name, age, business address and, if known, residence address of each nominee proposed in such notice, (ii) the principal occupation or employment of such nominee and (iii) the number of shares of stock of the Corporation which are beneficially owned by each such nominee.

(f) The Chairman of the meeting may, if the facts warrant, determine and declare to the meeting that a nomination was not made in accordance with the foregoing procedure, and if he should so determine, he shall so declare to the meeting and the defective nomination shall be disregarded.

(g) No action required to be taken or which may be taken at any annual or special meeting of stockholders of the Corporation may be taken without a meeting, and the power of stockholders to consent in writing, without a meeting, to the taking of any action is specifically denied.

SIXTH: - The Directors shall choose such officers, agent and servants as may be provided in the By-Laws as they may from time to time find necessary or proper.

SEVENTH:- The Corporation hereby created is hereby given the same powers, rights and privileges as may be conferred upon corporations organized under the Act entitled "An Act Providing a General Corporation Law", approved March 10, 1899, as from time to time amended.

EIGHTH: - This Act shall be deemed and taken to be a private Act.

NINTH: - This Corporation is to have perpetual existence.

TENTH: - The Board of Directors, by resolution passed by a majority of the whole Board, may designate any of their number to constitute an Executive Committee, which Committee, to the extent provided in said resolution, or in the By-Laws of the Company, shall have and may exercise all of the powers of the Board of Directors in the management of the business and affairs of the Corporation, and shall have power to authorize the seal of the Corporation to be affixed to all papers which may require it.

ELEVENTH: - The private property of the stockholders shall not be liable for the payment of corporate debts to any extent whatever.

TWELFTH: - The Corporation may transact business in any part of the world.

THIRTEENTH: - The Board of Directors of the Corporation is expressly authorized to make, alter or repeal the By-Laws of the Corporation by a vote of the majority of the entire Board. The stockholders may make, alter or repeal any By-Law whether or not adopted by them, provided however, that any such additional By-Laws, alterations or repeal may be adopted only by the affirmative vote of the holders of two-thirds or more of the outstanding shares of capital stock of the Corporation entitled to vote generally in the election of directors (considered for this purpose as one class).

FOURTEENTH: - Meetings of the Directors may be held outside of the State of Delaware at such places as may be from time to time designated by the Board, and the Directors may keep the books of the Company outside of the State of Delaware at such places as may be from time to time designated by them.

FIFTEENTH: - (a) In addition to any affirmative vote required by law, and except as otherwise expressly provided in sections (b) and (c) of this Article
FIFTEENTH:

(A) any merger or consolidation of the Corporation or any Subsidiary (as hereinafter defined) with or into (i) any Interested Stockholder (as hereinafter defined) or (ii) any other corporation (whether or not itself an Interested Stockholder), which, after such merger or consolidation, would be an Affiliate (as hereinafter defined) of an Interested Stockholder, or

(B) any sale, lease, exchange, mortgage, pledge, transfer or other disposition (in one transaction or a series of related transactions) to or with any Interested Stockholder or any Affiliate of any Interested Stockholder of any assets of the Corporation or any Subsidiary having an aggregate fair market value of \$1,000,000 or more, or

(C) the issuance or transfer by the Corporation or any Subsidiary (in one transaction or a series of related transactions) of any securities of the Corporation or any Subsidiary to any Interested Stockholder or any Affiliate of any Interested Stockholder in exchange for cash, securities or other property (or a combination thereof) having an aggregate fair market value of \$1,000,000 or more, or

(D) the adoption of any plan or proposal for the liquidation or dissolution of the Corporation, or

(E) any reclassification of securities (including any reverse stock split), or recapitalization of the Corporation, or any merger or consolidation of the Corporation with any of its Subsidiaries or any similar transaction (whether or not with or into or otherwise involving an Interested Stockholder) which has the effect, directly or indirectly, of increasing the proportionate share of the outstanding shares of any class of equity or convertible securities of the Corporation or any Subsidiary which is directly or indirectly owned by any Interested Stockholder, or any Affiliate of any Interested Stockholder,

shall require the affirmative vote of the holders of at least two-thirds of the outstanding shares of capital stock of the Corporation entitled to vote generally in the election of directors, considered for the purpose of this Article FIFTEENTH as one class ("Voting Shares"). Such affirmative vote shall be required notwithstanding the fact that no vote may be required, or that some lesser percentage may be specified, by law or in any agreement with any national securities exchange or otherwise.

(2) The term "business combination" as used in this Article FIFTEENTH shall mean any transaction which is referred to any one or more of clauses (A) through (E) of paragraph 1 of the section (a).

(b) The provisions of section (a) of this Article FIFTEENTH shall not be applicable to any particular business combination and such business combination shall require only such affirmative vote as is required by law and any other provisions of the Charter or Act of Incorporation of By-Laws if such business combination has been approved by a majority of the whole Board.

(c) For the purposes of this Article FIFTEENTH:

(1) A "person" shall mean any individual firm, corporation or other entity.

(2) "Interested Stockholder" shall mean, in respect of any business combination, any person (other than the Corporation or any Subsidiary) who or which as of the record date for the determination of stockholders entitled to notice of and to vote on

such business combination, or immediately prior to the consummation of any such transaction:

(A) is the beneficial owner, directly or indirectly, of more than 10% of the Voting Shares, or

(B) is an Affiliate of the Corporation and at any time within two years prior thereto was the beneficial owner, directly or indirectly, of not less than 10% of the then outstanding voting Shares, or

(C) is an assignee of or has otherwise succeeded in any share of capital stock of the Corporation which were at any time within two years prior thereto beneficially owned by any Interested Stockholder, and such assignment or succession shall have occurred in the course of a transaction or series of transactions not involving a public offering within the meaning of the Securities Act of 1933.

(3) A person shall be the "beneficial owner" of any Voting Shares:

(A) which such person or any of its Affiliates and Associates (as hereafter defined) beneficially own, directly or indirectly, or

(B) which such person or any of its Affiliates or Associates has (i) the right to acquire (whether such right is exercisable immediately or only after the passage of time), pursuant to any agreement, arrangement or understanding or upon the exercise of conversion rights, exchange rights, warrants or options, or otherwise, or (ii) the right to vote pursuant to any agreement, arrangement or understanding, or

(C) which are beneficially owned, directly or indirectly, by any other person with which such first mentioned person or any of its Affiliates or Associates has any agreement, arrangement or understanding for the purpose of acquiring, holding, voting or disposing of any shares of capital stock of the Corporation.

(4) The outstanding Voting Shares shall include shares deemed owned through application of paragraph (3) above but shall not include any other Voting Shares which may be issuable pursuant to any agreement, or upon exercise of conversion rights, warrants or options or otherwise.

(5) "Affiliate" and "Associate" shall have the respective meanings given those terms in Rule 12b-2 of the General Rules and Regulations under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as in effect on December 31, 1981.

(6)"Subsidiary" shall mean any corporation of which a majority of any class of equity security (as defined in Rule 3a11-1 of the General Rules and Regulations under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as in effect in December 31, 1981) is owned, directly or indirectly, by the Corporation; provided, however, that for the purposes of the definition of Investment Stockholder set forth in paragraph (2) of this section (c), the term "Subsidiary" shall mean only a corporation of which a majority of each class of equity security is owned, directly or indirectly, by the Corporation.

(d) majority of the directors shall have the power and duty to determine for the purposes of this Article FIFTEENTH on the basis of information known to them, (1) the number of Voting Shares beneficially owned by any person (2) whether a person is an Affiliate or Associate of another, (3) whether a person has an agreement, arrangement or understanding with another as to the matters referred to in paragraph (3) of section (c), or (4) whether the assets subject to any business combination or the consideration received for the issuance or transfer of securities by the Corporation, or any Subsidiary has an aggregate fair market value of \$1,000,000 or more.

(e) Nothing contained in this Article FIFTEENTH shall be construed to relieve any Interested Stockholder from any fiduciary obligation imposed by law.

SIXTEENTH: Notwithstanding any other provision of this Charter or Act of Incorporation or the By-Laws of the Corporation (and in addition to any other vote that may be required by law, this Charter or Act of Incorporation by the By-Laws), the affirmative vote of the holders of at least two-thirds of the outstanding shares of the capital stock of the Corporation entitled to vote generally in the election of directors (considered for this purpose as one class) shall be required to amend, alter or repeal any provision of Articles FIFTH, THIRTEENTH, FIFTEENTH or SIXTEENTH of this Charter or Act of Incorporation.

SEVENTEENTH: (a) a Director of this Corporation shall not be liable to the Corporation or its stockholders for monetary damages for breach of fiduciary duty as a Director, except to the extent such exemption from liability or limitation thereof is not permitted under the Delaware General Corporation Laws as the same exists or may hereafter be amended.

(b) Any repeal or modification of the foregoing paragraph shall not adversely affect any right or protection of a Director of the Corporation existing hereunder with respect to any act or omission occurring prior to the time of such repeal or modification."

EXHIBIT B

BY-LAWS

WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY

WILMINGTON, DELAWARE

AS EXISTING ON JANUARY 16, 1997

BY-LAWS OF WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY

ARTICLE I
STOCKHOLDERS' MEETINGS

Section 1. The Annual Meeting of Stockholders shall be held on the third Thursday in April each year at the principal office at the Company or at such other date, time, or place as may be designated by resolution by the Board of Directors.

Section 2. Special meetings of all stockholders may be called at any time by the Board of Directors, the Chairman of the Board or the President.

Section 3. Notice of all meetings of the stockholders shall be given by mailing to each stockholder at least ten (10) days before said meeting, at his last known address, a written or printed notice fixing the time and place of such meeting.

Section 4. A majority in the amount of the capital stock of the Company issued and outstanding on the record date, as herein determined, shall constitute a quorum at all meetings of stockholders for the transaction of any business, but the holders of a small number of shares may adjourn, from time to time, without further notice, until a quorum is secured. At each annual or special meeting of stockholders, each stockholder shall be entitled to one vote, either in person or by proxy, for each shares of stock registered in the stockholder's name on the books of the Company on the record date for any such meeting as determined herein.

ARTICLE II
DIRECTORS

Section 1. The number and classification of the Board of Directors shall be as set forth in the Charter of the Bank.

Section 2. No person who has attained the age of seventy-two (72) years shall be nominated for election to the Board of Directors of the Company, provided, however, that this limitation shall not apply to any person who was serving as director of the Company on September 16, 1971.

Section 3. The class of Directors so elected shall hold office for three years or until their successors are elected and qualified.

Section 4. The affairs and business of the Company shall be managed and conducted by the Board of Directors.

Section 5. The Board of Directors shall meet at the principal office of the Company or elsewhere in its discretion at such times to be determined by a majority of its

members, or at the call of the Chairman of the Board of Directors or the President.

Section 6. Special meetings of the Board of Directors may be called at any time by the Chairman of the Board of Directors or by the President, and shall be called upon the written request of a majority of the directors.

Section 7. A majority of the directors elected and qualified shall be necessary to constitute a quorum for the transaction of business at any meeting of the Board of Directors.

Section 8. Written notice shall be sent by mail to each director of any special meeting of the Board of Directors, and of any change in the time or place of any regular meeting, stating the time and place of such meeting, which shall be mailed not less than two days before the time of holding such meeting.

Section 9. In the event of the death, resignation, removal, inability to act, or disqualification of any director, the Board of Directors, although less than a quorum, shall have the right to elect the successor who shall hold office for the remainder of the full term of the class of directors in which the vacancy occurred, and until such director's successor shall have been duly elected and qualified.

Section 10. The Board of Directors at its first meeting after its election by the stockholders shall appoint an Executive Committee, a Trust Committee, an Audit Committee and a Compensation Committee, and shall elect from its own members a Chairman of the Board of Directors and a President who may be the same person. The Board of Directors shall also elect at such meeting a Secretary and a Treasurer, who may be the same person, may appoint at any time such other committees and elect or appoint such other officers as it may deem advisable. The Board of Directors may also elect at such meeting one or more Associate Directors.

Section 11. The Board of Directors may at any time remove, with or without cause, any member of any Committee appointed by it or any associate director or officer elected by it and may appoint or elect his successor.

Section 12. The Board of Directors may designate an officer to be in charge of such of the departments or division of the Company as it may deem advisable.

ARTICLE III COMMITTEES

Section 1. Executive Committee

(A) The Executive Committee shall be composed of not more than nine members who shall be selected by the Board of Directors from its own members and who

shall hold office during the pleasure of the Board.

(B) The Executive Committee shall have all the powers of the Board of Directors when it is not in session to transact all business for and in behalf of the Company that may be brought before it.

(C) The Executive Committee shall meet at the principal office of the Company or elsewhere in its discretion at such times to be determined by a majority of its members, or at the call of the Chairman of the Executive Committee or at the call of the Chairman of the Board of Directors. The majority of its members shall be necessary to constitute a quorum for the transaction of business. Special meetings of the Executive Committee may be held at any time when a quorum is present.

(D) Minutes of each meeting of the Executive Committee shall be kept and submitted to the Board of Directors at its next meeting.

(E) The Executive Committee shall advise and superintend all investments that may be made of the funds of the Company, and shall direct the disposal of the same, in accordance with such rules and regulations as the Board of Directors from time to time make.

(F) In the event of a state of disaster of sufficient severity to prevent the conduct and management of the affairs and business of the Company by its directors and officers as contemplated by these By-Laws any two available members of the Executive Committee as constituted immediately prior to such disaster shall constitute a quorum of that Committee for the full conduct and management of the affairs and business of the Company in accordance with the provisions of Article III of these By-Laws; and if less than three members of the Trust Committee is constituted immediately prior to such disaster shall be available for the transaction of its business, such Executive Committee shall also be empowered to exercise all of the powers reserved to the Trust Committee under Article III Section 2 hereof. In the event of the unavailability, at such time, of a minimum of two members of such Executive Committee, any three available directors shall constitute the Executive Committee for the full conduct and management of the affairs and business of the Company in accordance with the foregoing provisions of this Section. This By-Law shall be subject to implementation by Resolutions of the Board of Directors presently existing or hereafter passed from time to time for that purpose, and any provisions of these By-Laws (other than this Section) and any resolutions which are contrary to the provisions of this Section or to the provisions of any such implementary Resolutions shall be suspended during such a disaster period until it shall be determined by any interim Executive Committee acting under this section that it shall be to the advantage of the Company to resume the conduct and management of its affairs and business under all of the other provisions of these By-Laws.

Section 2. Trust Committee

(A) The Trust Committee shall be composed of not more than thirteen members who shall be selected by the Board of Directors, a majority of whom shall be members of the Board of Directors and who shall hold office during the pleasure of the Board.

(B) The Trust Committee shall have general supervision over the Trust Department and the investment of trust funds, in all matters, however, being subject to the approval of the Board of Directors.

(C) The Trust Committee shall meet at the principal office of the Company or elsewhere in its discretion at such times to be determined by a majority of its members or at the call of its chairman. A majority of its members shall be necessary to constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

(D) Minutes of each meeting of the Trust Committee shall be kept and promptly submitted to the Board of Directors.

(E) The Trust Committee shall have the power to appoint Committees and/or designate officers or employees of the Company to whom supervision over the investment of trust funds may be delegated when the Trust Committee is not in session.

Section 3. Audit Committee

(A) The Audit Committee shall be composed of five members who shall be selected by the Board of Directors from its own members, none of whom shall be an officer of the Company, and shall hold office at the pleasure of the Board.

(B) The Audit Committee shall have general supervision over the Audit Division in all matters however subject to the approval of the Board of Directors; it shall consider all matters brought to its attention by the officer in charge of the Audit Division, review all reports of examination of the Company made by any governmental agency or such independent auditor employed for that purpose, and make such recommendations to the Board of Directors with respect thereto or with respect to any other matters pertaining to auditing the Company as it shall deem desirable.

(C) The Audit Committee shall meet whenever and wherever the majority of its members shall deem it to be proper for the transaction of its business, and a majority of its Committee shall constitute a quorum.

Section 4. Compensation Committee

(A) The Compensation Committee shall be composed of not more than

five (5) members who shall be selected by the Board of Directors from its own members who are not officers of the Company and who shall hold office during the pleasure of the Board.

(B) The Compensation Committee shall in general advise upon all matters of policy concerning the Company brought to its attention by the management and from time to time review the management of the Company, major organizational matters, including salaries and employee benefits and specifically shall administer the Executive Incentive Compensation Plan.

(C) Meetings of the Compensation Committee may be called at any time by the Chairman of the Compensation Committee, the Chairman of the Board of Directors, or the President of the Company.

Section 5. Associate Directors

(A) Any person who has served as a director may be elected by the Board of Directors as an associate director, to serve during the pleasure of the Board.

(B) An associate director shall be entitled to attend all directors meetings and participate in the discussion of all matters brought to the Board, with the exception that he would have no right to vote. An associate director will be eligible for appointment to Committees of the Company, with the exception of the Executive Committee, Audit Committee and Compensation Committee, which must be comprised solely of active directors.

Section 6. Absence or Disqualification of Any Member of a Committee

(A) In the absence or disqualification of any member of any Committee created under Article III of the By-Laws of this Company, the member or members thereof present at any meeting and not disqualified from voting, whether or not he or they constitute a quorum, may unanimously appoint another member of the Board of Directors to act at the meeting in the place of any such absent or disqualified member.

ARTICLE IV OFFICERS

Section 1. The Chairman of the Board of Directors shall preside at all meetings of the Board and shall have such further authority and powers and shall perform such duties as the Board of Directors may from time to time confer and direct. He shall also exercise such powers and perform such duties as may from time to time be agreed upon between himself and the President of the Company.

Section 2. The Vice Chairman of the Board. The Vice Chairman of the Board of

Directors shall preside at all meetings of the Board of Directors at which the Chairman of the Board shall not be present and shall have such further authority and powers and shall perform such duties as the Board of Directors or the Chairman of the Board may from time to time confer and direct.

Section 3. The President shall have the powers and duties pertaining to the office of the President conferred or imposed upon him by statute or assigned to him by the Board of Directors. In the absence of the Chairman of the Board the President shall have the powers and duties of the Chairman of the Board.

Section 4. The Chairman of the Board of Directors or the President as designated by the Board of Directors, shall carry into effect all legal directions of the Executive Committee and of the Board of Directors, and shall at all times exercise general supervision over the interest, affairs and operations of the Company and perform all duties incident to his office.

Section 5. There may be one or more Vice Presidents, however denominated by the Board of Directors, who may at any time perform all the duties of the Chairman of the Board of Directors and/or the President and such other powers and duties as may from time to time be assigned to them by the Board of Directors, the Executive Committee, the Chairman of the Board or the President and by the officer in charge of the department or division to which they are assigned.

Section 6. The Secretary shall attend to the giving of notice of meetings of the stockholders and the Board of Directors, as well as the Committees thereof, to the keeping of accurate minutes of all such meetings and to recording the same in the minute books of the Company. In addition to the other notice requirements of these By-Laws and as may be practicable under the circumstances, all such notices shall be in writing and mailed well in advance of the scheduled date of any other meeting. He shall have custody of the corporate seal and shall affix the same to any documents requiring such corporate seal and to attest the same.

Section 7. The Treasurer shall have general supervision over all assets and liabilities of the Company. He shall be custodian of and responsible for all monies, funds and valuables of the Company and for the keeping of proper records of the evidence of property or indebtedness and of all the transactions of the Company. He shall have general supervision of the expenditures of the Company and shall report to the Board of Directors at each regular meeting of the condition of the Company, and perform such other duties as may be assigned to him from time to time by the Board of Directors of the Executive Committee.

Section 8. There may be a Controller who shall exercise general supervision over the internal operations of the Company, including accounting, and shall render to the Board of Directors at appropriate times a report relating to the general condition and internal operations of the Company.

There may be one or more subordinate accounting or controller officers however denominated, who may perform the duties of the Controller and such duties as may be prescribed by the Controller.

Section 9. The officer designated by the Board of Directors to be in charge of the Audit Division of the Company with such title as the Board of Directors shall prescribe, shall report to and be directly responsible only to the Board of Directors.

There shall be an Auditor and there may be one or more Audit Officers, however denominated, who may perform all the duties of the Auditor and such duties as may be prescribed by the officer in charge of the Audit Division.

Section 10. There may be one or more officers, subordinate in rank to all Vice Presidents with such functional titles as shall be determined from time to time by the Board of Directors, who shall ex officio hold the office Assistant Secretary of this Company and who may perform such duties as may be prescribed by the officer in charge of the department or division to whom they are assigned.

Section 11. The powers and duties of all other officers of the Company shall be those usually pertaining to their respective offices, subject to the direction of the Board of Directors, the Executive Committee, Chairman of the Board of Directors or the President and the officer in charge of the department or division to which they are assigned.

ARTICLE V STOCK AND STOCK CERTIFICATES

Section 1. Shares of stock shall be transferrable on the books of the Company and a transfer book shall be kept in which all transfers of stock shall be recorded.

Section 2. Certificate of stock shall bear the signature of the President or any Vice President, however denominated by the Board of Directors and countersigned by the Secretary or Treasurer or an Assistant Secretary, and the seal of the corporation shall be engraved thereon. Each certificate shall recite that the stock represented thereby is transferrable only upon the books of the Company by the holder thereof or his attorney, upon surrender of the certificate properly endorsed. Any certificate of stock surrendered to the Company shall be cancelled at the time of transfer, and before a new certificate or certificates shall be issued in lieu thereof. Duplicate certificates of stock shall be issued only upon giving such security as may be satisfactory to the Board of Directors or the Executive Committee.

