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# **UNITED STATES** SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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# **FORM 10-Q**

(Mark One) OUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15 (d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE × **ACT OF 1934** 

For the quarterly period ended April 1, 2006

OR

#### TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15 (d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE **ACT OF 1934**

For the transition period from

Commission File No. 000-03389

# WEIGHT WATCHERS INTERNATIONAL, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Virginia (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

11-6040273 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

11 Madison Avenue, 17<sup>th</sup> Floor, New York, New York 10010 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (212) 589-2700

(Former name, former address and former fiscal year, if changed since last report)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15 (d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days.

> Yes 🗷 No 🛛

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, or a non-accelerated filer. See definition of "accelerated filer and large accelerated filer" in Ruler 12b-2 of the Exchange Act. (Check one):

Large Accelerated Filer

Accelerated Filer

Non Accelerated Filer  $\Box$ 

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act).

Yes 🛛 No 🗵

The number of common shares outstanding as of April 30, 2006 was 100,617,298.

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# PART I-FINANCIAL INFORMATION

# **ITEM 1. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

# WEIGHT WATCHERS INTERNATIONAL, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES UNAUDITED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS AT (IN THOUSANDS)

		April 1, 2006	D	ecember 31, 2005
ASSETS				
CURRENT ASSETS				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	52,898	\$	31,476
Receivables, net		34,014		28,040
Inventories, net		30,056		31,678
Prepaid expenses and other current assets		27,285		25,638
Deferred income taxes		8,440		10,878
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS		152,693		127,710
Property and equipment, net		22,604		20,775
Franchise rights acquired		554,703		555,604
Goodwill		51,298		51,305
Trademarks and other intangible assets, net		8,237		8,837
Deferred income taxes		57,491		61,917
Deferred financing costs and other noncurrent assets		8,963		9,343
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	855,989	\$	835,491
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LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' DEFICIT				
CURRENT LIABILITIES				
Portion of long-term debt due within one year	\$	4,670	\$	4,700
Accounts payable		21,183		19,714
Dividend payable		17,601		
Accrued liabilities		88,518		82,025
Income taxes payable		31,677		13,710
Deferred income taxes		7,250		7,250
Deferred revenue		50,377		38,489
TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES		221,276		165,888
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Long-term debt		667,788		741,425
Deferred income taxes		27		26
Other		8,851		8,803
TOTAL LIABILITIES		897,942		916,142
SHAREHOLDERS' DEFICIT				
Dividend to Artal Luxembourg S.A.		(304,835)		(304,835)
Common stock, \$0 par value; 1,000,000 shares authorized; 111,988 shares issued and outstanding		(001,000)		(001,000)
Treasury stock, at cost, 11,401 shares at April 1, 2006 and 11,410 shares at December 31, 2005		(397,040)		(390,864)
Retained earnings		654,207		609,053
Accumulated other comprehensive income		5,715		5,995
TOTAL SHAREHOLDERS' DEFICIT		(41,953)		(80,651)
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' DEFICIT	\$	855,989	\$	835,491
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The accompanying notes are an integral part of the consolidated financial statements.

# WEIGHT WATCHERS INTERNATIONAL, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES UNAUDITED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS (IN THOUSANDS, EXCEPT PER SHARE AMOUNTS)

	<b>Three Months Ended</b>		
	 April 1, 2006		April 2, 2005
Meeting fees, net	\$ 198,539	\$	195,133
Product sales and other, net	112,276		108,613
Online revenues	31,233		26,252
Revenues, net	 342,048		329,998
Cost of meetings, products and other	141,555		141,342
Cost of online subscriptions	 8,000		6,736
Cost of revenues	 149,555		148,078
Gross profit	192,493		181,920
Marketing expenses	53,880		61,103
Selling, general and administrative expenses	 34,538		30,790
Operating income	104,075		90,027
Interest expense, net	11,287		4,736
Other (income)/expense, net	 (108)		611
Income before income taxes	92,896		84,680
Provision for income taxes	35,899		33,052
Net income	\$ 56,997	\$	51,628
Earnings Per Share:			
Basic	\$ 0.57	\$	0.50
Diluted	\$ 0.56	\$	0.49
Weighted average common shares outstanding:			
Basic	100,539		102,673
Diluted	 101,338		104,610

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the consolidated financial statements.

# WEIGHT WATCHERS INTERNATIONAL, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES UNAUDITED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY/(DEFICIT) (IN THOUSANDS)

	Commor	Stock	Treasury	Treasury Stock		Dividend to Artal Luxembourg	Retained	
	Shares	Amount	Shares	Amount	Income	S.A.	Earnings	Total
Balance at January 1, 2005	111,988	\$ —	9,575	\$ (222,547)	\$ 5,794	\$ —	\$ 413,192	\$ 196,439
Comprehensive Income:								
Net income							174,402	174,402
Translation adjustment, net of taxes of \$853					(1,272)			(1,272)
Change in fair value of derivatives accounted								
for as hedges, net of taxes of (\$942)					1,473			1,473
Total Comprehensive Income								174,603
Issuance of treasury stock under employee stock								
plans			(1,897)	7,663			(3,951)	
Tax benefit of stock options exercised							26,770	26,770
Exercise of WW.com warrants							(4,261)	(4,261)
Dividend to Artal Luxembourg S.A.						(304,835)		(304,835)
Purchase of treasury stock			3,732	(175,980)				(175,980)
Compensation expense on restricted stock awards							2,901	2,901
Balance at December 31, 2005	111,988	\$	11,410	\$ (390,864)	\$ 5,995	\$ (304,835)	\$ 609,053	\$ (80,651)
Comprehensive Income:								
Net income							56,997	56,997
Translation adjustment, net of taxes of \$484					(772)			(772)
Change in fair value of derivatives accounted for as hedges, net of taxes of (\$318)					492			492
Total Comprehensive Income					.,2			56,717
Issuance of treasury stock under employee stock								50,717
plans			(157)	633			2.353	2,986
Tax benefit of RSUs vested and stock options exercised			(107)	000			1.454	1,454
Purchase of treasury stock			148	(6,809)			1,+5+	(6,809)
Compensation expense on stock-based awards			140	(0,809)			2.834	2,834
Dividends payable							(17,601)	,
Secondary offering fees							(17,001)	(883)
Balance at April 1, 2006	111,988	\$	11,401	\$ (397,040)	\$ 5,715	\$ (304,835)	\$ 654,207	\$ (41,953)
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The accompanying notes are an integral part of the consolidated financial statements.

# WEIGHT WATCHERS INTERNATIONAL, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES UNAUDITED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS (IN THOUSANDS)

	Three Mor	ths Ended
	April 1, 2006	April 2, 2005
Cash provided by operating activities	<u>\$ 101,066</u>	\$ 108,076
Investing activities:		
Capital expenditures	(3,732)	(1,563)
Website development expenditures	(472)	(496)
Other items, net	(271)	(160)
Cash used for investing activities	(4,475)	(2,219)
Financing activities:		
Net (decrease)/increase in short-term borrowings	(378)	772
Payments of long-term debt	(73,667)	(77,750)
Proceeds from stock options exercised	3,337	1,854
Tax benefit from RSUs vested and stock options exercised	1,454	
Repurchase of treasury stock	(6,809)	(14,997)
Costs of public equity offering	(883)	
Cash used for financing activities	(76,946)	(90,121)
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash/cash equivalents and other	1,777	(573)
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents	21,422	15,163
Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of period	31,476	35,156
Cash and cash equivalents, end of period	<u>\$ 52,898</u>	<u>\$ 50,319</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the consolidated financial statements.

#### WEIGHT WATCHERS INTERNATIONAL, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES NOTES TO UNAUDITED CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (IN THOUSANDS, EXCEPT PER SHARE AMOUNTS)

#### 1. Basis of Presentation

The accompanying consolidated financial statements include the accounts of Weight Watchers International, Inc., and its whollyowned subsidiaries, which effective December 16, 2005 includes WeightWatchers.com, Inc. and its subsidiaries (collectively, "WeightWatchers.com" or "WW.com"). The term "the Company" as used throughout this document is used to indicate Weight Watchers International, Inc. and its wholly owned subsidiaries. The term "WWI" as used throughout this document is used to indicate Weight Watchers International and its wholly-owned subsidiaries other than WeightWatchers.com.

The consolidated financial statements have been prepared in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America and include amounts that are based on management's best estimates and judgments. While all available information has been considered, actual amounts could differ from those estimates. The consolidated financial statements are unaudited but, in the opinion of management, reflect all adjustments necessary for a fair statement.

These statements should be read in conjunction with the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2005, which includes additional information about the Company, its results of operations, its financial position and its cash flows.

#### 2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

The Company adopted the provisions of SFAS No. 123(R) "Share-Based Payment" on January 1, 2006. This standard requires the Company to recognize the cost of all stock-based awards based on their grant-date fair value over the related service period of such awards. Determining the fair value of options at the grant date requires judgment, including estimating the expected term that stok options will be outstanding prior to exercise, the associated volatility and the expected dividends. Prior to adopting SFAS No.123(R), the Company applied the recognition and measurement principles of Accounting Principles Board ("APB") Opinion No. 25, "Accounting for Stock Issued to Employees" and related Interpretations, in accounting for its stock-based compensation plans. All employee stock options were granted with an exercise price equal to the market price on the date of grant. Accordingly, no compensation expense was recognized for stock option grants in prior periods. In accordance with SFAS No. 123(R), judgment is required in estimating the amount of share-based awards expected to be forfeited prior to vesting. If actual forfeitures differ significantly from these estimates, share-based compensation expense could be materially impacted.

For a discussion of the Company's other significant accounting policies, see "Summary of Significant Accounting Policies" beginning on page F-8 of the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2005.

#### 3. Acquisitions

On June 13, 2005, WWI entered into an agreement to acquire its affiliate WW.com. As a result, WWI increased its ownership interest in WW.com from approximately 20% to approximately 53% as follows: on July 1, 2005, WWI exercised its 6,395 warrants to purchase WW.com common stock for a total price of \$45,660; and on July 2, 2005, WWI acquired through a merger of a subsidiary of WWI with WW.com (the "Merger"), 1,126 shares of WW.com common stock owned by the employees of WW.com and other parties not related to Artal Luxembourg S.A. (together with its affiliates, "Artal") for a total price of \$28,383, and acquired an additional 2,759 shares of WW.com common stock, representing outstanding stock options then held by WW.com employees, for a total price of \$62,342.

The acquisition of the 1,126 shares represented shares owned outright by the employees of WW.com and other parties not related to Artal. This component of the transaction has been accounted for under the provisions of Statement of Financial Accounting Standards ("SFAS") No. 141, "Business Combinations," ("FAS 141"). The acquisition of these shares resulted in an increase to goodwill of \$26,185 and an increase to finite-lived intangible assets of \$1,161, primarily customer relations and information technology. These amounts represent the excess of the purchase price of \$28,383 over the net book value of the assets acquired plus transaction costs.

The acquisition of the 2,759 shares represented vested and unvested options owned by employees of WW.com. Because at the time of the acquisition of these shares Artal owned approximately 47% of WW.com and is the parent company to WWI, the acquisition of these shares is considered to be a transaction between entities under common control, and therefore, the provisions of FAS 141 are not applicable.

Under the guidance of FASB Interpretation No. 44, "Accounting for Certain Transactions involving Stock Compensation," ("FIN 44"), and Emerging Issues Task Force Issue No. 00-23, "Issues Related to the Accounting for Stock Compensation under APB Opinion No. 25 and FIN 44," ("EITF 00-23"), the Company was required to record a compensation charge related to the 2,293 vested options of \$39,647 in the second quarter 2005. This amount represents the difference between the purchase price per share and the exercise price per share of the vested options. The 466 unvested options were exchanged for 134 restricted stock units of WWI, resulting in deferred compensation of \$7,214, which is being recorded as compensation expense in future periods as the restricted stock units vest.

In connection with the acquisition of the WW.com shares, WWI also purchased and canceled all 103 outstanding WW.com options held by WWI employees for a total settlement price of \$2,415. Under the guidance of FIN 44 and EITF 00-23, the Company was required to record the full settlement price as a compensation charge in the second quarter 2005. This charge, coupled with the aforementioned \$39,647 compensation charge recorded in connection with the vested options held by WW.com employees, resulted in a total compensation charge of \$42,062, which was recorded as a component of selling, general and administrative expenses in the second quarter of 2005.

On June 13, 2005, WW.com entered into a redemption agreement with Artal (the "Redemption") to purchase the 12,092 shares of WW.com then owned by Artal. Pursuant to the Redemption on December 16, 2005, WW.com redeemed the remaining 47% of its outstanding shares of common stock held by Artal for the aggregate cash consideration of \$304,835, the same purchase price per share as that paid by WWI in the merger. WW.com used cash on hand of approximately \$89,800 and the proceeds from its two credit facilities (see Note 5) which totaled \$215,000. In accordance with the provisions of SFAS No. 150, "Accounting for Certain Financial Instruments with Characteristics of Both Liabilities and Equity," because at the time of the Redemption Artal owned approximately 47% of WW.com and is the parent company of WWI, the Redemption was considered to be a transaction between entities under common control. Therefore, the Redemption was recorded as a dividend to Artal in the shareholders' deficit section of the balance sheet.

#### 4. Goodwill and Intangible Assets

In accordance with SFAS No. 142, "Goodwill and Other Intangible Assets," the Company no longer amortizes goodwill or other indefinite lived intangible assets. The Company performed its annual fair value impairment testing as of December 31, 2005 on its goodwill and other indefinite lived intangible assets and determined that no impairment existed. Unamortized goodwill is due mainly to the acquisition of the Company by the H.J. Heinz Company in 1978 and the aforementioned transactions with WW.com. Franchise rights acquired are due mainly to acquisitions of the Company's franchised territories. For the three months ended April 1, 2006, goodwill and franchise rights acquired decreased due to foreign currency fluctuations.

In accordance with SFAS No. 142, aggregate amortization expense for finite lived intangible assets was recorded in the amounts of \$1,485 and \$755 for the three months ended April 1, 2006 and April 2, 2005, respectively.

The carrying amount of the amortized intangible assets as of April 1, 2006 and December 31, 2005 was as follows:

	April 1, 2006			December 31, 2005			005	
	C	Gross Carrying Amount		ccumulated mortization		Gross Carrying Amount		ccumulated nortization
Deferred software costs	\$	7,667	\$	4,679	\$	7,435	\$	4,280
Trademarks		8,187		7,422		8,112		7,352
Non-compete agreement		1,200		1,200		1,200		1,200
Web site development costs		10,470		7,454		9,998		6,661
Other		5,382		3,914		5,382		3,797
	\$	32,906	\$	24,669	\$	32,127	\$	23,290

Estimated amortization expense of existing finite lived intangible assets for the next five fiscal years is as follows:

Remainder of 2006	\$ 3,280
2007	\$ 2,379
2008	\$ 835
2009	\$ 170
2010	\$ 107

#### 5. Long-Term Debt

#### WWI Credit Facility

As of April 1, 2006, WWI's Credit Agreement dated as of January 16, 2001 and amended and restated as of January 21, 2004, as supplemented on October 19, 2004 and as amended on June 24, 2005 (the "Credit Facility") consisted of a Term Loan B, Additional Term Loan B and a revolving line of credit (the "Revolver").

WWI's Term Loan B and the Revolver bear interest at a rate equal to LIBOR plus 1.75% per annum or, at WWI's option, the alternate base rate (as defined in the Credit Facility) plus 0.75% per annum. The Additional Term Loan B bears interest at a rate equal to LIBOR plus 1.50% per annum, or at WWI's option, the alternative base rate (as defined in the Credit Facility), plus 0.50% per annum. In addition to paying interest on outstanding principal under the Credit Facility, WWI is required to pay a commitment fee to the lenders under the Revolver with respect to the unused commitments at a rate equal to 0.375% per year.

WWI's Credit Facility contains customary covenants including covenants that in certain circumstances restrict WWI's ability to incur additional indebtedness, pay dividends on and redeem capital stock, make other restricted payments, including investments, sell its assets and enter into consolidations, mergers and transfers of all or substantially all of its assets. The Credit Facility also requires WWI to maintain specified financial ratios and satisfy financial condition tests. At April 1, 2006, WWI complied with all of the required financial ratios and also met all of the financial condition tests and is expected to continue to do so. The Credit Facility contains customary events of default. Upon the occurrence of an event of default under the Credit Facility, the lenders thereunder may cease making loans and declare amounts outstanding to be immediately due and payable. The Credit Facility is guaranteed by certain of the Company's existing and future subsidiaries, other than WW.com and its subsidiaries. Substantially all the assets of WWI and its subsidiaries collateralize the Credit Facility.

On November 4, 2005, Standard & Poor's confirmed its "BB" rating for WWI's corporate credit and WWI's Credit Facility. On March 11, 2005, Moody's assigned a "Ba1" rating for WWI's Term Loan B and Additional Term Loan B and confirmed its "Ba1" rating for WWI's Credit Facility.

#### WW.com Credit Facilities

On December 16, 2005, WW.com borrowed \$215,000 pursuant to two credit facilities (the "WW.com Credit Facilities"), consisting of (i) a five year, senior secured first lien term loan facility in an aggregate principal amount of \$170,000 (the "First Lien Term Credit Facility") and (ii) a five and one-half year, senior secured second lien term loan facility in an aggregate principal amount of \$45,000 (the "Second Lien Term Credit Facility"). The WW.com Credit Facilities are governed by two credit agreements among WW.com, Credit Suisse, as administrative agent and collateral agent, and the lenders party thereto.

The First Lien Term Credit Facility bears an interest rate equal to LIBOR plus 2.25% per annum, or, at WW.com's option, the alternate base rate, (as defined in the First Lien Term Credit Facility), plus 1.25% per annum. The Second Lien Term Credit Facility bears an interest rate equal to LIBOR plus 4.75% per annum or, at WW.com's option, the alternate base rate, (as defined in the Second Lien Term Credit Facility), plus 3.75% per annum.

Loans outstanding under the WW.com Credit Facilities (i) must be prepaid with certain percentages of excess cash flow and net cash proceeds of asset sales, issuances, offerings or placements of debt obligations of WW.com and issuances of equity securities of WW.com, and (ii) may be voluntarily prepaid at any time in whole or in part without premium or penalty, with certain exceptions depending upon the date of payment. The rights and priorities of the lenders under the WW.com Credit Facilities are governed by an inter-creditor agreement.

The WW.com Credit Facilities contain customary covenants, including affirmative and negative covenants that, in certain circumstances, restrict WW.com's ability to incur additional indebtedness, pay dividends on and redeem capital stock, make other restricted payments, including investments, sell WW.com assets and enter into consolidations, mergers and transfers of all or substantially all of WW.com's assets. The WW.com Credit Facilities also require WW.com to maintain specified financial ratios and satisfy financial condition tests, which become more restrictive over time. At April 1, 2006, WW.com complied with all of the required financial ratios and also met all of the financial condition tests and is expected to continue to do so. The WW.com Credit Facilities contain customary events of default. Upon the occurrence of an event of default under the WW.com Credit Facilities, the lenders thereunder may cease making loans and declare amounts outstanding to be immediately due and payable. Each of WW.com's existing and future domestic subsidiaries have guaranteed the Credit Facilities are secured by substantially all the assets of WW.com and these subsidiaries. WWI has not guaranteed the WW.com Credit Facilities.

On November 4, 2005, Standard & Poor's assigned its "B+" corporate credit rating to WeightWatchers.com. In addition, Standard & Poor's assigned ratings of "B+" to the First Lien Term Credit Facility and "B-" to the Second Lien Term Credit Facility. On November 2, 2005, Moody's assigned ratings of "Ba3" to the First Lien Term Credit Facility and "B1" to the Second Lien Term Credit Facility.

#### 6. Treasury Stock

On October 9, 2003, the Company, at the direction of WWI's Board of Directors, authorized a program to repurchase up to \$250,000 of the Company's outstanding common stock. On June 13, 2005, the Company, at the direction of WWI's Board of Directors, authorized adding an additional \$250,000 to this program.

The repurchase program allows for shares to be purchased from time to time in the open market or through privately negotiated transactions. No shares will be purchased from Artal under the program.

From October 9, 2003 through December 31, 2005, the Company purchased 9,184 shares of common stock in the open market for a total cost of \$381,877. During the three months ended April 1, 2006 and April 2, 2005, the Company purchased 148 and 356 shares of common stock, respectively, in the open market at a total cost of \$6,809 and \$14,997, respectively.

# 7. Earnings Per Share

Basic earnings per share ("EPS") computations are calculated utilizing the weighted average number of common shares outstanding during the periods presented. Diluted EPS is calculated utilizing the weighted average number of common shares outstanding adjusted for the effect of dilutive common stock equivalents.

The following table sets forth the computation of basic and diluted earnings per share:

	Three Months Ended			
	april 1, 2006		April 2, 2005	
Numerator:				
Net income	\$ 56,997	\$	51,628	
Denominator:				
Weighted-average shares	100,539		102,673	
Effect of dilutive common stock equivalents	 799		1,937	
Denominator for diluted EPS-Weighted-average shares	 101,338		104,610	
EPS:				
Basic	\$ 0.57	\$	0.50	
Diluted	\$ 0.56	\$	0.49	

The number of anti-dilutive common stock equivalents excluded from the calculation of weighted average shares for diluted EPS was 851 and 42 for the three months ended April 1, 2006 and April 2, 2005, respectively.

#### 8. Stock Plans

On May 12, 2004 and December 16, 1999, respectively, the Company's stockholders approved the 2004 Stock Incentive Plan (the "2004 Plan") and the 1999 Stock Purchase and Option Plan (the "1999 Plan"). These plans are designed to promote the long-term financial interests and growth of the Company by attracting and retaining management with the ability to contribute to the success of the business. The Board of Directors or a committee thereof administers the plans.

Under the 2004 Plan, grants may take the following forms at the committee's sole discretion: incentive stock options, stock appreciation rights, restricted stock units and other stock-based awards. The maximum number of shares available for grant under the 2004 Plan is 2,500 as of the plan's effective date.

Under the 1999 Plan, grants may take the following forms at the committee's sole discretion: incentive stock options, other stock options (other than incentive options), stock appreciation rights, restricted stock, purchase stock, dividend equivalent rights, performance units, performance shares and other stock-based grants. The maximum number of shares available for grant under this plan was 5,647 shares of authorized common stock as of the plan's effective date. In 2001, the number of shares available for grant was increased to 7,058 shares.

Through December 31, 2005, as permitted by SFAS No. 123, the Company applied the recognition and measurement principles of APB No. 25, "Accounting for Stock Issued to Employees," and related interpretations in accounting for these plans.

As such, for all periods presented through fiscal 2005, no compensation expense for employee stock options was reflected in earnings as all options were granted with an exercise price equal to the market price on the date of grant.

The following table illustrates the effect on net income and diluted earnings per share if the Company had applied the fair value recognition provisions of SFAS No. 123:

	Three Months Ende April 2, 2005		
Net income, as reported	\$	51,628	
Deduct:			
Total stock-based employee compensation expense determined under the fair value method for all stock option awards, net of related tax effect		694	
Pro forma net income	\$	50,934	
EPS:			
Basic-as reported	\$	0.50	
Basic-pro forma	\$	0.50	
Diluted-as reported	\$	0.49	
Diluted-pro forma	\$	0.49	

The Company adopted the provisions of SFAS 123(R), "Share-Based Payment" on January 1, 2006. Upon adopting this standard, the Company began recognizing the cost of all stock-based awards based on their grant-date fair value over the related service period of such awards. For the quarter ended April 1, 2006, the impact of adopting SFAS 123(R) was to reduce income before income taxes and net income by \$2,834 and \$1,729, respectively, with a corresponding reduction in basic and diluted earnings per share of \$.02. In accordance with SFAS 123(R), the Company has elected to apply the modified prospective transition method to all past awards outstanding and unvested as of the date of adoption and has begun to recognize the associated expense over the remaining vesting period based on the fair values previously determined and disclosed as part of its pro forma disclosures. The Company has not restated the results of prior periods.