Section 3. The Board of Directors of the Company is authorized to fix in advance a record date for the determination of the stockholders entitled to notice of, and to vote at, any meeting of stockholders and any adjournment thereof, or entitled to receive payment of

any dividend, or to any allotment or rights, or to exercise any rights in respect of any change, conversion or exchange of capital stock, or in connection with obtaining the consent of stockholders for any purpose, which record date shall not be more than 60 nor less than 10 days preceding the date of any meeting of stockholders or the date for the payment of any dividend, or the date for the allotment of rights, or the date when any change or conversion or exchange of capital stock shall go into effect, or a date in connection with obtaining such consent.

ARTICLE VI
SEAL

Section 1. The corporate seal of the Company shall be in the following form:

Between two concentric circles the words "Wilmington Trust Company" within the inner circle the words "Wilmington, Delaware."

ARTICLE VII
FISCAL YEAR

Section 1. The fiscal year of the Company shall be the calendar year.

ARTICLE VIII
EXECUTION OF INSTRUMENTS OF THE COMPANY

Section 1. The Chairman of the Board, the President or any Vice President, however denominated by the Board of Directors, shall have full power and authority to enter into, make, sign, execute, acknowledge and/or deliver and the Secretary or any Assistant Secretary shall have full power and authority to attest and affix the corporate seal of the Company to any and all deeds, conveyances, assignments, releases, contracts, agreements, bonds, notes, mortgages and all other instruments incident to the business of this Company or in acting as executor, administrator, guardian, trustee, agent or in any other fiduciary or representative capacity by any and every method of appointment or by whatever person, corporation, court officer or authority in the State of Delaware, or elsewhere, without any specific authority, ratification, approval or confirmation by the Board of Directors or the Executive Committee, and any and all such instruments shall have the same force and validity as though expressly authorized by the Board of Directors and/or the Executive Committee.

ARTICLE IX
COMPENSATION OF DIRECTORS AND MEMBERS OF COMMITTEES

Section 1. Directors and associate directors of the Company, other than salaried officers of the Company, shall be paid such reasonable honoraria or fees for attending meetings of the Board of Directors as the Board of Directors may from time to time determine. Directors and associate directors who serve as members of committees, other than salaried employees of the Company, shall be paid such reasonable honoraria or fees for services as members of committees as the Board of Directors shall from time to time determine and directors and associate directors may be employed by the Company for such special services as the Board of Directors may from time to time determine and shall be paid for such special services so performed reasonable compensation as may be determined by the Board of Directors.

ARTICLE X
INDEMNIFICATION

Section 1. (A) The Corporation shall indemnify and hold harmless, to the fullest extent permitted by applicable law as it presently exists or may hereafter be amended, any person who was or is made or is threatened to be made a party or is otherwise involved in any action, suit or proceeding, whether civil, criminal, administrative or investigative (a "proceeding") by reason of the fact that he, or a person for whom he is the legal representative, is or was a director, officer, employee or agent of the Corporation or is or was serving at the request of the Corporation as a director, officer, employee, fiduciary or agent of another corporation or of a partnership, joint venture, trust, enterprise or non-profit entity, including service with respect to employee benefit plans, against all liability and loss suffered and expenses reasonably incurred by such person. The Corporation shall indemnify a person in connection with a proceeding initiated by such person only if the proceeding was authorized by the Board of Directors of the Corporation.

(B) The Corporation shall pay the expenses incurred in defending any proceeding in advance of its final disposition, provided, however, that the payment of expenses incurred by a Director officer in his capacity as a Director or officer in advance of the final disposition of the proceeding shall be made only upon receipt of an undertaking by the Director or officer to repay all amounts advanced if it should be ultimately determined that the Director or officer is not entitled to be indemnified under this Article or otherwise.

(C) If a claim for indemnification or payment of expenses, under this Article X is not paid in full within ninety days after a written claim therefor has been received by the Corporation the claimant may file suit to recover the unpaid amount of such claim and, if successful in whole or in part, shall be entitled to be paid the expense of prosecuting such claim. In any such action the Corporation shall have the burden of proving that the claimant was not entitled to the requested indemnification of payment of expenses

under applicable law.

(D) The rights conferred on any person by this Article X shall not be exclusive of any other rights which such person may have or hereafter acquire under any statute, provision of the Charter or Act of Incorporation, these By-Laws, agreement, vote of stockholders or disinterested Directors or otherwise.

(E) Any repeal or modification of the foregoing provisions of this Article X shall not adversely affect any right or protection hereunder of any person in respect of any act or omission occurring prior to the time of such repeal or modification.

ARTICLE XI
AMENDMENTS TO THE BY-LAWS

Section 1. These By-Laws may be altered, amended or repealed, in whole or in part, and any new By-Law or By-Laws adopted at any regular or special meeting of the Board of Directors by a vote of the majority of all the members of the Board of Directors then in office.

EXHIBIT C

SECTION 321(B) CONSENT

Pursuant to Section 321(b) of the Trust Indenture Act of 1939, as amended, Wilmington Trust Company hereby consents that reports of examinations by Federal, State, Territorial or District authorities may be furnished by such authorities to the Securities and Exchange Commission upon requests therefor.

WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY

Dated: April 1, 1998

By: /s/ David P. Fontello

Name: David P. Fontello
Title: Vice President

LIABILITIES

Deposits:	
In domestic offices.....	4,034,633
Noninterest-bearing.....	839,928
Interest-bearing.....	3,194,705
Federal funds purchased and Securities sold under agreements to repurchase.....	575,827
Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury.....	61,290
Trading liabilities (from Schedule RC-D).....	0
Other borrowed money:	
With original maturity of one year or less.....	673,000
With original maturity of more than one year.....	43,000
Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding.....	0
Subordinated notes and debentures.....	0
Other liabilities (from Schedule RC-G).....	76,458
Total liabilities.....	5,464,208

EQUITY CAPITAL

Perpetual preferred stock and related surplus.....	0
Common Stock.....	500
Surplus (exclude all surplus related to preferred stock).....	62,118
Undivided profits and capital reserves.....	385,018
Net unrealized holding gains (losses) on available-for-sale securities.....	7,362
Total equity capital.....	454,998
Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, and equity capital.....	5,919,206

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM T-1

STATEMENT OF ELIGIBILITY UNDER THE TRUST INDENTURE ACT OF 1939
OF A CORPORATION DESIGNATED TO ACT AS TRUSTEE

CHECK IF AN APPLICATION TO DETERMINE ELIGIBILITY OF A TRUSTEE PURSUANT TO
SECTION 305(B)(2) X

WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY
(Exact name of trustee as specified in its charter)

Delaware 51-0055023
(State of incorporation) (I.R.S. employer identification no.)

Rodney Square North
1100 North Market Street
Wilmington, Delaware 19890
(Address of principal executive offices)

Cynthia L. Corliss
Vice President and Trust Counsel
Wilmington Trust Company
Rodney Square North
Wilmington, Delaware 19890
(302) 651-8516
(Name, address and telephone number of agent for service)

CENDANT CORPORATION

(Exact name of obligor as specified in its charter)

Delaware 06-0918165
(State of incorporation) (I.R.S. employer identification no.)

9 Sylvan Way
Parsippany, New Jersey 07054
(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Guarantees and backup undertakings of Cendant
Corporation in connection with Preferred Securities of Cendant Capital II
by Cendant Corporation
(Title of the indenture securities)

ITEM 1. GENERAL INFORMATION.

Furnish the following information as to the trustee:

- (a) Name and address of each examining or supervising authority to which it is subject.

Federal Deposit Insurance Co.	State Bank Commissioner
Five Penn Center	Dover, Delaware
Suite #2901	
Philadelphia, PA	

- (b) Whether it is authorized to exercise corporate trust powers.

The trustee is authorized to exercise corporate trust powers.

ITEM 2. AFFILIATIONS WITH THE OBLIGOR.

If the obligor is an affiliate of the trustee, describe each affiliation:

Based upon an examination of the books and records of the trustee and upon information furnished by the obligor, the obligor is not an affiliate of the trustee.

ITEM 3. LIST OF EXHIBITS.

List below all exhibits filed as part of this Statement of Eligibility and Qualification.

- A. Copy of the Charter of Wilmington Trust Company, which includes the certificate of authority of Wilmington Trust Company to commence business and the authorization of Wilmington Trust Company to exercise corporate trust powers.
- B. Copy of By-Laws of Wilmington Trust Company.
- C. Consent of Wilmington Trust Company required by Section 321(b) of Trust Indenture Act.
- D. Copy of most recent Report of Condition of Wilmington Trust Company.

Pursuant to the requirements of the Trust Indenture Act of 1939, as amended, the trustee, Wilmington Trust Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of Delaware, has duly caused this Statement of Eligibility to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, all in the City of Wilmington and State of Delaware on the 1st day of April, 1998.

WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY

[SEAL]

Attest: /s/ Linda M. Barley

Assistant Secretary

By: /s/ David P. Fontello

Name: David P. Fontello
Title: Vice President

EXHIBIT A
AMENDED CHARTER
WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY
WILMINGTON, DELAWARE
AS EXISTING ON MAY 9, 1987

AMENDED CHARTER
OR
ACT OF INCORPORATION
OF
WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY

WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY, originally incorporated by an Act of the General Assembly of the State of Delaware, entitled "An Act to Incorporate the Delaware Guarantee and Trust Company", approved March 2, A.D. 1901, and the name of which company was changed to "WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY" by an amendment filed in the Office of the Secretary of State on March 18, A.D. 1903, and the Charter or Act of Incorporation of which company has been from time to time amended and changed by merger agreements pursuant to the corporation law for state banks and trust companies of the State of Delaware, does hereby alter and amend its Charter or Act of Incorporation so that the same as so altered and amended shall in its entirety read as follows:

FIRST:- The name of this corporation is WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY.

SECOND:- The location of its principal office in the State of Delaware is at Rodney Square North, in the City of Wilmington, County of New Castle; the name of its resident agent is WILMINGTON TRUST Company whose address is Rodney Square North, in said City. In addition to such principal office, the said corporation maintains and operates branch offices in the City of Newark, New Castle County, Delaware, the Town of Newport, New Castle County, Delaware, at Claymont, New Castle County, Delaware, at Greenville, New Castle County Delaware, and at Milford Cross Roads, New Castle County, Delaware, and shall be empowered to open, maintain and operate branch offices at Ninth and Shipley Streets, 418 Delaware Avenue, 2120 Market Street, and 3605 Market Street, all in the City of Wilmington, New Castle County, Delaware, and such other branch offices or places of business as may be authorized from time to time by the agency or agencies of the government of the State of Delaware empowered to confer such authority.

THIRD: - (a) The nature of the business and the objects and purposes proposed to be transacted, promoted or carried on by this Corporation are to do any or all of the things herein mentioned as fully and to the same extent as natural persons might or could do and in any part of the world, viz.:

(1) To sue and be sued, complain and defend in any Court of law or equity and to make and use a common seal, and alter the seal at pleasure, to hold, purchase, convey, mortgage or otherwise deal in real and personal estate and property, and to appoint such officers and agents as the business of the

Corporation shall require, to make by-laws not inconsistent with the Constitution or laws of the United States or of this State, to discount bills, notes or other evidences of debt, to receive deposits of money, or securities for money, to buy gold and silver bullion and foreign coins, to buy and sell bills of exchange, and generally to use, exercise and enjoy all the powers, rights, privileges and franchises incident to a corporation which are proper or necessary for the transaction of the business of the Corporation hereby created.

(2) To insure titles to real and personal property, or any estate or interests therein, and to guarantee the holder of such property, real or personal, against any claim or claims, adverse to his interest therein, and to prepare and give certificates of title for any lands or premises in the State of Delaware, or elsewhere.

(3) To act as factor, agent, broker or attorney in the receipt, collection, custody, investment and management of funds, and the purchase, sale, management and disposal of property of all descriptions, and to prepare and execute all papers which may be necessary or proper in such business.

(4) To prepare and draw agreements, contracts, deeds, leases, conveyances, mortgages, bonds and legal papers of every description, and to carry on the business of conveyancing in all its branches.

(5) To receive upon deposit for safekeeping money, jewelry, plate, deeds, bonds and any and all other personal property of every sort and kind, from executors, administrators, guardians, public officers, courts, receivers, assignees, trustees, and from all fiduciaries, and from all other persons and individuals, and from all corporations whether state, municipal, corporate or private, and to rent boxes, safes, vaults and other receptacles for such property.

(6) To act as agent or otherwise for the purpose of registering, issuing, certificating, countersigning, transferring or underwriting the stock, bonds or other obligations of any corporation, association, state or municipality, and may receive and manage any sinking fund therefor on such terms as may be agreed upon between the two parties, and in like manner may act as Treasurer of any corporation or municipality.

(7) To act as Trustee under any deed of trust, mortgage, bond or other instrument issued by any state, municipality, body politic, corporation, association or person, either alone or in conjunction with any other person or persons, corporation or corporations.

(8) To guarantee the validity, performance or effect of any contract or agreement, and the fidelity of persons holding places of responsibility or trust; to become surety for any person, or persons, for the faithful performance of any trust, office, duty, contract or agreement, either by itself or in conjunction with any other person, or persons, corporation, or corporations, or in like manner become surety upon any bond, recognizance, obligation, judgment, suit, order, or decree to be entered in any court of record within the State of Delaware or elsewhere, or which may now or hereafter be required by any law, judge, officer or court in the State of Delaware or elsewhere.

(9) To act by any and every method of appointment as trustee, trustee in bankruptcy, receiver, assignee, assignee in bankruptcy, executor, administrator, guardian, bailee, or in any other trust capacity in the receiving, holding, managing, and disposing of any and all estates and property, real, personal or mixed, and to be appointed as such trustee, trustee in bankruptcy, receiver, assignee, assignee in bankruptcy, executor, administrator, guardian or bailee by any persons, corporations, court, officer, or authority, in the State of Delaware or elsewhere; and whenever this Corporation is so appointed by any person, corporation, court, officer or authority such trustee, trustee in bankruptcy, receiver, assignee, assignee in bankruptcy, executor, administrator, guardian, bailee, or in any other trust capacity, it shall not be required to give bond with surety, but its capital stock shall be taken and held as security for the performance of the duties devolving upon it by such appointment.

(10) And for its care, management and trouble, and the exercise of any of its powers hereby given, or for the performance of any of the duties which it may undertake or be called upon to perform, or for the assumption of any responsibility the said Corporation may be entitled to receive a proper compensation.

(11) To purchase, receive, hold and own bonds, mortgages, debentures, shares of capital stock, and other securities, obligations, contracts and evidences of indebtedness, of any private, public or municipal corporation within and without the State of Delaware, or of the Government of the United States, or of any state, territory, colony, or possession thereof, or of any foreign government or country; to receive, collect, receipt for, and dispose of interest, dividends and income upon and from any of the bonds, mortgages, debentures, notes, shares of capital stock, securities, obligations, contracts, evidences of indebtedness and other property held and owned by it, and to exercise in respect of all such bonds, mortgages, debentures, notes, shares of capital stock, securities, obligations, contracts, evidences of indebtedness and other property, any and all the rights, powers and privileges of individual

owners thereof, including the right to vote thereon; to invest and deal in and with any of the moneys of the Corporation upon such securities and in such manner as it may think fit and proper, and from time to time to vary or realize such investments; to issue bonds and secure the same by pledges or deeds of trust or mortgages of or upon the whole or any part of the property held or owned by the Corporation, and to sell and pledge such bonds, as and when the Board of Directors shall determine, and in the promotion of its said corporate business of investment and to the extent authorized by law, to lease, purchase, hold, sell, assign, transfer, pledge, mortgage and convey real and personal property of any name and nature and any estate or interest therein.

(b) In furtherance of, and not in limitation, of the powers conferred by the laws of the State of Delaware, it is hereby expressly provided that the said Corporation shall also have the following powers:

(1) To do any or all of the things herein set forth, to the same extent as natural persons might or could do, and in any part of the world.

(2) To acquire the good will, rights, property and franchises and to undertake the whole or any part of the assets and liabilities of any person, firm, association or corporation, and to pay for the same in cash, stock of this Corporation, bonds or otherwise; to hold or in any manner to dispose of the whole or any part of the property so purchased; to conduct in any lawful manner the whole or any part of any business so acquired, and to exercise all the powers necessary or convenient in and about the conduct and management of such business.

(3) To take, hold, own, deal in, mortgage or otherwise lien, and to lease, sell, exchange, transfer, or in any manner whatever dispose of property, real, personal or mixed, wherever situated.

(4) To enter into, make, perform and carry out contracts of every kind with any person, firm, association or corporation, and, without limit as to amount, to draw, make, accept, endorse, discount, execute and issue promissory notes, drafts, bills of exchange, warrants, bonds, debentures, and other negotiable or transferable instruments.

(5) To have one or more offices, to carry on all or any of its operations and businesses, without restriction to the same extent as natural persons might or could do, to purchase or otherwise acquire, to hold, own, to mortgage, sell, convey or otherwise dispose of, real and personal property, of every class and description, in any State, District, Territory or Colony of the United States, and in any foreign country or place.

(6) It is the intention that the objects, purposes and powers specified and clauses contained in this paragraph shall (except where otherwise expressed in said paragraph) be nowise limited or restricted by reference to or inference from the terms of any other clause of this or any other paragraph in this charter, but that the objects, purposes and powers specified in each of the clauses of this paragraph shall be regarded as independent objects, purposes and powers.

FOURTH: - (a) The total number of shares of all classes of stock which the Corporation shall have authority to issue is forty-one million (41,000,000) shares, consisting of:

(1) One million (1,000,000) shares of Preferred stock, par value \$10.00 per share (hereinafter referred to as "Preferred Stock"); and

(2) Forty million (40,000,000) shares of Common Stock, par value \$1.00 per share (hereinafter referred to as "Common Stock").

(b) Shares of Preferred Stock may be issued from time to time in one or more series as may from time to time be determined by the Board of Directors each of said series to be distinctly designated. All shares of any one series of Preferred Stock shall be alike in every particular, except that there may be different dates from which dividends, if any, thereon shall be cumulative, if made cumulative. The voting powers and the preferences and relative, participating, optional and other special rights of each such series, and the qualifications, limitations or restrictions thereof, if any, may differ from those of any and all other series at any time outstanding; and, subject to the provisions of subparagraph 1 of Paragraph (c) of this Article FOURTH, the Board of Directors of the Corporation is hereby expressly granted authority to fix by resolution or resolutions adopted prior to the issuance of any shares of a particular series of Preferred Stock, the voting powers and the designations, preferences and relative, optional and other special rights, and the qualifications, limitations and restrictions of such series, including, but without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the following:

(1) The distinctive designation of, and the number of shares of Preferred Stock which shall constitute such series, which number may be increased (except where otherwise provided by the Board of Directors) or decreased (but not below the number of shares thereof then outstanding) from time to time by like action of the Board of Directors;

(2) The rate and times at which, and the terms and conditions on which, dividends, if any, on Preferred Stock of such series shall be paid, the extent of the preference or relation, if any, of such dividends to the dividends payable on any other class or classes, or series of the same or other class of

stock and whether such dividends shall be cumulative or non-cumulative;

(3) The right, if any, of the holders of Preferred Stock of such series to convert the same into or exchange the same for, shares of any other class or classes or of any series of the same or any other class or classes of stock of the Corporation and the terms and conditions of such conversion or exchange;

(4) Whether or not Preferred Stock of such series shall be subject to redemption, and the redemption price or prices and the time or times at which, and the terms and conditions on which, Preferred Stock of such series may be redeemed.

(5) The rights, if any, of the holders of Preferred Stock of such series upon the voluntary or involuntary liquidation, merger, consolidation, distribution or sale of assets, dissolution or winding-up, of the Corporation.

(6) The terms of the sinking fund or redemption or purchase account, if any, to be provided for the Preferred Stock of such series; and

(7) The voting powers, if any, of the holders of such series of Preferred Stock which may, without limiting the generality of the foregoing include the right, voting as a series or by itself or together with other series of Preferred Stock or all series of Preferred Stock as a class, to elect one or more directors of the Corporation if there shall have been a default in the payment of dividends on any one or more series of Preferred Stock or under such circumstances and on such conditions as the Board of Directors may determine.

(c) (1) After the requirements with respect to preferential dividends on the Preferred Stock (fixed in accordance with the provisions of section (b) of this Article FOURTH), if any, shall have been met and after the Corporation shall have complied with all the requirements, if any, with respect to the setting aside of sums as sinking funds or redemption or purchase accounts (fixed in accordance with the provisions of section (b) of this Article FOURTH), and subject further to any conditions which may be fixed in accordance with the provisions of section (b) of this Article FOURTH), then and not otherwise the holders of Common Stock shall be entitled to receive such dividends as may be declared from time to time by the Board of Directors.

(2) After distribution in full of the preferential amount, if any, (fixed in accordance with the provisions of section (b) of this Article FOURTH), to be distributed to the holders of Preferred Stock in the event of voluntary or involuntary liquidation, distribution or sale of assets, dissolution or winding-up, of the Corporation, the holders of the Common Stock shall be entitled to

receive all of the remaining assets of the Corporation, tangible and intangible, of whatever kind available for distribution to stockholders ratably in proportion to the number of shares of Common Stock held by them respectively.

(3) Except as may otherwise be required by law or by the provisions of such resolution or resolutions as may be adopted by the Board of Directors pursuant to section (b) of this Article FOURTH, each holder of Common Stock shall have one vote in respect of each share of Common Stock held on all matters voted upon by the stockholders.

(d) No holder of any of the shares of any class or series of stock or of options, warrants or other rights to purchase shares of any class or series of stock or of other securities of the Corporation shall have any preemptive right to purchase or subscribe for any unissued stock of any class or series or any additional shares of any class or series to be issued by reason of any increase of the authorized capital stock of the Corporation of any class or series, or bonds, certificates of indebtedness, debentures or other securities convertible into or exchangeable for stock of the Corporation of any class or series, or carrying any right to purchase stock of any class or series, but any such unissued stock, additional authorized issue of shares of any class or series of stock or securities convertible into or exchangeable for stock, or carrying any right to purchase stock, may be issued and disposed of pursuant to resolution of the Board of Directors to such persons, firms, corporations or associations, whether such holders or others, and upon such terms as may be deemed advisable by the Board of Directors in the exercise of its sole discretion.

(e) The relative powers, preferences and rights of each series of Preferred Stock in relation to the relative powers, preferences and rights of each other series of Preferred Stock shall, in each case, be as fixed from time to time by the Board of Directors in the resolution or resolutions adopted pursuant to authority granted in section (b) of this Article FOURTH and the consent, by class or series vote or otherwise, of the holders of such of the series of Preferred Stock as are from time to time outstanding shall not be required for the issuance by the Board of Directors of any other series of Preferred Stock whether or not the powers, preferences and rights of such other series shall be fixed by the Board of Directors as senior to, or on a parity with, the powers, preferences and rights of such outstanding series, or any of them; provided, however, that the Board of Directors may provide in the resolution or resolutions as to any series of Preferred Stock adopted pursuant to section (b) of this Article FOURTH that the consent of the holders of a majority (or such greater proportion as shall be therein fixed) of the outstanding shares of such series voting thereon shall be required for the issuance of any or all other series of Preferred Stock.

(f) Subject to the provisions of section (e), shares of any series of Preferred Stock may be issued from time to time as the Board of Directors of the Corporation shall determine and on such terms and for such consideration as shall be fixed by the Board of Directors.

(g) Shares of Common Stock may be issued from time to time as the Board of Directors of the Corporation shall determine and on such terms and for such consideration as shall be fixed by the Board of Directors.

(h) The authorized amount of shares of Common Stock and of Preferred Stock may, without a class or series vote, be increased or decreased from time to time by the affirmative vote of the holders of a majority of the stock of the Corporation entitled to vote thereon.

FIFTH: - (a) The business and affairs of the Corporation shall be conducted and managed by a Board of Directors. The number of directors constituting the entire Board shall be not less than five nor more than twenty-five as fixed from time to time by vote of a majority of the whole Board, provided, however, that the number of directors shall not be reduced so as to shorten the term of any director at the time in office, and provided further, that the number of directors constituting the whole Board shall be twenty-four until otherwise fixed by a majority of the whole Board.

(b) The Board of Directors shall be divided into three classes, as nearly equal in number as the then total number of directors constituting the whole Board permits, with the term of office of one class expiring each year. At the annual meeting of stockholders in 1982, directors of the first class shall be elected to hold office for a term expiring at the next succeeding annual meeting, directors of the second class shall be elected to hold office for a term expiring at the second succeeding annual meeting and directors of the third class shall be elected to hold office for a term expiring at the third succeeding annual meeting. Any vacancies in the Board of Directors for any reason, and any newly created directorships resulting from any increase in the directors, may be filled by the Board of Directors, acting by a majority of the directors then in office, although less than a quorum, and any directors so chosen shall hold office until the next annual election of directors. At such election, the stockholders shall elect a successor to such director to hold office until the next election of the class for which such director shall have been chosen and until his successor shall be elected and qualified. No decrease in the number of directors shall shorten the term of any incumbent director.

(c) Notwithstanding any other provisions of this Charter or Act of Incorporation or the By-Laws of the Corporation (and notwithstanding the fact that some lesser percentage may be specified by law, this Charter or Act of Incorporation or the By-Laws of the Corporation), any director or the entire Board of Directors of the

Corporation may be removed at any time without cause, but only by the affirmative vote of the holders of two-thirds or more of the outstanding shares of capital stock of the Corporation entitled to vote generally in the election of directors (considered for this purpose as one class) cast at a meeting of the stockholders called for that purpose.

(d) Nominations for the election of directors may be made by the Board of Directors or by any stockholder entitled to vote for the election of directors. Such nominations shall be made by notice in writing, delivered or mailed by first class United States mail, postage prepaid, to the Secretary of the Corporation not less than 14 days nor more than 50 days prior to any meeting of the stockholders called for the election of directors; provided, however, that if less than 21 days' notice of the meeting is given to stockholders, such written notice shall be delivered or mailed, as prescribed, to the Secretary of the Corporation not later than the close of the seventh day following the day on which notice of the meeting was mailed to stockholders. Notice of nominations which are proposed by the Board of Directors shall be given by the Chairman on behalf of the Board.

(e) Each notice under subsection (d) shall set forth (i) the name, age, business address and, if known, residence address of each nominee proposed in such notice, (ii) the principal occupation or employment of such nominee and (iii) the number of shares of stock of the Corporation which are beneficially owned by each such nominee.

(f) The Chairman of the meeting may, if the facts warrant, determine and declare to the meeting that a nomination was not made in accordance with the foregoing procedure, and if he should so determine, he shall so declare to the meeting and the defective nomination shall be disregarded.

(g) No action required to be taken or which may be taken at any annual or special meeting of stockholders of the Corporation may be taken without a meeting, and the power of stockholders to consent in writing, without a meeting, to the taking of any action is specifically denied.

SIXTH: - The Directors shall choose such officers, agent and servants as may be provided in the By-Laws as they may from time to time find necessary or proper.

SEVENTH:- The Corporation hereby created is hereby given the same powers, rights and privileges as may be conferred upon corporations organized under the Act entitled "An Act Providing a General Corporation Law", approved March 10, 1899, as from time to time amended.

EIGHTH: - This Act shall be deemed and taken to be a private Act.

NINTH: - This Corporation is to have perpetual existence.

TENTH: - The Board of Directors, by resolution passed by a majority of the whole Board, may designate any of their number to constitute an Executive Committee, which Committee, to the extent provided in said resolution, or in the By-Laws of the Company, shall have and may exercise all of the powers of the Board of Directors in the management of the business and affairs of the Corporation, and shall have power to authorize the seal of the Corporation to be affixed to all papers which may require it.

ELEVENTH: - The private property of the stockholders shall not be liable for the payment of corporate debts to any extent whatever.

TWELFTH: - The Corporation may transact business in any part of the world.

THIRTEENTH: - The Board of Directors of the Corporation is expressly authorized to make, alter or repeal the By-Laws of the Corporation by a vote of the majority of the entire Board. The stockholders may make, alter or repeal any By-Law whether or not adopted by them, provided however, that any such additional By-Laws, alterations or repeal may be adopted only by the affirmative vote of the holders of two-thirds or more of the outstanding shares of capital stock of the Corporation entitled to vote generally in the election of directors (considered for this purpose as one class).

FOURTEENTH: - Meetings of the Directors may be held outside of the State of Delaware at such places as may be from time to time designated by the Board, and the Directors may keep the books of the Company outside of the State of Delaware at such places as may be from time to time designated by them.

FIFTEENTH: - (a) In addition to any affirmative vote required by law, and except as otherwise expressly provided in sections (b) and (c) of this Article
FIFTEENTH:

(A) any merger or consolidation of the Corporation or any Subsidiary (as hereinafter defined) with or into (i) any Interested Stockholder (as hereinafter defined) or (ii) any other corporation (whether or not itself an Interested Stockholder), which, after such merger or consolidation, would be an Affiliate (as hereinafter defined) of an Interested Stockholder, or

(B) any sale, lease, exchange, mortgage, pledge, transfer or other disposition (in one transaction or a series of related transactions) to or with any Interested Stockholder or any Affiliate of any Interested Stockholder of any assets of the Corporation or any Subsidiary having an aggregate fair market value of \$1,000,000 or more, or

(C) the issuance or transfer by the Corporation or any Subsidiary (in one transaction or a series of related transactions) of any securities of the Corporation or any Subsidiary to any Interested Stockholder or any Affiliate of any Interested Stockholder in exchange for cash, securities or other property (or a combination thereof) having an aggregate fair market value of \$1,000,000 or more, or

(D) the adoption of any plan or proposal for the liquidation or dissolution of the Corporation, or

(E) any reclassification of securities (including any reverse stock split), or recapitalization of the Corporation, or any merger or consolidation of the Corporation with any of its Subsidiaries or any similar transaction (whether or not with or into or otherwise involving an Interested Stockholder) which has the effect, directly or indirectly, of increasing the proportionate share of the outstanding shares of any class of equity or convertible securities of the Corporation or any Subsidiary which is directly or indirectly owned by any Interested Stockholder, or any Affiliate of any Interested Stockholder,

shall require the affirmative vote of the holders of at least two-thirds of the outstanding shares of capital stock of the Corporation entitled to vote generally in the election of directors, considered for the purpose of this Article FIFTEENTH as one class ("Voting Shares"). Such affirmative vote shall be required notwithstanding the fact that no vote may be required, or that some lesser percentage may be specified, by law or in any agreement with any national securities exchange or otherwise.

(2) The term "business combination" as used in this Article FIFTEENTH shall mean any transaction which is referred to any one or more of clauses (A) through (E) of paragraph 1 of the section (a).

(b) The provisions of section (a) of this Article FIFTEENTH shall not be applicable to any particular business combination and such business combination shall require only such affirmative vote as is required by law and any other provisions of the Charter or Act of Incorporation of By-Laws if such business combination has been approved by a majority of the whole Board.

(c) For the purposes of this Article FIFTEENTH:

(1) A "person" shall mean any individual firm, corporation or other entity.

(2) "Interested Stockholder" shall mean, in respect of any business combination, any person (other than the Corporation or any Subsidiary) who or which as of the record date for the determination of stockholders entitled to notice of and to vote on

such business combination, or immediately prior to the consummation of any such transaction:

(A) is the beneficial owner, directly or indirectly, of more than 10% of the Voting Shares, or

(B) is an Affiliate of the Corporation and at any time within two years prior thereto was the beneficial owner, directly or indirectly, of not less than 10% of the then outstanding voting Shares, or

(C) is an assignee of or has otherwise succeeded in any share of capital stock of the Corporation which were at any time within two years prior thereto beneficially owned by any Interested Stockholder, and such assignment or succession shall have occurred in the course of a transaction or series of transactions not involving a public offering within the meaning of the Securities Act of 1933.

(3) A person shall be the "beneficial owner" of any Voting Shares:

(A) which such person or any of its Affiliates and Associates (as hereafter defined) beneficially own, directly or indirectly, or

(B) which such person or any of its Affiliates or Associates has (i) the right to acquire (whether such right is exercisable immediately or only after the passage of time), pursuant to any agreement, arrangement or understanding or upon the exercise of conversion rights, exchange rights, warrants or options, or otherwise, or (ii) the right to vote pursuant to any agreement, arrangement or understanding, or

(C) which are beneficially owned, directly or indirectly, by any other person with which such first mentioned person or any of its Affiliates or Associates has any agreement, arrangement or understanding for the purpose of acquiring, holding, voting or disposing of any shares of capital stock of the Corporation.

(4) The outstanding Voting Shares shall include shares deemed owned through application of paragraph (3) above but shall not include any other Voting Shares which may be issuable pursuant to any agreement, or upon exercise of conversion rights, warrants or options or otherwise.

(5) "Affiliate" and "Associate" shall have the respective meanings given those terms in Rule 12b-2 of the General Rules and Regulations under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as in effect on December 31, 1981.

(6)"Subsidiary" shall mean any corporation of which a majority of any class of equity security (as defined in Rule 3a11-1 of the General Rules and Regulations under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as in effect in December 31, 1981) is owned, directly or indirectly, by the Corporation; provided, however, that for the purposes of the definition of Investment Stockholder set forth in paragraph (2) of this section (c), the term "Subsidiary" shall mean only a corporation of which a majority of each class of equity security is owned, directly or indirectly, by the Corporation.

(d) majority of the directors shall have the power and duty to determine for the purposes of this Article FIFTEENTH on the basis of information known to them, (1) the number of Voting Shares beneficially owned by any person (2) whether a person is an Affiliate or Associate of another, (3) whether a person has an agreement, arrangement or understanding with another as to the matters referred to in paragraph (3) of section (c), or (4) whether the assets subject to any business combination or the consideration received for the issuance or transfer of securities by the Corporation, or any Subsidiary has an aggregate fair market value of \$1,000,000 or more.

(e) Nothing contained in this Article FIFTEENTH shall be construed to relieve any Interested Stockholder from any fiduciary obligation imposed by law.

SIXTEENTH: Notwithstanding any other provision of this Charter or Act of Incorporation or the By-Laws of the Corporation (and in addition to any other vote that may be required by law, this Charter or Act of Incorporation by the By-Laws), the affirmative vote of the holders of at least two-thirds of the outstanding shares of the capital stock of the Corporation entitled to vote generally in the election of directors (considered for this purpose as one class) shall be required to amend, alter or repeal any provision of Articles FIFTH, THIRTEENTH, FIFTEENTH or SIXTEENTH of this Charter or Act of Incorporation.

SEVENTEENTH: (a) a Director of this Corporation shall not be liable to the Corporation or its stockholders for monetary damages for breach of fiduciary duty as a Director, except to the extent such exemption from liability or limitation thereof is not permitted under the Delaware General Corporation Laws as the same exists or may hereafter be amended.

(b) Any repeal or modification of the foregoing paragraph shall not adversely affect any right or protection of a Director of the Corporation existing hereunder with respect to any act or omission occurring prior to the time of such repeal or modification."

EXHIBIT B

BY-LAWS

WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY

WILMINGTON, DELAWARE

AS EXISTING ON JANUARY 16, 1997

BY-LAWS OF WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY

ARTICLE I
STOCKHOLDERS' MEETINGS

Section 1. The Annual Meeting of Stockholders shall be held on the third Thursday in April each year at the principal office at the Company or at such other date, time, or place as may be designated by resolution by the Board of Directors.

Section 2. Special meetings of all stockholders may be called at any time by the Board of Directors, the Chairman of the Board or the President.

Section 3. Notice of all meetings of the stockholders shall be given by mailing to each stockholder at least ten (10) days before said meeting, at his last known address, a written or printed notice fixing the time and place of such meeting.

Section 4. A majority in the amount of the capital stock of the Company issued and outstanding on the record date, as herein determined, shall constitute a quorum at all meetings of stockholders for the transaction of any business, but the holders of a small number of shares may adjourn, from time to time, without further notice, until a quorum is secured. At each annual or special meeting of stockholders, each stockholder shall be entitled to one vote, either in person or by proxy, for each shares of stock registered in the stockholder's name on the books of the Company on the record date for any such meeting as determined herein.

ARTICLE II
DIRECTORS

Section 1. The number and classification of the Board of Directors shall be as set forth in the Charter of the Bank.

Section 2. No person who has attained the age of seventy-two (72) years shall be nominated for election to the Board of Directors of the Company, provided, however, that this limitation shall not apply to any person who was serving as director of the Company on September 16, 1971.

Section 3. The class of Directors so elected shall hold office for three years or until their successors are elected and qualified.

Section 4. The affairs and business of the Company shall be managed and conducted by the Board of Directors.

Section 5. The Board of Directors shall meet at the principal office of the Company or elsewhere in its discretion at such times to be determined by a majority of its

members, or at the call of the Chairman of the Board of Directors or the President.

Section 6. Special meetings of the Board of Directors may be called at any time by the Chairman of the Board of Directors or by the President, and shall be called upon the written request of a majority of the directors.

Section 7. A majority of the directors elected and qualified shall be necessary to constitute a quorum for the transaction of business at any meeting of the Board of Directors.

Section 8. Written notice shall be sent by mail to each director of any special meeting of the Board of Directors, and of any change in the time or place of any regular meeting, stating the time and place of such meeting, which shall be mailed not less than two days before the time of holding such meeting.

Section 9. In the event of the death, resignation, removal, inability to act, or disqualification of any director, the Board of Directors, although less than a quorum, shall have the right to elect the successor who shall hold office for the remainder of the full term of the class of directors in which the vacancy occurred, and until such director's successor shall have been duly elected and qualified.

Section 10. The Board of Directors at its first meeting after its election by the stockholders shall appoint an Executive Committee, a Trust Committee, an Audit Committee and a Compensation Committee, and shall elect from its own members a Chairman of the Board of Directors and a President who may be the same person. The Board of Directors shall also elect at such meeting a Secretary and a Treasurer, who may be the same person, may appoint at any time such other committees and elect or appoint such other officers as it may deem advisable. The Board of Directors may also elect at such meeting one or more Associate Directors.

Section 11. The Board of Directors may at any time remove, with or without cause, any member of any Committee appointed by it or any associate director or officer elected by it and may appoint or elect his successor.

Section 12. The Board of Directors may designate an officer to be in charge of such of the departments or division of the Company as it may deem advisable.

ARTICLE III COMMITTEES

Section 1. Executive Committee

(A) The Executive Committee shall be composed of not more than nine members who shall be selected by the Board of Directors from its own members and who

shall hold office during the pleasure of the Board.

(B) The Executive Committee shall have all the powers of the Board of Directors when it is not in session to transact all business for and in behalf of the Company that may be brought before it.

(C) The Executive Committee shall meet at the principal office of the Company or elsewhere in its discretion at such times to be determined by a majority of its members, or at the call of the Chairman of the Executive Committee or at the call of the Chairman of the Board of Directors. The majority of its members shall be necessary to constitute a quorum for the transaction of business. Special meetings of the Executive Committee may be held at any time when a quorum is present.

(D) Minutes of each meeting of the Executive Committee shall be kept and submitted to the Board of Directors at its next meeting.

(E) The Executive Committee shall advise and superintend all investments that may be made of the funds of the Company, and shall direct the disposal of the same, in accordance with such rules and regulations as the Board of Directors from time to time make.

(F) In the event of a state of disaster of sufficient severity to prevent the conduct and management of the affairs and business of the Company by its directors and officers as contemplated by these By-Laws any two available members of the Executive Committee as constituted immediately prior to such disaster shall constitute a quorum of that Committee for the full conduct and management of the affairs and business of the Company in accordance with the provisions of Article III of these By-Laws; and if less than three members of the Trust Committee is constituted immediately prior to such disaster shall be available for the transaction of its business, such Executive Committee shall also be empowered to exercise all of the powers reserved to the Trust Committee under Article III Section 2 hereof. In the event of the unavailability, at such time, of a minimum of two members of such Executive Committee, any three available directors shall constitute the Executive Committee for the full conduct and management of the affairs and business of the Company in accordance with the foregoing provisions of this Section. This By-Law shall be subject to implementation by Resolutions of the Board of Directors presently existing or hereafter passed from time to time for that purpose, and any provisions of these By-Laws (other than this Section) and any resolutions which are contrary to the provisions of this Section or to the provisions of any such implementary Resolutions shall be suspended during such a disaster period until it shall be determined by any interim Executive Committee acting under this section that it shall be to the advantage of the Company to resume the conduct and management of its affairs and business under all of the other provisions of these By-Laws.

Section 2. Trust Committee

(A) The Trust Committee shall be composed of not more than thirteen members who shall be selected by the Board of Directors, a majority of whom shall be members of the Board of Directors and who shall hold office during the pleasure of the Board.

(B) The Trust Committee shall have general supervision over the Trust Department and the investment of trust funds, in all matters, however, being subject to the approval of the Board of Directors.

(C) The Trust Committee shall meet at the principal office of the Company or elsewhere in its discretion at such times to be determined by a majority of its members or at the call of its chairman. A majority of its members shall be necessary to constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

(D) Minutes of each meeting of the Trust Committee shall be kept and promptly submitted to the Board of Directors.

(E) The Trust Committee shall have the power to appoint Committees and/or designate officers or employees of the Company to whom supervision over the investment of trust funds may be delegated when the Trust Committee is not in session.

Section 3. Audit Committee

(A) The Audit Committee shall be composed of five members who shall be selected by the Board of Directors from its own members, none of whom shall be an officer of the Company, and shall hold office at the pleasure of the Board.

(B) The Audit Committee shall have general supervision over the Audit Division in all matters however subject to the approval of the Board of Directors; it shall consider all matters brought to its attention by the officer in charge of the Audit Division, review all reports of examination of the Company made by any governmental agency or such independent auditor employed for that purpose, and make such recommendations to the Board of Directors with respect thereto or with respect to any other matters pertaining to auditing the Company as it shall deem desirable.

(C) The Audit Committee shall meet whenever and wherever the majority of its members shall deem it to be proper for the transaction of its business, and a majority of its Committee shall constitute a quorum.

Section 4. Compensation Committee

(A) The Compensation Committee shall be composed of not more than

five (5) members who shall be selected by the Board of Directors from its own members who are not officers of the Company and who shall hold office during the pleasure of the Board.

(B) The Compensation Committee shall in general advise upon all matters of policy concerning the Company brought to its attention by the management and from time to time review the management of the Company, major organizational matters, including salaries and employee benefits and specifically shall administer the Executive Incentive Compensation Plan.