The compensation cost that has been charged against income for these plans was \$2,834 for the quarter ended April 1, 2006 and such amount has been included as a component of selling, general and administrative expenses. The total income tax benefit recognized in the income statement for share-based compensation arrangements was \$1,105 for the quarter ended April 1, 2006. No compensation costs were capitalized. As of April 1, 2006, there was \$26,144 of total unrecognized compensation cost related to stock options and restricted stock units ("RSUs") granted under the plans. That cost is expected to be recognized over a weighted-average period of 3.1 years.

While the plans permit various types of awards, grants under the plans have historically been either stock options or restricted stock units. The following describes some further details of these awards.

#### Stock Option Awards

The fair value of each option award is estimated on the date of grant using the Black-Scholes option pricing model with the weighted average assumptions noted in the following table. Expected volatility is based on the historical volatility of the Company's stock with certain time periods excluded due to historical events which are not expected to recur. Since the Company's option exercise history is limited, it has estimated the expected term of option grants to be the midpoint between the vesting period and the contractual term of each award, as is permitted under Staff Accounting Bulletin No. 107, "Share-Based Payment" ("SAB 107"). The risk free interest rate is based on the U.S. Treasury yield curve in effect on the date of grant which corresponds to the expected term of the option.

	Three Months	Ended
	April 1, 2006	April 2, 2005
Dividend yield	1.4%	0%
Volatility	27.7%	28.5%
Risk-free interest rate	4.3% - 4.6%	3.3% - 4.2%
Expected term (years)	7.3	4.5

A summary of option activity under the plans for the three months ended April 1, 2006 is presented below:

	Shares	Weighted- Average Exercise Price	Weighted- Average Remaining Contractual Term (Yrs.)	Aggregate Intrinsic Value
Outstanding at January 1, 2006	2,825	\$ 28.14		
Granted	80	\$ 48.14		
Exercised	(146)	\$ 22.87		
Canceled	(23)	\$ 44.40		
Outstanding at April 1, 2006	2,736	\$ 28.87	5.15	\$ 62,128
Exercisable at April 1, 2006	1,280	\$ 13.96	4.28	\$ 47,919

The weighted-average grant-date fair value of options granted during the first quarter of 2006 and 2005 was \$15.90 and \$13.15, respectively. The total intrinsic value of options exercised during the first quarter of 2006 and 2005 was \$4,175 and \$34,815, respectively.

Cash received from options exercised during the quarter ended April 1, 2006 was \$3,337. The actual tax benefit realized from options exercised and RSUs vested totaled \$1,454 for the quarter ended April 1, 2006. With the adoption of SFAS 123(R), this amount is now shown as a cash inflow from financing activities. Prior to the adoption of SFAS 123(R), this amount was shown as a cash inflow from operating activities. Because the Company elected the modified prospective transition method of adoption, prior period financial statements have not been restated.

The fair value of RSUs is determined using the market price of the Company's common stock on the date of grant. A summary of RSU activity under the plans for the three months ended April 1, 2006 is presented below:

	Shares	 Weighted- Average Grant-Date Fair Value
Outstanding at January 1, 2006	181	\$ 48.77
Granted	144	\$ 50.38
Vested	(18)	\$ 50.70
Forfeited	(6)	\$ 50.59
Outstanding at April 1, 2006	301	\$ 49.39

The total fair value of RSUs vested during the quarter ended April 1, 2006 was \$938.

#### 9. Income Taxes

Prior to December 16, 2005 WWI and WeightWatchers.com were separate tax paying entities. Effective with the completion of the Redemption (see Note 3) WW.com is included in WWI's consolidated federal tax return.

The effective tax rate for the three months ended April 1, 2006 and April 2, 2005 was 38.6% and 39.0%, respectively, on the consolidated results of the Company. For the three months ended April 1, 2006 and April 2, 2005, the primary differences between the U.S. federal statutory tax rate and the Company's effective tax rate were state income taxes, offset by lower statutory tax rates in certain foreign jurisdictions.

#### 10. Legal

The Company has agreed to settle a litigation filed on behalf of a purported class of employees under the California Labor Code and the Federal Fair Labor Standards Act for \$2.3 million plus other costs and expenses. The settlement is subject to approval and certification of the class status by the court.

Due to the nature of its activities, the Company is, at times, subject to pending and threatened legal actions that arise out of the normal course of business. We have had and continue to have disputes with certain of our franchisees. In the opinion of management, based in part upon advice of legal counsel, the disposition of all such matters is not expected to have a material effect on the Company's results of operations, financial condition or cash flows.

#### 11. Derivative Instruments and Hedging

The Company enters into interest rate swaps to hedge a substantial portion of its variable rate debt. These contracts are used primarily to reduce risk associated with variable interest rate debt obligations. As of April 1, 2006 and April 2, 2005, the Company held contracts for interest rate swaps with notional amounts totaling \$257,500 and \$150,000, respectively. The Company is hedging forecasted transactions for periods not exceeding the next three years. At April 1, 2006, given the current configuration of its debt, the Company estimates that no derivative gains or losses reported in accumulated other comprehensive income will be reclassified to the Statement of Operations within the next 12 months.

As of April 1, 2006 and April 2, 2005, cumulative gains/(losses) for qualifying hedges were reported as a component of accumulated other comprehensive income in the amounts of \$1,894, or \$3,109 before taxes, and \$1,216, or \$1,993 before taxes, respectively. For the three months ended April 1, 2006 and April 2, 2005 there were no fair value adjustments since all hedges are considered qualifying.

# 12. Comprehensive Income

Comprehensive income for the Company includes net income, the effects of foreign currency translation and changes in the fair value of derivative instruments. Comprehensive income is as follows:

	Three Months Ended				
	A	april 1, 2006		April 2, 2005	
Net income	\$	56,997	\$	51,628	
Foreign currency translation adjustments		(772)		(229)	
Current period changes in fair value of derivatives		492		1,286	
Comprehensive income	\$	56,717	\$	52,685	

# 13. Segment Data

The Company has two operating segments, each of which is a reportable segment: WWI and WeightWatchers.com. These are two separate and distinct businesses for which discrete financial information is available. This discrete financial information is maintained and managed separately and is reviewed regularly by the chief operating decision maker. All intercompany activity is eliminated in consolidation.

Information about the Company's reportable operating segments is as follows:

	 Three Months Ended April 1, 2006						
	WWI		WW.com		ercompany iminations	С	onsolidated
Revenues from external customers	\$ 310,815	\$	31,233	\$		\$	342,048
Intercompany revenue	2,428		1,328		(3,756)		
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Total revenue	 313,243		32,561		(3,756)		342,048
Depreciation and amortization	2,436		1,425				3,861
Operating income	94,964		9,111				104,075
Interest expense, net							11,287
Other income, net							(108)
Provision for taxes							35,899
Net income	\$ 53,987	\$	3,010	\$		\$	56,997
Weighted average diluted shares outstanding							101,338
Total assets	\$ 933,606	\$	40,993	\$	(118,610)	\$	855,989

	Three Months Ended April 2, 2005							
		WWI		WW.com		ntercompany Eliminations		Consolidated
Revenues from external customers	\$	303,746	\$	26,252	\$	_	\$	329,998
Intercompany revenue		2,633		598		(3,231)		_
Total revenue		306,379		26,850		(3,231)		329,998
Depreciation and amortization		2,042		1,040				3,082
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Operating income		84,826		5,201				90,027
Interest expense, net			_		1			4,736
Other expense, net								611
Provision for taxes								33,052
Net income	\$	54,957	\$	2,627	\$	(5,956)	\$	51,628
Weighted average diluted shares outstanding								104,610
Total assets	\$	801,914	\$	27,129	\$	(7,506)	\$	821,537

#### 14. Subsequent Event

On May 8, 2006, WWI entered into a refinancing to reduce its effective interest rate while increasing its borrowing capacity, and extending the maturites under its Credit Facility (as refinanced, the "Refinanced Credit Facilities"). Under the refinancing, WWI's Term Loan B and Additional Term Loan B were repaid and replaced with a new Term Loan A in the amount of \$350,000 (the "Term Loan A"). In connection with this refinancing, WWI's Revolver was repaid and replaced with a new revolving line of credit (the "Refinanced connection with this refinancing, WWI's Revolver was repaid and replaced with a new revolving line of credit (the "Refinanced Revolver") which increased borrowing capacity from \$350,000 under the Revolver to \$500,000 under the Refinanced Revolver.

WWI used \$127,200 of the Refinanced Revolver to complete the refinancing, resulting in \$372,800 of remaining availability after the refinancing. The borrowings under the Term Loan A and Refinanced Revolver bear interest at an initial annual rate of LIBOR plus 0.875% per annum, or at WWI's option, the alternate base rate (as defined in the Refinanced Credit Facilities). In addition to paying interest on outstanding principal under the Refinanced Credit Facilities, WWI is required to pay a commitment fee to the lenders under the Refinanced Revolver with respect to the unused commitments at an initial rate equal to 0.175% per annum. The Refinanced Credit Facilities have a maturity date of June 30, 2011.

#### ITEM 2. MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS OF FINANCIAL CONDITION AND RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

You should read the following discussion in conjunction with our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2005 that includes additional information about us, our results of operations, our financial position and our cash flows, and with our unaudited consolidated financial statements and related notes included in Item 1 of this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q. Except for historical information contained herein, this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q includes "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933 and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 including, in particular, the statements about our plans, strategies and prospects under the heading "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations." We have used the words "may," "will," "expect," "anticipate," "believe," "estimate," "plan," "intend," and similar expressions in this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q and the documents incorporated by reference in this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q to identify forwardlooking statements. We have based these forward-looking statements on our current views with respect to future events and financial performance. Actual results could differ materially from those projected in the forward-looking statements. These forward-looking statements are subject to risks, uncertainties and assumptions, including, among other things:

- competition, including price competition and competition with self-help, pharmaceutical, surgical, dietary supplements and meal replacement products, and other weight-management brands, diets, programs and products;
- risks associated with the relative success of our marketing and advertising;
- risks associated with the continued attractiveness of our plans;
- risks associated with general economic conditions and consumer confidence; and
- the other factors discussed under "Item 1A. Risk Factors" beginning on page 12 of our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2005 as updated under "Part II Item 1A. Risk Factors" in this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q.

You should not put undue reliance on any forward-looking statements. You should understand that many important factors, including those discussed herein could cause our results to differ materially from those expressed or suggested in any forward-looking statements. Except as required by law, we do not undertake any obligation to publicly release any revisions to these forward-looking statements to reflect events or circumstances that occur after the date of this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q or to reflect the occurrence of unanticipated events.

#### **CRITICAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

We adopted the provisions of SFAS No. 123(R) "Share-Based Payment" on January 1, 2006. This standard requires us to recognize the cost of all stock-based awards based on their grant-date fair value over the related service period of such awards. Determining the fair value of options at the grant date requires judgment, including estimating the expected term that stock options will be outstanding prior to exercise, the associated volatility and the expected dividends. Prior to adoption SFAS No. 123(R), we applied the recognition and measurement principles of APB Opinion No. 25, "Accounting for Stock Issued to Employees" and related Interpretations, in accounting for our stock-based compensation plans. All employee stock options were granted with an exercise price equal to the market price on the date of grant. Accordingly, no compensation expense was recognized for stock option grants in prior periods. In accordance with SFAS No. 123(R), judgment is required in estimating the amount of share-based awards expected to be forfeited prior to vesting. If actual forfeitures differ significantly from these estimates, share-based compensation expense could be materially impacted.

For a discussion of the other critical accounting policies affecting us, see "Item 7. Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations Critical Accounting Policies" beginning on page 29 of our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2005. These critical accounting policies have not changed since December 31, 2005.

#### **RESULTS OF OPERATIONS**

Net revenues were \$342.0 million for the three months ended April 1, 2006, an increase of \$12.0 million or 3.6%, from \$330.0 million for the three months ended April 2, 2005. Net revenues were negatively impacted by foreign currency exchange rates in the amount of \$9.8 million or 3.0%. Revenues increased \$12.0 million on a reported basis driven by a \$3.4 million increase in meeting fees, a \$5.0 million increase in online revenues, a \$3.3 million increase in licensing revenues, and a \$0.3 million increase in other revenues.

For the three months ended April 1, 2006, total meeting fees were \$198.5 million, versus \$195.1 million for the same period in the prior year, an increase of \$3.4 million or 1.7% including the negative impact of foreign currency translation. While attendance volumes increased in our North American company-owned region ("NACO") and Continental Europe in the quarter compared to prior year, these gains were offset by a decline in the UK, leaving total worldwide attendance flat at the prior year level of 17.9 million.

In NACO, meeting fees for the three months ended April 1, 2006 were \$128.1 million, up \$12.7 million or 11.0%, from \$115.4 million for the three months ended April 2, 2005. Attendances grew 5.5% versus the prior year quarter to 10.3 million. Meeting fee growth outpaced attendance growth in the quarter. The average meeting fee per attendee rose 5.2% over the prior year comparable period as a result of a one dollar price rise in 27% of our markets and the positive impact of the Season Pass, a commitment plan offering which was introduced nationally in first quarter 2006.

International company-owned meeting fees were \$70.5 million for the period ended April 1, 2006, a decrease of \$9.3 million or 11.7%, from \$79.8 million for the three months ended April 2, 2005. On a local currency basis, meeting fee revenues declined 4.5% from the comparable prior year quarter. International meeting fees were negatively impacted by a 17.2% decline in UK attendance in the quarter, from 4.0 million in 2005 to 3.3 million in 2006, which offset the impact of 6.3% growth in Continental Europe attendance, which reached 3.4 million in the quarter.

Worldwide product sales for the three months ended April 1, 2006 were \$89.5 million, nearly on par with \$89.9 million for the three months ended April 2, 2005. Domestically, product sales posted strong growth, up 12.9% or \$5.7 million to \$49.7 million in the first quarter of 2006. This increase is the result of higher attendances coupled with improved penetration of our in-meeting consumable product offerings. In addition, E-Commerce launched in the US in late 2005 and generated \$1.5 million of sales in its first full quarter of operation. Internationally, product sales decreased 13.1% or \$6.0 million, to \$39.8 million due primarily to the decline in attendances and the negative impact of foreign currency exchange rates. On a local currency basis, international product sales declined 6.0%.

Online revenues grew \$5.0 million or 19.0%, to \$31.2 million for the three months ended April 1, 2006 from \$26.3 million for three months ended April 2, 2005. This increase was the result of a 17.1% increase in end of period active subscribers, from 563 thousand in the first quarter of 2005 to 659 thousand in the first quarter of 2006.

O ther revenue, comprised primarily of licensing revenues and our publications, was \$16.6 million for the three months ended April 1, 2006, an increase of \$3.8 million or 29.7%, from \$12.8 million for the three months ended April 2, 2005. Licensing revenues increased \$3.3 million or 37.0%, (43.4% excluding the negative impact of foreign currency translation) worldwide, and publishing increased \$0.6 million due to the successful launch of our "*New Complete Cookbook*" in the North American marketplace.

Franchise royalties were \$4.1 million domestically and \$2.1 million internationally for the three months ended April 1, 2006. Total franchise royalties were \$6.2 million, up 5.1% from \$5.9 million in the prior year, with the growth in domestic royalties outpacing foreign.

Cost of revenues was \$149.6 million for the three months ended April 1, 2006, an increase of \$1.5 million or 1.0%, from \$148.1 million for the three months ended April 2, 2005. Gross profit margin of 56.3% of sales for the three months ended April 1, 2006 increased 120 basis points from 55.1% of sales in the prior year. This margin expansion resulted from a combination of factors including pricing actions, improvements in the product sales business including less discounting and better inventory management, further scalability in our high margin WeightWatchers.com business, and growth in our high margin licensing business.

Marketing expenses decreased \$7.2 million or 11.8%, to \$53.9 million for the three months ended April 1, 2006, from \$61.1 million for the three months ended April 2, 2005. The lower spending on marketing is largely the result of timing. Our spring marketing campaign shifted into the second quarter this year because of a 3-week late Easter holiday, April 16 this year versus March 27 last year. In addition, the UK's marketing expense was more front-loaded in 2005 for the launch of the *Switch* innovation. Lastly, our 2006 international winter diet season direct mail expense was incurred in the fourth quarter of 2005, when mailed. In 2005, our winter diet season direct mail expense was incurred in the first quarter of 2005, when mailed. As a percentage of net revenues, marketing expenses were 15.8% for the three months ended April 1, 2006, as compared to 18.5% in the same period last year.

Selling, general and administrative expenses were \$34.5 million for the three months ended April 1, 2006 as compared to \$30.8 million for the three months ended April 2, 2005, an increase of \$3.7 million, including \$2.8 million related to non-cash stock compensation. As a percentage of revenues, selling, general and administrative expenses were 10.1%, for the three months ended April 1, 2006, as compared to 9.3% in the same period last year. Excluding the non-cash stock compensation, selling, general and administrative expenses were up 2.9% for the three months ended April 1, 2006, versus the comparable prior year period, and were 9.3% of revenues.

Operating income was \$104.1 million for the three months ended April 1, 2006, an increase of \$14.1 million or 15.7%, from \$90.0 million for the three months ended April 2, 2005. The operating income margin for the three months ended April 1, 2006 was 30.4%, an increase of 310 basis points from 27.3% for the comparable period last year.

Net interest charges increased 140.4% or \$6.6 million to \$11.3 million for the three months ended April 1, 2006, as compared to \$4.7 million for the three months ended April 2, 2005. This increase was due to the increase in total outstanding debt that resulted from the WW.com Credit Facility (as defined in Note 5) put in place in December 2005, higher average revolver balances during the quarter, and an increase of 2.1% in our effective interest rate from 4.27% in the first quarter 2005, to 6.37% in the first quarter 2006.

Our effective tax rate for the three months ended April 1, 2006 was 38.6%, as compared to 39.0% for the three months ended April 2, 2005.

#### LIQUIDITY AND CAPITAL RESOURCES

#### Sources and Uses of Cash

For the three months ended April 1, 2006, cash and cash equivalents were \$52.9 million, an increase of \$21.4 million from December 31, 2005. Cash flows provided by operating activities in the three months of 2006 were \$101.1 million, including \$11.5 million provided by WeightWatchers.com's operating activities. The cash provided by operations was driven by our net income of \$57.0 million and changes in our working capital as discussed further below. Funds used for investing and financing activities combined totaled \$81.4 million. Investing activities utilized \$4.5 million, primarily for capital expenditures of \$3.7 million. Cash used for financing activities totaled \$76.9 million. This included the repurchase of 148.3 thousand shares of our common stock for \$6.8 million, consistent with our stock repurchase program (See Part II, Item 2) and a net paydown of debt of \$73.7 million.

For the three months ended April 2, 2005, cash and cash equivalents were \$50.3 million, an increase of \$15.1 million from January 1, 2005. Cash flows provided by operating activities in the three months ended April 2, 2005 were \$108.1 million, including \$8.9 million of cash provided by WeightWatchers.com's operating activities. Funds used for investing and financing activities combined totaled \$92.3 million. Investing activities utilized \$2.2 million of cash, primarily for capital expenditures of \$1.6 million. \$9.8 million of repayments from our equity investment in WeightWatchers.com were eliminated in consolidation. Cash used for financing activities totaled \$90.1 million. This included the repurchase of 356.1 thousand shares of our common stock for \$15.0 million, consistent with our stock repurchase program (See Part II, Item 2) and a net paydown of debt of \$77.8 million.

#### Balance Sheet

Comparing the balance sheet at April 1, 2006 with that at December 31, 2005, our cash balance of \$52.9 million has increased by \$21.4 million. Our working capital deficit at April 1, 2006 was \$68.6 million as compared to \$38.2 million at December 31, 2005. Excluding cash, the working capital deficit increased by \$51.8 million. This increase in negative working capital is the result of a \$17.6 million dividend payable, declared on February 16, 2006 and paid on April 7, 2006, growth in deferred revenue for member prepayment purchases of \$11.9 million, the result of the Season Pass commitment plan offering in our NACO business, as well as the seasonality of the business and the timing of payments for income taxes, accounts payable and accrued expenses of \$25.9 million. In addition, deferred income taxes decreased by \$2.4 million, resulting from the utilization of WeightWatchers.com's net operating loss carryforwards. These items are offset by an increase in receivables of \$6.0 million stemming primarily from the growth in our licensing business.

#### Long Term Debt

As of April 1, 2006, the WWI Credit Facility (as defined in Note 5 to the Unaudited Consolidated Financial Statements) consists of Term Loans and a Revolver. The WW.com Credit Facilities (as defined in Note 5) consist of first and second lien term loans. At April 1, 2006, Weight Watchers International had debt of \$460.9 million and had additional availability under its \$350.0 million Revolver of \$182.0 million. At April 1, 2006, WeightWatchers.com had debt of \$211.6 million. Our total debt outstanding was \$672.5 million at April 1, 2006 and \$746.1 million at December 31, 2005.

On June 24, 2005, WWI amended certain provisions of the WWI Credit Facility to allow for the December 16, 2005 redemption by WeightWatchers.com of its shares owned by Artal.

On December 16, 2005, WeightWatchers.com borrowed \$215.0 million pursuant to two credit facilities (the WW.com Credit Facilities), consisting of (i) a five year, senior secured first lien term loan in an aggregate principal amount of \$170.0 million and (ii) a five and one-half year, senior secured second lien term loan facility in an aggregate principal amount of \$45.0 million.

At April 1, 2006 and December 31, 2005, our debt consisted entirely of variable-rate instruments. The average interest rate on our debt was approximately 6.7% and 6.1% per annum at April 1, 2006 and December 31, 2005, respectively.

The following schedule sets forth our long-term debt obligations (and interest rates) at April 1, 2006:

#### Long-Term Debt At April 1, 2006

	 alance	Interest Rate
WWI Revolver due 2009	\$ 166.5	6.46%
WWI Term Loan B due 2010	146.6	6.68%
WWI Additional Term Loan B due 2010	147.8	6.10%
WW.com First Lien Term Loan	166.6	6.90%
WW.com Second Lien Term Loan	45.0	9.49%
Total Debt	672.5	
Less Current Portion	 4.7	
Total Long-Term Debt	\$ 667.8	

The Term Loan B and the WWI Revolver bear interest at a rate equal to LIBOR plus 1.75% per annum, or, at WWI's option, the alternate base rate (as defined in the WWI Credit Facility) plus 0.75% per annum. The WWI Additional Term Loan B bears interest at a rate equal to LIBOR plus 1.50% per annum, or, at WWI's option, the alternative base rate (as defined in the WWI Credit Facility) plus 0.50% per annum. In addition to paying interest on outstanding principal under the WWI Credit Facility, WWI is required to pay a commitment fee to the lenders under the WWI Revolver with respect to the unused commitments at a rate equal to 0.375% per year. The WWI Term Loan B is subject to scheduled amortization of \$0.4 million per quarter until March 31, 2009 and is thereafter subject to amortization of \$35.5 million per quarter until maturity. The WWI Additional Term Loan B is subject to scheduled amortization of \$35.8 million per quarter until maturity.