(C) Meetings of the Compensation Committee may be called at any time by the Chairman of the Compensation Committee, the Chairman of the Board of Directors, or the President of the Company.

Section 5. Associate Directors

(A) Any person who has served as a director may be elected by the Board of Directors as an associate director, to serve during the pleasure of the Board.

(B) An associate director shall be entitled to attend all directors meetings and participate in the discussion of all matters brought to the Board, with the exception that he would have no right to vote. An associate director will be eligible for appointment to Committees of the Company, with the exception of the Executive Committee, Audit Committee and Compensation Committee, which must be comprised solely of active directors.

Section 6. Absence or Disqualification of Any Member of a Committee

(A) In the absence or disqualification of any member of any Committee created under Article III of the By-Laws of this Company, the member or members thereof present at any meeting and not disqualified from voting, whether or not he or they constitute a quorum, may unanimously appoint another member of the Board of Directors to act at the meeting in the place of any such absence or disqualified member.

ARTICLE IV OFFICERS

Section 1. The Chairman of the Board of Directors shall preside at all meetings of the Board and shall have such further authority and powers and shall perform such duties as the Board of Directors may from time to time confer and direct. He shall also exercise such powers and perform such duties as may from time to time be agreed upon between himself and the President of the Company.

Section 2. The Vice Chairman of the Board. The Vice Chairman of the Board of

Directors shall preside at all meetings of the Board of Directors at which the Chairman of the Board shall not be present and shall have such further authority and powers and shall perform such duties as the Board of Directors or the Chairman of the Board may from time to time confer and direct.

Section 3. The President shall have the powers and duties pertaining to the office of the President conferred or imposed upon him by statute or assigned to him by the Board of Directors in the absence of the Chairman of the Board the President shall have the powers and duties of the Chairman of the Board.

Section 4. The Chairman of the Board of Directors or the President as designated by the Board of Directors, shall carry into effect all legal directions of the Executive Committee and of the Board of Directors, and shall at all times exercise general supervision over the interest, affairs and operations of the Company and perform all duties incident to his office.

Section 5. There may be one or more Vice Presidents, however denominated by the Board of Directors, who may at any time perform all the duties of the Chairman of the Board of Directors and/or the President and such other powers and duties as may from time to time be assigned to them by the Board of Directors, the Executive Committee, the Chairman of the Board or the President and by the officer in charge of the department or division to which they are assigned.

Section 6. The Secretary shall attend to the giving of notice of meetings of the stockholders and the Board of Directors, as well as the Committees thereof, to the keeping of accurate minutes of all such meetings and to recording the same in the minute books of the Company. In addition to the other notice requirements of these By-Laws and as may be practicable under the circumstances, all such notices shall be in writing and mailed well in advance of the scheduled date of any other meeting. He shall have custody of the corporate seal and shall affix the same to any documents requiring such corporate seal and to attest the same.

Section 7. The Treasurer shall have general supervision over all assets and liabilities of the Company. He shall be custodian of and responsible for all monies, funds and valuables of the Company and for the keeping of proper records of the evidence of property or indebtedness and of all the transactions of the Company. He shall have general supervision of the expenditures of the Company and shall report to the Board of Directors at each regular meeting of the condition of the Company, and perform such other duties as may be assigned to him from time to time by the Board of Directors of the Executive Committee.

Section 8. There may be a Controller who shall exercise general supervision over the internal operations of the Company, including accounting, and shall render to the Board of Directors at appropriate times a report relating to the general condition and internal operations of the Company.

There may be one or more subordinate accounting or controller officers however denominated, who may perform the duties of the Controller and such duties as may be prescribed by the Controller.

Section 9. The officer designated by the Board of Directors to be in charge of the Audit Division of the Company with such title as the Board of Directors shall prescribe, shall report to and be directly responsible only to the Board of Directors.

There shall be an Auditor and there may be one or more Audit Officers, however denominated, who may perform all the duties of the Auditor and such duties as may be prescribed by the officer in charge of the Audit Division.

Section 10. There may be one or more officers, subordinate in rank to all Vice Presidents with such functional titles as shall be determined from time to time by the Board of Directors, who shall ex officio hold the office Assistant Secretary of this Company and who may perform such duties as may be prescribed by the officer in charge of the department or division to whom they are assigned.

Section 11. The powers and duties of all other officers of the Company shall be those usually pertaining to their respective offices, subject to the direction of the Board of Directors, the Executive Committee, Chairman of the Board of Directors or the President and the officer in charge of the department or division to which they are assigned.

ARTICLE V STOCK AND STOCK CERTIFICATES

Section 1. Shares of stock shall be transferrable on the books of the Company and a transfer book shall be kept in which all transfers of stock shall be recorded.

Section 2. Certificate of stock shall bear the signature of the President or any Vice President, however denominated by the Board of Directors and countersigned by the Secretary or Treasurer or an Assistant Secretary, and the seal of the corporation shall be engraved thereon. Each certificate shall recite that the stock represented thereby is transferrable only upon the books of the Company by the holder thereof or his attorney, upon surrender of the certificate properly endorsed. Any certificate of stock surrendered to the Company shall be cancelled at the time of transfer, and before a new certificate or certificates shall be issued in lieu thereof. Duplicate certificates of stock shall be issued only upon giving such security as may be satisfactory to the Board of Directors or the Executive Committee.

Section 3. The Board of Directors of the Company is authorized to fix in advance a record date for the determination of the stockholders entitled to notice of, and to vote at, any meeting of stockholders and any adjournment thereof, or entitled to receive payment of

any dividend, or to any allotment or rights, or to exercise any rights in respect of any change, conversion or exchange of capital stock, or in connection with obtaining the consent of stockholders for any purpose, which record date shall not be more than 60 nor less than 10 days proceeding the date of any meeting of stockholders or the date for the payment of any dividend, or the date for the allotment of rights, or the date when any change or conversion or exchange of capital stock shall go into effect, or a date in connection with obtaining such consent.

ARTICLE VI
SEAL

Section 1. The corporate seal of the Company shall be in the following form:

Between two concentric circles the words "Wilmington Trust Company" within the inner circle the words "Wilmington, Delaware."

ARTICLE VII
FISCAL YEAR

Section 1. The fiscal year of the Company shall be the calendar year.

ARTICLE VIII
EXECUTION OF INSTRUMENTS OF THE COMPANY

Section 1. The Chairman of the Board, the President or any Vice President, however denominated by the Board of Directors, shall have full power and authority to enter into, make, sign, execute, acknowledge and/or deliver and the Secretary or any Assistant Secretary shall have full power and authority to attest and affix the corporate seal of the Company to any and all deeds, conveyances, assignments, releases, contracts, agreements, bonds, notes, mortgages and all other instruments incident to the business of this Company or in acting as executor, administrator, guardian, trustee, agent or in any other fiduciary or representative capacity by any and every method of appointment or by whatever person, corporation, court officer or authority in the State of Delaware, or elsewhere, without any specific authority, ratification, approval or confirmation by the Board of Directors or the Executive Committee, and any and all such instruments shall have the same force and validity as though expressly authorized by the Board of Directors and/or the Executive Committee.

ARTICLE IX
COMPENSATION OF DIRECTORS AND MEMBERS OF COMMITTEES

Section 1. Directors and associate directors of the Company, other than salaried officers of the Company, shall be paid such reasonable honoraria or fees for attending meetings of the Board of Directors as the Board of Directors may from time to time determine. Directors and associate directors who serve as members of committees, other than salaried employees of the Company, shall be paid such reasonable honoraria or fees for services as members of committees as the Board of Directors shall from time to time determine and directors and associate directors may be employed by the Company for such special services as the Board of Directors may from time to time determine and shall be paid for such special services so performed reasonable compensation as may be determined by the Board of Directors.

ARTICLE X
INDEMNIFICATION

Section 1. (A) The Corporation shall indemnify and hold harmless, to the fullest extent permitted by applicable law as it presently exists or may hereafter be amended, any person who was or is made or is threatened to be made a party or is otherwise involved in any action, suit or proceeding, whether civil, criminal, administrative or investigative (a "proceeding") by reason of the fact that he, or a person for whom he is the legal representative, is or was a director, officer, employee or agent of the Corporation or is or was serving at the request of the Corporation as a director, officer, employee, fiduciary or agent of another corporation or of a partnership, joint venture, trust, enterprise or non-profit entity, including service with respect to employee benefit plans, against all liability and loss suffered and expenses reasonably incurred by such person. The Corporation shall indemnify a person in connection with a proceeding initiated by such person only if the proceeding was authorized by the Board of Directors of the Corporation.

(B) The Corporation shall pay the expenses incurred in defending any proceeding in advance of its final disposition, provided, however, that the payment of expenses incurred by a Director officer in his capacity as a Director or officer in advance of the final disposition of the proceeding shall be made only upon receipt of an undertaking by the Director or officer to repay all amounts advanced if it should be ultimately determined that the Director or officer is not entitled to be indemnified under this Article or otherwise.

(C) If a claim for indemnification or payment of expenses, under this Article X is not paid in full within ninety days after a written claim therefor has been received by the Corporation the claimant may file suit to recover the unpaid amount of such claim and, if successful in whole or in part, shall be entitled to be paid the expense of prosecuting such claim. In any such action the Corporation shall have the burden of proving that the claimant was not entitled to the requested indemnification of payment of expenses

under applicable law.

(D) The rights conferred on any person by this Article X shall not be exclusive of any other rights which such person may have or hereafter acquire under any statute, provision of the Charter or Act of Incorporation, these By-Laws, agreement, vote of stockholders or disinterested Directors or otherwise.

(E) Any repeal or modification of the foregoing provisions of this Article X shall not adversely affect any right or protection hereunder of any person in respect of any act or omission occurring prior to the time of such repeal or modification.

ARTICLE XI
AMENDMENTS TO THE BY-LAWS

Section 1. These By-Laws may be altered, amended or repealed, in whole or in part, and any new By-Law or By-Laws adopted at any regular or special meeting of the Board of Directors by a vote of the majority of all the members of the Board of Directors then in office.

EXHIBIT C

SECTION 321(B) CONSENT

Pursuant to Section 321(b) of the Trust Indenture Act of 1939, as amended, Wilmington Trust Company hereby consents that reports of examinations by Federal, State, Territorial or District authorities may be furnished by such authorities to the Securities and Exchange Commission upon requests therefor.

WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY

Dated: April 1, 1998

By: /s/ David P. Fontello

Name: David P. Fontello
Title: Vice President

LIABILITIES

Deposits:	
In domestic offices.....	4,034,633
Noninterest-bearing.....	839,928
Interest-bearing.....	3,194,705
Federal funds purchased and Securities sold under agreements to repurchase.....	575,827
Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury.....	61,290
Trading liabilities (from Schedule RC-D).....	0
Other borrowed money:	
With original maturity of one year or less.....	673,000
With original maturity of more than one year.....	43,000
Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding.....	0
Subordinated notes and debentures.....	0
Other liabilities (from Schedule RC-G).....	76,458
Total liabilities.....	5,464,208

EQUITY CAPITAL

Perpetual preferred stock and related surplus.....	0
Common Stock.....	500
Surplus (exclude all surplus related to preferred stock).....	62,118
Undivided profits and capital reserves.....	385,018
Net unrealized holding gains (losses) on available-for-sale securities.....	7,362
Total equity capital.....	454,998
Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, and equity capital.....	5,919,206

Registration No.

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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM T-1

STATEMENT OF ELIGIBILITY UNDER THE TRUST INDENTURE ACT OF 1939
OF A CORPORATION DESIGNATED TO ACT AS TRUSTEE

CHECK IF AN APPLICATION TO DETERMINE ELIGIBILITY OF A TRUSTEE PURSUANT TO
SECTION 305(B)(2) X

WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY
(Exact name of trustee as specified in its charter)

Delaware 51-0055023
(State of incorporation) (I.R.S. employer identification no.)

Rodney Square North
1100 North Market Street
Wilmington, Delaware 19890
(Address of principal executive offices)

Cynthia L. Corliss
Vice President and Trust Counsel
Wilmington Trust Company
Rodney Square North
Wilmington, Delaware 19890
(302) 651-8516
(Name, address and telephone number of agent for service)

CENDANT CORPORATION
CENDANT CAPITAL III
(Exact name of obligor as specified in its charter)

Delaware 06-0918165
Delaware 22-3565321
(State of incorporation) (I.R.S. employer identification no.)

9 Sylvan Way
Parsippany, New Jersey 07054
(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Preferred Securities of Cendant Capital III
(Title of the indenture securities)

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ITEM 1. GENERAL INFORMATION.

Furnish the following information as to the trustee:

- (a) Name and address of each examining or supervising authority to which it is subject.

Federal Deposit Insurance Co. State Bank Commissioner
Five Penn Center Dover, Delaware
Suite #2901
Philadelphia, PA

- (b) Whether it is authorized to exercise corporate trust powers.

The trustee is authorized to exercise corporate trust powers.

ITEM 2. AFFILIATIONS WITH THE OBLIGOR.

If the obligor is an affiliate of the trustee, describe each affiliation:

Based upon an examination of the books and records of the trustee and upon information furnished by the obligor, the obligor is not an affiliate of the trustee.

ITEM 3. LIST OF EXHIBITS.

List below all exhibits filed as part of this Statement of Eligibility and Qualification.

- A. Copy of the Charter of Wilmington Trust Company, which includes the certificate of authority of Wilmington Trust Company to commence business and the authorization of Wilmington Trust Company to exercise corporate trust powers.
- B. Copy of By-Laws of Wilmington Trust Company.
- C. Consent of Wilmington Trust Company required by Section 321(b) of Trust Indenture Act.
- D. Copy of most recent Report of Condition of Wilmington Trust Company.

Pursuant to the requirements of the Trust Indenture Act of 1939, as amended, the trustee, Wilmington Trust Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of Delaware, has duly caused this Statement of Eligibility to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, all in the City of Wilmington and State of Delaware on the 1st day of April, 1998.

WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY

[SEAL]

Attest: /s/ Linda M. Barley

By: /s/ David P. Fontello

Assistant Secretary

Name: David P. Fontello
Title: Vice President

EXHIBIT A
AMENDED CHARTER
WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY
WILMINGTON, DELAWARE
AS EXISTING ON MAY 9, 1987

AMENDED CHARTER
OR
ACT OF INCORPORATION
OF
WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY

WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY, originally incorporated by an Act of the General Assembly of the State of Delaware, entitled "An Act to Incorporate the Delaware Guarantee and Trust Company", approved March 2, A.D. 1901, and the name of which company was changed to "WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY" by an amendment filed in the Office of the Secretary of State on March 18, A.D. 1903, and the Charter or Act of Incorporation of which company has been from time to time amended and changed by merger agreements pursuant to the corporation law for state banks and trust companies of the State of Delaware, does hereby alter and amend its Charter or Act of Incorporation so that the same as so altered and amended shall in its entirety read as follows:

FIRST:- The name of this corporation is WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY.

SECOND:- The location of its principal office in the State of Delaware is at Rodney Square North, in the City of Wilmington, County of New Castle; the name of its resident agent is WILMINGTON TRUST Company whose address is Rodney Square North, in said City. In addition to such principal office, the said corporation maintains and operates branch offices in the City of Newark, New Castle County, Delaware, the Town of Newport, New Castle County, Delaware, at Claymont, New Castle County, Delaware, at Greenville, New Castle County Delaware, and at Milford Cross Roads, New Castle County, Delaware, and shall be empowered to open, maintain and operate branch offices at Ninth and Shipley Streets, 418 Delaware Avenue, 2120 Market Street, and 3605 Market Street, all in the City of Wilmington, New Castle County, Delaware, and such other branch offices or places of business as may be authorized from time to time by the agency or agencies of the government of the State of Delaware empowered to confer such authority.

THIRD: - (a) The nature of the business and the objects and purposes proposed to be transacted, promoted or carried on by this Corporation are to do any or all of the things herein mentioned as fully and to the same extent as natural persons might or could do and in any part of the world, viz.:

(1) To sue and be sued, complain and defend in any Court of law or equity and to make and use a common seal, and alter the seal at pleasure, to hold, purchase, convey, mortgage or otherwise deal in real and personal estate and property, and to appoint such officers and agents as the business of the

Corporation shall require, to make by-laws not inconsistent with the Constitution or laws of the United States or of this State, to discount bills, notes or other evidences of debt, to receive deposits of money, or securities for money, to buy gold and silver bullion and foreign coins, to buy and sell bills of exchange, and generally to use, exercise and enjoy all the powers, rights, privileges and franchises incident to a corporation which are proper or necessary for the transaction of the business of the Corporation hereby created.

(2) To insure titles to real and personal property, or any estate or interests therein, and to guarantee the holder of such property, real or personal, against any claim or claims, adverse to his interest therein, and to prepare and give certificates of title for any lands or premises in the State of Delaware, or elsewhere.

(3) To act as factor, agent, broker or attorney in the receipt, collection, custody, investment and management of funds, and the purchase, sale, management and disposal of property of all descriptions, and to prepare and execute all papers which may be necessary or proper in such business.

(4) To prepare and draw agreements, contracts, deeds, leases, conveyances, mortgages, bonds and legal papers of every description, and to carry on the business of conveyancing in all its branches.

(5) To receive upon deposit for safekeeping money, jewelry, plate, deeds, bonds and any and all other personal property of every sort and kind, from executors, administrators, guardians, public officers, courts, receivers, assignees, trustees, and from all fiduciaries, and from all other persons and individuals, and from all corporations whether state, municipal, corporate or private, and to rent boxes, safes, vaults and other receptacles for such property.

(6) To act as agent or otherwise for the purpose of registering, issuing, certificating, countersigning, transferring or underwriting the stock, bonds or other obligations of any corporation, association, state or municipality, and may receive and manage any sinking fund therefor on such terms as may be agreed upon between the two parties, and in like manner may act as Treasurer of any corporation or municipality.

(7) To act as Trustee under any deed of trust, mortgage, bond or other instrument issued by any state, municipality, body politic, corporation, association or person, either alone or in conjunction with any other person or persons, corporation or corporations.

(8) To guarantee the validity, performance or effect of any contract or agreement, and the fidelity of persons holding places of responsibility or trust; to become surety for any person, or persons, for the faithful performance of any trust, office, duty, contract or agreement, either by itself or in conjunction with any other person, or persons, corporation, or corporations, or in like manner become surety upon any bond, recognizance, obligation, judgment, suit, order, or decree to be entered in any court of record within the State of Delaware or elsewhere, or which may now or hereafter be required by any law, judge, officer or court in the State of Delaware or elsewhere.

(9) To act by any and every method of appointment as trustee, trustee in bankruptcy, receiver, assignee, assignee in bankruptcy, executor, administrator, guardian, bailee, or in any other trust capacity in the receiving, holding, managing, and disposing of any and all estates and property, real, personal or mixed, and to be appointed as such trustee, trustee in bankruptcy, receiver, assignee, assignee in bankruptcy, executor, administrator, guardian or bailee by any persons, corporations, court, officer, or authority, in the State of Delaware or elsewhere; and whenever this Corporation is so appointed by any person, corporation, court, officer or authority such trustee, trustee in bankruptcy, receiver, assignee, assignee in bankruptcy, executor, administrator, guardian, bailee, or in any other trust capacity, it shall not be required to give bond with surety, but its capital stock shall be taken and held as security for the performance of the duties devolving upon it by such appointment.

(10) And for its care, management and trouble, and the exercise of any of its powers hereby given, or for the performance of any of the duties which it may undertake or be called upon to perform, or for the assumption of any responsibility the said Corporation may be entitled to receive a proper compensation.

(11) To purchase, receive, hold and own bonds, mortgages, debentures, shares of capital stock, and other securities, obligations, contracts and evidences of indebtedness, of any private, public or municipal corporation within and without the State of Delaware, or of the Government of the United States, or of any state, territory, colony, or possession thereof, or of any foreign government or country; to receive, collect, receipt for, and dispose of interest, dividends and income upon and from any of the bonds, mortgages, debentures, notes, shares of capital stock, securities, obligations, contracts, evidences of indebtedness and other property held and owned by it, and to exercise in respect of all such bonds, mortgages, debentures, notes, shares of capital stock, securities, obligations, contracts, evidences of indebtedness and other property, any and all the rights, powers and privileges of individual

owners thereof, including the right to vote thereon; to invest and deal in and with any of the moneys of the Corporation upon such securities and in such manner as it may think fit and proper, and from time to time to vary or realize such investments; to issue bonds and secure the same by pledges or deeds of trust or mortgages of or upon the whole or any part of the property held or owned by the Corporation, and to sell and pledge such bonds, as and when the Board of Directors shall determine, and in the promotion of its said corporate business of investment and to the extent authorized by law, to lease, purchase, hold, sell, assign, transfer, pledge, mortgage and convey real and personal property of any name and nature and any estate or interest therein.

(b) In furtherance of, and not in limitation, of the powers conferred by the laws of the State of Delaware, it is hereby expressly provided that the said Corporation shall also have the following powers:

(1) To do any or all of the things herein set forth, to the same extent as natural persons might or could do, and in any part of the world.

(2) To acquire the good will, rights, property and franchises and to undertake the whole or any part of the assets and liabilities of any person, firm, association or corporation, and to pay for the same in cash, stock of this Corporation, bonds or otherwise; to hold or in any manner to dispose of the whole or any part of the property so purchased; to conduct in any lawful manner the whole or any part of any business so acquired, and to exercise all the powers necessary or convenient in and about the conduct and management of such business.

(3) To take, hold, own, deal in, mortgage or otherwise lien, and to lease, sell, exchange, transfer, or in any manner whatever dispose of property, real, personal or mixed, wherever situated.

(4) To enter into, make, perform and carry out contracts of every kind with any person, firm, association or corporation, and, without limit as to amount, to draw, make, accept, endorse, discount, execute and issue promissory notes, drafts, bills of exchange, warrants, bonds, debentures, and other negotiable or transferable instruments.

(5) To have one or more offices, to carry on all or any of its operations and businesses, without restriction to the same extent as natural persons might or could do, to purchase or otherwise acquire, to hold, own, to mortgage, sell, convey or otherwise dispose of, real and personal property, of every class and description, in any State, District, Territory or Colony of the United States, and in any foreign country or place.

(6) It is the intention that the objects, purposes and powers specified and clauses contained in this paragraph shall (except where otherwise expressed in said paragraph) be nowise limited or restricted by reference to or inference from the terms of any other clause of this or any other paragraph in this charter, but that the objects, purposes and powers specified in each of the clauses of this paragraph shall be regarded as independent objects, purposes and powers.

FOURTH: - (a) The total number of shares of all classes of stock which the Corporation shall have authority to issue is forty-one million (41,000,000) shares, consisting of:

(1) One million (1,000,000) shares of Preferred stock, par value \$10.00 per share (hereinafter referred to as "Preferred Stock"); and

(2) Forty million (40,000,000) shares of Common Stock, par value \$1.00 per share (hereinafter referred to as "Common Stock").

(b) Shares of Preferred Stock may be issued from time to time in one or more series as may from time to time be determined by the Board of Directors each of said series to be distinctly designated. All shares of any one series of Preferred Stock shall be alike in every particular, except that there may be different dates from which dividends, if any, thereon shall be cumulative, if made cumulative. The voting powers and the preferences and relative, participating, optional and other special rights of each such series, and the qualifications, limitations or restrictions thereof, if any, may differ from those of any and all other series at any time outstanding; and, subject to the provisions of subparagraph 1 of Paragraph (c) of this Article FOURTH, the Board of Directors of the Corporation is hereby expressly granted authority to fix by resolution or resolutions adopted prior to the issuance of any shares of a particular series of Preferred Stock, the voting powers and the designations, preferences and relative, optional and other special rights, and the qualifications, limitations and restrictions of such series, including, but without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the following:

(1) The distinctive designation of, and the number of shares of Preferred Stock which shall constitute such series, which number may be increased (except where otherwise provided by the Board of Directors) or decreased (but not below the number of shares thereof then outstanding) from time to time by like action of the Board of Directors;

(2) The rate and times at which, and the terms and conditions on which, dividends, if any, on Preferred Stock of such series shall be paid, the extent of the preference or relation, if any, of such dividends to the dividends payable on any other class or classes, or series of the same or other class of

stock and whether such dividends shall be cumulative or non-cumulative;

(3) The right, if any, of the holders of Preferred Stock of such series to convert the same into or exchange the same for, shares of any other class or classes or of any series of the same or any other class or classes of stock of the Corporation and the terms and conditions of such conversion or exchange;

(4) Whether or not Preferred Stock of such series shall be subject to redemption, and the redemption price or prices and the time or times at which, and the terms and conditions on which, Preferred Stock of such series may be redeemed.

(5) The rights, if any, of the holders of Preferred Stock of such series upon the voluntary or involuntary liquidation, merger, consolidation, distribution or sale of assets, dissolution or winding-up, of the Corporation.

(6) The terms of the sinking fund or redemption or purchase account, if any, to be provided for the Preferred Stock of such series; and

(7) The voting powers, if any, of the holders of such series of Preferred Stock which may, without limiting the generality of the foregoing include the right, voting as a series or by itself or together with other series of Preferred Stock or all series of Preferred Stock as a class, to elect one or more directors of the Corporation if there shall have been a default in the payment of dividends on any one or more series of Preferred Stock or under such circumstances and on such conditions as the Board of Directors may determine.

(c) (1) After the requirements with respect to preferential dividends on the Preferred Stock (fixed in accordance with the provisions of section (b) of this Article FOURTH), if any, shall have been met and after the Corporation shall have complied with all the requirements, if any, with respect to the setting aside of sums as sinking funds or redemption or purchase accounts (fixed in accordance with the provisions of section (b) of this Article FOURTH), and subject further to any conditions which may be fixed in accordance with the provisions of section (b) of this Article FOURTH), then and not otherwise the holders of Common Stock shall be entitled to receive such dividends as may be declared from time to time by the Board of Directors.

(2) After distribution in full of the preferential amount, if any, (fixed in accordance with the provisions of section (b) of this Article FOURTH), to be distributed to the holders of Preferred Stock in the event of voluntary or involuntary liquidation, distribution or sale of assets, dissolution or winding-up, of the Corporation, the holders of the Common Stock shall be entitled to

receive all of the remaining assets of the Corporation, tangible and intangible, of whatever kind available for distribution to stockholders ratably in proportion to the number of shares of Common Stock held by them respectively.

(3) Except as may otherwise be required by law or by the provisions of such resolution or resolutions as may be adopted by the Board of Directors pursuant to section (b) of this Article FOURTH, each holder of Common Stock shall have one vote in respect of each share of Common Stock held on all matters voted upon by the stockholders.

(d) No holder of any of the shares of any class or series of stock or of options, warrants or other rights to purchase shares of any class or series of stock or of other securities of the Corporation shall have any preemptive right to purchase or subscribe for any unissued stock of any class or series or any additional shares of any class or series to be issued by reason of any increase of the authorized capital stock of the Corporation of any class or series, or bonds, certificates of indebtedness, debentures or other securities convertible into or exchangeable for stock of the Corporation of any class or series, or carrying any right to purchase stock of any class or series, but any such unissued stock, additional authorized issue of shares of any class or series of stock or securities convertible into or exchangeable for stock, or carrying any right to purchase stock, may be issued and disposed of pursuant to resolution of the Board of Directors to such persons, firms, corporations or associations, whether such holders or others, and upon such terms as may be deemed advisable by the Board of Directors in the exercise of its sole discretion.

(e) The relative powers, preferences and rights of each series of Preferred Stock in relation to the relative powers, preferences and rights of each other series of Preferred Stock shall, in each case, be as fixed from time to time by the Board of Directors in the resolution or resolutions adopted pursuant to authority granted in section (b) of this Article FOURTH and the consent, by class or series vote or otherwise, of the holders of such of the series of Preferred Stock as are from time to time outstanding shall not be required for the issuance by the Board of Directors of any other series of Preferred Stock whether or not the powers, preferences and rights of such other series shall be fixed by the Board of Directors as senior to, or on a parity with, the powers, preferences and rights of such outstanding series, or any of them; provided, however, that the Board of Directors may provide in the resolution or resolutions as to any series of Preferred Stock adopted pursuant to section (b) of this Article FOURTH that the consent of the holders of a majority (or such greater proportion as shall be therein fixed) of the outstanding shares of such series voting thereon shall be required for the issuance of any or all other series of Preferred Stock.

(f) Subject to the provisions of section (e), shares of any series of Preferred Stock may be issued from time to time as the Board of Directors of the Corporation shall determine and on such terms and for such consideration as shall be fixed by the Board of Directors.

(g) Shares of Common Stock may be issued from time to time as the Board of Directors of the Corporation shall determine and on such terms and for such consideration as shall be fixed by the Board of Directors.

(h) The authorized amount of shares of Common Stock and of Preferred Stock may, without a class or series vote, be increased or decreased from time to time by the affirmative vote of the holders of a majority of the stock of the Corporation entitled to vote thereon.

FIFTH: - (a) The business and affairs of the Corporation shall be conducted and managed by a Board of Directors. The number of directors constituting the entire Board shall be not less than five nor more than twenty-five as fixed from time to time by vote of a majority of the whole Board, provided, however, that the number of directors shall not be reduced so as to shorten the term of any director at the time in office, and provided further, that the number of directors constituting the whole Board shall be twenty-four until otherwise fixed by a majority of the whole Board.

(b) The Board of Directors shall be divided into three classes, as nearly equal in number as the then total number of directors constituting the whole Board permits, with the term of office of one class expiring each year. At the annual meeting of stockholders in 1982, directors of the first class shall be elected to hold office for a term expiring at the next succeeding annual meeting, directors of the second class shall be elected to hold office for a term expiring at the second succeeding annual meeting and directors of the third class shall be elected to hold office for a term expiring at the third succeeding annual meeting. Any vacancies in the Board of Directors for any reason, and any newly created directorships resulting from any increase in the directors, may be filled by the Board of Directors, acting by a majority of the directors then in office, although less than a quorum, and any directors so chosen shall hold office until the next annual election of directors. At such election, the stockholders shall elect a successor to such director to hold office until the next election of the class for which such director shall have been chosen and until his successor shall be elected and qualified. No decrease in the number of directors shall shorten the term of any incumbent director.

(c) Notwithstanding any other provisions of this Charter or Act of Incorporation or the By-Laws of the Corporation (and notwithstanding the fact that some lesser percentage may be specified by law, this Charter or Act of Incorporation or the By-Laws of the Corporation), any director or the entire Board of Directors of the

Corporation may be removed at any time without cause, but only by the affirmative vote of the holders of two-thirds or more of the outstanding shares of capital stock of the Corporation entitled to vote generally in the election of directors (considered for this purpose as one class) cast at a meeting of the stockholders called for that purpose.

(d) Nominations for the election of directors may be made by the Board of Directors or by any stockholder entitled to vote for the election of directors. Such nominations shall be made by notice in writing, delivered or mailed by first class United States mail, postage prepaid, to the Secretary of the Corporation not less than 14 days nor more than 50 days prior to any meeting of the stockholders called for the election of directors; provided, however, that if less than 21 days' notice of the meeting is given to stockholders, such written notice shall be delivered or mailed, as prescribed, to the Secretary of the Corporation not later than the close of the seventh day following the day on which notice of the meeting was mailed to stockholders. Notice of nominations which are proposed by the Board of Directors shall be given by the Chairman on behalf of the Board.

(e) Each notice under subsection (d) shall set forth (i) the name, age, business address and, if known, residence address of each nominee proposed in such notice, (ii) the principal occupation or employment of such nominee and (iii) the number of shares of stock of the Corporation which are beneficially owned by each such nominee.

(f) The Chairman of the meeting may, if the facts warrant, determine and declare to the meeting that a nomination was not made in accordance with the foregoing procedure, and if he should so determine, he shall so declare to the meeting and the defective nomination shall be disregarded.

(g) No action required to be taken or which may be taken at any annual or special meeting of stockholders of the Corporation may be taken without a meeting, and the power of stockholders to consent in writing, without a meeting, to the taking of any action is specifically denied.

SIXTH: - The Directors shall choose such officers, agent and servants as may be provided in the By-Laws as they may from time to time find necessary or proper.

SEVENTH:- The Corporation hereby created is hereby given the same powers, rights and privileges as may be conferred upon corporations organized under the Act entitled "An Act Providing a General Corporation Law", approved March 10, 1899, as from time to time amended.

EIGHTH: - This Act shall be deemed and taken to be a private Act.

NINTH: - This Corporation is to have perpetual existence.

TENTH: - The Board of Directors, by resolution passed by a majority of the whole Board, may designate any of their number to constitute an Executive Committee, which Committee, to the extent provided in said resolution, or in the By-Laws of the Company, shall have and may exercise all of the powers of the Board of Directors in the management of the business and affairs of the Corporation, and shall have power to authorize the seal of the Corporation to be affixed to all papers which may require it.

ELEVENTH: - The private property of the stockholders shall not be liable for the payment of corporate debts to any extent whatever.

TWELFTH: - The Corporation may transact business in any part of the world.

THIRTEENTH: - The Board of Directors of the Corporation is expressly authorized to make, alter or repeal the By-Laws of the Corporation by a vote of the majority of the entire Board. The stockholders may make, alter or repeal any By-Law whether or not adopted by them, provided however, that any such additional By-Laws, alterations or repeal may be adopted only by the affirmative vote of the holders of two-thirds or more of the outstanding shares of capital stock of the Corporation entitled to vote generally in the election of directors (considered for this purpose as one class).

FOURTEENTH: - Meetings of the Directors may be held outside of the State of Delaware at such places as may be from time to time designated by the Board, and the Directors may keep the books of the Company outside of the State of Delaware at such places as may be from time to time designated by them.

FIFTEENTH: - (a) In addition to any affirmative vote required by law, and except as otherwise expressly provided in sections (b) and (c) of this Article
FIFTEENTH:

(A) any merger or consolidation of the Corporation or any Subsidiary (as hereinafter defined) with or into (i) any Interested Stockholder (as hereinafter defined) or (ii) any other corporation (whether or not itself an Interested Stockholder), which, after such merger or consolidation, would be an Affiliate (as hereinafter defined) of an Interested Stockholder, or

(B) any sale, lease, exchange, mortgage, pledge, transfer or other disposition (in one transaction or a series of related transactions) to or with any Interested Stockholder or any Affiliate of any Interested Stockholder of any assets of the Corporation or any Subsidiary having an aggregate fair market value of \$1,000,000 or more, or

(C) the issuance or transfer by the Corporation or any Subsidiary (in one transaction or a series of related transactions) of any securities of the Corporation or any Subsidiary to any Interested Stockholder or any Affiliate of any Interested Stockholder in exchange for cash, securities or other property (or a combination thereof) having an aggregate fair market value of \$1,000,000 or more, or

(D) the adoption of any plan or proposal for the liquidation or dissolution of the Corporation, or

(E) any reclassification of securities (including any reverse stock split), or recapitalization of the Corporation, or any merger or consolidation of the Corporation with any of its Subsidiaries or any similar transaction (whether or not with or into or otherwise involving an Interested Stockholder) which has the effect, directly or indirectly, of increasing the proportionate share of the outstanding shares of any class of equity or convertible securities of the Corporation or any Subsidiary which is directly or indirectly owned by any Interested Stockholder, or any Affiliate of any Interested Stockholder,

shall require the affirmative vote of the holders of at least two-thirds of the outstanding shares of capital stock of the Corporation entitled to vote generally in the election of directors, considered for the purpose of this Article FIFTEENTH as one class ("Voting Shares"). Such affirmative vote shall be required notwithstanding the fact that no vote may be required, or that some lesser percentage may be specified, by law or in any agreement with any national securities exchange or otherwise.

(2) The term "business combination" as used in this Article FIFTEENTH shall mean any transaction which is referred to any one or more of clauses (A) through (E) of paragraph 1 of the section (a).

(b) The provisions of section (a) of this Article FIFTEENTH shall not be applicable to any particular business combination and such business combination shall require only such affirmative vote as is required by law and any other provisions of the Charter or Act of Incorporation of By-Laws if such business combination has been approved by a majority of the whole Board.

(c) For the purposes of this Article FIFTEENTH:

(1) A "person" shall mean any individual firm, corporation or other entity.

(2) "Interested Stockholder" shall mean, in respect of any business combination, any person (other than the Corporation or any Subsidiary) who or which as of the record date for the determination of stockholders entitled to notice of and to vote on

such business combination, or immediately prior to the consummation of any such transaction:

(A) is the beneficial owner, directly or indirectly, of more than 10% of the Voting Shares, or

(B) is an Affiliate of the Corporation and at any time within two years prior thereto was the beneficial owner, directly or indirectly, of not less than 10% of the then outstanding voting Shares, or

(C) is an assignee of or has otherwise succeeded in any share of capital stock of the Corporation which were at any time within two years prior thereto beneficially owned by any Interested Stockholder, and such assignment or succession shall have occurred in the course of a transaction or series of transactions not involving a public offering within the meaning of the Securities Act of 1933.

(3) A person shall be the "beneficial owner" of any Voting Shares:

(A) which such person or any of its Affiliates and Associates (as hereafter defined) beneficially own, directly or indirectly, or

(B) which such person or any of its Affiliates or Associates has (i) the right to acquire (whether such right is exercisable immediately or only after the passage of time), pursuant to any agreement, arrangement or understanding or upon the exercise of conversion rights, exchange rights, warrants or options, or otherwise, or (ii) the right to vote pursuant to any agreement, arrangement or understanding, or

(C) which are beneficially owned, directly or indirectly, by any other person with which such first mentioned person or any of its Affiliates or Associates has any agreement, arrangement or understanding for the purpose of acquiring, holding, voting or disposing of any shares of capital stock of the Corporation.

(4) The outstanding Voting Shares shall include shares deemed owned through application of paragraph (3) above but shall not include any other Voting Shares which may be issuable pursuant to any agreement, or upon exercise of conversion rights, warrants or options or otherwise.

(5) "Affiliate" and "Associate" shall have the respective meanings given those terms in Rule 12b-2 of the General Rules and Regulations under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as in effect on December 31, 1981.

(6)"Subsidiary" shall mean any corporation of which a majority of any class of equity security (as defined in Rule 3a11-1 of the General Rules and Regulations under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as in effect in December 31, 1981) is owned, directly or indirectly, by the Corporation; provided, however, that for the purposes of the definition of Investment Stockholder set forth in paragraph (2) of this section (c), the term "Subsidiary" shall mean only a corporation of which a majority of each class of equity security is owned, directly or indirectly, by the Corporation.

(d) majority of the directors shall have the power and duty to determine for the purposes of this Article FIFTEENTH on the basis of information known to them, (1) the number of Voting Shares beneficially owned by any person (2) whether a person is an Affiliate or Associate of another, (3) whether a person has an agreement, arrangement or understanding with another as to the matters referred to in paragraph (3) of section (c), or (4) whether the assets subject to any business combination or the consideration received for the issuance or transfer of securities by the Corporation, or any Subsidiary has an aggregate fair market value of \$1,000,000 or more.

(e) Nothing contained in this Article FIFTEENTH shall be construed to relieve any Interested Stockholder from any fiduciary obligation imposed by law.

SIXTEENTH: Notwithstanding any other provision of this Charter or Act of Incorporation or the By-Laws of the Corporation (and in addition to any other vote that may be required by law, this Charter or Act of Incorporation by the By-Laws), the affirmative vote of the holders of at least two-thirds of the outstanding shares of the capital stock of the Corporation entitled to vote generally in the election of directors (considered for this purpose as one class) shall be required to amend, alter or repeal any provision of Articles FIFTH, THIRTEENTH, FIFTEENTH or SIXTEENTH of this Charter or Act of Incorporation.

SEVENTEENTH: (a) a Director of this Corporation shall not be liable to the Corporation or its stockholders for monetary damages for breach of fiduciary duty as a Director, except to the extent such exemption from liability or limitation thereof is not permitted under the Delaware General Corporation Laws as the same exists or may hereafter be amended.

(b) Any repeal or modification of the foregoing paragraph shall not adversely affect any right or protection of a Director of the Corporation existing hereunder with respect to any act or omission occurring prior to the time of such repeal or modification."

EXHIBIT B

BY-LAWS

WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY

WILMINGTON, DELAWARE

AS EXISTING ON JANUARY 16, 1997

BY-LAWS OF WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY

ARTICLE I
STOCKHOLDERS' MEETINGS

Section 1. The Annual Meeting of Stockholders shall be held on the third Thursday in April each year at the principal office at the Company or at such other date, time, or place as may be designated by resolution by the Board of Directors.

Section 2. Special meetings of all stockholders may be called at any time by the Board of Directors, the Chairman of the Board or the President.

Section 3. Notice of all meetings of the stockholders shall be given by mailing to each stockholder at least ten (10) days before said meeting, at his last known address, a written or printed notice fixing the time and place of such meeting.

Section 4. A majority in the amount of the capital stock of the Company issued and outstanding on the record date, as herein determined, shall constitute a quorum at all meetings of stockholders for the transaction of any business, but the holders of a small number of shares may adjourn, from time to time, without further notice, until a quorum is secured. At each annual or special meeting of stockholders, each stockholder shall be entitled to one vote, either in person or by proxy, for each shares of stock registered in the stockholder's name on the books of the Company on the record date for any such meeting as determined herein.

ARTICLE II
DIRECTORS

Section 1. The number and classification of the Board of Directors shall be as set forth in the Charter of the Bank.

Section 2. No person who has attained the age of seventy-two (72) years shall be nominated for election to the Board of Directors of the Company, provided, however, that this limitation shall not apply to any person who was serving as director of the Company on September 16, 1971.

Section 3. The class of Directors so elected shall hold office for three years or until their successors are elected and qualified.

Section 4. The affairs and business of the Company shall be managed and conducted by the Board of Directors.

Section 5. The Board of Directors shall meet at the principal office of the Company or elsewhere in its discretion at such times to be determined by a majority of its

members, or at the call of the Chairman of the Board of Directors or the President.

Section 6. Special meetings of the Board of Directors may be called at any time by the Chairman of the Board of Directors or by the President, and shall be called upon the written request of a majority of the directors.

Section 7. A majority of the directors elected and qualified shall be necessary to constitute a quorum for the transaction of business at any meeting of the Board of Directors.

Section 8. Written notice shall be sent by mail to each director of any special meeting of the Board of Directors, and of any change in the time or place of any regular meeting, stating the time and place of such meeting, which shall be mailed not less than two days before the time of holding such meeting.