The WWI Credit Facility contains customary covenants, including covenants that, in certain circumstances, restrict our ability to incur additional indebtedness, pay dividends on and redeem capital stock, make other restricted payments, including investments, sell our assets and enter into consolidations, mergers and transfers of all or substantially all of our assets. The WWI Credit Facility also requires WWI to maintain specified financial ratios and satisfy financial condition tests. At April 1, 2006, WWI complied with all of the required financial ratios and also met all of the financial condition tests and is expected to continue to do so. The WWI Credit Facility contains customary events of default. Upon the occurrence of an event of default under the WWI Credit Facility, the lenders thereunder may cease making loans and declare amounts outstanding to be immediately due and payable. The WWI Credit Facility is guaranteed by certain of our existing and future subsidiaries, other than WeightWatchers.com and its subsidiaries. Substantially all the assets of Weight Watchers International and these subsidiaries collateralize the WWI Credit Facility.

The WW.com First Lien Term Loan bears interest at a rate equal to LIBOR plus 2.25% per annum, or, at WeightWatchers.com's option, the alternate base rate, (as defined in the WW.com First Lien Term Loan), plus 1.25% per annum. The WW.com Second Lien Term Loan bears interest at a rate equal to LIBOR plus 4.75% per annum, or, at WeightWatchers.com's option, the alternate base rate, (as defined in the WW.com Second Lien Term Loan), plus 3.75% per annum. Each of WeightWatchers.com's existing and future domestic subsidiaries have guaranteed the WW.com Credit Facilities, which facilities are secured by substantially all the assets of WeightWatchers.com and these subsidiaries.

Weight Watchers International has not guaranteed the WW.com Credit Facilities.

Loans outstanding under the WW.com Credit Facilities (i) must be prepaid with certain percentages of excess cash flow and net cash proceeds of asset sales, issuances, offerings or placements of debt obligations of WeightWatchers.com and issuances of equity securities of WeightWatchers.com, and (ii) may be voluntarily prepaid at any time in whole or in part without premium or penalty, with certain exceptions depending on the date of payment. The WW.com First Lien Term Loan is also subject to scheduled amortization of \$0.4 million per quarter.

The WW.com Credit Facilities contain customary covenants, including affirmative and negative covenants that, in certain circumstances, restrict WeightWatchers.com's ability to incur additional indebtedness, pay dividends on and redeem capital stock, make other restricted payments, including investments, sell WeightWatchers.com assets and enter into consolidations, mergers and transfer of all or substantially all of WeightWatchers.com's assets. The WW.com Credit Facilities also require WeightWatchers.com to maintain specified financial ratios and satisfy financial condition tests, which become more restrictive over time. At April 1, 2006, WW.com Credit Facilities contain customary events of default. Upon the occurrence of an event of default under the WW.com Credit Facilities, the lenders thereunder may cease making loans and declare amounts outstanding to be immediately due and payable.

On November 4, 2005, Standard & Poor's confirmed its "BB" rating for our corporate credit and the WWI Credit Facility. On March 11, 2005, Moody's assigned a "Ba1" rating for the WWI Term Loan B and the WWI Additional Term Loan B and confirmed its "Ba1" rating for the WWI Credit Facility.

On November 4, 2005, Standard & Poor's assigned its "B+" corporate credit rating to WeightWatchers.com. In addition, Standard & Poor's assigned ratings of "B+" to the WW.com First Lien Term Loan and "B-" to the WW.com Second Lien Term Loan. On November 2, 2005, Moody's assigned ratings of "Ba3" to the WW.com First Lien Term Loan and "B1" to the WW.com Second Lien Term Loan.

On May 8, 2006, WWI entered into a refinancing to reduce its effective interest rate, while increasing its borrowing capacity and extending the maturities under its Credit Facility. Under the refinancing, WWI's Term Loan B and Additional Term Loan B were repaid and replaced with a new Term Loan A in the amount of \$350.0 million. In connection with this refinancing, WWI's Revolver was repaid and replaced with the Refinanced Revolver (as defined in Note 14 to the Unaudited Consolidated Financial Statements) which increased borrowing capacity from \$350.0 million under the Refinanced Revolver. WWI used \$127.2 million of the Refinanced Revolver to complete the refinancing, resulting in \$372.8 million of remaining availability after the refinancing.

The following schedule sets forth our year-by-year debt obligations:

#### Total Debt Obligation (Including Current Portion) As of April 1, 2006 (in millions)

Remainder of 2006	\$ 3.5
2007	4.7
2008	4.7
2009	383.0
2010	231.6
Thereafter	45.0
Total	\$ 672.5

Debt obligations due to be repaid in the next 12 months are expected to be satisfied with operating cash flows. We believe that cash flows from operating activities, together with borrowings available under our Revolver, will be sufficient for the next 12 months to fund currently anticipated capital expenditure requirements, debt service requirements and working capital requirements.

#### Dividends

On February 16, 2006, our Board of Directors authorized the initiation of a quarterly cash dividend of \$0.175 per share of our common stock, which corresponds to an annual dividend rate of \$0.70 per share. The initial quarterly dividend was paid on April 7, 2006 to shareholders of record at the close of business on March 24, 2006.

As of April 1, 2006, the WWI Credit Facility provided that we are permitted to pay dividends in an aggregate amount equal to \$20.0 million plus 66.67% of our net income (as defined in the WWI Credit Facility) since December 2, 2001, so long as we are not in default and we have borrowing availability under the Revolver of at least \$30.0 million.

#### Acquisitions

Pursuant to a merger agreement effective July 2, 2005, the last day of our second quarter of fiscal year 2005, Weight Watchers International increased its ownership interest in WeightWatchers.com from approximately 20% to approximately 53% for a total cash outlay of \$136.4 million including \$107.9 million paid to WeightWatchers.com and \$28.5 million paid to the non-Artal shareholders. Further to this, on December 16, 2005, WeightWatchers.com redeemed all of the equity interests in WeightWatchers.com owned by Artal for the aggregate cash consideration of \$304.8 million. As a result of this redemption, WeightWatchers.com is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Weight Watchers International.

#### Stock Transactions

On October 9, 2003, our Board of Directors authorized a program to repurchase up to \$250.0 million of our outstanding common stock. On June 13, 2005, our Board of Directors authorized adding an additional \$250.0 million to this plan. The repurchase program allows for shares to be purchased from time to time in the open market or through privately negotiated transactions. No shares will be purchased from Artal Luxembourg or its affiliates under the program. From fiscal 2003 through fiscal 2005, we purchased 9.2 million shares of common stock in the open market for a total purchase price of \$381.9 million. During the first quarter of 2006, we purchased 0.1 million shares of common stock in the open market for a total purchase price of \$6.8 million.

#### Factors Affecting Future Liquidity

Any future acquisitions, joint ventures or other similar transactions could require additional capital and we cannot be certain that any additional capital will be available on acceptable terms or at all. Our ability to fund our capital expenditure requirements, interest, principal and dividend payment obligations and working capital requirements and to comply with all of the financial covenants under our debt agreements depends on our future operations, performance and cash flow.

These are subject to prevailing economic conditions and to financial, business and other factors, some of which are beyond our control.

# **OFF-BALANCE SHEET TRANSACTIONS**

As part of our ongoing business, we do not participate in transactions that generate relationships with unconsolidated entities or financial partnerships established for the purpose of facilitating off-balance sheet arrangements or other contractually narrow or limited purposes, such as entities often referred to as structured finance or special purpose entities.

#### **RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS**

For a discussion of related party transactions affecting us, see "Item 13. Certain Relationships and Related Transactions" beginning on page 61 of our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2005. Other than during the normal course of business, the related party transactions affecting us have not changed since December 31, 2005.

#### SEASONALITY

Our business is seasonal, with revenues generally decreasing at year end and during the summer months. Our advertising schedule supports the three key enrollment-generating seasons of the year: winter, spring and fall, with winter having the highest concentration of advertising spending. The timing of certain holidays, particularly Easter, which precedes the spring diet season and occurs between March 22 and April 25, may affect our results of operations and the year-to-year comparability of our results. For example, in 2006, Easter fell on April 16, which means that the pre-summer diet season will begin later than it did in 2005. Our operating income for the first half of the year is generally the strongest. While WeightWatchers.com experiences similar seasonality in terms of new subscriber signups, its revenue tends to be less seasonal because it amortizes subscription revenue over the related subscription period.

# ITEM 3. QUANTITATIVE AND QUALITATIVE DISCLOSURES ABOUT MARKET RISK

Since 100% of our debt is variable rate-based, any changes in market interest rates will cause an equal change in our interest expense associated with our long-term debt. Accordingly we have entered into interest rate swaps to hedge a substantial portion of our variable rate debt, which mitigates a substantial portion of the associated market risk.

For a more detailed discussion of our quantitative and qualitative disclosures about market risks that affect us, see Item 7A "Quantitative and Qualitative Disclosure About Market Risk" beginning on page 46 of our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2005. Our exposure to market risks has not changed materially since December 31, 2005.

## ITEM 4. CONTROLS AND PROCEDURES

We maintain disclosure controls and procedures that are designed to ensure that information required to be disclosed in our reports under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act") is recorded, processed, summarized and reported within the time periods specified in the Securities and Exchange Commission's rules and forms, and that such information is accumulated and communicated to our management, including our Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer, as appropriate, to allow timely decisions regarding required disclosures. Any controls and procedures, no matter how well designed and operated, can provide only reasonable assurance of achieving the desired control objectives. Our management, with the participation of our Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer, has evaluated the effectiveness of the design and operation of our disclosure controls and procedures as of April 1, 2006. Based upon that evaluation and subject to the foregoing, our Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer concluded that the design and operation of our disclosure controls were effective.

In addition, there was no change in our internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the quarter ended April 1, 2006 that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, our internal control over financial reporting.

# PART II - OTHER INFORMATION

#### ITEM 1. LEGAL PROCEEDINGS

We are not a party to any material pending litigation. Due to the nature of our activities, we are at times subject to pending and threatened legal actions that arise out of the normal course of business. We have had and continue to have disputes with certain of our franchisees. In the opinion of management, based in part upon advice of legal counsel, the disposition of all such matters is not expected to have a material effect on our results of operations.

# ITEM 1A. RISK FACTORS

There have been no material changes in the risk factors at April 1, 2006 from those detailed in the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K filed with the SEC for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2005.

# ITEM 2. UNREGISTERED SALES OF EQUITY SECURITIES AND USE OF PROCEEDS

Below is a summary of our stock repurchases during the quarter ended April 1, 2006:

	Total Number of Shares Purchased (a)	 Average Price Paid per Share	Total Number of Shares Purchased as Part of Publicly Announced Plan (a)	 Approximate Dollar Value of Shares that May Yet Be Purchased Under the Plan
January 1 - February 4	148,300	\$ 45.91	148,300	\$ 111,315,167
February 5 - March 4	—	_	—	111,315,167
March 5 - April 1		\$ 		111,315,167
Total	148,300	\$ 45.91	148,300	

(a) On October 9, 2003, our Board of Directors authorized a program to repurchase up to \$250 million of our outstanding stock. On June 13, 2005, our Board of Directors authorized adding an additional \$250 million to this plan. Under this plan, we will not purchase shares held by Artal. This plan currently has no expiration date.

# ITEM 3. DEFAULTS UPON SENIOR SECURITIES

Nothing to report under this item.

# ITEM 4. SUBMISSION OF MATTERS TO A VOTE OF SECURITY HOLDERS

Nothing to report under this item.

# ITEM 5. OTHER INFORMATION

Nothing to report under this item.

# **ITEM 6. EXHIBITS**

- Exhibit 10.1 Sixth Amended and Restated Credit Agreement, dated as of May 8, 2006 among Weight Watchers International, Inc., JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A., JPMorgan Securities, Inc., The Bank of Nova Scotia and various financial institutions.
- Exhibit 31.1 Rule 13a-14(a) and Rule 15d-14(a) Certification.
- Exhibit 31.2 Rule 13a-14(a) and Rule 15d-14(a) Certification.
- Exhibit 32.1\* Certification by Linda Huett, President and Chief Executive Officer, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. Section 1350, as adopted pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002.
- Exhibit 32.2 \* Certification by Ann M. Sardini, Chief Financial Officer, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. Section 1350, as adopted pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002.

<sup>\*</sup> Pursuant to Commission Release No. 33-8212, this certification will be treated as "accompanying" this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q and not "filed" as part of such report for purposes of Section 18 of the Exchange Act, or otherwise subject to the liability of Section 18 of the Exchange Act and this certification will not be deemed to be incorporated by reference into any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act, except to the extent that the registrant specifically incorporates it by reference.

# SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

	WEIGHT WATCHERS INTERNATIONAL, INC.
Date: May 11, 2006	By: /s/ LINDA HUETT Linda Huett President, Chief Executive Officer and Director (Principal Executive Officer)
Date: May 11, 2006	By: /s/ ANN M. SARDINI Ann M. Sardini Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial and Accounting Officer)
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# SIXTH AMENDED AND RESTATED CREDIT AGREEMENT,

dated as of May 8, 2006

(amending and restating the Fifth Amended and Restated Credit Agreement, dated as of January 21, 2004),

among

WEIGHT WATCHERS INTERNATIONAL, INC., as the Borrower,

VARIOUS FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS, as the Lenders,

JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, N.A., as the Syndication Agent,

JPMORGAN SECURITIES INC., a Lead Arranger and a Book Manager,

THE BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA, as the Administrative Agent, a Lead Arranger and a Book Manager,

and

BANK OF AMERICA, N.A., FORTIS CAPITAL CORP. and UNION BANK OF CALIFORNIA, N.A., as Co-Documentation Agents.

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# SIXTH AMENDED AND RESTATED CREDIT AGREEMENT

THIS SIXTH AMENDED AND RESTATED CREDIT AGREEMENT, dated as of May 8, 2006 (amending and restating the Fifth Amended and Restated Credit Agreement, dated as of January 21, 2004), is among WEIGHT WATCHERS INTERNATIONAL, INC., a Virginia corporation (the "<u>Borrower</u>"), the various financial institutions as are or may become parties hereto (collectively, the "<u>Lenders</u>"), JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, N.A. ("<u>JPM CHASE</u>"), as the syndication agent (in such capacity, the "<u>Syndication Agent</u>"), JPMORGAN SECURITIES INC. ("<u>JPM</u>"), as a lead arranger (in such capacity, a "<u>Lead Arranger</u>"), and THE BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA ("<u>Scotia</u> <u>Capital</u>"), as (x) the administrative agent for the Lenders, and (y) a lead arranger for the Lenders (in such capacities, the "<u>Administrative Agent</u>" and a "<u>Lead Arranger</u>", respectively) and as Issuer (as defined below).

### $\underline{WITNESSETH}$ :

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Fifth Amended and Restated Credit Agreement, dated as of January 21, 2004 (as amended, supplemented or otherwise modified prior to the date hereof, the "<u>Existing Credit Agreement</u>"), among the Borrower, certain financial institutions and other Persons from time to time party thereto (the "<u>Existing Lenders</u>") and the Agents, the Existing Lenders made or continued the following extensions of credit to the Borrower which currently remain outstanding on the Effective Date in the amounts set forth below:

(a) the term B loans made thereunder (the "<u>Existing Term B Loans</u>") are outstanding on the Effective Date in an aggregate principal amount of \$146,625,000;

(b) the additional tranche of term loans made thereunder (the "<u>Existing Designated Additional Term B Loans</u>") are outstanding on the Effective Date in an aggregate principal amount of \$147,750,000;

(c) the continuation of the revolving loans (the "<u>Existing Revolving Loans</u>") and the swing line loans (the "<u>Existing Swing Line Loans</u>"; together with the Existing Term B Loans, the Existing Designated Additional Term B Loans and the Existing Revolving Loans, the "<u>Existing Loans</u>") to the Borrower, of which an aggregate principal amount of \$181,500,000 remain outstanding on the Effective Date, and the rollover of letters of credit issued under the Existing Credit Agreement, of which an aggregate principal amount of \$1,343,922.75 remain outstanding on the Effective Date;

WHEREAS, in connection with the Current Refinancing (defined below) and the ongoing working capital and general corporate needs of the Borrower, the Borrower desires to, among other things, refinance the Existing Loans (the "<u>Current Refinancing</u>") with Loans under this Agreement and maintain and obtain the Commitments to make Credit Extensions set forth herein;

WHEREAS, the Borrower has requested that the Existing Credit Agreement be amended and restated in its entirety to become effective and binding on the Borrower pursuant to the terms of this Agreement and the Lenders (including the Existing Lenders) have agreed to amend and restate the Existing Credit Agreement in its entirety to read as set forth in this Agreement, and it has been agreed by the parties to the Existing Credit Agreement that the letters of credit issued and outstanding under the Existing Credit Agreement (the "Existing Letters of Credit") shall be

governed by and deemed to be outstanding under the amended and restated terms and conditions contained in this Agreement, with the intent that the terms of this Agreement shall supersede the terms of the Existing Credit Agreement (each of which shall hereafter have no further effect upon the parties thereto, other than as referenced herein and other than for accrued fees and expenses, and indemnification provisions, accrued and owing under the terms of the Existing Credit Agreement on or prior to the date hereof or arising (in the case of an indemnification) under the terms of the Existing Credit Agreement, in each case to the extent provided for in the Existing Credit Agreement); provided, that any Rate Protection Agreements with any one or more Existing Lenders (or their respective Affiliates) shall continue unamended and in full force and effect;

WHEREAS, the Borrower desires to obtain or continue the following financing facilities from the Lenders as set forth below:

(a) a revolving loan commitment (to include availability for revolving loans, swing line loans and letters of credit) pursuant to which Borrowings of revolving loans are and will continue to be made to the Borrower from time to time as set forth herein;

(b) a letter of credit commitment pursuant to which the Issuer will continue to issue letters of credit for the account of the Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries (as defined below) from time to time; and

(c) a term loan commitment pursuant to which Borrowings of term loans are made to the Borrower on the Effective Date;

WHEREAS, all Obligations shall continue to be and shall be guaranteed pursuant to the Subsidiary Guaranty executed and delivered by each Subsidiary party thereto and secured pursuant to the Collateral Documents executed and delivered by the Borrower and the applicable Subsidiaries pursuant to the Existing Credit Agreement (<u>provided</u> that certain Subsidiaries are being released from the Subsidiary Guaranty and the applicable Collateral Documents and certain other collateral is being released from the Collateral Documents, in each case pursuant to <u>Section 11.17(a)</u>; and

WHEREAS, the Lenders and the Issuer are willing, on the terms and subject to the conditions hereinafter set forth, to so amend and restate the Existing Credit Agreement and to maintain or extend such Commitments and make such Loans to the Borrower and issue or maintain (or participate in) Letters of Credit for the account of the Borrower;

NOW, THEREFORE, the parties hereto hereby agree to amend and restate the Existing Credit Agreement, and the Existing Credit Agreement is amended and restated in its entirety as set forth herein.

# ARTICLE I

# DEFINITIONS AND ACCOUNTING TERMS

SECTION 1.1. <u>Defined Terms</u>. The following terms (whether or not underscored) when used in this Agreement, including its preamble and recitals, shall, except where the context otherwise requires, have the following meanings (such meanings to be equally applicable to the singular and plural forms thereof):

"<u>Administrative Agent</u>" is defined in the <u>preamble</u> and includes each other Person as shall have subsequently been appointed as the successor Administrative Agent pursuant to <u>Section 10.4</u>.

"Affected Lender" is defined in Section 4.11.

"<u>Affiliate</u>" of any Person means any other Person which, directly or indirectly, controls, is controlled by or is under common control with such Person (excluding any trustee under, or any committee with responsibility for administering, any Plan). A Person shall be deemed to be "controlled by" any other Person if such other Person possesses, directly or indirectly, power

(a) to vote 15% or more of the securities (on a fully diluted basis) having ordinary voting power for the election of directors or managing general partners; or

(b) to direct or cause the direction of the management and policies of such Person whether by contract or otherwise.

"Agents" means, collectively, the Administrative Agent and the Syndication Agent.

"<u>Agreement</u>" means, on any date, this Credit Agreement, as amended and restated hereby and as further amended, supplemented, amended and restated, or otherwise modified from time to time and in effect on such date.

"<u>Alternate Base Rate</u>" means, on any date and with respect to all Base Rate Loans, a fluctuating rate of interest per annum equal to the higher of

(c) the rate of interest most recently established by the Administrative Agent at its Domestic Office as its base rate for U.S. Dollar loans in the United States; and

(d) the Federal Funds Rate most recently determined by the Administrative Agent plus 1/2 of 1%.

The Alternate Base Rate is not necessarily intended to be the lowest rate of interest determined by the Administrative Agent in connection with extensions of credit. Changes in the rate of interest on that portion of any Loans maintained as Base Rate Loans will take effect simultaneously with each change in the Alternate Base Rate. The Administrative Agent will give notice promptly to the Borrower and the Lenders of changes in the Alternate Base Rate.

"<u>Applicable Commitment Fee Margin</u>" means the applicable percentage set forth below corresponding to the relevant Net Debt to EBITDA Ratio:

Net Debt to EBITDA Ratio	Applicable Commitment Fee Margin
<u>≥</u> 2.00:1	0.200%
$< 2.00:1 \text{ and } \ge 1.50:1$	0.175%
< 1.50	0.150%

Notwithstanding anything to the contrary set forth in this Agreement (including the then effective Net Debt to EBITDA Ratio), the Applicable Commitment Fee Margin for Revolving Loans from the Effective Date through (and including) the date of delivery of the Compliance Certificate (pursuant to <u>clause (c) of Section 7.1.1</u>) in respect of the Fiscal Quarter ended September 30, 2006 shall be at least 0.175%. The Net Debt to EBITDA Ratio used to compute the Applicable Commitment Fee Margin shall be the Net Debt to EBITDA Ratio set forth in the Compliance Certificate most recently delivered by the Borrower to the Administrative Agent. Changes in the Applicable Commitment Fee Margin resulting from a change in the Net Debt to EBITDA Ratio shall become effective upon delivery by the Borrower to the Administrative Agent of a new Compliance Certificate pursuant to <u>clause (c) of Section 7.1.1</u>. If the Borrower fails to deliver a Compliance Certificate within the time period set forth in <u>clause (a) or (b) of Section 7.1.1</u>, as applicable (the "<u>Applicable Delivery Date</u>"), the Applicable Commitment Fee Margin from and including the day after the Applicable Delivery Date to but not including the date the Borrower delivers to the Administrative Agent a Compliance Certificate shall equal the highest Applicable Commitment Fee Margin set forth above.

"Applicable Delivery Date" shall have the meaning set forth in the definition of "Applicable Commitment Fee Margin".