Section 9. In the event of the death, resignation, removal, inability to act, or disqualification of any director, the Board of Directors, although less than a quorum, shall have the right to elect the successor who shall hold office for the remainder of the full term of the class of directors in which the vacancy occurred, and until such director's successor shall have been duly elected and qualified.

Section 10. The Board of Directors at its first meeting after its election by the stockholders shall appoint an Executive Committee, a Trust Committee, an Audit Committee and a Compensation Committee, and shall elect from its own members a Chairman of the Board of Directors and a President who may be the same person. The Board of Directors shall also elect at such meeting a Secretary and a Treasurer, who may be the same person, may appoint at any time such other committees and elect or appoint such other officers as it may deem advisable. The Board of Directors may also elect at such meeting one or more Associate Directors.

Section 11. The Board of Directors may at any time remove, with or without cause, any member of any Committee appointed by it or any associate director or officer elected by it and may appoint or elect his successor.

Section 12. The Board of Directors may designate an officer to be in charge of such of the departments or division of the Company as it may deem advisable.

ARTICLE III COMMITTEES

Section 1. Executive Committee

(A) The Executive Committee shall be composed of not more than nine members who shall be selected by the Board of Directors from its own members and who

shall hold office during the pleasure of the Board.

(B) The Executive Committee shall have all the powers of the Board of Directors when it is not in session to transact all business for and in behalf of the Company that may be brought before it.

(C) The Executive Committee shall meet at the principal office of the Company or elsewhere in its discretion at such times to be determined by a majority of its members, or at the call of the Chairman of the Executive Committee or at the call of the Chairman of the Board of Directors. The majority of its members shall be necessary to constitute a quorum for the transaction of business. Special meetings of the Executive Committee may be held at any time when a quorum is present.

(D) Minutes of each meeting of the Executive Committee shall be kept and submitted to the Board of Directors at its next meeting.

(E) The Executive Committee shall advise and superintend all investments that may be made of the funds of the Company, and shall direct the disposal of the same, in accordance with such rules and regulations as the Board of Directors from time to time make.

(F) In the event of a state of disaster of sufficient severity to prevent the conduct and management of the affairs and business of the Company by its directors and officers as contemplated by these By-Laws any two available members of the Executive Committee as constituted immediately prior to such disaster shall constitute a quorum of that Committee for the full conduct and management of the affairs and business of the Company in accordance with the provisions of Article III of these By-Laws; and if less than three members of the Trust Committee is constituted immediately prior to such disaster shall be available for the transaction of its business, such Executive Committee shall also be empowered to exercise all of the powers reserved to the Trust Committee under Article III Section 2 hereof. In the event of the unavailability, at such time, of a minimum of two members of such Executive Committee, any three available directors shall constitute the Executive Committee for the full conduct and management of the affairs and business of the Company in accordance with the foregoing provisions of this Section. This By-Law shall be subject to implementation by Resolutions of the Board of Directors presently existing or hereafter passed from time to time for that purpose, and any provisions of these By-Laws (other than this Section) and any resolutions which are contrary to the provisions of this Section or to the provisions of any such implementary Resolutions shall be suspended during such a disaster period until it shall be determined by any interim Executive Committee acting under this section that it shall be to the advantage of the Company to resume the conduct and management of its affairs and business under all of the other provisions of these By-Laws.

Section 2. Trust Committee

(A) The Trust Committee shall be composed of not more than thirteen members who shall be selected by the Board of Directors, a majority of whom shall be members of the Board of Directors and who shall hold office during the pleasure of the Board.

(B) The Trust Committee shall have general supervision over the Trust Department and the investment of trust funds, in all matters, however, being subject to the approval of the Board of Directors.

(C) The Trust Committee shall meet at the principal office of the Company or elsewhere in its discretion at such times to be determined by a majority of its members or at the call of its chairman. A majority of its members shall be necessary to constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

(D) Minutes of each meeting of the Trust Committee shall be kept and promptly submitted to the Board of Directors.

(E) The Trust Committee shall have the power to appoint Committees and/or designate officers or employees of the Company to whom supervision over the investment of trust funds may be delegated when the Trust Committee is not in session.

Section 3. Audit Committee

(A) The Audit Committee shall be composed of five members who shall be selected by the Board of Directors from its own members, none of whom shall be an officer of the Company, and shall hold office at the pleasure of the Board.

(B) The Audit Committee shall have general supervision over the Audit Division in all matters however subject to the approval of the Board of Directors; it shall consider all matters brought to its attention by the officer in charge of the Audit Division, review all reports of examination of the Company made by any governmental agency or such independent auditor employed for that purpose, and make such recommendations to the Board of Directors with respect thereto or with respect to any other matters pertaining to auditing the Company as it shall deem desirable.

(C) The Audit Committee shall meet whenever and wherever the majority of its members shall deem it to be proper for the transaction of its business, and a majority of its Committee shall constitute a quorum.

Section 4. Compensation Committee

(A) The Compensation Committee shall be composed of not more than

five (5) members who shall be selected by the Board of Directors from its own members who are not officers of the Company and who shall hold office during the pleasure of the Board.

(B) The Compensation Committee shall in general advise upon all matters of policy concerning the Company brought to its attention by the management and from time to time review the management of the Company, major organizational matters, including salaries and employee benefits and specifically shall administer the Executive Incentive Compensation Plan.

(C) Meetings of the Compensation Committee may be called at any time by the Chairman of the Compensation Committee, the Chairman of the Board of Directors, or the President of the Company.

Section 5. Associate Directors

(A) Any person who has served as a director may be elected by the Board of Directors as an associate director, to serve during the pleasure of the Board.

(B) An associate director shall be entitled to attend all directors meetings and participate in the discussion of all matters brought to the Board, with the exception that he would have no right to vote. An associate director will be eligible for appointment to Committees of the Company, with the exception of the Executive Committee, Audit Committee and Compensation Committee, which must be comprised solely of active directors.

Section 6. Absence or Disqualification of Any Member of a Committee

(A) In the absence or disqualification of any member of any Committee created under Article III of the By-Laws of this Company, the member or members thereof present at any meeting and not disqualified from voting, whether or not he or they constitute a quorum, may unanimously appoint another member of the Board of Directors to act at the meeting in the place of any such absence or disqualified member.

ARTICLE IV OFFICERS

Section 1. The Chairman of the Board of Directors shall preside at all meetings of the Board and shall have such further authority and powers and shall perform such duties as the Board of Directors may from time to time confer and direct. He shall also exercise such powers and perform such duties as may from time to time be agreed upon between himself and the President of the Company.

Section 2. The Vice Chairman of the Board. The Vice Chairman of the Board of

Directors shall preside at all meetings of the Board of Directors at which the Chairman of the Board shall not be present and shall have such further authority and powers and shall perform such duties as the Board of Directors or the Chairman of the Board may from time to time confer and direct.

Section 3. The President shall have the powers and duties pertaining to the office of the President conferred or imposed upon him by statute or assigned to him by the Board of Directors in the absence of the Chairman of the Board the President shall have the powers and duties of the Chairman of the Board.

Section 4. The Chairman of the Board of Directors or the President as designated by the Board of Directors, shall carry into effect all legal directions of the Executive Committee and of the Board of Directors, and shall at all times exercise general supervision over the interest, affairs and operations of the Company and perform all duties incident to his office.

Section 5. There may be one or more Vice Presidents, however denominated by the Board of Directors, who may at any time perform all the duties of the Chairman of the Board of Directors and/or the President and such other powers and duties as may from time to time be assigned to them by the Board of Directors, the Executive Committee, the Chairman of the Board or the President and by the officer in charge of the department or division to which they are assigned.

Section 6. The Secretary shall attend to the giving of notice of meetings of the stockholders and the Board of Directors, as well as the Committees thereof, to the keeping of accurate minutes of all such meetings and to recording the same in the minute books of the Company. In addition to the other notice requirements of these By-Laws and as may be practicable under the circumstances, all such notices shall be in writing and mailed well in advance of the scheduled date of any other meeting. He shall have custody of the corporate seal and shall affix the same to any documents requiring such corporate seal and to attest the same.

Section 7. The Treasurer shall have general supervision over all assets and liabilities of the Company. He shall be custodian of and responsible for all monies, funds and valuables of the Company and for the keeping of proper records of the evidence of property or indebtedness and of all the transactions of the Company. He shall have general supervision of the expenditures of the Company and shall report to the Board of Directors at each regular meeting of the condition of the Company, and perform such other duties as may be assigned to him from time to time by the Board of Directors of the Executive Committee.

Section 8. There may be a Controller who shall exercise general supervision over the internal operations of the Company, including accounting, and shall render to the Board of Directors at appropriate times a report relating to the general condition and internal operations of the Company.

There may be one or more subordinate accounting or controller officers however denominated, who may perform the duties of the Controller and such duties as may be prescribed by the Controller.

Section 9. The officer designated by the Board of Directors to be in charge of the Audit Division of the Company with such title as the Board of Directors shall prescribe, shall report to and be directly responsible only to the Board of Directors.

There shall be an Auditor and there may be one or more Audit Officers, however denominated, who may perform all the duties of the Auditor and such duties as may be prescribed by the officer in charge of the Audit Division.

Section 10. There may be one or more officers, subordinate in rank to all Vice Presidents with such functional titles as shall be determined from time to time by the Board of Directors, who shall ex officio hold the office Assistant Secretary of this Company and who may perform such duties as may be prescribed by the officer in charge of the department or division to whom they are assigned.

Section 11. The powers and duties of all other officers of the Company shall be those usually pertaining to their respective offices, subject to the direction of the Board of Directors, the Executive Committee, Chairman of the Board of Directors or the President and the officer in charge of the department or division to which they are assigned.

ARTICLE V STOCK AND STOCK CERTIFICATES

Section 1. Shares of stock shall be transferrable on the books of the Company and a transfer book shall be kept in which all transfers of stock shall be recorded.

Section 2. Certificate of stock shall bear the signature of the President or any Vice President, however denominated by the Board of Directors and countersigned by the Secretary or Treasurer or an Assistant Secretary, and the seal of the corporation shall be engraved thereon. Each certificate shall recite that the stock represented thereby is transferrable only upon the books of the Company by the holder thereof or his attorney, upon surrender of the certificate properly endorsed. Any certificate of stock surrendered to the Company shall be cancelled at the time of transfer, and before a new certificate or certificates shall be issued in lieu thereof. Duplicate certificates of stock shall be issued only upon giving such security as may be satisfactory to the Board of Directors or the Executive Committee.

Section 3. The Board of Directors of the Company is authorized to fix in advance a record date for the determination of the stockholders entitled to notice of, and to vote at, any meeting of stockholders and any adjournment thereof, or entitled to receive payment of

any dividend, or to any allotment or rights, or to exercise any rights in respect of any change, conversion or exchange of capital stock, or in connection with obtaining the consent of stockholders for any purpose, which record date shall not be more than 60 nor less than 10 days proceeding the date of any meeting of stockholders or the date for the payment of any dividend, or the date for the allotment of rights, or the date when any change or conversion or exchange of capital stock shall go into effect, or a date in connection with obtaining such consent.

ARTICLE VI
SEAL

Section 1. The corporate seal of the Company shall be in the following form:

Between two concentric circles the words "Wilmington Trust Company" within the inner circle the words "Wilmington, Delaware."

ARTICLE VII
FISCAL YEAR

Section 1. The fiscal year of the Company shall be the calendar year.

ARTICLE VIII
EXECUTION OF INSTRUMENTS OF THE COMPANY

Section 1. The Chairman of the Board, the President or any Vice President, however denominated by the Board of Directors, shall have full power and authority to enter into, make, sign, execute, acknowledge and/or deliver and the Secretary or any Assistant Secretary shall have full power and authority to attest and affix the corporate seal of the Company to any and all deeds, conveyances, assignments, releases, contracts, agreements, bonds, notes, mortgages and all other instruments incident to the business of this Company or in acting as executor, administrator, guardian, trustee, agent or in any other fiduciary or representative capacity by any and every method of appointment or by whatever person, corporation, court officer or authority in the State of Delaware, or elsewhere, without any specific authority, ratification, approval or confirmation by the Board of Directors or the Executive Committee, and any and all such instruments shall have the same force and validity as though expressly authorized by the Board of Directors and/or the Executive Committee.

ARTICLE IX
COMPENSATION OF DIRECTORS AND MEMBERS OF COMMITTEES

Section 1. Directors and associate directors of the Company, other than salaried officers of the Company, shall be paid such reasonable honoraria or fees for attending meetings of the Board of Directors as the Board of Directors may from time to time determine. Directors and associate directors who serve as members of committees, other than salaried employees of the Company, shall be paid such reasonable honoraria or fees for services as members of committees as the Board of Directors shall from time to time determine and directors and associate directors may be employed by the Company for such special services as the Board of Directors may from time to time determine and shall be paid for such special services so performed reasonable compensation as may be determined by the Board of Directors.

ARTICLE X
INDEMNIFICATION

Section 1. (A) The Corporation shall indemnify and hold harmless, to the fullest extent permitted by applicable law as it presently exists or may hereafter be amended, any person who was or is made or is threatened to be made a party or is otherwise involved in any action, suit or proceeding, whether civil, criminal, administrative or investigative (a "proceeding") by reason of the fact that he, or a person for whom he is the legal representative, is or was a director, officer, employee or agent of the Corporation or is or was serving at the request of the Corporation as a director, officer, employee, fiduciary or agent of another corporation or of a partnership, joint venture, trust, enterprise or non-profit entity, including service with respect to employee benefit plans, against all liability and loss suffered and expenses reasonably incurred by such person. The Corporation shall indemnify a person in connection with a proceeding initiated by such person only if the proceeding was authorized by the Board of Directors of the Corporation.

(B) The Corporation shall pay the expenses incurred in defending any proceeding in advance of its final disposition, provided, however, that the payment of expenses incurred by a Director officer in his capacity as a Director or officer in advance of the final disposition of the proceeding shall be made only upon receipt of an undertaking by the Director or officer to repay all amounts advanced if it should be ultimately determined that the Director or officer is not entitled to be indemnified under this Article or otherwise.

(C) If a claim for indemnification or payment of expenses, under this Article X is not paid in full within ninety days after a written claim therefor has been received by the Corporation the claimant may file suit to recover the unpaid amount of such claim and, if successful in whole or in part, shall be entitled to be paid the expense of prosecuting such claim. In any such action the Corporation shall have the burden of proving that the claimant was not entitled to the requested indemnification of payment of expenses

under applicable law.

(D) The rights conferred on any person by this Article X shall not be exclusive of any other rights which such person may have or hereafter acquire under any statute, provision of the Charter or Act of Incorporation, these By-Laws, agreement, vote of stockholders or disinterested Directors or otherwise.

(E) Any repeal or modification of the foregoing provisions of this Article X shall not adversely affect any right or protection hereunder of any person in respect of any act or omission occurring prior to the time of such repeal or modification.

ARTICLE XI
AMENDMENTS TO THE BY-LAWS

Section 1. These By-Laws may be altered, amended or repealed, in whole or in part, and any new By-Law or By-Laws adopted at any regular or special meeting of the Board of Directors by a vote of the majority of all the members of the Board of Directors then in office.

EXHIBIT C

SECTION 321(B) CONSENT

Pursuant to Section 321(b) of the Trust Indenture Act of 1939, as amended, Wilmington Trust Company hereby consents that reports of examinations by Federal, State, Territorial or District authorities may be furnished by such authorities to the Securities and Exchange Commission upon requests therefor.

WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY

Dated: April 1, 1998

By: /s/ David P. Fontello

Name: David P. Fontello

Title: Vice President

LIABILITIES

Deposits:	
In domestic offices.....	4,034,633
Noninterest-bearing.....	839,928
Interest-bearing.....	3,194,705
Federal funds purchased and Securities sold under agreements to repurchase.....	575,827
Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury.....	61,290
Trading liabilities (from Schedule RC-D).....	0
Other borrowed money:	
With original maturity of one year or less.....	673,000
With original maturity of more than one year.....	43,000
Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding.....	0
Subordinated notes and debentures.....	0
Other liabilities (from Schedule RC-G).....	76,458
Total liabilities.....	5,464,208

EQUITY CAPITAL

Perpetual preferred stock and related surplus.....	0
Common Stock.....	500
Surplus (exclude all surplus related to preferred stock).....	62,118
Undivided profits and capital reserves.....	385,018
Net unrealized holding gains (losses) on available-for-sale securities.....	7,362
Total equity capital.....	454,998
Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, and equity capital.....	5,919,206

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM T-1

STATEMENT OF ELIGIBILITY UNDER THE TRUST INDENTURE ACT OF 1939
OF A CORPORATION DESIGNATED TO ACT AS TRUSTEE

CHECK IF AN APPLICATION TO DETERMINE ELIGIBILITY OF A TRUSTEE PURSUANT TO
SECTION 305(B)(2) X

WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY
(Exact name of trustee as specified in its charter)

Delaware 51-0055023
(State of incorporation) (I.R.S. employer identification no.)

Rodney Square North
1100 North Market Street
Wilmington, Delaware 19890
(Address of principal executive offices)

Cynthia L. Corliss
Vice President and Trust Counsel
Wilmington Trust Company
Rodney Square North
Wilmington, Delaware 19890
(302) 651-8516
(Name, address and telephone number of agent for service)

CENDANT CORPORATION
(Exact name of obligor as specified in its charter)

Delaware 06-0918165
(State of incorporation) (I.R.S. employer identification no.)

9 Sylvan Way
Parsippany, New Jersey 07054
(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Guarantees and backup undertakings of Cendant
Corporation in connection with Preferred Securities of Cendant Capital III
by Cendant Corporation
(Title of the indenture securities)

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ITEM 1. GENERAL INFORMATION.

Furnish the following information as to the trustee:

- (a) Name and address of each examining or supervising authority to which it is subject.

Federal Deposit Insurance Co.	State Bank Commissioner
Five Penn Center	Dover, Delaware
Suite #2901	
Philadelphia, PA	

- (b) Whether it is authorized to exercise corporate trust powers.

The trustee is authorized to exercise corporate trust powers.

ITEM 2. AFFILIATIONS WITH THE OBLIGOR.

If the obligor is an affiliate of the trustee, describe each affiliation:

Based upon an examination of the books and records of the trustee and upon information furnished by the obligor, the obligor is not an affiliate of the trustee.

ITEM 3. LIST OF EXHIBITS.

List below all exhibits filed as part of this Statement of Eligibility and Qualification.

- A. Copy of the Charter of Wilmington Trust Company, which includes the certificate of authority of Wilmington Trust Company to commence business and the authorization of Wilmington Trust Company to exercise corporate trust powers.
- B. Copy of By-Laws of Wilmington Trust Company.
- C. Consent of Wilmington Trust Company required by Section 321(b) of Trust Indenture Act.
- D. Copy of most recent Report of Condition of Wilmington Trust Company.

Pursuant to the requirements of the Trust Indenture Act of 1939, as amended, the trustee, Wilmington Trust Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of Delaware, has duly caused this Statement of Eligibility to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, all in the City of Wilmington and State of Delaware on the 1st day of April, 1998.

WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY

[SEAL]

Attest: /s/ Linda M. Barley

By: /s/ David P. Fontello

Assistant Secretary

Name: David P. Fontello
Title: Vice President

EXHIBIT A
AMENDED CHARTER
WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY
WILMINGTON, DELAWARE
AS EXISTING ON MAY 9, 1987

AMENDED CHARTER
OR
ACT OF INCORPORATION
OF
WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY

WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY, originally incorporated by an Act of the General Assembly of the State of Delaware, entitled "An Act to Incorporate the Delaware Guarantee and Trust Company", approved March 2, A.D. 1901, and the name of which company was changed to "WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY" by an amendment filed in the Office of the Secretary of State on March 18, A.D. 1903, and the Charter or Act of Incorporation of which company has been from time to time amended and changed by merger agreements pursuant to the corporation law for state banks and trust companies of the State of Delaware, does hereby alter and amend its Charter or Act of Incorporation so that the same as so altered and amended shall in its entirety read as follows:

FIRST:- The name of this corporation is WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY.

SECOND:- The location of its principal office in the State of Delaware is at Rodney Square North, in the City of Wilmington, County of New Castle; the name of its resident agent is WILMINGTON TRUST Company whose address is Rodney Square North, in said City. In addition to such principal office, the said corporation maintains and operates branch offices in the City of Newark, New Castle County, Delaware, the Town of Newport, New Castle County, Delaware, at Claymont, New Castle County, Delaware, at Greenville, New Castle County Delaware, and at Milford Cross Roads, New Castle County, Delaware, and shall be empowered to open, maintain and operate branch offices at Ninth and Shipley Streets, 418 Delaware Avenue, 2120 Market Street, and 3605 Market Street, all in the City of Wilmington, New Castle County, Delaware, and such other branch offices or places of business as may be authorized from time to time by the agency or agencies of the government of the State of Delaware empowered to confer such authority.

THIRD: - (a) The nature of the business and the objects and purposes proposed to be transacted, promoted or carried on by this Corporation are to do any or all of the things herein mentioned as fully and to the same extent as natural persons might or could do and in any part of the world, viz.:

(1) To sue and be sued, complain and defend in any Court of law or equity and to make and use a common seal, and alter the seal at pleasure, to hold, purchase, convey, mortgage or otherwise deal in real and personal estate and property, and to appoint such officers and agents as the business of the

Corporation shall require, to make by-laws not inconsistent with the Constitution or laws of the United States or of this State, to discount bills, notes or other evidences of debt, to receive deposits of money, or securities for money, to buy gold and silver bullion and foreign coins, to buy and sell bills of exchange, and generally to use, exercise and enjoy all the powers, rights, privileges and franchises incident to a corporation which are proper or necessary for the transaction of the business of the Corporation hereby created.

(2) To insure titles to real and personal property, or any estate or interests therein, and to guarantee the holder of such property, real or personal, against any claim or claims, adverse to his interest therein, and to prepare and give certificates of title for any lands or premises in the State of Delaware, or elsewhere.

(3) To act as factor, agent, broker or attorney in the receipt, collection, custody, investment and management of funds, and the purchase, sale, management and disposal of property of all descriptions, and to prepare and execute all papers which may be necessary or proper in such business.

(4) To prepare and draw agreements, contracts, deeds, leases, conveyances, mortgages, bonds and legal papers of every description, and to carry on the business of conveyancing in all its branches.

(5) To receive upon deposit for safekeeping money, jewelry, plate, deeds, bonds and any and all other personal property of every sort and kind, from executors, administrators, guardians, public officers, courts, receivers, assignees, trustees, and from all fiduciaries, and from all other persons and individuals, and from all corporations whether state, municipal, corporate or private, and to rent boxes, safes, vaults and other receptacles for such property.

(6) To act as agent or otherwise for the purpose of registering, issuing, certificating, countersigning, transferring or underwriting the stock, bonds or other obligations of any corporation, association, state or municipality, and may receive and manage any sinking fund therefor on such terms as may be agreed upon between the two parties, and in like manner may act as Treasurer of any corporation or municipality.

(7) To act as Trustee under any deed of trust, mortgage, bond or other instrument issued by any state, municipality, body politic, corporation, association or person, either alone or in conjunction with any other person or persons, corporation or corporations.

(8) To guarantee the validity, performance or effect of any contract or agreement, and the fidelity of persons holding places of responsibility or trust; to become surety for any person, or persons, for the faithful performance of any trust, office, duty, contract or agreement, either by itself or in conjunction with any other person, or persons, corporation, or corporations, or in like manner become surety upon any bond, recognizance, obligation, judgment, suit, order, or decree to be entered in any court of record within the State of Delaware or elsewhere, or which may now or hereafter be required by any law, judge, officer or court in the State of Delaware or elsewhere.

(9) To act by any and every method of appointment as trustee, trustee in bankruptcy, receiver, assignee, assignee in bankruptcy, executor, administrator, guardian, bailee, or in any other trust capacity in the receiving, holding, managing, and disposing of any and all estates and property, real, personal or mixed, and to be appointed as such trustee, trustee in bankruptcy, receiver, assignee, assignee in bankruptcy, executor, administrator, guardian or bailee by any persons, corporations, court, officer, or authority, in the State of Delaware or elsewhere; and whenever this Corporation is so appointed by any person, corporation, court, officer or authority such trustee, trustee in bankruptcy, receiver, assignee, assignee in bankruptcy, executor, administrator, guardian, bailee, or in any other trust capacity, it shall not be required to give bond with surety, but its capital stock shall be taken and held as security for the performance of the duties devolving upon it by such appointment.

(10) And for its care, management and trouble, and the exercise of any of its powers hereby given, or for the performance of any of the duties which it may undertake or be called upon to perform, or for the assumption of any responsibility the said Corporation may be entitled to receive a proper compensation.

(11) To purchase, receive, hold and own bonds, mortgages, debentures, shares of capital stock, and other securities, obligations, contracts and evidences of indebtedness, of any private, public or municipal corporation within and without the State of Delaware, or of the Government of the United States, or of any state, territory, colony, or possession thereof, or of any foreign government or country; to receive, collect, receipt for, and dispose of interest, dividends and income upon and from any of the bonds, mortgages, debentures, notes, shares of capital stock, securities, obligations, contracts, evidences of indebtedness and other property held and owned by it, and to exercise in respect of all such bonds, mortgages, debentures, notes, shares of capital stock, securities, obligations, contracts, evidences of indebtedness and other property, any and all the rights, powers and privileges of individual

owners thereof, including the right to vote thereon; to invest and deal in and with any of the moneys of the Corporation upon such securities and in such manner as it may think fit and proper, and from time to time to vary or realize such investments; to issue bonds and secure the same by pledges or deeds of trust or mortgages of or upon the whole or any part of the property held or owned by the Corporation, and to sell and pledge such bonds, as and when the Board of Directors shall determine, and in the promotion of its said corporate business of investment and to the extent authorized by law, to lease, purchase, hold, sell, assign, transfer, pledge, mortgage and convey real and personal property of any name and nature and any estate or interest therein.

(b) In furtherance of, and not in limitation, of the powers conferred by the laws of the State of Delaware, it is hereby expressly provided that the said Corporation shall also have the following powers:

(1) To do any or all of the things herein set forth, to the same extent as natural persons might or could do, and in any part of the world.

(2) To acquire the good will, rights, property and franchises and to undertake the whole or any part of the assets and liabilities of any person, firm, association or corporation, and to pay for the same in cash, stock of this Corporation, bonds or otherwise; to hold or in any manner to dispose of the whole or any part of the property so purchased; to conduct in any lawful manner the whole or any part of any business so acquired, and to exercise all the powers necessary or convenient in and about the conduct and management of such business.

(3) To take, hold, own, deal in, mortgage or otherwise lien, and to lease, sell, exchange, transfer, or in any manner whatever dispose of property, real, personal or mixed, wherever situated.

(4) To enter into, make, perform and carry out contracts of every kind with any person, firm, association or corporation, and, without limit as to amount, to draw, make, accept, endorse, discount, execute and issue promissory notes, drafts, bills of exchange, warrants, bonds, debentures, and other negotiable or transferable instruments.

(5) To have one or more offices, to carry on all or any of its operations and businesses, without restriction to the same extent as natural persons might or could do, to purchase or otherwise acquire, to hold, own, to mortgage, sell, convey or otherwise dispose of, real and personal property, of every class and description, in any State, District, Territory or Colony of the United States, and in any foreign country or place.

(6) It is the intention that the objects, purposes and powers specified and clauses contained in this paragraph shall (except where otherwise expressed in said paragraph) be nowise limited or restricted by reference to or inference from the terms of any other clause of this or any other paragraph in this charter, but that the objects, purposes and powers specified in each of the clauses of this paragraph shall be regarded as independent objects, purposes and powers.

FOURTH: - (a) The total number of shares of all classes of stock which the Corporation shall have authority to issue is forty-one million (41,000,000) shares, consisting of:

(1) One million (1,000,000) shares of Preferred stock, par value \$10.00 per share (hereinafter referred to as "Preferred Stock"); and

(2) Forty million (40,000,000) shares of Common Stock, par value \$1.00 per share (hereinafter referred to as "Common Stock").

(b) Shares of Preferred Stock may be issued from time to time in one or more series as may from time to time be determined by the Board of Directors each of said series to be distinctly designated. All shares of any one series of Preferred Stock shall be alike in every particular, except that there may be different dates from which dividends, if any, thereon shall be cumulative, if made cumulative. The voting powers and the preferences and relative, participating, optional and other special rights of each such series, and the qualifications, limitations or restrictions thereof, if any, may differ from those of any and all other series at any time outstanding; and, subject to the provisions of subparagraph 1 of Paragraph (c) of this Article FOURTH, the Board of Directors of the Corporation is hereby expressly granted authority to fix by resolution or resolutions adopted prior to the issuance of any shares of a particular series of Preferred Stock, the voting powers and the designations, preferences and relative, optional and other special rights, and the qualifications, limitations and restrictions of such series, including, but without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the following:

(1) The distinctive designation of, and the number of shares of Preferred Stock which shall constitute such series, which number may be increased (except where otherwise provided by the Board of Directors) or decreased (but not below the number of shares thereof then outstanding) from time to time by like action of the Board of Directors;

(2) The rate and times at which, and the terms and conditions on which, dividends, if any, on Preferred Stock of such series shall be paid, the extent of the preference or relation, if any, of such dividends to the dividends payable on any other class or classes, or series of the same or other class of

stock and whether such dividends shall be cumulative or non-cumulative;

(3) The right, if any, of the holders of Preferred Stock of such series to convert the same into or exchange the same for, shares of any other class or classes or of any series of the same or any other class or classes of stock of the Corporation and the terms and conditions of such conversion or exchange;

(4) Whether or not Preferred Stock of such series shall be subject to redemption, and the redemption price or prices and the time or times at which, and the terms and conditions on which, Preferred Stock of such series may be redeemed.

(5) The rights, if any, of the holders of Preferred Stock of such series upon the voluntary or involuntary liquidation, merger, consolidation, distribution or sale of assets, dissolution or winding-up, of the Corporation.

(6) The terms of the sinking fund or redemption or purchase account, if any, to be provided for the Preferred Stock of such series; and

(7) The voting powers, if any, of the holders of such series of Preferred Stock which may, without limiting the generality of the foregoing include the right, voting as a series or by itself or together with other series of Preferred Stock or all series of Preferred Stock as a class, to elect one or more directors of the Corporation if there shall have been a default in the payment of dividends on any one or more series of Preferred Stock or under such circumstances and on such conditions as the Board of Directors may determine.

(c) (1) After the requirements with respect to preferential dividends on the Preferred Stock (fixed in accordance with the provisions of section (b) of this Article FOURTH), if any, shall have been met and after the Corporation shall have complied with all the requirements, if any, with respect to the setting aside of sums as sinking funds or redemption or purchase accounts (fixed in accordance with the provisions of section (b) of this Article FOURTH), and subject further to any conditions which may be fixed in accordance with the provisions of section (b) of this Article FOURTH), then and not otherwise the holders of Common Stock shall be entitled to receive such dividends as may be declared from time to time by the Board of Directors.

(2) After distribution in full of the preferential amount, if any, (fixed in accordance with the provisions of section (b) of this Article FOURTH), to be distributed to the holders of Preferred Stock in the event of voluntary or involuntary liquidation, distribution or sale of assets, dissolution or winding-up, of the Corporation, the holders of the Common Stock shall be entitled to

receive all of the remaining assets of the Corporation, tangible and intangible, of whatever kind available for distribution to stockholders ratably in proportion to the number of shares of Common Stock held by them respectively.

(3) Except as may otherwise be required by law or by the provisions of such resolution or resolutions as may be adopted by the Board of Directors pursuant to section (b) of this Article FOURTH, each holder of Common Stock shall have one vote in respect of each share of Common Stock held on all matters voted upon by the stockholders.

(d) No holder of any of the shares of any class or series of stock or of options, warrants or other rights to purchase shares of any class or series of stock or of other securities of the Corporation shall have any preemptive right to purchase or subscribe for any unissued stock of any class or series or any additional shares of any class or series to be issued by reason of any increase of the authorized capital stock of the Corporation of any class or series, or bonds, certificates of indebtedness, debentures or other securities convertible into or exchangeable for stock of the Corporation of any class or series, or carrying any right to purchase stock of any class or series, but any such unissued stock, additional authorized issue of shares of any class or series of stock or securities convertible into or exchangeable for stock, or carrying any right to purchase stock, may be issued and disposed of pursuant to resolution of the Board of Directors to such persons, firms, corporations or associations, whether such holders or others, and upon such terms as may be deemed advisable by the Board of Directors in the exercise of its sole discretion.

(e) The relative powers, preferences and rights of each series of Preferred Stock in relation to the relative powers, preferences and rights of each other series of Preferred Stock shall, in each case, be as fixed from time to time by the Board of Directors in the resolution or resolutions adopted pursuant to authority granted in section (b) of this Article FOURTH and the consent, by class or series vote or otherwise, of the holders of such of the series of Preferred Stock as are from time to time outstanding shall not be required for the issuance by the Board of Directors of any other series of Preferred Stock whether or not the powers, preferences and rights of such other series shall be fixed by the Board of Directors as senior to, or on a parity with, the powers, preferences and rights of such outstanding series, or any of them; provided, however, that the Board of Directors may provide in the resolution or resolutions as to any series of Preferred Stock adopted pursuant to section (b) of this Article FOURTH that the consent of the holders of a majority (or such greater proportion as shall be therein fixed) of the outstanding shares of such series voting thereon shall be required for the issuance of any or all other series of Preferred Stock.

(f) Subject to the provisions of section (e), shares of any series of Preferred Stock may be issued from time to time as the Board of Directors of the Corporation shall determine and on such terms and for such consideration as shall be fixed by the Board of Directors.

(g) Shares of Common Stock may be issued from time to time as the Board of Directors of the Corporation shall determine and on such terms and for such consideration as shall be fixed by the Board of Directors.

(h) The authorized amount of shares of Common Stock and of Preferred Stock may, without a class or series vote, be increased or decreased from time to time by the affirmative vote of the holders of a majority of the stock of the Corporation entitled to vote thereon.

FIFTH: - (a) The business and affairs of the Corporation shall be conducted and managed by a Board of Directors. The number of directors constituting the entire Board shall be not less than five nor more than twenty-five as fixed from time to time by vote of a majority of the whole Board, provided, however, that the number of directors shall not be reduced so as to shorten the term of any director at the time in office, and provided further, that the number of directors constituting the whole Board shall be twenty-four until otherwise fixed by a majority of the whole Board.

(b) The Board of Directors shall be divided into three classes, as nearly equal in number as the then total number of directors constituting the whole Board permits, with the term of office of one class expiring each year. At the annual meeting of stockholders in 1982, directors of the first class shall be elected to hold office for a term expiring at the next succeeding annual meeting, directors of the second class shall be elected to hold office for a term expiring at the second succeeding annual meeting and directors of the third class shall be elected to hold office for a term expiring at the third succeeding annual meeting. Any vacancies in the Board of Directors for any reason, and any newly created directorships resulting from any increase in the directors, may be filled by the Board of Directors, acting by a majority of the directors then in office, although less than a quorum, and any directors so chosen shall hold office until the next annual election of directors. At such election, the stockholders shall elect a successor to such director to hold office until the next election of the class for which such director shall have been chosen and until his successor shall be elected and qualified. No decrease in the number of directors shall shorten the term of any incumbent director.

(c) Notwithstanding any other provisions of this Charter or Act of Incorporation or the By-Laws of the Corporation (and notwithstanding the fact that some lesser percentage may be specified by law, this Charter or Act of Incorporation or the By-Laws of the Corporation), any director or the entire Board of Directors of the

Corporation may be removed at any time without cause, but only by the affirmative vote of the holders of two-thirds or more of the outstanding shares of capital stock of the Corporation entitled to vote generally in the election of directors (considered for this purpose as one class) cast at a meeting of the stockholders called for that purpose.

(d) Nominations for the election of directors may be made by the Board of Directors or by any stockholder entitled to vote for the election of directors. Such nominations shall be made by notice in writing, delivered or mailed by first class United States mail, postage prepaid, to the Secretary of the Corporation not less than 14 days nor more than 50 days prior to any meeting of the stockholders called for the election of directors; provided, however, that if less than 21 days' notice of the meeting is given to stockholders, such written notice shall be delivered or mailed, as prescribed, to the Secretary of the Corporation not later than the close of the seventh day following the day on which notice of the meeting was mailed to stockholders. Notice of nominations which are proposed by the Board of Directors shall be given by the Chairman on behalf of the Board.

(e) Each notice under subsection (d) shall set forth (i) the name, age, business address and, if known, residence address of each nominee proposed in such notice, (ii) the principal occupation or employment of such nominee and (iii) the number of shares of stock of the Corporation which are beneficially owned by each such nominee.

(f) The Chairman of the meeting may, if the facts warrant, determine and declare to the meeting that a nomination was not made in accordance with the foregoing procedure, and if he should so determine, he shall so declare to the meeting and the defective nomination shall be disregarded.

(g) No action required to be taken or which may be taken at any annual or special meeting of stockholders of the Corporation may be taken without a meeting, and the power of stockholders to consent in writing, without a meeting, to the taking of any action is specifically denied.

SIXTH: - The Directors shall choose such officers, agent and servants as may be provided in the By-Laws as they may from time to time find necessary or proper.

SEVENTH:- The Corporation hereby created is hereby given the same powers, rights and privileges as may be conferred upon corporations organized under the Act entitled "An Act Providing a General Corporation Law", approved March 10, 1899, as from time to time amended.

EIGHTH: - This Act shall be deemed and taken to be a private Act.

NINTH: - This Corporation is to have perpetual existence.

TENTH: - The Board of Directors, by resolution passed by a majority of the whole Board, may designate any of their number to constitute an Executive Committee, which Committee, to the extent provided in said resolution, or in the By-Laws of the Company, shall have and may exercise all of the powers of the Board of Directors in the management of the business and affairs of the Corporation, and shall have power to authorize the seal of the Corporation to be affixed to all papers which may require it.

ELEVENTH: - The private property of the stockholders shall not be liable for the payment of corporate debts to any extent whatever.

TWELFTH: - The Corporation may transact business in any part of the world.

THIRTEENTH: - The Board of Directors of the Corporation is expressly authorized to make, alter or repeal the By-Laws of the Corporation by a vote of the majority of the entire Board. The stockholders may make, alter or repeal any By-Law whether or not adopted by them, provided however, that any such additional By-Laws, alterations or repeal may be adopted only by the affirmative vote of the holders of two-thirds or more of the outstanding shares of capital stock of the Corporation entitled to vote generally in the election of directors (considered for this purpose as one class).

FOURTEENTH: - Meetings of the Directors may be held outside of the State of Delaware at such places as may be from time to time designated by the Board, and the Directors may keep the books of the Company outside of the State of Delaware at such places as may be from time to time designated by them.

FIFTEENTH: - (a) In addition to any affirmative vote required by law, and except as otherwise expressly provided in sections (b) and (c) of this Article
FIFTEENTH:

(A) any merger or consolidation of the Corporation or any Subsidiary (as hereinafter defined) with or into (i) any Interested Stockholder (as hereinafter defined) or (ii) any other corporation (whether or not itself an Interested Stockholder), which, after such merger or consolidation, would be an Affiliate (as hereinafter defined) of an Interested Stockholder, or

(B) any sale, lease, exchange, mortgage, pledge, transfer or other disposition (in one transaction or a series of related transactions) to or with any Interested Stockholder or any Affiliate of any Interested Stockholder of any assets of the Corporation or any Subsidiary having an aggregate fair market value of \$1,000,000 or more, or

(C) the issuance or transfer by the Corporation or any Subsidiary (in one transaction or a series of related transactions) of any securities of the Corporation or any Subsidiary to any Interested Stockholder or any Affiliate of any Interested Stockholder in exchange for cash, securities or other property (or a combination thereof) having an aggregate fair market value of \$1,000,000 or more, or

(D) the adoption of any plan or proposal for the liquidation or dissolution of the Corporation, or

(E) any reclassification of securities (including any reverse stock split), or recapitalization of the Corporation, or any merger or consolidation of the Corporation with any of its Subsidiaries or any similar transaction (whether or not with or into or otherwise involving an Interested Stockholder) which has the effect, directly or indirectly, of increasing the proportionate share of the outstanding shares of any class of equity or convertible securities of the Corporation or any Subsidiary which is directly or indirectly owned by any Interested Stockholder, or any Affiliate of any Interested Stockholder,

shall require the affirmative vote of the holders of at least two-thirds of the outstanding shares of capital stock of the Corporation entitled to vote generally in the election of directors, considered for the purpose of this Article FIFTEENTH as one class ("Voting Shares"). Such affirmative vote shall be required notwithstanding the fact that no vote may be required, or that some lesser percentage may be specified, by law or in any agreement with any national securities exchange or otherwise.

(2) The term "business combination" as used in this Article FIFTEENTH shall mean any transaction which is referred to any one or more of clauses (A) through (E) of paragraph 1 of the section (a).

(b) The provisions of section (a) of this Article FIFTEENTH shall not be applicable to any particular business combination and such business combination shall require only such affirmative vote as is required by law and any other provisions of the Charter or Act of Incorporation of By-Laws if such business combination has been approved by a majority of the whole Board.

(c) For the purposes of this Article FIFTEENTH:

(1) A "person" shall mean any individual firm, corporation or other entity.

(2) "Interested Stockholder" shall mean, in respect of any business combination, any person (other than the Corporation or any Subsidiary) who or which as of the record date for the determination of stockholders entitled to notice of and to vote on

such business combination, or immediately prior to the consummation of any such transaction:

(A) is the beneficial owner, directly or indirectly, of more than 10% of the Voting Shares, or

(B) is an Affiliate of the Corporation and at any time within two years prior thereto was the beneficial owner, directly or indirectly, of not less than 10% of the then outstanding voting Shares, or

(C) is an assignee of or has otherwise succeeded in any share of capital stock of the Corporation which were at any time within two years prior thereto beneficially owned by any Interested Stockholder, and such assignment or succession shall have occurred in the course of a transaction or series of transactions not involving a public offering within the meaning of the Securities Act of 1933.

(3) A person shall be the "beneficial owner" of any Voting Shares:

(A) which such person or any of its Affiliates and Associates (as hereafter defined) beneficially own, directly or indirectly, or

(B) which such person or any of its Affiliates or Associates has (i) the right to acquire (whether such right is exercisable immediately or only after the passage of time), pursuant to any agreement, arrangement or understanding or upon the exercise of conversion rights, exchange rights, warrants or options, or otherwise, or (ii) the right to vote pursuant to any agreement, arrangement or understanding, or

(C) which are beneficially owned, directly or indirectly, by any other person with which such first mentioned person or any of its Affiliates or Associates has any agreement, arrangement or understanding for the purpose of acquiring, holding, voting or disposing of any shares of capital stock of the Corporation.