"Applicable Margin" means the applicable percentage set forth below corresponding to the relevant Net Debt to EBITDA Ratio:

(a) For Term A Loans, Designated Additional Term A Loans and Revolving Loans:

Net Debt to EBITDA Ratio	Applicable Margin For Base Rate Loans	Applicable Margin For LIBO Rate Loans
<u>≥</u> 2.00:1	0%	1.000%
$< 2.00:1$ and $\geq 1.50:1$	0%	0.875%
< 1.50	0%	0.750%

Notwithstanding anything to the contrary set forth in this Agreement (including the then effective Net Debt to EBITDA Ratio), the Applicable Margin for all LIBO Rate Loans from the Effective Date through (and including) the date of delivery of the Compliance Certificate (pursuant to clause (c) of Section 7.1.1) in respect of the Fiscal Quarter ended September 30, 2006

shall be at least 0.875%. The Net Debt to EBITDA Ratio used to compute the Applicable Margin shall be the Net Debt to EBITDA Ratio set forth in the Compliance Certificate most recently delivered by the Borrower to the Administrative Agent. Changes in the Applicable Margin resulting from a change in the Net Debt to EBITDA Ratio shall become effective upon delivery by the Borrower to the Administrative Agent of a new Compliance Certificate pursuant to <u>clause (c)</u> of <u>Section 7.1.1</u>. If the Borrower fails to deliver a Compliance Certificate on or prior to the Applicable Delivery Date, the Applicable Margin from and including the day after the Applicable Delivery Date to but not including the date the Borrower delivers to the Administrative Agent a Compliance Certificate shall equal the highest Applicable Margin set forth above.

(b) The Applicable Margin for Designated New Term Loans shall be determined pursuant to <u>Section 2.1.6</u>.

"ARTAL" means ARTAL Luxembourg S.A., a corporation organized under the laws of Luxembourg.

"Assignee Lender" is defined in Section 11.11.1.

"<u>Authorized Officer</u>" means, relative to any Obligor, those of its officers whose signatures and incumbency shall have been certified to the Administrative Agent and the Lenders in writing from time to time.

"Average Life" means, as of the date of determination, with respect to any Indebtedness, the quotient obtained by dividing:

(a) the sum of the products of numbers of years from the date of determination to the dates of each successive scheduled principal payment of or redemption or similar payment with respect to such Indebtedness multiplied by the amount of such payment

by

(b) the sum of all such payments.

"Base Rate Loan" means a Loan bearing interest at a fluctuating rate determined by reference to the Alternate Base Rate.

"Borrower" is defined in the preamble.

"<u>Borrowing</u>" means the Loans of the same type and, in the case of LIBO Rate Loans, having the same Interest Period made by the relevant Lenders on the same Business Day and pursuant to the same Borrowing Request in accordance with <u>Section 2.1</u>.

"<u>Borrowing Request</u>" means a loan request and certificate duly executed by an Authorized Officer of the Borrower, substantially in the form of <u>Exhibit B-1</u> hereto.

" Business Day " means

(e) any day which is neither a Saturday or Sunday nor a legal holiday on which banks are authorized or required to be closed in New York City; and

(f) relative to the making, continuing, prepaying or repaying of any LIBO Rate Loans, any day on which dealings in U.S. Dollars are carried on in the London interbank market.

"Capital Expenditures" means for any period, the sum, without duplication, of

(g) the aggregate amount of all expenditures of the Borrower and its Subsidiaries for fixed or capital assets made during such period which, in accordance with GAAP, would be classified as capital expenditures; and

(h) the aggregate amount of all Capitalized Lease Liabilities incurred during such period.

"<u>Capital Securities</u>" means, (i) any and all shares, interests, participations or other equivalents of or interests in (however designated) corporate stock, including shares of preferred or preference stock, (ii) all partnership interests (whether general or limited) in any Person which is a partnership, (iii) all membership interests or limited liability company interests in any limited liability company, and (iv) all equity or ownership interests in any Person of any other type.

"<u>Capitalized Lease Liabilities</u>" means, without duplication, all monetary obligations of the Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries under any leasing or similar arrangement which, in accordance with GAAP, would be classified as capitalized leases, and, for purposes of this Agreement and each other Loan Document, the amount of such obligations shall be the capitalized amount thereof, determined in accordance with GAAP, and the stated maturity thereof shall be the date of the last payment of rent or any other amount due under such lease prior to the first date upon which such lease may be terminated by the lessee without payment of a penalty.

"Cash Equivalent Investment" means, at any time:

(i) any evidence of Indebtedness, maturing not more than one year after such time, issued or guaranteed by the United States Government;

(j) commercial paper, maturing not more than nine months from the date of issue, which is issued by

(i) a corporation (other than an Affiliate of any Obligor) organized under the laws of any state of the United States or of the District of Columbia and rated at least A-l by S&P or P-l by Moody's, or

(ii) any Lender which is an Eligible Institution (or its holding company);

any certificate of deposit or bankers acceptance, maturing not more than one year after such time, which is issued by

either

(k)

(i) a commercial banking institution that is a member of the Federal Reserve System and has a combined capital and surplus and undivided profits of not less than \$500,000,000, or

(ii) any Lender;

(l) short-term tax-exempt securities rated not lower than MIG-1/1+ by either Moody's or S&P with provisions for liquidity or maturity accommodations of 183 days or less;

(m) any money market or similar fund the assets of which are comprised exclusively of any of the items specified in clauses (a) through (d) above and as to which withdrawals are permitted at least every 90 days; or

(n) in the case of any Subsidiary of the Borrower organized in a jurisdiction outside the United States: (i) direct obligations of the sovereign nation (or any agency thereof) in which such Subsidiary is organized and is conducting business or in obligations fully and unconditionally guaranteed by such sovereign nation (or any agency thereof), (ii) investments of the type and maturity described in <u>clauses (a)</u> through (<u>e)</u> above of foreign obligors, which investments or obligors (or the parents of such obligors) have ratings described in <u>clauses (a)</u> through (<u>e)</u> above of foreign obligors (or the parents of such obligors), which investments or obligors (or the parents of such obligors) are not rated as provided above but which are, in the reasonable judgment of the Borrower, comparable in investment quality to such investments and obligors (or the parents of such obligors); <u>provided</u> that the aggregate face amount outstanding at any time of such investments of all foreign Subsidiaries of the Borrower made pursuant to this <u>clause (iii)</u> does not exceed \$25,000,000.

"CERCLA" means the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act of 1980, as amended.

"CERCLIS" means the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation Liability Information System List.

" Change in Control " means

(o) any "person" or "group" (as such terms are used in Rule 13d-5 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), and Sections 13(d) and 14(d) of the Exchange Act) of persons (other than the Permitted ARTAL Investor Group) becomes, directly or indirectly, in a single transaction or in a related series of transactions by way of merger, consolidation, or other business combination or otherwise, the "beneficial owner" (as such term is used in Rule 13d-3 of the Exchange Act) of more than 20% of the total voting power in the aggregate of all classes of Capital Securities of

the Borrower then outstanding entitled to vote generally in elections of directors of the Borrower;

(p) at all times, as applicable, individuals who on the Effective Date constituted the Board of Directors of the Borrower (together with any new directors whose election to such Board or whose nomination for election by the stockholders of the Borrower was approved by a member of the Permitted ARTAL Investor Group or a vote of 66.67% of the directors then still in office who were either directors at the beginning of such period or whose election or nomination for election was previously so approved) cease for any reason to constitute a majority of the Board of Directors of the Borrower then in office;

(q) at all times, as applicable, the failure of the Borrower to own, free and clear of all Liens (other than in favor of the Administrative Agent pursuant to a Loan Document), all of the outstanding shares of Capital Securities of each of UKHC1, UKHC2 and WW Australia (other than shares of Capital Securities issued pursuant to a Local Management Plan), in each case on a fully diluted basis; or

(r) the occurrence of any "Change of Control" (or similar term) under (and as defined in) any Sub Debt Document or any other document evidencing Indebtedness in excess of \$1,000,000.

"Code" means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended.

"Collateral Documents" means, collectively, the Security Agreements, the Pledge Agreements and any Mortgages.

"<u>Commitment</u>" means, as the context may require, a Lender's Letter of Credit Commitment, Revolving Loan Commitment, Swing Line Loan Commitment or Term A Loan Commitment.

"<u>Commitment Amount</u>" means, as the context may require, the Letter of Credit Commitment Amount, the Revolving Loan Commitment Amount, the Swing Line Loan Commitment Amount or the Term A Loan Commitment Amount.

"Commitment Termination Event" means

(s) the occurrence of any Event of Default described in <u>clauses (a)</u> through (d) of <u>Section 9.1.9</u>; or

(t) the occurrence and continuance of any other Event of Default and either

(i) the declaration of the Loans to be due and payable pursuant to <u>Section 9.3</u>, or

(ii) in the absence of such declaration, the giving of notice by the Administrative Agent, acting at the direction of the Required Lenders, to the Borrower that the Commitments have been terminated.

"<u>Compliance Certificate</u>" means a certificate duly completed and executed by the chief financial Authorized Officer of the Borrower, substantially in the form of <u>Exhibit E</u> hereto.

"<u>Contingent Liability</u>" means any agreement, undertaking or arrangement by which any Person guarantees, endorses or otherwise becomes or is contingently liable upon (by direct or indirect agreement, contingent or otherwise, to provide funds for payment, to supply funds to, or otherwise to invest in, a debtor, or otherwise to assure a creditor against loss) the indebtedness, obligation or any other liability of any other Person (other than by endorsements of instruments in the course of collection), or guarantees the payment of dividends or other distributions upon the shares of any other Person. The amount of any Person's obligation under any Contingent Liability shall (subject to any limitation set forth therein) be deemed to be the outstanding principal amount (or maximum principal amount, if larger) of the debt, obligation or other liability guaranteed thereby.

"<u>Continuation/Conversion Notice</u>" means a notice of continuation or conversion and certificate duly executed by an Authorized Officer of the Borrower, substantially in the form of <u>Exhibit C</u> hereto.

"<u>Controlled Group</u>" means all members of a controlled group of corporations and all members of a controlled group of trades or businesses (whether or not incorporated) under common control which, together with the Borrower, are treated as a single employer under Section 414(b) or 414(c) of the Code or Section 4001 of ERISA.

"<u>Copyright Security Agreement</u>" means the Copyright Security Agreement, dated September 29, 1999, delivered by the Borrower and each of its U.S. Subsidiaries party thereto in favor of the Administrative Agent, as amended, supplemented, amended and restated or otherwise modified.

"Credit Extension" means, as the context may require,

(u) the making of a Loan by a Lender; or

(v) the issuance of any Letter of Credit, or the extension of any Stated Expiry Date of any previously issued Letter of Credit, by the Issuer.

"Current Refinancing" is defined in the second recital.

"<u>Debt</u>" means the outstanding principal amount of all Indebtedness of the Borrower and its Subsidiaries (other than WW.com and its Subsidiaries until the occurrence of the Trigger Date) of the type referred to in <u>clauses (a)</u>, (b), (c) and (e) of the definition of "Indebtedness" or any Contingent Liability in respect thereof.

"<u>Default</u>" means any Event of Default or any condition, occurrence or event which, after notice or lapse of time or both, would constitute an Event of Default.

"Designated Additional Revolving Loan Commitments" is defined in Section 2.1.6.

"Designated Additional Term A Loans" is defined in Section 2.1.6.

"Designated New Loan" means, as the context requires, a Designated Additional Term A Loan and/or a Designated New Term Loan.

"Designated New Term Loans" is defined in Section 2.1.6.

"Designated Subsidiary" means The Weight Watchers Foundation, Inc., a New York not-for-profit corporation.

"<u>Disbursement</u>" is defined in <u>Section 2.6.2</u>.

"Disbursement Date" is defined in Section 2.6.2.

"Disbursement Due Date" is defined in Section 2.6.2.

"<u>Disclosure Schedule</u>" means the Disclosure Schedule attached hereto as <u>Schedule I</u>, as it may be amended, supplemented or otherwise modified from time to time by the Borrower with the written consent of the Required Lenders.

"<u>Disposition</u>" (or correlative words such as "Dispose") means any sale, transfer, lease contribution or other conveyance (including by way of merger) of, or the granting of options, warrants or other rights to, any of the Borrower's or its Subsidiaries', assets (including accounts receivable and Capital Securities of Subsidiaries) to any other Person (other than to another Obligor) in a single transaction or series of transactions.

"<u>Domestic Office</u>" means, relative to any Lender, the office of such Lender designated as such on <u>Schedule III</u> hereto or designated in the Lender Assignment Agreement or such other office of a Lender (or any successor or assign of such Lender) within the United States as may be designated from time to time by notice from such Lender, as the case may be, to each other Person party hereto.

"EBITDA" means, for any applicable period, the sum (without duplication) of

(w) Net Income,

<u>plus</u>

(x) the amount deducted, in determining Net Income, representing amortization of assets (including amortization with respect to goodwill, deferred financing costs, other non-cash interest and all other intangible assets),

<u>plus</u>

(y) the amount deducted, in determining Net Income, of all income taxes (whether paid or deferred) of the Borrower and its Subsidiaries,

<u>plus</u>

(z) Interest Expense,

<u>plus</u>

(aa) the amount deducted, in determining Net Income, representing depreciation of assets,

# <u>plus</u>

(bb) an amount equal to all non-cash charges deducted in arriving at Net Income,

# <u>plus</u>

(cc) an amount equal to all minority interest charges deducted in determining Net Income (net of Restricted Payments made in respect of such minority interest),

#### <u>plus</u>

(dd)

non-cash share-based compensation expense,

# <u>plus</u>

(ee) the amount deducted, in determining Net Income, due to foreign currency translation required by FASB 52 or FASB 133 arising after June 30, 1997,

<u>minus</u>

(ff) an amount equal to the amount of all non-cash credits included in arriving at Net Income;

provided that all calculations made under this definition shall, at all times prior to the Trigger Date, exclude amounts attributable to WW.com and its Subsidiaries.

"<u>Effective Date</u>" means the date on which all the conditions precedent set forth in <u>Article V</u> have been satisfied in the reasonable judgment of the Administrative Agent.

"<u>Eligible Institution</u>" means a financial institution that either (a) has combined capital and surplus of not less than \$500,000,000 or its equivalent in Foreign Currency, whose long-term certificate of deposit rating or long-term senior unsecured debt rating is rated "BBB" or higher by S&P and "Baa2" or higher by Moody's or an equivalent or higher rating by a nationally recognized rating agency if both of the two named rating agencies cease publishing ratings of investments or (b) is reasonably acceptable to the Administrative Agent and, in the case of assignments of a Revolving Loan and/or a Revolving Loan Commitment, the Issuer.

"<u>Environmental Laws</u>" means all applicable federal, state, local or foreign statutes, laws, ordinances, codes, rules and regulations (including consent decrees and administrative orders) relating to public health and safety and protection of the environment.

"ERISA" means the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, as amended.

"Event of Default" is defined in Section 9.1.

"Existing Credit Agreement" is defined in the first recital.

"Existing Designated Additional Term B Loans" is defined in clause (b) of the first recital.

"Existing Guarantors" means the Guarantors guaranteeing the obligations under the Existing Credit Agreement.

"Existing Lenders" is defined in the first recital.

"Existing Loans" is defined in clause (c) of the first recital.

"Existing Revolving Loans" is defined in clause (c) of the first recital.

"Existing Swing Line Loans" is defined in clause (c) of the first recital.

"Existing Syndication Agent" means Credit Suisse (formerly known as Credit Suisse First Boston), acting through its Cayman Islands Branch.

"Existing Term B Loans" is defined in clause (a) of the first recital.

"Federal Funds Rate" means, for any period, a fluctuating interest rate per annum equal for each day during such period to

(gg) the weighted average of the rates on overnight federal funds transactions with members of the Federal Reserve System arranged by federal funds brokers, as published for such day (or, if such day is not a Business Day, for the next preceding Business Day) by the Federal Reserve Bank of New York; or

(hh) if such rate is not so published for any day which is a Business Day, the average of the quotations for such day on such transactions received by the Administrative Agent from three federal funds brokers of recognized standing selected by it.

"<u>Fee Letters</u>" means, collectively, (a) the confidential fee letter, dated as of July 20, 1999, between Artal International S.A., a Luxembourg corporation ("<u>AI</u>"), and the Administrative Agent, as assumed by ARTAL, (b) the confidential fee letter, dated as of December 21, 2001, among the Borrower, the Administrative Agent and the Existing Syndication Agent, (c) the confidential fee letter, dated as of March 31, 2003, among the Borrower, the Administrative Agent and the Existing Syndication Agent, (d) the confidential fee letter, dated as of August 23, 2003, among the Borrower, the Administrative Agent and the Existing Syndication Agent, (e) the confidential fee letter, dated as of January 21, 2004, among the Borrower, the Administrative Agent and the Existing Syndication Agent and (e) the confidential fee letter, dated as of the Effective Date, among the Borrower, the Administrative Agent, the Syndication Agent and the Lead Arrangers, in each case, as amended, supplemented, restated or otherwise modified from time to time pursuant to the terms thereof.

"<u>Fiscal Quarter</u>" means any three-month period ending on the Saturday closest to March 31, June 30, September 30, or December 31 of any Fiscal Year.

"Fiscal Year" means any year ending on the Saturday closest to December 31 (e.g., the "2006 Fiscal Year" refers to the Fiscal Year ending on December 30, 2006).

"Foreign Currency" means any currency other than U.S. Dollars.

"Foreign Subsidiary" means any Subsidiary that is not a U.S. Subsidiary.

" <u>FPL</u>" means Fortuity Pty. Ltd. (ACN 007 148 683), an Australian company incorporated in the State of Victoria which operates the Weight Watchers classroom franchise and business in Victoria.

"F.R.S. Board" means the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System or any successor thereto.

"Franchise Acquisition" means the acquisition of any Weight Watchers franchise by the Borrower or one of its Subsidiaries.

"GAAP" means generally accepted accounting principles in the United States applied on a consistent basis.

"<u>Governmental Authority</u>" means the government of the United States of America, any other nation or any political subdivision thereof, whether state or local (or the equivalent thereof), and any agency, authority, instrumentality, regulatory body, court, central bank or other entity exercising executive, legislative, judicial, taxing, regulatory or administrative powers or functions of or pertaining to government.

"<u>Guaranties</u>" means, collectively, (a) the Subsidiary Guaranty and (b) each other guaranty delivered from time to time pursuant to the terms of this Agreement.

"Guarantor" means any Person which has or may issue a Guaranty hereunder.

" Hazardous Material" means

(ii) any "hazardous substance", as defined by CERCLA or equivalent applicable foreign law;

(jj) any "hazardous waste", as defined by the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act, as amended or equivalent applicable foreign law;

(kk) any petroleum product; or

(ll) any pollutant or contaminant or hazardous, dangerous or toxic chemical, material or substance within the meaning of any other applicable federal, state or local law, regulation, ordinance or requirement (including consent decrees and administrative orders) relating to or imposing liability or standards of conduct concerning any

hazardous, toxic or dangerous waste, substance or material, all as amended or hereafter amended.

"<u>Hedging Obligations</u>" means, with respect to any Person, all liabilities of such Person under interest rate swap agreements, interest rate cap agreements and interest rate collar agreements, and all other agreements or arrangements designed to protect such Person against fluctuations in interest rates or currency exchange rates, including but not limited to Rate Protection Agreements.

"<u>herein</u>", "<u>hereof</u>", "<u>hereto</u>", "<u>hereunder</u>" and similar terms contained in this Agreement or any other Loan Document refer to this Agreement or such other Loan Document, as the case may be, as a whole and not to any particular Section, paragraph or provision of this Agreement or such other Loan Document.

"HJH" means H.J. Heinz Company, a Pennsylvania Corporation.

"<u>Immaterial Subsidiary</u>" means, at any date of determination, any Subsidiary or group of Subsidiaries of the Borrower having assets as at the end of or EBITDA for the immediately preceding four Fiscal Quarter period for which the relevant financial information has been delivered pursuant to <u>clause (a)</u> or <u>clause (b)</u> of <u>Section 7.1.1</u> of less than 5% of total assets of the Borrower and its Subsidiaries or \$2,000,000, respectively, individually or in the aggregate.

"<u>Impermissible Qualification</u>" means, relative to the opinion or certification of any independent public accountant as to any financial statement of any Obligor, any qualification or exception to such opinion or certification

(mm) which is of a "going concern" or similar nature;

(nn) which relates to the limited scope of examination of matters relevant to such financial statement; or

(oo) which relates to the treatment or classification of any item in such financial statement and which, as a condition to its removal, would require an adjustment to such item the effect of which would be to cause such Obligor to be in default of any of its obligations under <u>Section 7.2.4</u>.

"<u>including</u>" means including without limiting the generality of any description preceding such term, and, for purposes of this Agreement and each other Loan Document, the parties hereto agree that the rule of <u>ejusdem generis</u> shall not be applicable to limit a general statement, which is followed by or referable to an enumeration of specific matters, to matters similar to the matters specifically mentioned.

"Indebtedness" of any Person means, without duplication:

(pp) all obligations of such Person for borrowed money and all obligations of such Person evidenced by bonds, debentures, notes or other similar instruments for borrowed money in respect thereof;

(qq) all obligations, contingent or otherwise, relative to the face amount of all letters of credit, whether or not drawn, and banker's acceptances issued for the account of such Person;

(rr) all obligations of such Person as lessee under leases which have been or should be, in accordance with GAAP, recorded as Capitalized Lease Liabilities;

(ss) net liabilities of such Person under all Hedging Obligations;

(tt) whether or not so included as liabilities in accordance with GAAP, all obligations of such Person to pay the deferred purchase price of property or services, other than indebtedness (excluding prepaid interest thereon and interest not yet due) secured by a Lien on property owned or being purchased by such Person (including indebtedness arising under conditional sales or other title retention agreements), whether or not such indebtedness shall have been assumed by such Person or is limited in recourse; provided, however, that, for purposes of determining the amount of any Indebtedness of the type described in this clause, if recourse with respect to such Indebtedness is limited to specific property financed with such Indebtedness, the amount of such Indebtedness shall be limited to the fair market value (determined on a basis reasonably acceptable to the Administrative Agent) of such property or the principal amount of such Indebtedness, whichever is less; and

(uu) all Contingent Liabilities of such Person in respect of any of the foregoing;

provided, that, Indebtedness shall not include unsecured Indebtedness incurred in the ordinary course of business in the nature of accrued liabilities and open accounts extended by suppliers on normal trade terms in connection with purchases of goods and services, but excluding the Indebtedness incurred through the borrowing of money or Contingent Liabilities in connection therewith. For all purposes of this Agreement, the Indebtedness of any Person shall include the Indebtedness of any partnership or joint venture in which such Person is a general partner or a joint venture (to the extent such Person is liable for such Indebtedness).

"Indemnified Liabilities" is defined in Section 11.4.

"Indemnified Parties" is defined in Section 11.4.

"<u>Intercompany Subordination Agreement</u>" means the Intercompany Subordination Agreement, dated September 29, 1999, by each of the Obligors in favor of the Administrative Agent, as amended, amended and restated, supplemented or otherwise modified from time to time in accordance with its terms.

"Interest Coverage Ratio" means, at the close of any Fiscal Quarter, the ratio computed for the period consisting of such Fiscal Quarter and each of the three immediately prior Fiscal Quarters of:

(vv) EBITDA (for such period)

(ww) Interest Expense (for such period).

"<u>Interest Expense</u>" means, for any Fiscal Quarter, the aggregate consolidated cash interest expense (net of interest income) of the Borrower and its Subsidiaries (other than WW.com and its Subsidiaries until the occurrence of the Trigger Date) for such Fiscal Quarter, as determined in accordance with GAAP, including the portion of any payments made in respect of Capitalized Lease Liabilities allocable to interest expense.

"Interest Period" means, relative to any LIBO Rate Loans, the period beginning on (and including) the date on which such LIBO Rate Loan is made or continued as, or converted into, a LIBO Rate Loan pursuant to <u>Section 2.3.1</u> or <u>2.4</u> and shall end on (but exclude) the day which numerically corresponds to such date one, two, three or six or, if within the capabilities of each applicable Lender, nine or twelve months thereafter (or, if such month has no numerically corresponding day, on the last Business Day of such month), in either case as the Borrower may select in its relevant notice pursuant to <u>Section 2.3</u> or <u>2.4</u>; provided, however, that

(xx) the Borrower shall not be permitted to select Interest Periods to be in effect at any one time which have expiration dates occurring on more than ten different dates;

(yy) Interest Periods commencing on the same date for Loans comprising part of the same Borrowing shall be of the same duration;

(zz) if such Interest Period would otherwise end on a day which is not a Business Day, such Interest Period shall end on the next following Business Day (unless such next following Business Day is the first Business Day of a calendar month, in which case such Interest Period shall end on the Business Day next preceding such numerically corresponding day); and

(aaa) no Interest Period for any Loan may end later than the Stated Maturity Date for such Loan.

"Investment" means, relative to any Person,

(bbb) any loan or advance made by such Person to any other Person (excluding commission, travel and similar advances to officers and employees made in the ordinary course of business);

(ccc) any ownership or similar interest held by such Person in any other Person; and

(ddd) any purchase or other acquisition of all or substantially all of the assets of any Person or any division thereof.

The amount of any Investment shall be the original principal or capital amount thereof less all returns of principal or equity thereon (and without adjustment by reason of the financial

condition of such other Person) and shall, if made by the transfer or exchange of property other than cash, be deemed to have been made in an original principal or capital amount equal to the fair market value of such property at the time of such transfer or exchange.

"Investment Grade Rating" means a corporate credit rating equal to or higher than Baa3 (or the equivalent) by Moody's or BBB- (or the equivalent) by S&P.

"<u>Investment Grade Rating Date</u>" means the date on which (a) the corporate credit rating assigned to the Borrower is an Investment Grade Rating and (b) no Default shall have occurred and be continuing.

"<u>Issuance Request</u>" means a Letter of Credit request and certificate duly executed by an Authorized Officer of the Borrower, substantially in the form of <u>Exhibit B-2</u> hereto.

"Issuer" means, collectively, Scotia Capital or JPM Chase, each in its individual capacity hereunder as issuer of the Letters of Credit and such other Lender as may be designated by Scotia Capital (and agreed to by the Borrower and such Lender) in its individual capacity as the issuer of Letters of Credit.

"Lead Arrangers" means Scotia Capital and JPM.

"Lender Assignment Agreement" means a Lender Assignment Agreement substantially in the form of Exhibit D hereto.

"Lenders" is defined in the preamble.

"<u>Lender's Environmental Liability</u>" means any and all losses, liabilities, obligations, penalties, claims, litigation, demands, defenses, costs, judgments, suits, proceedings, damages (including consequential damages), disbursements or expenses of any kind or nature whatsoever (including reasonable attorneys' fees at trial and appellate levels and experts' fees and disbursements and expenses incurred in investigating, defending against or prosecuting any litigation, claim or proceeding) which may at any time be imposed upon, incurred by or asserted or awarded against the Administrative Agent, the Syndication Agent, any Lead Arranger, any Lender or any Issuer or any of such Person's Affiliates, shareholders, directors, officers, employees, and agents in connection with or arising from:

(eee) any Hazardous Material on, in, under or affecting all or any portion of any property of the Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries, the groundwater thereunder, or any surrounding areas thereof to the extent caused by Releases from the Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries' or any of their respective predecessors' properties;

(fff) any misrepresentation, inaccuracy or breach of any warranty, contained or referred to in Section 6.11;

(ggg) any violation or claim of violation by the Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries of any Environmental Laws; or

(hhh) the imposition of any lien for damages caused by or the recovery of any costs for the cleanup, release or threatened release of Hazardous Material by the Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries, or in connection with any property owned or formerly owned by the Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries.

"Letter of Credit" is defined in Section 2.1.3.

"<u>Letter of Credit Commitment</u>" means, with respect to the Issuer, the Issuer's obligation to issue Letters of Credit pursuant to <u>Section 2.1.3</u> and, with respect to each of the other Lenders that has a Revolving Loan Commitment, the obligations of each such Lender to participate in such Letters of Credit pursuant to <u>Section 2.6.1</u>.

"Letter of Credit Commitment Amount" means, on any date, a maximum amount of \$25,000,000, as such amount may be reduced from time to time pursuant to Section 2.2.

"Letter of Credit Outstandings" means, on any date, an amount equal to the sum of

(iii) the then aggregate amount which is undrawn and available under all issued and outstanding Letters of Credit.

<u>plus</u>

(jjj) the then aggregate amount of all unpaid and outstanding Reimbursement Obligations in respect of such Letters of Credit.

"<u>LIBO Rate</u>" means, relative to any Interest Period for LIBO Rate Loans, the rate of interest equal to the average (rounded upwards, if necessary, to the nearest 1/16 of 1%) of the rates per annum at which U.S. Dollar deposits in immediately available funds are offered to the Administrative Agent's LIBOR Office in the London interbank market as at or about 11:00 a.m. London time two Business Days prior to the beginning of such Interest Period for delivery on the first day of such Interest Period, and in an amount approximately equal to the amount of the Administrative Agent's LIBO Rate Loan and for a period approximately equal to such Interest Period.

"<u>LIBO Rate Loan</u>" means a Loan bearing interest, at all times during an Interest Period applicable to such Loan, at a fixed rate of interest determined by reference to the LIBO Rate (Reserve Adjusted).

"<u>LIBO Rate (Reserve Adjusted)</u>" means, relative to any Loan to be made, continued or maintained as, or converted into, a LIBO Rate Loan for any Interest Period, a rate per annum (rounded upwards, if necessary, to the nearest 1/100 of 1%) determined pursuant to the following formula:

 $\begin{array}{rcl} LIBO \ Rate & = & \underline{LIBO \ Rate} \\ (Reserve \ Adjusted) & & 1.00 - LIBOR \ Reserve \ Percentage \end{array}$ 

The LIBO Rate (Reserve Adjusted) for any Interest Period for LIBO Rate Loans will be determined by the Administrative Agent on the basis of the LIBOR Reserve Percentage in effect

on, and the applicable rates furnished to and received by the Administrative Agent from Scotia Capital, two Business Days before the first day of such Interest Period.

"<u>LIBOR Office</u>" means, relative to any Lender, the office of such Lender designated as such on <u>Schedule III</u> hereto or designated in the Lender Assignment Agreement or such other office of a Lender as designated from time to time by notice from such Lender to the Borrower and the Administrative Agent, whether or not outside the United States, which shall be making or maintaining LIBO Rate Loans of such Lender hereunder.

"<u>LIBOR Reserve Percentage</u>" means, relative to any Interest Period for LIBO Rate Loans, the reserve percentage (expressed as a decimal) equal to the maximum aggregate reserve requirements (including all basic, emergency, supplemental, marginal and other reserves and taking into account any transitional adjustments or other scheduled changes in reserve requirements) specified under regulations issued from time to time by the F.R.S. Board and then applicable to assets or liabilities consisting of and including "Eurocurrency Liabilities", as currently defined in Regulation D of the F.R.S. Board, having a term approximately equal or comparable to such Interest Period.

"<u>Lien</u>" means any security interest, mortgage, pledge, hypothecation, assignment, deposit arrangement, encumbrance, lien (statutory or otherwise), charge against or interest in property, or any filing or recording of any instrument or document in respect of the foregoing, to secure payment of a debt or performance of an obligation or other priority or preferential arrangement of any kind or nature whatsoever.

"Loan" means, as the context may require, a Revolving Loan, a Swing Line Loan, a Term A Loan and a Designated New Loan.

"Loan Document" means this Agreement, the Notes, the Letters of Credit, each Rate Protection Agreement under which that counterpart to such agreement is (or at the time such Rate Protection Agreement was entered into, was) a Lender or an Affiliate of a Lender relating to Hedging Obligations of the Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries, the Fee Letters, each Pledge Agreement, each Guaranty, each Security Agreement, the Intercompany Subordination Agreement and each other agreement, document or instrument delivered in connection with this Agreement or any other Loan Document, whether or not specifically mentioned herein or therein.

"Local Management Plan" means an equity plan or program for (i) the sale or issuance of Capital Securities of a Subsidiary in an amount not to exceed 5% of the outstanding common equity of such Subsidiary to local management or a plan or program in respect of Subsidiaries of the Borrower whose principal business is conducted outside of the United States, (ii) the direct purchase from any member of the Permitted ARTAL Investor Group by the Borrower management employees, in one transaction or a series of transactions, of not more than 3% in the aggregate of the WWI Common Shares owned by the members of transactions, of stock options to purchase not more than 6% in the aggregate of the WWI Common Shares on a fully diluted basis.

"<u>Material Adverse Effect</u>" means (a) a material adverse effect on the financial condition, operations, assets, business or properties of the Borrower and its Subsidiaries, taken as a whole, (b) a material impairment other than an event or set of circumstances described in <u>clause</u> (a) of the ability of any Obligor (other than any Immaterial Subsidiary) to perform its respective material obligations under the Loan Documents to which it is or will be a party, or (c) an impairment of the validity or enforceability of, or a material impairment of the rights, remedies or benefits available to the Administrative Agent, the Issuer or the Lenders under, this Agreement or any other Loan Document.

"Moody's "means Moody's Investors Service, Inc.

"<u>Mortgage</u>" means, collectively, each Mortgage or Deed of Trust executed and delivered pursuant to the terms of this Agreement, including <u>clause (b)</u> of <u>Section 7.1.8</u>, as such Mortgage or Deed of Trust is amended, amended and restated, supplemented or otherwise modified from time to time in accordance with its terms.

" Net Debt to EBITDA Ratio" means, as of the last day of any Fiscal Quarter, the ratio of

(kkk) Debt outstanding on the last day of such Fiscal Quarter (less the amount of cash and Cash Equivalent Investments of the Borrower and its Subsidiaries (other than WW.com and its Subsidiaries until the occurrence of the Trigger Date) as of such date)

<u>to</u>

(b) EBITDA computed for the period consisting of such Fiscal Quarter and each of the three immediately preceding Fiscal Quarters.

"<u>Net Disposition Proceeds</u>" means, with respect to a Permitted Disposition of the assets of the Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries (other than WW.com and its Subsidiaries until the occurrence of the Trigger Date), the excess of

(a) the gross cash proceeds received by the Borrower or such Subsidiary from any Permitted Disposition and any cash payments received in respect of promissory notes or other non-cash consideration delivered to the Borrower or such Subsidiary in respect of any Permitted Disposition,

less

(b) the sum of

(i) all reasonable and customary fees and expenses with respect to legal, investment banking, brokerage and accounting and other professional fees, sales commissions and disbursements and all other reasonable fees, expenses and charges, in each case actually incurred in connection with such Permitted Disposition which have not been paid to Affiliates of the Borrower,

(ii) all taxes and other governmental costs and expenses actually paid or estimated by the Borrower (in good faith) to be payable in cash in connection with such Permitted Disposition, and

(iii) payments made by the Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries to retire Indebtedness (other than the Loans) of the Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries where payment of such Indebtedness is required in connection with such Permitted Disposition;

<u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that if, after the payment of all taxes with respect to such Permitted Disposition, the amount of estimated taxes, if any, pursuant to <u>clause (b)(ii)</u> above exceeded the tax amount actually paid in cash in respect of such Permitted Disposition, the aggregate amount of such excess shall be immediately payable, pursuant to <u>clause (b)</u> of <u>Section 3.1.1</u>, as Net Disposition Proceeds.

Notwithstanding the foregoing, Net Disposition Proceeds shall not include fees or other amounts paid to the Borrower or its Subsidiaries in respect of a license of intellectual property (not related to the classroom business of the Borrower or its Subsidiaries) having customary terms and conditions for similar licenses.

"<u>Net Income</u>" means, for any period, the net income of the Borrower and its Subsidiaries (other than WW.com and its Subsidiaries until the occurrence of the Trigger Date) for such period on a consolidated basis, excluding extraordinary gains and extraordinary losses.

"<u>Non-Excluded Taxes</u>" means any taxes other than (i) net income and franchise taxes imposed with respect to any Secured Party by a Governmental Authority under the laws of which such Secured Party is organized or in which it maintains its applicable lending office and (ii) any taxes imposed on a Secured Party by any jurisdiction as a result of any former or present connection between such Secured Party and such jurisdiction other than a connection arising from a Secured Party entering into this Agreement or making any Loan.

"<u>Non-Guarantor Subsidiary</u>" means the Designated Subsidiary and any other Subsidiary of the Borrower other than any Person which has or may issue a Guaranty hereunder.

"<u>Non-U.S. Lender</u>" means any Lender (including each Assignee Lender) that is not (i) a citizen or resident of the United States, (ii) a corporation, partnership or other entity created or organized in or under the laws of the United States or any state thereof, or (iii) any estate or trust that is subject to U.S. Federal income taxation regardless of the source of its income.

"<u>Note</u>" means, as the context may require, a Revolving Note, a Swing Line Note, a Registered Note, a Term A Note or any promissory note representing a Designated New Loan.

"<u>Obligations</u>" means all obligations (monetary or otherwise) of the Borrower and each other Obligor arising under or in connection with this Agreement, the Notes, each Letter of Credit and each other Loan Document, and Hedging Obligations owed to a Lender or an Affiliate thereof (or a Person who was a Lender or an Affiliate thereof at the time such Hedging Obligation was entered into) (unless such Lender or such Affiliate otherwise agrees in writing).

"<u>Obligor</u>" means the Borrower or any other Person (other than any Agent, any Lender or the Issuer) obligated under any Loan Document.

"<u>Organic Document</u>" means, relative to any Obligor, its certificate of incorporation, and its by-laws (or other similar organizational and/or governing documents) and all shareholder agreements, voting trusts and similar arrangements (or the foreign equivalent thereof) applicable to any of its authorized shares of Capital Securities.

"<u>Other Taxes</u>" means any and all stamp, documentary or similar taxes, or any other excise or property taxes or similar levies that arise on account of any payment made or required to be made under any Loan Document or from the execution, delivery, registration, recording or enforcement of any Loan Document.

"Participant" is defined in Section 11.11.2.

"<u>Patent Security Agreement</u>" means the Patent Security Agreement, dated September 29, 1999, by the Borrower and each of its U.S. Subsidiaries in favor of the Administrative Agent, as amended, supplemented, amended and restated or otherwise modified.

"PBGC" means the Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation and any successor entity.

"<u>Pension Plan</u>" means a "<u>pension plan</u>", as such term is defined in section 3(2) of ERISA, which is subject to Title IV of ERISA (other than a multiemployer plan as defined in section 4001(a)(3) of ERISA), and to which the Borrower or any corporation, trade or business that is, along with the Borrower, a member of a Controlled Group, has or within the prior six years has had any liability, including any liability by reason of having been a substantial employer within the meaning of section 4063 of ERISA at any time during the preceding five years, or by reason of being deemed to be a contributing sponsor under section 4069 of ERISA.

"<u>Percentage</u>" means, relative to any Lender, the applicable percentage relating to Term A Loans, any Tranche of Designated New Loans, Swing Line Loans or Revolving Loans, as the case may be, as set forth opposite its name on <u>Schedule II</u> hereto under the applicable column heading or set forth in Lender Assignment Agreement(s) under the applicable column heading, as such percentage may be adjusted from time to time pursuant to Lender Assignment Agreement(s) executed by such Lender and its Assignee Lender(s) and delivered pursuant to <u>Section 11.11</u>. A Lender shall not have any Commitment to make a particular Tranche of Loans (as the case may be) if its percentage under the respective column heading is zero.

"<u>Permitted Acquisition</u>" means an acquisition (whether pursuant to an acquisition of Capital Securities, assets or otherwise) by the Borrower or any of the Subsidiaries from any Person of a business in which the following conditions are satisfied:

(c) immediately before and after giving effect to such acquisition no Default shall have occurred and be continuing or would result therefrom (including under Section 7.2.1);

(d) if the acquisition is of Capital Securities of a Person such Person becomes a Subsidiary; and

(e) in the event the aggregate amount of consideration (including cash and incurrence or assumption of Indebtedness) exceeds \$75,000,000 for such acquisition, the Borrower shall have delivered to the Agents a Compliance Certificate for the period of four full Fiscal Quarters immediately preceding such acquisition (prepared in good faith and in a manner and using such methodology which is consistent with the most recent financial statements delivered pursuant to Section 7.1.1) giving pro forma effect to the consummation of such acquisition and evidencing compliance with the covenants set forth in Section 7.2.4.

"<u>Permitted ARTAL Investor Group</u>" means ARTAL or any of its direct or indirect Wholly-owned Subsidiaries and ARTAL Group S.A., a Luxembourg corporation or any of its direct or indirect Wholly-owned Subsidiaries.

"<u>Permitted Disposition</u>" means a Disposition in accordance with the terms of <u>clause (b)</u> (other than as permitted by <u>clause (a)</u>) of <u>Section 7.2.9</u>.

"<u>Person</u>" means any natural person, corporation, partnership, firm, association, trust, government, governmental agency, limited liability company or any other entity, whether acting in an individual, fiduciary or other capacity.

"Plan" means any Pension Plan or Welfare Plan.

"<u>Pledge Agreements</u>" means, collectively, (a) the WWI Pledge Agreement and (b) each other pledge agreement delivered from time to time pursuant to <u>clause (a)(ii)</u> of <u>Section 7.1.7</u>, in each case, as amended, amended and restated, supplemented or otherwise modified from time to time pursuant to the terms thereof.

"Qualified Assets" is defined in clause (b) of Section 3.1.1.

"<u>Quarterly Payment Date</u>" means the last day of each March, June, September and December, or, if any such day is not a Business Day, the next succeeding Business Day.

"<u>Rate Protection Agreements</u>" means, collectively, arrangements entered into by any Person designed to protect such Person against fluctuations in interest rates or currency exchange rates, pursuant to the terms of this Agreement.

"Recapitalization" means those transactions contemplated and undertaken pursuant to the Recapitalization Agreement.

"<u>Recapitalization Agreement</u>" means that certain Recapitalization and Stock Purchase Agreement, dated as of July 22, 1999 among the Borrower, ARTAL and HJH.

"<u>Refinance</u>" means, in respect of any Indebtedness, to refinance, extend, renew, refund, repay, prepay, redeem, defease or retire, or to issue other Indebtedness in exchange or replacement for such Indebtedness. "Refinanced" and "Refinancing" shall have correlative meanings.

"<u>Refinancing Indebtedness</u>" means Indebtedness that Refinances any Indebtedness of the Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries existing on the Effective Date or otherwise permitted hereunder, including Indebtedness that Refinances Refinancing Indebtedness; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that:

(i) such Refinancing Indebtedness has a Stated Maturity no earlier than the Stated Maturity of the Indebtedness being Refinanced;

(ii) such Refinancing Indebtedness has an Average Life at the time such Refinancing Indebtedness is incurred that is equal to or greater than the Average Life of the Indebtedness being Refinanced; and

(iii) such Refinancing Indebtedness has an aggregate principal amount (or if incurred with original issue discount, an aggregate issue price) that is equal to or less than the aggregate principal amount (or if incurred with original issue discount, the aggregate accreted value) then outstanding or committed (plus fees and expenses, including any premium and defeasance costs) under the Indebtedness being Refinanced;

<u>provided further</u>, <u>however</u>, that Refinancing Indebtedness shall not include (A) Indebtedness of a Subsidiary that Refinances Indebtedness of the Borrower or (B) Indebtedness of the Borrower or a Subsidiary that Refinances Indebtedness of another Subsidiary.

"Refunded Swing Line Loans" is defined in clause (b) of Section 2.3.2.

"<u>Register</u>" is defined in <u>Section 11.11.3</u>.

"<u>Registered Note</u>" means a promissory note of the Borrower payable to any Registered Noteholder, in the form of <u>Exhibit A-4</u> hereto (as such promissory note may be amended, endorsed or otherwise modified from time to time), evidencing the aggregate Indebtedness of the Borrower to such Lender resulting from outstanding Term Loans, and also means all other promissory notes accepted from time to time in substitution therefor or renewal thereof.

"Registered Noteholder" means any Lender that has been issued a Registered Note.

"Reimbursement Obligation" is defined in Section 2.6.3.

"<u>Related Fund</u>" means, with respect to any Lender which is a fund that invests in loans, any other fund that invests in loans and is advised, controlled or managed by the same investment advisor as such Lender or by an Affiliate of such investment advisor or collateralized debt or loan obligation fund advised, managed or operated by a Lender or an Affiliate of a Lender.

"Release" means a "release", as such term is defined in CERCLA.

"Replacement Notice" is defined in Section 4.11.

"Required Lenders" means, at any time, Lenders holding at least 51% of the Total Exposure Amount.

"<u>Resource Conservation and Recovery Act</u>" means the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act, 42 U.S.C. Section 6901, <u>et seq.</u>, as in effect from time to time.

"Restricted Payments" is defined in Section 7.2.6.

"<u>Revolving Lender</u>" is defined in <u>clause (a)</u> of <u>Section 2.1.2</u>.

"<u>Revolving Loan</u>" is defined in <u>clause (a)</u> of <u>Section 2.1.2</u>.

"Revolving Loan Commitment" is defined in clause (a) of Section 2.1.2.

"<u>Revolving Loan Commitment Amount</u>" means, on any date, \$500,000,000, as such amount may be (i) reduced from time to time pursuant to <u>Section 2.2</u> or (ii) increased pursuant to <u>Section 2.1.6</u>.

"Revolving Loan Commitment Termination Date" means the earliest of

(f) June 30, 2011;

(g) the date on which the Revolving Loan Commitment Amount is terminated in full or reduced to zero pursuant to Section 2.2; and

(h) the date on which any Commitment Termination Event occurs.

Upon the occurrence of any event described in <u>clauses (b)</u> or <u>(c)</u>, the Revolving Loan Commitments shall terminate automatically and without any further action.

"<u>Revolving Note</u>" means a promissory note of the Borrower payable to a Lender, substantially in the form of <u>Exhibit A-1</u> hereto (as such promissory note may be amended, endorsed or otherwise modified from time to time), evidencing the aggregate Indebtedness of the Borrower to such Lender resulting from outstanding Revolving Loans, and also means all other promissory notes accepted from time to time in substitution therefor or renewal thereof.

"S&P" means Standard & Poor's Ratings Group, a division of The McGraw-Hill Companies, Inc.

"Scotia Capital" is defined in the preamble.

"<u>Secured Parties</u>" means, collectively, the Lenders, the Issuer, the Administrative Agent, the Syndication Agent, the Lead Arrangers, each counterparty to a Rate Protection Agreement that is (or at the time such Rate Protection Agreement was entered into, was) a Lender or an Affiliate thereof and (in each case) and each of their respective successors, transferees and assigns.

"<u>Security Agreements</u>" means, collectively, (a) the WWI Security Agreement, (b) the Patent Security Agreements, the Trademark Security Agreements and the Copyright Security Agreements and (c) each other security agreement executed and delivered from time to time

pursuant to  $\underline{\text{clause}}(a)(i)$  of  $\underline{\text{Section 7.1.7}}$ , in each case, as amended, amended and restated, supplemented or otherwise modified from time to time pursuant to the terms thereof.

"<u>Sellers</u>" is defined in the <u>second recital</u>.

"Senior Debt" means all Debt other than Subordinated Debt.