(4) The outstanding Voting Shares shall include shares deemed owned through application of paragraph (3) above but shall not include any other Voting Shares which may be issuable pursuant to any agreement, or upon exercise of conversion rights, warrants or options or otherwise.

(5) "Affiliate" and "Associate" shall have the respective meanings given those terms in Rule 12b-2 of the General Rules and Regulations under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as in effect on December 31, 1981.

(6)"Subsidiary" shall mean any corporation of which a majority of any class of equity security (as defined in Rule 3a11-1 of the General Rules and Regulations under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as in effect in December 31, 1981) is owned, directly or indirectly, by the Corporation; provided, however, that for the purposes of the definition of Investment Stockholder set forth in paragraph (2) of this section (c), the term "Subsidiary" shall mean only a corporation of which a majority of each class of equity security is owned, directly or indirectly, by the Corporation.

(d) majority of the directors shall have the power and duty to determine for the purposes of this Article FIFTEENTH on the basis of information known to them, (1) the number of Voting Shares beneficially owned by any person (2) whether a person is an Affiliate or Associate of another, (3) whether a person has an agreement, arrangement or understanding with another as to the matters referred to in paragraph (3) of section (c), or (4) whether the assets subject to any business combination or the consideration received for the issuance or transfer of securities by the Corporation, or any Subsidiary has an aggregate fair market value of \$1,000,000 or more.

(e) Nothing contained in this Article FIFTEENTH shall be construed to relieve any Interested Stockholder from any fiduciary obligation imposed by law.

SIXTEENTH: Notwithstanding any other provision of this Charter or Act of Incorporation or the By-Laws of the Corporation (and in addition to any other vote that may be required by law, this Charter or Act of Incorporation by the By-Laws), the affirmative vote of the holders of at least two-thirds of the outstanding shares of the capital stock of the Corporation entitled to vote generally in the election of directors (considered for this purpose as one class) shall be required to amend, alter or repeal any provision of Articles FIFTH, THIRTEENTH, FIFTEENTH or SIXTEENTH of this Charter or Act of Incorporation.

SEVENTEENTH: (a) a Director of this Corporation shall not be liable to the Corporation or its stockholders for monetary damages for breach of fiduciary duty as a Director, except to the extent such exemption from liability or limitation thereof is not permitted under the Delaware General Corporation Laws as the same exists or may hereafter be amended.

(b) Any repeal or modification of the foregoing paragraph shall not adversely affect any right or protection of a Director of the Corporation existing hereunder with respect to any act or omission occurring prior to the time of such repeal or modification."

EXHIBIT B

BY-LAWS

WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY

WILMINGTON, DELAWARE

AS EXISTING ON JANUARY 16, 1997

BY-LAWS OF WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY

ARTICLE I
STOCKHOLDERS' MEETINGS

Section 1. The Annual Meeting of Stockholders shall be held on the third Thursday in April each year at the principal office at the Company or at such other date, time, or place as may be designated by resolution by the Board of Directors.

Section 2. Special meetings of all stockholders may be called at any time by the Board of Directors, the Chairman of the Board or the President.

Section 3. Notice of all meetings of the stockholders shall be given by mailing to each stockholder at least ten (10) days before said meeting, at his last known address, a written or printed notice fixing the time and place of such meeting.

Section 4. A majority in the amount of the capital stock of the Company issued and outstanding on the record date, as herein determined, shall constitute a quorum at all meetings of stockholders for the transaction of any business, but the holders of a small number of shares may adjourn, from time to time, without further notice, until a quorum is secured. At each annual or special meeting of stockholders, each stockholder shall be entitled to one vote, either in person or by proxy, for each shares of stock registered in the stockholder's name on the books of the Company on the record date for any such meeting as determined herein.

ARTICLE II
DIRECTORS

Section 1. The number and classification of the Board of Directors shall be as set forth in the Charter of the Bank.

Section 2. No person who has attained the age of seventy-two (72) years shall be nominated for election to the Board of Directors of the Company, provided, however, that this limitation shall not apply to any person who was serving as director of the Company on September 16, 1971.

Section 3. The class of Directors so elected shall hold office for three years or until their successors are elected and qualified.

Section 4. The affairs and business of the Company shall be managed and conducted by the Board of Directors.

Section 5. The Board of Directors shall meet at the principal office of the Company or elsewhere in its discretion at such times to be determined by a majority of its

members, or at the call of the Chairman of the Board of Directors or the President.

Section 6. Special meetings of the Board of Directors may be called at any time by the Chairman of the Board of Directors or by the President, and shall be called upon the written request of a majority of the directors.

Section 7. A majority of the directors elected and qualified shall be necessary to constitute a quorum for the transaction of business at any meeting of the Board of Directors.

Section 8. Written notice shall be sent by mail to each director of any special meeting of the Board of Directors, and of any change in the time or place of any regular meeting, stating the time and place of such meeting, which shall be mailed not less than two days before the time of holding such meeting.

Section 9. In the event of the death, resignation, removal, inability to act, or disqualification of any director, the Board of Directors, although less than a quorum, shall have the right to elect the successor who shall hold office for the remainder of the full term of the class of directors in which the vacancy occurred, and until such director's successor shall have been duly elected and qualified.

Section 10. The Board of Directors at its first meeting after its election by the stockholders shall appoint an Executive Committee, a Trust Committee, an Audit Committee and a Compensation Committee, and shall elect from its own members a Chairman of the Board of Directors and a President who may be the same person. The Board of Directors shall also elect at such meeting a Secretary and a Treasurer, who may be the same person, may appoint at any time such other committees and elect or appoint such other officers as it may deem advisable. The Board of Directors may also elect at such meeting one or more Associate Directors.

Section 11. The Board of Directors may at any time remove, with or without cause, any member of any Committee appointed by it or any associate director or officer elected by it and may appoint or elect his successor.

Section 12. The Board of Directors may designate an officer to be in charge of such of the departments or division of the Company as it may deem advisable.

ARTICLE III COMMITTEES

Section 1. Executive Committee

(A) The Executive Committee shall be composed of not more than nine members who shall be selected by the Board of Directors from its own members and who

shall hold office during the pleasure of the Board.

(B) The Executive Committee shall have all the powers of the Board of Directors when it is not in session to transact all business for and in behalf of the Company that may be brought before it.

(C) The Executive Committee shall meet at the principal office of the Company or elsewhere in its discretion at such times to be determined by a majority of its members, or at the call of the Chairman of the Executive Committee or at the call of the Chairman of the Board of Directors. The majority of its members shall be necessary to constitute a quorum for the transaction of business. Special meetings of the Executive Committee may be held at any time when a quorum is present.

(D) Minutes of each meeting of the Executive Committee shall be kept and submitted to the Board of Directors at its next meeting.

(E) The Executive Committee shall advise and superintend all investments that may be made of the funds of the Company, and shall direct the disposal of the same, in accordance with such rules and regulations as the Board of Directors from time to time make.

(F) In the event of a state of disaster of sufficient severity to prevent the conduct and management of the affairs and business of the Company by its directors and officers as contemplated by these By-Laws any two available members of the Executive Committee as constituted immediately prior to such disaster shall constitute a quorum of that Committee for the full conduct and management of the affairs and business of the Company in accordance with the provisions of Article III of these By-Laws; and if less than three members of the Trust Committee is constituted immediately prior to such disaster shall be available for the transaction of its business, such Executive Committee shall also be empowered to exercise all of the powers reserved to the Trust Committee under Article III Section 2 hereof. In the event of the unavailability, at such time, of a minimum of two members of such Executive Committee, any three available directors shall constitute the Executive Committee for the full conduct and management of the affairs and business of the Company in accordance with the foregoing provisions of this Section. This By-Law shall be subject to implementation by Resolutions of the Board of Directors presently existing or hereafter passed from time to time for that purpose, and any provisions of these By-Laws (other than this Section) and any resolutions which are contrary to the provisions of this Section or to the provisions of any such implementary Resolutions shall be suspended during such a disaster period until it shall be determined by any interim Executive Committee acting under this section that it shall be to the advantage of the Company to resume the conduct and management of its affairs and business under all of the other provisions of these By-Laws.

Section 2. Trust Committee

(A) The Trust Committee shall be composed of not more than thirteen members who shall be selected by the Board of Directors, a majority of whom shall be members of the Board of Directors and who shall hold office during the pleasure of the Board.

(B) The Trust Committee shall have general supervision over the Trust Department and the investment of trust funds, in all matters, however, being subject to the approval of the Board of Directors.

(C) The Trust Committee shall meet at the principal office of the Company or elsewhere in its discretion at such times to be determined by a majority of its members or at the call of its chairman. A majority of its members shall be necessary to constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

(D) Minutes of each meeting of the Trust Committee shall be kept and promptly submitted to the Board of Directors.

(E) The Trust Committee shall have the power to appoint Committees and/or designate officers or employees of the Company to whom supervision over the investment of trust funds may be delegated when the Trust Committee is not in session.

Section 3. Audit Committee

(A) The Audit Committee shall be composed of five members who shall be selected by the Board of Directors from its own members, none of whom shall be an officer of the Company, and shall hold office at the pleasure of the Board.

(B) The Audit Committee shall have general supervision over the Audit Division in all matters however subject to the approval of the Board of Directors; it shall consider all matters brought to its attention by the officer in charge of the Audit Division, review all reports of examination of the Company made by any governmental agency or such independent auditor employed for that purpose, and make such recommendations to the Board of Directors with respect thereto or with respect to any other matters pertaining to auditing the Company as it shall deem desirable.

(C) The Audit Committee shall meet whenever and wherever the majority of its members shall deem it to be proper for the transaction of its business, and a majority of its Committee shall constitute a quorum.

Section 4. Compensation Committee

(A) The Compensation Committee shall be composed of not more than

five (5) members who shall be selected by the Board of Directors from its own members who are not officers of the Company and who shall hold office during the pleasure of the Board.

(B) The Compensation Committee shall in general advise upon all matters of policy concerning the Company brought to its attention by the management and from time to time review the management of the Company, major organizational matters, including salaries and employee benefits and specifically shall administer the Executive Incentive Compensation Plan.

(C) Meetings of the Compensation Committee may be called at any time by the Chairman of the Compensation Committee, the Chairman of the Board of Directors, or the President of the Company.

Section 5. Associate Directors

(A) Any person who has served as a director may be elected by the Board of Directors as an associate director, to serve during the pleasure of the Board.

(B) An associate director shall be entitled to attend all directors meetings and participate in the discussion of all matters brought to the Board, with the exception that he would have no right to vote. An associate director will be eligible for appointment to Committees of the Company, with the exception of the Executive Committee, Audit Committee and Compensation Committee, which must be comprised solely of active directors.

Section 6. Absence or Disqualification of Any Member of a Committee

(A) In the absence or disqualification of any member of any Committee created under Article III of the By-Laws of this Company, the member or members thereof present at any meeting and not disqualified from voting, whether or not he or they constitute a quorum, may unanimously appoint another member of the Board of Directors to act at the meeting in the place of any such absence or disqualified member.

ARTICLE IV OFFICERS

Section 1. The Chairman of the Board of Directors shall preside at all meetings of the Board and shall have such further authority and powers and shall perform such duties as the Board of Directors may from time to time confer and direct. He shall also exercise such powers and perform such duties as may from time to time be agreed upon between himself and the President of the Company.

Section 2. The Vice Chairman of the Board. The Vice Chairman of the Board of

Directors shall preside at all meetings of the Board of Directors at which the Chairman of the Board shall not be present and shall have such further authority and powers and shall perform such duties as the Board of Directors or the Chairman of the Board may from time to time confer and direct.

Section 3. The President shall have the powers and duties pertaining to the office of the President conferred or imposed upon him by statute or assigned to him by the Board of Directors in the absence of the Chairman of the Board the President shall have the powers and duties of the Chairman of the Board.

Section 4. The Chairman of the Board of Directors or the President as designated by the Board of Directors, shall carry into effect all legal directions of the Executive Committee and of the Board of Directors, and shall at all times exercise general supervision over the interest, affairs and operations of the Company and perform all duties incident to his office.

Section 5. There may be one or more Vice Presidents, however denominated by the Board of Directors, who may at any time perform all the duties of the Chairman of the Board of Directors and/or the President and such other powers and duties as may from time to time be assigned to them by the Board of Directors, the Executive Committee, the Chairman of the Board or the President and by the officer in charge of the department or division to which they are assigned.

Section 6. The Secretary shall attend to the giving of notice of meetings of the stockholders and the Board of Directors, as well as the Committees thereof, to the keeping of accurate minutes of all such meetings and to recording the same in the minute books of the Company. In addition to the other notice requirements of these By-Laws and as may be practicable under the circumstances, all such notices shall be in writing and mailed well in advance of the scheduled date of any other meeting. He shall have custody of the corporate seal and shall affix the same to any documents requiring such corporate seal and to attest the same.

Section 7. The Treasurer shall have general supervision over all assets and liabilities of the Company. He shall be custodian of and responsible for all monies, funds and valuables of the Company and for the keeping of proper records of the evidence of property or indebtedness and of all the transactions of the Company. He shall have general supervision of the expenditures of the Company and shall report to the Board of Directors at each regular meeting of the condition of the Company, and perform such other duties as may be assigned to him from time to time by the Board of Directors of the Executive Committee.

Section 8. There may be a Controller who shall exercise general supervision over the internal operations of the Company, including accounting, and shall render to the Board of Directors at appropriate times a report relating to the general condition and internal operations of the Company.

There may be one or more subordinate accounting or controller officers however denominated, who may perform the duties of the Controller and such duties as may be prescribed by the Controller.

Section 9. The officer designated by the Board of Directors to be in charge of the Audit Division of the Company with such title as the Board of Directors shall prescribe, shall report to and be directly responsible only to the Board of Directors.

There shall be an Auditor and there may be one or more Audit Officers, however denominated, who may perform all the duties of the Auditor and such duties as may be prescribed by the officer in charge of the Audit Division.

Section 10. There may be one or more officers, subordinate in rank to all Vice Presidents with such functional titles as shall be determined from time to time by the Board of Directors, who shall ex officio hold the office Assistant Secretary of this Company and who may perform such duties as may be prescribed by the officer in charge of the department or division to whom they are assigned.

Section 11. The powers and duties of all other officers of the Company shall be those usually pertaining to their respective offices, subject to the direction of the Board of Directors, the Executive Committee, Chairman of the Board of Directors or the President and the officer in charge of the department or division to which they are assigned.

ARTICLE V STOCK AND STOCK CERTIFICATES

Section 1. Shares of stock shall be transferrable on the books of the Company and a transfer book shall be kept in which all transfers of stock shall be recorded.

Section 2. Certificate of stock shall bear the signature of the President or any Vice President, however denominated by the Board of Directors and countersigned by the Secretary or Treasurer or an Assistant Secretary, and the seal of the corporation shall be engraved thereon. Each certificate shall recite that the stock represented thereby is transferrable only upon the books of the Company by the holder thereof or his attorney, upon surrender of the certificate properly endorsed. Any certificate of stock surrendered to the Company shall be cancelled at the time of transfer, and before a new certificate or certificates shall be issued in lieu thereof. Duplicate certificates of stock shall be issued only upon giving such security as may be satisfactory to the Board of Directors or the Executive Committee.

Section 3. The Board of Directors of the Company is authorized to fix in advance a record date for the determination of the stockholders entitled to notice of, and to vote at, any meeting of stockholders and any adjournment thereof, or entitled to receive payment of

any dividend, or to any allotment or rights, or to exercise any rights in respect of any change, conversion or exchange of capital stock, or in connection with obtaining the consent of stockholders for any purpose, which record date shall not be more than 60 nor less than 10 days proceeding the date of any meeting of stockholders or the date for the payment of any dividend, or the date for the allotment of rights, or the date when any change or conversion or exchange of capital stock shall go into effect, or a date in connection with obtaining such consent.

ARTICLE VI
SEAL

Section 1. The corporate seal of the Company shall be in the following form:

Between two concentric circles the words "Wilmington Trust Company" within the inner circle the words "Wilmington, Delaware."

ARTICLE VII
FISCAL YEAR

Section 1. The fiscal year of the Company shall be the calendar year.

ARTICLE VIII
EXECUTION OF INSTRUMENTS OF THE COMPANY

Section 1. The Chairman of the Board, the President or any Vice President, however denominated by the Board of Directors, shall have full power and authority to enter into, make, sign, execute, acknowledge and/or deliver and the Secretary or any Assistant Secretary shall have full power and authority to attest and affix the corporate seal of the Company to any and all deeds, conveyances, assignments, releases, contracts, agreements, bonds, notes, mortgages and all other instruments incident to the business of this Company or in acting as executor, administrator, guardian, trustee, agent or in any other fiduciary or representative capacity by any and every method of appointment or by whatever person, corporation, court officer or authority in the State of Delaware, or elsewhere, without any specific authority, ratification, approval or confirmation by the Board of Directors or the Executive Committee, and any and all such instruments shall have the same force and validity as though expressly authorized by the Board of Directors and/or the Executive Committee.

ARTICLE IX
COMPENSATION OF DIRECTORS AND MEMBERS OF COMMITTEES

Section 1. Directors and associate directors of the Company, other than salaried officers of the Company, shall be paid such reasonable honoraria or fees for attending meetings of the Board of Directors as the Board of Directors may from time to time determine. Directors and associate directors who serve as members of committees, other than salaried employees of the Company, shall be paid such reasonable honoraria or fees for services as members of committees as the Board of Directors shall from time to time determine and directors and associate directors may be employed by the Company for such special services as the Board of Directors may from time to time determine and shall be paid for such special services so performed reasonable compensation as may be determined by the Board of Directors.

ARTICLE X
INDEMNIFICATION

Section 1. (A) The Corporation shall indemnify and hold harmless, to the fullest extent permitted by applicable law as it presently exists or may hereafter be amended, any person who was or is made or is threatened to be made a party or is otherwise involved in any action, suit or proceeding, whether civil, criminal, administrative or investigative (a "proceeding") by reason of the fact that he, or a person for whom he is the legal representative, is or was a director, officer, employee or agent of the Corporation or is or was serving at the request of the Corporation as a director, officer, employee, fiduciary or agent of another corporation or of a partnership, joint venture, trust, enterprise or non-profit entity, including service with respect to employee benefit plans, against all liability and loss suffered and expenses reasonably incurred by such person. The Corporation shall indemnify a person in connection with a proceeding initiated by such person only if the proceeding was authorized by the Board of Directors of the Corporation.

(B) The Corporation shall pay the expenses incurred in defending any proceeding in advance of its final disposition, provided, however, that the payment of expenses incurred by a Director officer in his capacity as a Director or officer in advance of the final disposition of the proceeding shall be made only upon receipt of an undertaking by the Director or officer to repay all amounts advanced if it should be ultimately determined that the Director or officer is not entitled to be indemnified under this Article or otherwise.

(C) If a claim for indemnification or payment of expenses, under this Article X is not paid in full within ninety days after a written claim therefor has been received by the Corporation the claimant may file suit to recover the unpaid amount of such claim and, if successful in whole or in part, shall be entitled to be paid the expense of prosecuting such claim. In any such action the Corporation shall have the burden of proving that the claimant was not entitled to the requested indemnification of payment of expenses

under applicable law.

(D) The rights conferred on any person by this Article X shall not be exclusive of any other rights which such person may have or hereafter acquire under any statute, provision of the Charter or Act of Incorporation, these By-Laws, agreement, vote of stockholders or disinterested Directors or otherwise.

(E) Any repeal or modification of the foregoing provisions of this Article X shall not adversely affect any right or protection hereunder of any person in respect of any act or omission occurring prior to the time of such repeal or modification.

ARTICLE XI
AMENDMENTS TO THE BY-LAWS

Section 1. These By-Laws may be altered, amended or repealed, in whole or in part, and any new By-Law or By-Laws adopted at any regular or special meeting of the Board of Directors by a vote of the majority of all the members of the Board of Directors then in office.

EXHIBIT C

SECTION 321(B) CONSENT

Pursuant to Section 321(b) of the Trust Indenture Act of 1939, as amended, Wilmington Trust Company hereby consents that reports of examinations by Federal, State, Territorial or District authorities may be furnished by such authorities to the Securities and Exchange Commission upon requests therefor.

WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY

Dated: April 1, 1998

By: /s/ David P. Fontello

Name: David P. Fontello
Title: Vice President

LIABILITIES

Deposits:	
In domestic offices.....	4,034,633
Noninterest-bearing.....	839,928
Interest-bearing.....	3,194,705
Federal funds purchased and Securities sold under agreements to repurchase.....	575,827
Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury.....	61,290
Trading liabilities (from Schedule RC-D).....	0
Other borrowed money:	
With original maturity of one year or less.....	673,000
With original maturity of more than one year.....	43,000
Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding.....	0
Subordinated notes and debentures.....	0
Other liabilities (from Schedule RC-G).....	76,458
Total liabilities.....	5,464,208

EQUITY CAPITAL

Perpetual preferred stock and related surplus.....	0
Common Stock.....	500
Surplus (exclude all surplus related to preferred stock).....	62,118
Undivided profits and capital reserves.....	385,018
Net unrealized holding gains (losses) on available-for-sale securities.....	7,362
Total equity capital.....	454,998
Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, and equity capital.....	5,919,206