"<u>Solvent</u>" means, with respect to any Person on a particular date, that on such date (a) the fair value of the property of such Person is greater than the total amount of liabilities, including contingent liabilities, of such Person, (b) the present fair salable value of the assets of such Person is not less than the amount that will be required to pay the probable liability of such Person on its debts as they become absolute and matured, (c) such Person does not intend to, and does not believe that it will, incur debts or liabilities beyond such Person's ability to pay as such debts and liabilities mature, and (d) such Person is not engaged in business or a transaction, and such person is not about to engage in business or a transaction, for which such Person's property would constitute an unreasonably small capital. The amount of contingent liabilities at any time shall be computed as the amount that, in the light of all the facts and circumstances existing at such time, represents the amount that can reasonably be expected to become an actual or matured liability.

"<u>Stated Amount</u>" of each Letter of Credit means the total amount available to be drawn under such Letter of Credit upon the issuance thereof.

"<u>Stated Expiry Date</u>" is defined in <u>Section 2.6</u>.

"<u>Stated Maturity</u>" means, with respect to any security, the date specified in such security as the fixed date on which the final payment of principal of such security is due and payable, including pursuant to any mandatory redemption provision (but excluding any provision providing for the repurchase of such security at the option of the holder thereof upon the happening of any contingency unless such contingency has occurred).

" Stated Maturity Date " means

- (i) in the case of any Revolving Loan, June 30, 2011;
- (j) in the case of any Term A Loan or Designated Additional Term A Loan, June 30, 2011; and
- (k) in the case of any Designated New Term Loan, as determined in accordance with <u>Section 2.1.6</u>.

"<u>Sub Debt Documents</u>" means, collectively, the loan agreements, indentures, note purchase agreements, promissory notes, guarantees, and other instruments and agreements evidencing the terms of Subordinated Debt, as amended, supplemented, amended and restated or otherwise modified in accordance with <u>Section 7.2.10</u>.

"<u>Subordinated Debt</u>" means any unsecured subordinated Debt of the Borrower which shall (a) contain subordination provisions that are no less favorable to the holders of "Senior

Indebtedness", "Senior Debt" or terms of similar import as used in the applicable Sub Debt Documents than subordination provisions customarily contained in such documents for such type of subordinated debt, (b) not provide for any amortization (in whole or in part) of the Debt issued thereunder prior to 6 months after the Stated Maturity Date for Term A Loans and (c) contain such other terms and conditions which, taken as a whole, are comparable to those customarily contained in Sub Debt Documents for such type of subordinated debt.

"<u>Subordinated Guaranty</u>" means, collectively, any guaranty executed from time to time by any Subsidiary of the Borrower pursuant to which the guarantor thereunder has any Contingent Liability with respect to any Subordinated Debt, such Contingent Liability to be subordinated on the same terms and conditions.

"<u>Subordination Provisions</u>" is defined in <u>Section 9.1.11</u>.

"<u>Subsidiary</u>" means, with respect to any Person, any corporation, partnership or other business entity of which more than 50% of the outstanding Capital Securities (or other ownership interest) having ordinary voting power to elect a majority of the board of directors, managers or other voting members of the governing body of such entity (irrespective of whether at the time Capital Securities (or other ownership interest) of any other class or classes of such entity shall or might have voting power upon the occurrence of any contingency) is at the time directly or indirectly owned by such Person, by such Person and one or more other Subsidiaries of such Person, or by one or more other Subsidiaries of such Person. Unless the context otherwise specifically requires, the term "Subsidiary" shall be a reference to a Subsidiary of the Borrower.

"<u>Subsidiary Guaranty</u>" means the Guaranty, dated September 29, 1999, by the signatories thereto in favor of the Administrative Agent, as amended, supplemented, amended and restated or otherwise modified from time to time in accordance with its terms.

"<u>Substitute Lender</u>" is defined in <u>Section 4.11</u>.

"<u>Swing Line Lender</u>" means Scotia Capital (or another Lender designated by Scotia Capital with the consent of the Borrower, if such Lender agrees to be the Swing Line Lender hereunder), in such Person's capacity as the maker of Swing Line Loans.

"Swing Line Loan" is defined in clause (b) of Section 2.1.2.

"<u>Swing Line Loan Commitment</u>" means, with respect to the Swing Line Lender, the Swing Line Lender's obligation pursuant to <u>clause (b)</u> of <u>Section 2.1.2</u> to make Swing Line Loans and, with respect to each Revolving Lender (other than the Swing Line Lender), such Revolving Lender's obligation to participate in Swing Line Loans pursuant to <u>Section 2.3.2</u>.

"<u>Swing Line Loan Commitment Amount</u>" means, on any date, \$15,000,000, as such amount may be reduced from time to time pursuant to <u>Section 2.2</u>.

"<u>Swing Line Note</u>" means a promissory note of the Borrower payable to the Swing Line Lender, in substantially the form of <u>Exhibit</u> <u>A-2</u> hereto (as such promissory note may be amended, endorsed or otherwise modified from time to time), evidencing the aggregate Indebtedness of the Borrower to the Swing Line Lender resulting from outstanding Swing Line

Loans, and also means all other promissory notes accepted from time to time in substitution therefor or renewal thereof.

"Syndication Agent" is defined in the preamble.

"Term A Loan" is defined in clause (a) of Section 2.1.1.

"Term A Loan Commitment" is defined in clause (a) of Section 2.1.1.

"Term A Loan Commitment Amount" means \$350,000,000.

"Term A Loan Lender" means any Lender which has a Percentage of the Term A Loan Commitment Amount.

"<u>Term A Note</u>" means a promissory note of the Borrower, payable to the order of any Lender, in the form of <u>Exhibit A-3</u> hereto (as such promissory note may be amended, endorsed or otherwise modified from time to time), evidencing the aggregate Indebtedness of the Borrower to such Lender resulting from outstanding Term A Loans (including Designated Additional Term A Loans), and also means all other promissory notes accepted from time to time in substitution therefor or renewal thereof.

"Term Loans" means, collectively, the Term A Loans and the Designated New Loans.

"<u>Total Exposure Amount</u>" means, on any date of determination, the then outstanding principal amount of all Term Loans and the then effective Revolving Loan Commitment Amount.

"<u>Trademark Security Agreement</u>" means the Trademark Security Agreement, dated September 29, 1999, by the Borrower and each of its U.S. Subsidiaries signatory thereto in favor of the Administrative Agent, as amended, supplemented, amended and restated or otherwise modified from time to time.

"<u>Tranche</u>" means, as the context may require, the Loans constituting Term A Loans, Swing Line Loans, Revolving Loans or Designated New Loans.

"<u>Trigger Date</u>" means the date on which WW.com and its Subsidiaries no longer have any Indebtedness outstanding under the WW.com Debt Documents and all commitments to make loans or other advances under the WW.com Debt Documents have been terminated and neither WW.com or any of its Subsidiaries has any other obligations outstanding under the WW.com Debt Documents (other than obligations consisting of contingent indemnification obligations).

"type" means, relative to any Loan, the portion thereof, if any, being maintained as a Base Rate Loan or a LIBO Rate Loan.

"UCC" means the Uniform Commercial Code as in effect from time to time in the State of New York.

"<u>UKHC1</u>" means Weight Watchers UK Holding Ltd, a company incorporated under the laws of England.

"UKHC2" means Weight Watchers International Ltd, a company incorporated under the laws of England.

"United States" or "U.S." means the United States of America, its fifty States and the District of Columbia.

"<u>U.S. Dollar</u>" and the sign "<u>\$</u>" mean lawful money of the United States.

"<u>U.S. Subsidiary</u>" means any Subsidiary that is incorporated or organized under the laws of the United States or a state thereof or the District of Columbia.

"<u>Voting Stock</u>" means, with respect to any Person, Capital Securities of any class or kind ordinarily having the power to vote for the election of directors, managers or other voting members of the governing body of such Person.

"<u>Waiver</u>" means an agreement in favor of the Administrative Agent for the benefit of the Lenders and the Issuer in form and substance reasonably satisfactory to the Administrative Agent.

"<u>Welfare Plan</u>" means a "<u>welfare plan</u>", as such term is defined in section 3(1) of ERISA, and to which the Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries has any liability.

"<u>Wholly-owned Subsidiary</u>" shall mean, with respect to any Person, any Subsidiary of such Person all of the Capital Securities (and all rights and options to purchase such Capital Securities) of which, other than directors' qualifying shares or shares sold pursuant to Local Management Plans, are owned, beneficially and of record, by such Person and/or one or more Wholly-owned Subsidiaries of such Person.

"<u>WW.com</u>" means WeightWatchers.com, Inc., a Delaware corporation.

"<u>WW.com Debt Documents</u>" means, collectively, (a) the First Lien Credit Agreement, dated as of December 16, 2005, among WW.com, the lenders party thereto and the agents party thereto, (b) the Second Lien Credit Agreement, dated as of December 16, 2005, among WW.com the lenders party thereto and the agents party thereto and (c) any other document or instrument evidencing all or any portion of any Indebtedness incurred to refinance the Indebtedness incurred under the documents set forth in the foregoing <u>clause (a)</u> or (b).

"<u>WW Australia</u>" means Weight Watchers International Pty. Ltd. (ACN 070 836 449), an Australian company incorporated in the State of New South Wales and resident in Australia and the direct corporate parent of FPL.

"WWI Common Shares" means shares of common stock of the Borrower, no par value.

"<u>WWI Pledge Agreement</u>" means the Pledge Agreement, dated September 29, 1999, by the Borrower and its U.S. Subsidiaries signatory thereto in favor of the Administrative Agent,

together with each supplement thereto delivered pursuant to <u>clause (a)(ii)</u> of <u>Section 7.1.7</u>, as amended, amended and restated, supplemented or otherwise modified from time to time pursuant to the terms thereof.

"<u>WWI Security Agreement</u>" means the Security Agreement, dated September 29, 1999, by the Borrower and all U.S. Subsidiaries of the Borrower (other than (a) the Designated Subsidiary and (b) WW.com and its Subsidiaries until the occurrence of the Trigger Date) in favor of the Administrative Agent, together with each supplement thereto delivered pursuant to <u>clause (a)(i)</u> of <u>Section 7.1.7</u>, as amended, amended and restated, supplemented or otherwise modified from time to time pursuant to the terms thereof.

SECTION 1.2. <u>Use of Defined Terms</u>. Unless otherwise defined or the context otherwise requires, terms for which meanings are provided in this Agreement shall have such meanings when used in the Disclosure Schedule and in each other Loan Document, notice and other communication delivered from time to time in connection with this Agreement or any other Loan Document.

SECTION 1.3. <u>Cross-References</u>. Unless otherwise specified, references in this Agreement and in each other Loan Document to any Article or Section are references to such Article or Section of this Agreement or such other Loan Document, as the case may be, and, unless otherwise specified, references in any Article, Section or definition to any clause are references to such clause of such Article, Section or definition.

SECTION 1.4. <u>Accounting and Financial Determinations</u>. (a) All terms of an accounting or financial nature in this Agreement or any other Loan Document shall be construed in accordance with GAAP, as in effect from time to time; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that if the Borrower notifies the Administrative Agent that the Borrower wishes to amend any covenant in <u>Section 7.2</u> or any related definition to eliminate the effect of any change in GAAP occurring after the date of this Agreement on the operation of such covenant (or if the Administrative Agent notifies the Borrower that the Required Lenders wish to amend <u>Section 7.2</u> or any related definition for such purpose), then the Borrower's compliance with such covenant shall be determined on the basis of GAAP in effect immediately before the relevant change in GAAP became effective, until either such notice is withdrawn or such covenant is amended in a manner satisfactory to the Borrower and the Required Lenders.

(b) With respect to any period of four consecutive Fiscal Quarters during which any Permitted Acquisition or permitted Disposition occurs (and for purposes of determining whether an acquisition is a Permitted Acquisition or a permitted Disposition under <u>Section</u> 7.2.9 or would result in a Default), the Net Debt to EBITDA Ratio shall be calculated with respect to such period on a <u>pro forma</u> basis after giving effect to such Permitted Acquisition or Disposition (including, without duplication, (a) all <u>pro forma</u> adjustments permitted or required by Article 11 of Regulation S-X under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and (b) <u>pro forma</u> adjustments for cost savings (net of continuing associated expenses) to the extent such cost savings are factually supportable and have been realized or are reasonably expected to be realized within 12 months following such Permitted Acquisition or Disposition, <u>provided</u> that all such adjustments shall be set forth in a reasonably detailed certificate of a financial Authorized Officer of the Borrower), using, for purposes of making such calculations, the historical financial statements of the Borrower and the Subsidiaries which shall be reformulated as if such Permitted

Acquisition or Disposition, and any other Permitted Acquisitions or Disposition that have been consummated during the period, had been consummated on the first day of such period.

SECTION 1.5. <u>Currency Conversions</u>. If it shall be necessary for purposes of this Agreement to convert an amount in one currency into another currency, unless otherwise provided herein, the exchange rate shall be determined by reference to the New York foreign exchange selling rates (such determination to be made as at the date of the relevant transaction), as determined by the Administrative Agent (in accordance with its standard practices).

# ARTICLE II

# COMMITMENTS, BORROWING AND ISSUANCE PROCEDURES, NOTES AND LETTERS OF CREDIT

SECTION 2.1. Loan Commitments. On the terms and subject to the conditions of this Agreement (including <u>Article V</u>), the Lenders, the Swing Line Lender and the Issuer severally agree to the continuation of Existing Loans and to make Credit Extensions as set forth below.

SECTION 2.1.1. Term Loan Commitments. Subject to compliance by the Obligors with the terms of Sections 2.1.4., 5.1 and 5.2:

(a) in a single Borrowing occurring on the Effective Date, each Lender that has a Term A Loan Commitment will make loans (relative to such Lender, its "<u>Term A Loans</u>") to the Borrower in an amount equal to such Lender's Percentage of the aggregate amount of the Borrowing of Term A Loans requested by the Borrower to be made on such day (with the commitment of each such Lender described in this <u>clause (a)</u> herein referred to as its "<u>Term A Loan Commitment</u>"); and

(b) no amounts paid or prepaid with respect to Term A Loans may be reborrowed.

SECTION 2.1.2. <u>Revolving Loan Commitment and Swing Line Loan Commitment</u>. Subject to compliance by the Obligors with the terms of <u>Section 2.1.4</u>, <u>Section 5.1</u> and <u>Section 5.2</u>, the Revolving Loans and Swing Line Loans will be continued and/or made as set forth below:

(a) From time to time on any Business Day occurring on or after the Effective Date but prior to the Revolving Loan Commitment Termination Date, each Lender that has a Revolving Loan Commitment (a "<u>Revolving Lender</u>") will make loans (relative to such Lender, its "<u>Revolving Loans</u>") to the Borrower in U.S. Dollars, equal to such Lender's Percentage of the aggregate amount of the Borrowing of the Revolving Loans requested by the Borrower to be made on such day. The Commitment of each Lender described in this <u>clause (a)</u> is herein referred to as its "<u>Revolving Loan Commitment</u>". On the terms and subject to the conditions hereof, the Borrower may from time to time borrow, prepay and reborrow the Revolving Loans. All Existing Revolving Loans shall be continued as Revolving Loans hereunder.

(b) From time to time on any Business Day occurring on or after the Effective Date but prior to the Revolving Loan Commitment Termination Date, the Swing Line Lender will make loans (relative to the Swing Line Lender, its "<u>Swing Line Loans</u>") to the Borrower equal to the principal amount of the Swing Line Loans requested by the Borrower. On the terms and subject to the conditions hereof, the Borrower may from time to time borrow, prepay and reborrow such Swing Line Loans. All Existing Swing Line Loans shall be continued as Swing Line Loans hereunder.

SECTION 2.1.3. Letter of Credit Commitment. Subject to compliance by the Obligors with the terms of Section 2.1.5, Section 5.1 and Section 5.2, from time to time on any Business Day occurring on and after the Effective Date but prior to the Revolving Loan Commitment Termination Date, the Issuer will:

(a) issue one or more standby or documentary letters of credit (each referred to as a "<u>Letter of Credit</u>") for the account of the Borrower in the Stated Amount requested by the Borrower on such day; or

(b) extend the Stated Expiry Date of an existing standby Letter of Credit previously issued hereunder to a date not later than the earlier of (x) the Revolving Loan Commitment Termination Date and (y) one year from the date of such extension.

All Existing Letters of Credit shall be maintained as Letters of Credit hereunder.

SECTION 2.1.4. Lenders Not Permitted or Required to Make Loans. No Lender shall be permitted or required to, and the Borrower shall not request that any Lender, make:

(a) any Term A Loan if, after giving effect thereto, the aggregate original principal amount of all the Term A Loans:

- (i) of all Lenders would exceed the Term A Loan Commitment Amount; or
- (ii) of such Lender would exceed such Lender's Percentage of the Term A Loan Commitment Amount;

(b) any Revolving Loan or Swing Line Loan if, after giving effect thereto, the aggregate outstanding principal amount of all the Revolving Loans and Swing Line Loans

(i) of all the Lenders with Revolving Loan Commitments, together with the aggregate amount of all Letter of Credit Outstandings, would exceed the Revolving Loan Commitment Amount; or

(ii) of such Lender with a Revolving Loan Commitment (other than the Swing Line Lender), together with such Lender's Percentage of the aggregate amount of all Letter of Credit Outstandings, would exceed such Lender's Percentage of the Revolving Loan Commitment Amount; or

(c) any Swing Line Loan if after giving effect to the making of such Swing Line Loan, the outstanding principal amount of all Swing Line Loans would exceed the then existing Swing Line Loan Commitment Amount.

SECTION 2.1.5. <u>Issuer Not Permitted or Required to Issue Letters of Credit</u>. The Issuer shall not be permitted or required to issue any Letter of Credit if, after giving effect thereto, (a) the aggregate amount of all Letter of Credit Outstandings would exceed the Letter of Credit Commitment Amount or (b) the sum of the aggregate amount of all Letter of Credit Outstandings plus the aggregate principal amount of all Revolving Loans and Swing Line Loans then outstanding would exceed the Revolving Loan Commitment Amount.

SECTION 2.1.6. Designated Additional Loans . At any time that no Default has occurred and is continuing, the Borrower may notify the Administrative Agent that the Borrower is requesting that, on the terms and subject to the conditions contained in this Agreement, the Lenders and/or other lenders not then a party to this Agreement provide up to an aggregate amount of \$400,000,000 in commitments to provide (i) (A) additional Revolving Loan Commitments or (B) loans to be provided under a new tranche of revolving loans which have terms and conditions (including interest rate and maturity date), as mutually agreed to by the Borrower, the Administrative Agent, the Syndication Agent and the Person(s) providing such new tranche of Loans (in either case, "Designated Additional Revolving Loan Commitments), (ii) additional Term A Loans ("Designated Additional Term A Loans") and/or (iii) loans to be provided under a new tranche of term loans ("Designated <u>New Term Loans</u>") which have terms and conditions (including interest rate and amortization schedule), as mutually agreed to by the Borrower, the Administrative Agent, the Syndication Agent and the Person(s) providing such new tranche of Loans. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary herein, the final maturity date of any new tranche of revolving loans described in <u>clause (i)(B)</u> above shall be no earlier than the Stated Maturity Date of the Revolving Loans and the final maturity date of any Designated New Loans shall be no earlier than the Stated Maturity Date of the Term A Loans. Upon receipt of any such notice, the Administrative Agent shall use commercially reasonable efforts to arrange for the Lenders or other Eligible Institutions to provide such additional commitments; provided that the Administrative Agent will first offer each of the Lenders that then has a Percentage of the Commitment or Loans of the type proposed to be obtained a pro rata portion of any such additional commitment. Nothing contained in this Section 2.1.6 or otherwise in this Agreement is intended to commit any Lender or any Agent to provide any portion of any such additional commitments. If and to the extent that any Lenders and/or other lenders agree, in their sole discretion, to provide any such additional commitments, (i) in the case of Designated Additional Revolving Loan Commitments of the type set forth in clause (i)(A) above, the Revolving Loan Commitment Amount shall be increased by the amount of the additional Revolving Loan Commitments agreed to be so provided, (ii) subject to compliance with the terms of Section 5.2 and such other terms and conditions mutually agreed to among the Borrower, the Administrative Agent, the Syndication Agent and the Lenders providing any such other commitments, Loans of the type requested by the Borrower will be made on the date as agreed among such Persons, (iii) the Percentages of the respective Lenders in respect of the applicable Commitment or type of Loan shall be proportionally adjusted (provided that the Percentage of each Lender shall not be increased without the consent of such Lender), (iv) in the case of Designated Additional Revolving Loan Commitment of the type set forth in clause (i)(A) above at such time and in such manner as the Borrower and the Administrative Agent shall agree

(it being understood that the Borrower and the Agents will use commercially reasonable efforts to avoid the prepayment or assignment of any LIBO Rate Loan on a day other than the last day of the Interest Period applicable thereto), the Lenders shall assign and assume outstanding Revolving Loans and participations in outstanding Letters of Credit so as to cause the amounts of such Revolving Loans and participations in Letters of Credit held by each Lender to conform to the respective Percentages of the Revolving Loan Commitment of the Lenders and (v) the Borrower shall execute and deliver any additional Notes or other amendments or modifications to this Agreement or any other Loan Document as the Administrative Agent may reasonably request. Any fees payable in respect of any commitment provided for in this <u>Section 2.1.6</u> shall be as agreed to by the Borrower and the Administrative Agent. Any designation of a commitment hereunder (i) shall be irrevocable, (ii) shall reduce the amount of commitments that may be requested under this <u>Section 2.1.6</u> pro tanto and (iii) shall be in a minimum principal amount of \$5,000,000 and integral multiples of \$1,000,000.

SECTION 2.2. <u>Reduction of the Commitment Amounts</u>. The Commitment Amounts are subject to reductions from time to time pursuant to this <u>Section 2.2</u>.

SECTION 2.2.1. <u>Optional</u>. The Borrower may, from time to time on any Business Day occurring after the time of the initial Credit Extension hereunder, voluntarily reduce the Swing Line Loan Commitment Amount, the Letter of Credit Commitment Amount or the Revolving Loan Commitment Amount; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that all such reductions shall require at least three Business Days' prior notice to the Administrative Agent and be permanent, and any partial reduction of any Commitment Amount shall be in a minimum amount of \$1,000,000 and in an integral multiple of \$100,000. Any reduction of the Revolving Loan Commitment Amount which reduces the Revolving Loan Commitment Amount below the sum of (i) the Swing Line Loan Commitment Amount and (ii) the Letter of Credit Commitment Amount shall result in an automatic and corresponding reduction of the Swing Line Loan Commitment Amount and/or Letter of Credit Commitment Amount (as directed by the Borrower in a notice to the Administrative Agent delivered together with the notice of such voluntary reduction in the Revolving Loan Commitment Amount) to an aggregate amount not in excess of the Revolving Loan Commitment Amount, as so reduced, without any further action on the part of the Swing Line Lender or the Issuer.

SECTION 2.2.2. <u>Mandatory</u>. Following the prepayment in full of the Term Loans, the Revolving Loan Commitment Amount shall, without any further action, automatically and permanently be reduced on the date the Term Loans would otherwise have been required to be prepaid with any Net Disposition Proceeds, in an amount equal to the amount by which the Term Loans would otherwise be required to be prepaid if Term Loans had been outstanding. Any reduction of the Revolving Loan Commitment Amount which reduces the Revolving Loan Commitment Amount below the sum of (i) the Swing Line Loan Commitment Amount and (ii) the Letter of Credit Commitment Amount shall result in an automatic and corresponding reduction of the Swing Line Loan Commitment Amount and/or Letter of Credit Commitment Amount (as directed by the Borrower in a notice to the Administrative Agent) to an aggregate amount not in excess of the Revolving Loan Commitment Amount, as so reduced, without any further action on the part of the Swing Line Lender or the Issuer.

SECTION 2.3. <u>Borrowing Procedures and Funding Maintenance</u>. Loans shall be made by the Lenders in accordance with this Section.

SECTION 2.3.1. <u>Term Loans and Revolving Loans</u>. By delivering a Borrowing Request to the Administrative Agent on or before 12:00 noon, New York time, on a Business Day, the Borrower may from time to time irrevocably request, on not less than one (in the case of Base Rate Loans) and three (in the case of LIBO Rate Loans) nor more than (in each case) five Business Days' notice, that a Borrowing be made, in the case of LIBO Rate Loans, in a minimum amount of \$2,000,000, and an integral multiple of \$500,000, and in the case of Base Rate Loans, in a minimum amount of \$2,000,000, and an integral multiple of \$500,000, and in the case of Base Rate Loans, in a minimum amount of \$500,000 and an integral multiple thereof or, in either case, in the unused amount of the applicable Commitment. On the terms and subject to the conditions of this Agreement, each Borrowing shall be comprised of the type of Loans, and shall be made on the Business Day, specified in such Borrowing Request. On or before 11:00 a.m., New York time, on such Business Day each Lender shall deposit with the Administrative Agent same day funds in an amount equal to such Lender's Percentage of the requested Borrowing. Such deposit will be made to an account which the Administrative Agent shall specify from time to time by notice to the Lenders. To the extent funds are received from the Lenders, the Administrative Agent shall make such funds available to the Borrower by wire transfer to the accounts the Borrower shall have specified in its Borrowing Request. No Lender's obligation to make any Loan shall be affected by any other Lender's failure to make any Loan.

## SECTION 2.3.2. Swing Line Loans.

(a) By telephonic notice, promptly followed (within three Business Days) by the delivery of a confirming Borrowing Request, to the Swing Line Lender on or before 11:00 a.m., New York time, on a Business Day, the Borrower may from time to time irrevocably request that Swing Line Loans be made by the Swing Line Lender in an aggregate minimum principal amount of \$200,000 and an integral multiple of \$100,000. Each request by the Borrower for a Swing Line Loan shall constitute a representation and warranty by the Borrower that on the date of such request and (if different) the date of the making of the Swing Line Loan, both immediately before and after giving effect to such Swing Line Loan and the application of the proceeds thereof, the statements made in <u>Section 5.2.1</u> are true and correct. All Swing Line Loan shall be made as Base Rate Loans and shall not be entitled to be converted into LIBO Rate Loans. The proceeds of each Swing Line Loan shall be made available by the Swing Line Lender, by its close of business on the Business Day telephonic notice is received by it as provided in the preceding sentences, to the Borrower by wire transfer to the accounts the Borrower shall have specified in its notice therefor.

(b) If (i) any Swing Line Loan shall be outstanding for more than four full Business Days or (ii) after giving effect to any request for a Swing Line Loan or a Revolving Loan the aggregate principal amount of Revolving Loans and Swing Line Loans outstanding to the Swing Line Lender, together with the Swing Line Lender's Percentage of all Letter of Credit Outstandings, would exceed the Swing Line Lender's Percentage of the Revolving Loan Commitment Amount, the Swing Line Lender, at any time in its sole and absolute discretion may request each Lender that has a Revolving Loan Commitment, and each such Lender, including the Swing Line Lender hereby

agrees, to make a Revolving Loan (which shall always be initially funded as a Base Rate Loan) in an amount equal to such Lender's Percentage of the amount of the Swing Line Loans ("Refunded Swing Line Loans") outstanding on the date such notice is given. On or before 11:00 a.m. (New York time) on the first Business Day following receipt by each Lender of a request to make Revolving Loans as provided in the preceding sentence, each such Lender (other than the Swing Line Lender) shall deposit in an account specified by the Administrative Agent to the Lenders from time to time the amount so requested in same day funds, whereupon such funds shall be immediately delivered to the Swing Line Lender (and not the Borrower) and applied to repay the Refunded Swing Line Loans. On the day such Revolving Loans are made, the Swing Line Lender's Percentage of the Refunded Swing Line Loans shall be deemed to be paid. Upon the making of any Revolving Loan pursuant to this clause, the amount so funded shall become due under such Lender's Revolving Note and shall no longer be owed under the Swing Line Note. Each Lender's obligation to make the Revolving Loans referred to in this clause shall be absolute and unconditional and shall not be affected by any circumstance, including, (i) any setoff, counterclaim, recoupment, defense or other right which such Lender may have against the Swing Line Lender, the Borrower or any other Person for any reason whatsoever; (ii) the occurrence or continuance of any Default; (iii) any adverse change in the condition (financial or otherwise) of the Borrower or any other Obligor, subsequent to the date of the making of a Swing Line Loan; (iv) the acceleration or maturity of any Loans or the termination of the Revolving Loan Commitment after the making of any Swing Line Loan; (v) any breach of this Agreement by the Borrower, any other Obligor or any other Lender; or (vi) any other circumstance, happening or event whatsoever, whether or not similar to any of the foregoing.

(c) In the event that (i) the Borrower or any Subsidiary is subject to any bankruptcy or insolvency proceedings as provided in <u>Section 9.1.9</u> or (ii) the Swing Line Lender otherwise requests, each Lender with a Revolving Loan Commitment shall acquire without recourse or warranty an undivided participation interest equal to such Lender's Percentage of any Swing Line Loan otherwise required to be repaid by such Lender pursuant to the preceding clause by paying to the Swing Line Loan pursuant to the preceding clause, in same day funds, an amount equal to such Lender's Percentage of such Swing Line Loan, and no Revolving Loans shall be made by such Lender pursuant to the preceding clause. From and after the date on which any Lender purchases an undivided participation interest in a Swing Line Loan pursuant to this clause, the Swing Line Lender shall distribute to such Lender's participation interest is outstanding and funded) its ratable amount of all payments of principal and interest in respect of such Swing Line Loan in like funds as received; provided , however, that in the event such payment received by the Swing Line Lender is required to be returned to the Swing Line Lender the portion of any amounts which such Lender had received from the Swing Line Lender in like funds.

(d) Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, the Swing Line Lender shall not be obligated to make any Swing Line Loans if it has elected after the occurrence

of a Default not to make Swing Line Loans and has notified the Borrower in writing or by telephone of such election. The Swing Line Lender shall promptly give notice to the Lenders of such election not to make Swing Line Loans.

SECTION 2.4. <u>Continuation and Conversion Elections</u>. By delivering a Continuation/Conversion Notice to the Administrative Agent on or before 12:00 noon, New York time, on a Business Day, the Borrower may from time to time irrevocably elect, on not less than one (in the case of a conversion of LIBO Rate Loans to Base Rate Loans) and three (in the case of a continuation of LIBO Rate Loans or a conversion of Base Rate Loans into LIBO Rate Loans) nor more than (in each case) five Business Days' notice that all, or any portion in an aggregate minimum amount of \$2,000,000 and an integral multiple of \$500,000, in the case of the continuation of, or conversion into, LIBO Rate Loans, or an aggregate minimum amount of \$500,000 and an integral multiple thereof, in the case of the conversion into Base Rate Loans (other than Swing Line Loans as provided in <u>clause (a)</u> of <u>Section 2.3.2</u>) be, in the case of Base Rate Loans, converted into LIBO Rate Loans or, in the case of LIBO Rate Loans, be converted into a Base Rate Loan or continued as a LIBO Rate Loan (in the absence of delivery of a Continuation/Conversion Notice with respect to any LIBO Rate Loan at least three Business Days before the last day of the then current Interest Period with respect thereto, such LIBO Rate Loan shall, on such last day, automatically convert to a Base Rate Loan); <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that (x) each such conversion or continuation shall be pro rated among the applicable outstanding Loans of the relevant Lenders, and (y) no portion of the outstanding principal amount of any Loans may be continued as, or be converted into, LIBO Rate Loans when any Default has occurred and is continuing.

SECTION 2.5. <u>Funding</u>. Each Lender may, if it so elects, fulfill its obligation to make, continue or convert LIBO Rate Loans hereunder by causing one of its foreign branches or Affiliates (or an international banking facility created by such Lender) to make or maintain such LIBO Rate Loan, so long as such action does not result in increased costs to the Borrower; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that such LIBO Rate Loan shall nonetheless be deemed to have been made and to be held by such Lender, and the obligation of the Borrower to repay such LIBO Rate Loan shall nevertheless be to such Lender for the account of such foreign branch, Affiliate or international banking facility; and <u>provided</u> <u>further</u>, <u>however</u>, that such Lender shall cause such foreign branch, Affiliate or international banking facility to comply with the applicable provisions of <u>clause (b)</u> of <u>Section 4.6</u> with respect to such LIBO Rate Loan. In addition, the Borrower hereby consents and agrees that, for purposes of any determination to be made for purposes of <u>Sections 4.1</u>, <u>4.2</u>, <u>4.3</u> or <u>4.4</u>, it shall be conclusively assumed that each Lender elected to fund all LIBO Rate Loans by purchasing U.S. Dollar deposits in its LIBOR Office's interbank eurodollar market.

SECTION 2.6. <u>Issuance Procedures</u>. By delivering to the Administrative Agent an Issuance Request on or before 12:00 noon, New York time, on a Business Day, the Borrower may, from time to time irrevocably request, on not less than three nor more than ten Business Days' notice (or such shorter notice as may be acceptable to the Issuer), in the case of an initial issuance of a Letter of Credit, and not less than three nor more than ten Business Days' notice (unless a shorter notice period is acceptable to the Issuer) prior to the then existing Stated Expiry Date of a Letter of Credit, in the case of a request for the extension of the Stated Expiry Date of a Letter of Credit, that the Issuer issue, or extend the Stated Expiry Date of, as the case may be, an

irrevocable Letter of Credit for the Borrower's account or for the account of any wholly-owned U.S. Subsidiary of the Borrower that is a party to the Subsidiary Guaranty and the WWI Security Agreement and whose outstanding Capital Securities is pledged to the Administrative Agent for the benefit of the Lenders pursuant to the WWI Pledge Agreement, in such form as may be requested by the Borrower and approved by the Issuer, solely for the purposes described in <u>Section 7.1.9</u>. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained herein or in any separate application for any Letter of Credit, the Borrower hereby acknowledges and agrees that it shall be obligated to reimburse the Issuer upon each Disbursement of a Letter of Credit, and it shall be deemed to be the obligor for purposes of each such Letter of Credit issued hereunder (whether the account party on such Letter of Credit is the Borrower or a Subsidiary of the Borrower). Upon receipt of an Issuance Request, the Administrative Agent shall promptly notify the Issuer and each Lender thereof. Each Letter of Credit shall by its terms be stated to expire on a date (its "<u>Stated Expiry Date</u>") no later than the earlier to occur of (i) the Revolving Loan Commitment Termination Date or (ii) one year from the date of its issuance. The Issuer will make available to the beneficiary thereof the original of each Letter of Credit which it issues hereunder.

SECTION 2.6.1. Other Lenders' Participation. Upon the issuance of each Letter of Credit issued by the Issuer pursuant hereto (or the continuation of an Existing Letter of Credit hereunder), and without further action, each Lender (other than the Issuer) that has a Revolving Loan Commitment shall be deemed to have irrevocably purchased from the Issuer, to the extent of its Percentage to make Revolving Loans, and the Issuer shall be deemed to have irrevocably granted and sold to such Lender a participation interest in such Letter of Credit (including the Contingent Liability and any Reimbursement Obligation and all rights with respect thereto), and such Lender shall, to the extent of its Revolving Loan Commitment Percentage, be responsible for reimbursing promptly (and in any event within one Business Day) the Issuer for Reimbursement Obligations which have not been reimbursed by the Borrower in accordance with Section 2.6.3. In addition, such Lender shall, to the extent of its Percentage to make Revolving Loans, be entitled to receive a ratable portion of the Letter of Credit fees payable pursuant to Section 3.3.3 with respect to each Letter of Credit and of interest payable pursuant to Section 3.2 with respect to any Reimbursement Obligation. To the extent that any Lender has reimbursed the Issuer for a Disbursement as required by this Section, such Lender shall be entitled to receive its ratable portion of any amounts subsequently received (from the Borrower or otherwise) in respect of such Disbursement.

SECTION 2.6.2. <u>Disbursements; Conversion to Revolving Loans</u>. The Issuer will notify the Borrower and the Administrative Agent promptly of the presentment for payment of any Letter of Credit issued by the Issuer, together with notice of the date (the "<u>Disbursement Date</u>") such payment shall be made (each such payment, a "<u>Disbursement</u>"). Subject to the terms and provisions of such Letter of Credit and this Agreement, the Issuer shall make such payment to the beneficiary (or its designee) of such Letter of Credit. Prior to 12:00 noon, New York time, on the first Business Day following the Disbursement Date (the "<u>Disbursement Due Date</u>"), the Borrower will reimburse the Administrative Agent, for the account of the Issuer, for all amounts which the Issuer has disbursed under such Letter of Credit, together with interest thereon at the rate per annum otherwise applicable to Revolving Loans (made as Base Rate Loans) from and including the Disbursement Due Date and, thereafter (unless such Disbursement is converted into a Base Rate Loan on the Disbursement Due Date), at a rate per annum equal to the rate per annum then in effect with respect to overdue Revolving

Loans (made as Base Rate Loans) pursuant to <u>Section 3.2.2</u> for the period from the Disbursement Due Date through the date of such reimbursement; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that, if no Default shall have then occurred and be continuing, unless the Borrower has notified the Administrative Agent no later than one Business Day prior to the Disbursement Due Date that it will reimburse the Issuer for the applicable Disbursement, then the amount of the Disbursement shall be deemed to be a Revolving Loan constituting a Base Rate Loan and following the giving of notice thereof by the Administrative Agent to the Lenders, each Lender with a commitment to make Revolving Loans (other than the Issuer) will deliver to the Issuer on the Disbursement Due Date immediately available funds in an amount equal to such Lender's Percentage of such Revolving Loan. Each conversion of Disbursement amounts into Revolving Loans shall constitute a representation and warranty by the Borrower that on the date of the making of such Revolving Loan all of the statements set forth in <u>Section 5.2.1</u> are true and correct.

SECTION 2.6.3. <u>Reimbursement</u>. The obligation (a "<u>Reimbursement Obligation</u>") of the Borrower under <u>Section 2.6.2</u> to reimburse the Issuer with respect to each Disbursement (including interest thereon) not converted into a Base Rate Loan pursuant to <u>Section 2.6.2</u>, and, upon the failure of the Borrower to reimburse the Issuer and the giving of notice thereof by the Administrative Agent to the Lenders, each Lender's (to the extent it has a Revolving Loan Commitment) obligation under <u>Section 2.6.1</u> to reimburse the Issuer or fund its Percentage of any Disbursement converted into a Base Rate Loan, shall be absolute and unconditional under any and all circumstances and irrespective of any setoff, counterclaim or defense to payment which the Borrower or such Lender, as the case may be, may have or have had against the Issuer or any such Lender, including any defense based upon the failure of any Disbursement to conform to the terms of the applicable Letter of Credit (if, in the Issuer's good faith opinion, such Disbursement is determined to be appropriate) or any non-application or misapplication by the beneficiary of the proceeds of such Letter of Credit; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that after paying in full its Reimbursement Obligation hereunder, nothing herein shall adversely affect the right of the Borrower or such Lender, as the case may be, to commence any proceeding against the Issuer for any wrongful Disbursement made by the Issuer under a Letter of Credit as a result of acts or omissions constituting gross negligence or willful misconduct on the part of the Issuer.

SECTION 2.6.4. <u>Deemed Disbursements</u>. Upon the occurrence and during the continuation of any Event of Default of the type described in <u>Section 9.1.9</u> or, with notice from the Administrative Agent acting at the direction of the Required Lenders, upon the occurrence and during the continuation of any other Event of Default,

(a) an amount equal to that portion of all Letter of Credit Outstandings attributable to the then aggregate amount which is undrawn and available under all Letters of Credit issued and outstanding shall, without demand upon or notice to the Borrower or any other Person, be deemed to have been paid or disbursed by the Issuer under such Letters of Credit (notwithstanding that such amount may not in fact have been so paid or disbursed); and

(b) upon notification by the Administrative Agent to the Borrower of its obligations under this Section, the Borrower shall be immediately obligated to reimburse the Issuer for the amount deemed to have been so paid or disbursed by the Issuer.

Any amounts so payable by the Borrower pursuant to this Section shall be deposited in cash with the Administrative Agent and held as collateral security for the Obligations in connection with the Letters of Credit issued by the Issuer. At such time when the Events of Default giving rise to the deemed disbursements hereunder shall have been cured or waived, the Administrative Agent shall return to the Borrower all amounts then on deposit with the Administrative Agent pursuant to this Section, together with accrued interest at the Federal Funds Rate, which have not been applied to the satisfaction of such Obligations.

SECTION 2.6.5. <u>Nature of Reimbursement Obligations</u>. The Borrower and, to the extent set forth in <u>Section 2.6.1</u>, each Lender with a Revolving Loan Commitment, shall assume all risks of the acts, omissions or misuse of any Letter of Credit by the beneficiary thereof. The Issuer (except to the extent of its own gross negligence or willful misconduct) shall not be responsible for:

(a) the form, validity, sufficiency, accuracy, genuineness or legal effect of any Letter of Credit or any document submitted by any party in connection with the application for and issuance of a Letter of Credit, even if it should in fact prove to be in any or all respects invalid, insufficient, inaccurate, fraudulent or forged;

(b) the form, validity, sufficiency, accuracy, genuineness or legal effect of any instrument transferring or assigning or purporting to transfer or assign a Letter of Credit or the rights or benefits thereunder or the proceeds thereof in whole or in part, which may prove to be invalid or ineffective for any reason;

(c) failure of the beneficiary to comply fully with conditions required in order to demand payment under a Letter of Credit;

(d) errors, omissions, interruptions or delays in transmission or delivery of any messages, by mail, cable, telegraph, telex or otherwise; or

(e) any loss or delay in the transmission or otherwise of any document or draft required in order to make a Disbursement under a Letter of Credit.

None of the foregoing shall affect, impair or prevent the vesting of any of the rights or powers granted to the Issuer or any Lender with a Revolving Loan Commitment hereunder. In furtherance and extension and not in limitation or derogation of any of the foregoing, any action taken or omitted to be taken by the Issuer in good faith (and not constituting gross negligence or willful misconduct) shall be binding upon the Borrower, each Obligor and each such Lender, and shall not put the Issuer under any resulting liability to the Borrower, any Obligor or any such Lender, as the case may be.

SECTION 2.7. <u>Notes</u>. Each Lender's Loans under a Commitment for a Loan shall be evidenced, if such Lender shall request, by a Note payable to the order of such Lender in a maximum principal amount equal to such Lender's Percentage of the original applicable Commitment Amount. All Swing Line Loans made by the Swing Line Lender shall be evidenced by a Swing Line Note payable to the order of the Swing Line Lender in a maximum principal amount equal to the Swing Line Loan Commitment Amount. The Borrower hereby irrevocably authorizes each Lender to make (or cause to be made) appropriate notations on the

grid attached to such Lender's Notes (or on any continuation of such grid), which notations, if made, shall evidence, <u>inter alia</u>, the date of, the outstanding principal of, and the interest rate and Interest Period applicable to the Loans evidenced thereby. Such notations shall be conclusive and binding on the Borrower absent manifest error; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that the failure of any Lender to make any such notations shall not limit or otherwise affect any Obligations of the Borrower or any other Obligor.

SECTION 2.8. <u>Registered Notes</u>. (a) Any Non-U.S. Lender that could become completely exempt from withholding of any taxes in respect of payment of any interest due to such Non-U.S. Lender under this Agreement if the Notes held by such Lender were in registered form for U.S. Federal income tax purposes may request the Borrower (through the Administrative Agent), and the Borrower agrees (i) to exchange for any Notes held by such Lender, or (ii) to issue to such Lender on the date it becomes a Lender, promissory notes(s) registered as provided in <u>clause (b)</u> of this <u>Section 2.8</u> (each a Registered Note). Registered Notes may not be exchanged for Notes that are not Registered Notes.

(b) The Administrative Agent shall enter, in the Register, the name of the registered owner of the Non-U.S. Lender Obligation(s) evidenced by a Registered Note.

(c) The Register shall be available for inspection by the Borrower and any Lender at any reasonable time upon reasonable prior notice.

## ARTICLE III

### REPAYMENTS, PREPAYMENTS, INTEREST AND FEES

SECTION 3.1. Repayments and Prepayments; Application .

SECTION 3.1.1. <u>Repayments and Prepayments</u>. The Borrower shall repay in full the unpaid principal amount of each Loan, as applicable, upon the Stated Maturity Date therefor. Prior thereto,

(a) the Borrower may, from time to time on any Business Day, make a voluntary prepayment, in whole or in part, of the outstanding principal amount of any

### (i) Loan (other than Swing Line Loans), provided, however, that

(A) any such prepayment of the Term Loans and Designated New Term Loans shall be made <u>pro rata</u> among such Term Loans and Designated New Term Loans of the same type and if applicable, having the same Interest Period as all Lenders that have made such Term Loans or Designated New Term Loans, and any such prepayment of Revolving Loans shall be made <u>pro rata</u> among the Revolving Loans of the same type and, if applicable, having the same Interest Period as all Lenders that have made such Revolving Loans;

(B) the Borrower shall comply with <u>Section 4.4</u> in the event that any LIBO Rate Loan is prepaid on any day other than the last day of the Interest Period for such Loan;

(C) all such voluntary prepayments shall require at least three but no more than five Business Days' prior written notice to the Administrative Agent; and

(D) all such voluntary partial prepayments shall be, in the case of LIBO Rate Loans, in an aggregate minimum amount of \$2,000,000 and an integral multiple of \$500,000 and, in the case of Base Rate Loans, in an aggregate minimum amount of \$500,000 and an integral multiple thereof; or

(ii) Swing Line Loans, <u>provided</u> that all such voluntary prepayments shall require prior telephonic notice to the Swing Line Lender on or before 1:00 p.m., New York time, on the day of such prepayment (such notice to be confirmed in writing within 24 hours thereafter);

the Borrower shall no later than one Business Day following the receipt by the Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries (b) of any Net Disposition Proceeds, deliver to the Administrative Agent a calculation of the amount of such Net Disposition Proceeds and, subject to the following proviso, make a mandatory prepayment of the Term Loans in an amount equal to 100% of such Net Disposition Proceeds, to be applied as set forth in Section 3.1.2; provided, however, that, at the option of the Borrower and so long as no Default shall have occurred and be continuing, the Borrower may use or cause the appropriate Subsidiary to use the Net Disposition Proceeds to purchase assets useful in the business of the Borrower and its Subsidiaries or to purchase a majority controlling interest in a Person owning such assets or to increase any such controlling interest already maintained by it; provided, that if such Net Disposition Proceeds arise from or are related to a Disposition of assets of a Guarantor then any such reinvestment must either be made by or in a Guarantor or a Person which upon the making of such reinvestment becomes a Guarantor (with such assets or interests collectively referred to as "Qualified Assets"), in each case, within 365 days after the consummation (and with the Net Disposition Proceeds) of such Disposition, and in the event the Borrower elects to exercise its right to purchase Qualified Assets with the Net Disposition Proceeds pursuant to this clause, the Borrower shall deliver a certificate of an Authorized Officer of the Borrower to the Administrative Agent within 30 days following the receipt of Net Disposition Proceeds setting forth the amount of the Net Disposition Proceeds which the Borrower expects to use to purchase Qualified Assets during such 365 day period; provided further, that the Borrower and its Subsidiaries shall only be permitted to reinvest Net Disposition Proceeds in Qualified Assets to the extent permitted by Section 7.2.5 over the term of this Agreement. If and to the extent that the Borrower has elected to reinvest Net Disposition Proceeds as permitted above, then on the date which is 365 days (in the case of clause (b)(i) below) and 370 days (in the case of <u>clause (b)(ii)</u> below) after the relevant Disposition, the Borrower shall (i) deliver a certificate of an Authorized Officer of the Borrower to the Administrative Agent certifying as to the amount and use of such Net

Disposition Proceeds actually used to purchase Qualified Assets and (ii) deliver to the Administrative Agent, for application in accordance with this clause and <u>Section 3.1.2</u>, an amount equal to the remaining unused Net Disposition Proceeds;

(c) the Borrower shall, on each date when any reduction in the Revolving Loan Commitment Amount shall become effective, including pursuant to <u>Section 2.2</u>, make a mandatory prepayment of Revolving Loans and (if necessary) Swing Line Loans, and (if necessary) deposit with the Administrative Agent cash collateral for Letter of Credit Outstandings) in an aggregate amount equal to the excess, if any, of the aggregate outstanding principal amount of all Revolving Loans, Swing Line Loans and Letters of Credit Outstanding over the Revolving Loan Commitment Amount as so reduced;

(d) the Borrower shall, on the Stated Maturity Date and on each Quarterly Payment Date occurring on or during any period set forth below, make a scheduled repayment of the aggregate outstanding principal amount, if any, of all Term A Loans in an amount equal to the amount set forth below opposite the Stated Maturity Date or such Quarterly Payment Date (as such amounts may have otherwise been reduced pursuant to this Agreement), as applicable:

01/01/07 through (and including)	
12/31/07	\$ 4,375,000.00
01/01/08 through (and including)	
12/31/08	\$ 8,750,000.00
01/01/09 through (and including)	
12/31/09	\$ 13,125,000.00
01/01/10 through (and including)	
12/31/10	\$ 17,500,000.00
1/01/11 through (and including)	
Stated Maturity Date for Term A Loans	\$ 87,500,000.00;

<u>provided</u>, <u>that</u> each remaining amortization amount of Term A Loans occurring after the date of the making of a Designated Additional Term A Loan will be increased <u>pro rata</u> by the aggregate principal amount of any Designated Additional Term A Loan based on the percentage of the original principal amount of Term A Loans payable on such Quarterly Payment Date with any excess due and payable on the Stated Maturity Date for Term A Loans.

(e) the Borrower shall, immediately upon any acceleration of the Stated Maturity Date of any Loans or Obligations pursuant to Section 9.2 or Section 9.3, repay all Loans and provide the Administrative Agent with cash collateral in an amount equal to the Letter of Credit Outstandings, unless, pursuant to Section 9.3, only a portion of all Loans and Obligations are so accelerated (in which case the portion so accelerated shall be so prepaid or cash collateralized with the Administrative Agent); and

(f) the Borrower shall pay the principal amount of the Designated New Term Loans at such times and in such amounts as determined pursuant to <u>Section 2.1.6</u>.

Each prepayment of any Loans made pursuant to this Section shall be without premium or penalty, except as may be required by <u>Section 4.4</u>. No prepayment of principal of any Revolving Loans or Swing Line Loans pursuant to <u>clause (a)</u> of <u>Section 3.1.1</u> shall cause a reduction in the Revolving Loan Commitment Amount or the Swing Line Loan Commitment Amount, as the case may be.

SECTION 3.1.2. Application .

(a) Subject to <u>clause (b)</u>, each prepayment or repayment of the principal of the Loans shall be applied, to the extent of such prepayment or repayment, <u>first</u>, to the principal amount thereof being maintained as Base Rate Loans or bearing interest with reference to the Base Rate, as the case may be, and <u>second</u>, to the principal amount thereof being maintained as LIBO Rate Loans or bearing interest with reference to the LIBO Rate, as the case may be.

(b) Each voluntary prepayment of Term Loans shall be applied at the direction of the Borrower until all such Term Loans have been paid in full.

(c) Each prepayment of Term Loans made pursuant to <u>clause (b)</u> of <u>Section 3.1.1</u> shall be applied <u>pro rata</u> to a mandatory prepayment of the outstanding principal amount of all Term Loans (with the amount of such prepayment of the Term Loans being applied to the remaining Term Loan amortization payments, as the case may be, required pursuant to <u>clauses (d)</u> and (g) of <u>Section 3.1.1</u>, in each case <u>pro rata</u> in accordance with the amount of each such remaining amortization payment), until all such Term Loans have been paid in full.

SECTION 3.2. <u>Interest Provisions</u>. Interest on the outstanding principal amount of Loans shall accrue and be payable in accordance with this <u>Section 3.2</u>.

SECTION 3.2.1. <u>Rates</u>. Pursuant to an appropriately delivered Borrowing Request or Continuation/Conversion Notice, the Borrower may elect that Loans comprising a Borrowing accrue interest at a rate per annum:

(a) on that portion maintained from time to time as a Base Rate Loan, equal to the sum of the Alternate Base Rate from time to time in effect plus the Applicable Margin for such Loans; and

(b) on that portion maintained as a LIBO Rate Loan, during each Interest Period applicable thereto, equal to the sum of the LIBO Rate (Reserve Adjusted) for such Interest Period plus the Applicable Margin for such Loans.

All LIBO Rate Loans shall bear interest from and including the first day of the applicable Interest Period to (but not including) the last day of such Interest Period at the interest rate determined as applicable to such LIBO Rate Loan.

SECTION 3.2.2. <u>Post-Maturity Rates</u>. After the date any principal amount of any Loan shall have become due and payable (whether on the Stated Maturity Date, upon acceleration or otherwise), or any other monetary Obligation (other than overdue Reimbursement Obligations which shall bear interest as provided in <u>Section 2.6.2</u>) of the Borrower shall have become due and payable, the Borrower shall pay, but only to the extent permitted by law, interest (after as well as before judgment) on such amounts at a rate per annum equal to:

(a) in the case of any overdue principal amount of Loans, overdue interest thereon, overdue commitment fees or other overdue amounts owing in respect of Loans or other obligations (or the related Commitments) under a particular Tranche, the rate that would otherwise be applicable to Base Rate Loans under such Tranche pursuant to Section 3.2.1 plus 2%; and

(b) in the case of overdue monetary Obligations (other than as described in <u>clause (a)</u>), the Alternate Base Rate plus 4%.

SECTION 3.2.3. Payment Dates. Interest accrued on each Loan shall be payable, without duplication:

- (a) on the Stated Maturity Date therefor;
- (b) on the date of any payment or prepayment, in whole or in part, of principal outstanding on such Loan;

(c) with respect to Base Rate Loans, in arrears on each Quarterly Payment Date occurring after the date of the initial Borrowing hereunder;

(d) with respect to LIBO Rate Loans, the last day of each applicable Interest Period (and, if such Interest Period shall exceed three months, on the third month anniversary of such Interest Period);

(e) with respect to any Base Rate Loans converted into LIBO Rate Loans on a day when interest would not otherwise have been payable pursuant to <u>clause (c)</u>, on the date of such conversion; and

(f) on that portion of any Loans the Stated Maturity Date of which is accelerated pursuant to <u>Section 9.2</u> or <u>Section</u> <u>9.3</u>, immediately upon such acceleration.

Interest accrued on Loans, Reimbursement Obligations or other monetary Obligations arising under this Agreement or any other Loan Document after the date such amount is due and payable (whether on the Stated Maturity Date, upon acceleration or otherwise) shall be payable upon demand.

SECTION 3.3. Fees. The Borrower agrees to pay the fees set forth in this Section 3.3. All such fees shall be non-refundable.

SECTION 3.3.1. <u>Commitment Fee</u>. The Borrower agrees to pay to the Administrative Agent for the account of each Lender that has a Revolving Loan Commitment, for the period



(including any portion thereof when any of the Lender's Commitments are suspended by reason of the Borrower's inability to satisfy any condition of <u>Article V</u>) commencing on the Effective Date and continuing through the Revolving Loan Commitment Termination Date, a commitment fee at a rate per annum equal to the Applicable Commitment Fee Margin, in each case on such Lender's Percentage of the sum of the average daily unused portion of the applicable Revolving Loan Commitment Amount (net of Letter of Credit Outstandings). The commitment fees shall be payable by the Borrower in arrears on each Quarterly Payment Date, and on the Revolving Loan Commitment Termination Date. The making of Swing Line Loans by the Swing Line Lender shall constitute the usage of the Revolving Loan Commitment with respect to the Swing Line Lender only and the commitment fees to be paid by the Borrower to the Lenders (other than the Swing Line Lender) shall be calculated and paid accordingly.

SECTION 3.3.2. Fees. The Borrower agrees to pay to the applicable Person, for its own account, the non-refundable fees in the amounts and on the dates set forth in the applicable Fee Letter.

SECTION 3.3.3. Letter of Credit Fee. The Borrower agrees to pay to the Administrative Agent, for the <u>pro rata</u> account of the Issuer and each other Lender that has a Revolving Loan Commitment, a Letter of Credit fee in an amount equal to the Applicable Margin per annum for Revolving Loans that are maintained as LIBO Rate Loans, multiplied by the aggregate Stated Amount of all outstanding Letters of Credit, such fees being payable quarterly in arrears on each Quarterly Payment Date. The Borrower further agrees to pay to the Issuer for its own account an issuance fee in an amount as agreed to by the Borrower and the Issuer.

## ARTICLE IV

## CERTAIN LIBO RATE AND OTHER PROVISIONS

SECTION 4.1. <u>LIBO Rate Lending Unlawful</u>. If any Lender shall determine (which determination shall, upon notice thereof to the Borrower and the Lenders, be conclusive and binding on the Borrower) that the introduction of or any change in or in the interpretation of any law makes it unlawful, or any central bank or other governmental authority asserts that it is unlawful, for such Lender to make, continue or maintain any Loan as, or to convert any Loan into, a LIBO Rate Loan, the obligations of such Lender to make, continue, maintain or convert any Loans as LIBO Rate Loans shall, upon such determination, forthwith be suspended until such Lender shall notify the Administrative Agent that the circumstances causing such suspension no longer exist (with the date of such notice being the "Reinstatement Date"), and (i) all LIBO Rate Loans previously made by such Lender shall automatically convert into Base Rate Loans at the end of the then current Interest Periods with respect thereto or sooner, if required by such law or assertion and (ii) all Loans thereafter made by such Lender and outstanding prior to the Reinstatement Date shall be made as Base Rate Loans, with interest thereon being payable on the same date that interest is payable with respect to corresponding Borrowing of LIBO Rate Loans made by Lenders not so affected.

SECTION 4.2. Deposits Unavailable. If the Administrative Agent shall have determined that

(a) U.S. Dollar deposits in the relevant amount and for the relevant Interest Period are not available to the Administrative Agent in its relevant market; or

(b) by reason of circumstances affecting the Administrative Agent's relevant market, adequate means do not exist for ascertaining the interest rate applicable hereunder to LIBO Rate Loans,

then, upon notice from the Administrative Agent to the Borrower and the Lenders, the obligations of all Lenders under <u>Section 2.3</u> and <u>Section 2.4</u> to make or continue any Loans as, or to convert any Loans into, LIBO Rate Loans shall forthwith be suspended until the Administrative Agent shall notify the Borrower and the Lenders that the circumstances causing such suspension no longer exist.

SECTION 4.3. Increased LIBO Rate Loan Costs, etc. The Borrower agrees to reimburse each Lender for any increase in the cost to such Lender of, or any reduction in the amount of any sum receivable by such Lender in respect of, making, continuing or maintaining (or of its obligation to make, continue or maintain) any Loans as, or of converting (or of its obligation to convert) any Loans into, LIBO Rate Loans (excluding any amounts, whether or not constituting taxes, referred to in Section 4.6) arising after the date of any change in, or the introduction, adoption, effectiveness, interpretation, reinterpretation or phase-in of, any law or regulation, directive, guideline, decision or request (whether or not having the force of law) of any court, central bank, regulator or other Governmental Authority that results in such increase in cost or reduction in amounts receivable, except for such changes with respect to increased capital costs and taxes which are governed by Sections 4.5 and 4.6, respectively. Such Lender shall promptly notify the Administrative Agent and the Borrower in writing of the occurrence of any such event, such notice to state, in reasonable detail, the reasons therefor and the additional amount required fully to compensate such Lender for such increased cost or reduced amount. Such additional amounts shall be payable by the Borrower directly to such Lender within five days of its receipt of such notice, and such notice shall, in the absence of manifest error, be conclusive and binding on the Borrower.

SECTION 4.4. <u>Funding Losses</u>. In the event any Lender shall incur any loss or expense (including any loss or expense incurred by reason of the liquidation or reemployment of deposits or other funds acquired by such Lender to make, continue or maintain any portion of the principal amount of any Loan as, or to convert any portion of the principal amount of any Loan into, a LIBO Rate Loan) as a result of

(a) any conversion or repayment or prepayment of the principal amount of any LIBO Rate Loans on a date other than the scheduled last day of the Interest Period applicable thereto, whether pursuant to <u>Section 3.1</u> or otherwise;

(b) any Loans not being made as LIBO Rate Loans in accordance with the Borrowing Request therefor; or

(c) any Loans not being continued as, or converted into, LIBO Rate Loans in accordance with the Continuation/Conversion Notice therefor,

then, upon the written notice of such Lender to the Borrower (with a copy to the Administrative Agent), the Borrower shall, within five days of its receipt thereof, pay directly to such Lender such amount as will (in the reasonable determination of such Lender) reimburse such Lender for such loss or expense. Such written notice (which shall include calculations in reasonable detail) shall, in the absence of manifest error, be conclusive and binding on the Borrower.

SECTION 4.5. Increased Capital Costs. If any change in, or the introduction, adoption, effectiveness, interpretation, reinterpretation or phase-in of, any law or regulation, directive, guideline, decision or request (whether or not having the force of law) of any court, central bank, regulator or other Governmental Authority affects or would affect the amount of capital required or expected to be maintained by any Lender or any Person controlling such Lender, and such Lender determines (in its sole and absolute discretion) that the rate of return on its or such controlling Person's capital as a consequence of its Commitments, participation in Letters of Credit or the Loans made or continued by such Lender is reduced to a level below that which such Lender or such controlling Person could have achieved but for the occurrence of any such circumstance, then, in any such case upon notice from time to time by such Lender to the Borrower, the Borrower shall immediately pay directly to such Lender additional amounts sufficient to compensate such Lender or such controlling Person for such reduction in rate of return. A statement of such Lender as to any such additional amount or amounts (including calculations thereof in reasonable detail) shall, in the absence of manifest error, be conclusive and binding on the Borrower. In determining such amount, such Lender may use any method of averaging and attribution that it (in its sole and absolute discretion) shall deem applicable.

SECTION 4.6. Taxes. The Borrower covenants and agrees as follows with respect to taxes:

(a) Unless required by law, any and all payments made by the Borrower under this Agreement and each other Loan Document shall be made without setoff, counterclaim or other defense, and free and clear of, and without deduction or withholding for or on account of, any taxes. In the event that any taxes are required by law to be deducted or withheld from any payment required to be made by the Borrower to or on behalf of any Secured Party under any Loan Document, then:

(i) subject to <u>clause (f)</u> below, if such taxes are Non-Excluded Taxes, the Borrower shall together with such payment pay an additional amount so that each Secured Party receives free and clear of any Non-Excluded Taxes, the full amount which it would have received if no such deduction or withholding of such Non-Excluded Taxes had been required; and

(ii) the Borrower shall pay to the relevant Governmental Authority imposing such taxes the full amount of the deduction or withholding made by it.

(b) In addition, the Borrower shall pay any and all Other Taxes imposed to the relevant Governmental Authority imposing such Other Taxes in accordance with applicable law.

(c) As promptly as practicable after the payment of any taxes or Other Taxes, and in any event within 45 days of any such payment being due, the Borrower shall furnish to the Administrative Agent a copy of an official receipt (or a certified copy thereof), evidencing the payment of such taxes or Other Taxes. The Administrative Agent shall make copies thereof available to any Lender upon request therefor.

Subject to clause (f) below, the Borrower shall indemnify each Secured Party for any Non-Excluded Taxes and (d) Other Taxes levied, imposed or assessed on (and whether or not paid directly by) such Secured Party that have not been paid previously by the Borrower (whether or not such Non-Excluded Taxes or Other Taxes are correctly or legally asserted by the relevant Governmental Authority). Promptly upon having knowledge that any such Non-Excluded Taxes or Other Taxes have been levied, imposed or assessed, and promptly upon notice thereof by any Secured Party, the Borrower shall pay such Non-Excluded Taxes or Other Taxes directly to the relevant Governmental Authority (provided, however, that no Secured Party shall be under any obligation to provide any such notice to the Borrower). In addition, provided that the Borrower has been notified promptly by a relevant Secured Party which has determined in its sole discretion that a Non-Excluded Tax or Other Tax has been levied, imposed or assessed against such Secured Party, the Borrower shall indemnify each Secured Party for any incremental taxes that may become payable by such Secured Party as a result of any failure of the Borrower to pay any taxes when due to the appropriate Governmental Authority or to deliver to the Administrative Agent, pursuant to clause (c) above, documentation evidencing the payment of taxes or Other Taxes. With respect to indemnification for Non-Excluded Taxes and Other Taxes actually paid by any Secured Party or the indemnification provided in the immediately preceding sentence, such indemnification shall be made within 30 days after the date such Secured Party makes written demand therefor. The Borrower acknowledges that any payment made to any Secured Party or to any Governmental Authority in respect of the indemnification obligations of the Borrower provided in this clause shall constitute a payment in respect of which the provisions of clause (a) above and this clause shall apply.

(e) Each Non-U.S. Lender, on or prior to the date on which such Non-U.S. Lender becomes a Lender hereunder (and from time to time thereafter upon the request of the Borrower or the Administrative Agent, but only for so long as such Non-U.S. Lender is legally entitled to do so), shall deliver to the Borrower and the Administrative Agent either

(i) two duly completed copies of either (x) Internal Revenue Service Form W-8BEN or (y) Internal Revenue Service Form W-8EC1, or in either case an applicable successor form, establishing, in either case, a complete exemption from United States federal withholding taxes; or

(ii) in the case of a Non-U.S. Lender that is not legally entitled to deliver either form listed in <u>clause (e)(i)(x)</u> above, (x) a certificate of a duly authorized officer of such Non-U.S. Lender to the effect that such Non-U.S. Lender is not (A) a "bank" within the meaning of Section 881(c)(3)(A) of the Code, (B) a "10 percent shareholder" of the Borrower within the meaning of

Section 881(c)(3)(B) of the Code, or (C) a controlled foreign corporation receiving interest from a related person within the meaning of Section 881(c)(3)(C) of the Code (such certificate, an "<u>Exemption Certificate</u>") and (y) two duly completed copies of Internal Revenue Service Form W-8 or applicable successor form.

The Borrower shall not be obligated to gross up any payments to any Lender pursuant to clause (a) above, or to (f) indemnify any Lender pursuant to clause (d) above, in respect of United States federal withholding taxes to the extent imposed as a result of (i) the failure of such Lender to deliver to the Borrower the form or forms and/or an Exemption Certificate, as applicable to such Lender, pursuant to clause (e), (ii) such form or forms and/or Exemption Certificate not establishing a complete exemption from U.S. federal withholding tax or the information or certifications made therein by the Lender being untrue or inaccurate on the date delivered in any material respect, or (iii) the Lender designating a successor lending office at which it maintains its Loans which has the effect of causing such Lender to become obligated for tax payments in excess of those in effect immediately prior to such designation; provided, however, that a Borrower shall be obligated to gross up any payments to any such Lender pursuant to clause (a) above, and to indemnify any such Lender pursuant to clause (d) above, in respect of United States federal withholding taxes if (i) any such failure to deliver a form or forms or an Exemption Certificate or the failure of such form or forms or Exemption Certificate to establish a complete exemption from U.S. federal withholding tax or inaccuracy or untruth contained therein resulted from a change in any applicable statute, treaty, regulation or other applicable law or any interpretation of any of the foregoing occurring after the date hereof, which change rendered such Lender no longer legally entitled to deliver such form or forms or Exemption Certificate or otherwise ineligible for a complete exemption from U.S. federal withholding tax, or rendered the information or certifications made in such form or forms or Exemption Certificate untrue or inaccurate in a material respect, (ii) the redesignation of the Lender's lending office was made at the request of the Borrower or (iii) the obligation to gross up payments to any such Lender pursuant to clause (a) above or to indemnify any such Lender pursuant to clause (d) is with respect to an Assignee Lender that becomes an Assignee Lender as a result of an assignment made at the request of the Borrower.

(g) If a Secured Party determines in its sole discretion that it has received a refund in respect of Non-Excluded Taxes that were paid by the Borrower, it shall pay the amount of such refund, together with any other amounts paid by the Borrower in connection with such refunded Non-Excluded Taxes, to the Borrower, net of any out-of-pocket expenses incurred by such Secured Party in obtaining such refund, provided, however, that the Borrower agrees to promptly return the amount of such refund to such Secured Party to the extent that such Secured Party is required to repay such refund to the IRS or any other tax authority. Nothing in this Section shall require any Lender to disclose its tax preparation information.

SECTION 4.7. <u>Payments, Computations, etc.</u> Unless otherwise expressly provided, all payments by or on behalf of the Borrower pursuant to this Agreement, the Notes, each Letter of Credit or any other Loan Document shall be made by the Borrower to the Administrative Agent

for the <u>pro rata</u> account of the Lenders entitled to receive such payment. All such payments required to be made to the Administrative Agent shall be made, without setoff, deduction or counterclaim, not later than 12:00 noon, New York time, on the date due, in same day or immediately available funds, to such account as the Administrative Agent shall specify from time to time by notice to the Borrower. Funds received after that time shall be deemed to have been received by the Administrative Agent on the next succeeding Business Day. The Administrative Agent shall promptly remit in same day funds to each Lender its share, if any, of such payments received by the Administrative Agent for the account of such Lender. All interest and fees shall be computed on the basis of the actual number of days (including the first day but excluding the last day) occurring during the period for which such interest or fee is payable over a year comprised of 360 days (or, in the case of interest on a Base Rate Loan, 365 days or, if appropriate, 366 days). Whenever any payment to be made shall otherwise be due on a day which is not a Business Day, such payment shall (except as otherwise required by <u>clause (c)</u> of the definition of the term "Interest Period") be made on the next succeeding Business Day and such extension of time shall be included in computing interest and fees, if any, in connection with such payment.

SECTION 4.8. Sharing of Payments . If any Lender shall obtain any payment or other recovery (whether voluntary, involuntary, by application of setoff or otherwise) on account of any Loan or Reimbursement Obligation (other than pursuant to the terms of Sections 4.3., 4.4 and 4.5) in excess of its pro rata share of payments then or therewith obtained by all Lenders entitled thereto, such Lender shall purchase from the other Lenders such participation in Credit Extensions made by them as shall be necessary to cause such purchasing Lender to share the excess payment or other recovery ratably with each of them; provided, however, that if all or any portion of the excess payment or other recovery is thereafter recovered from such purchasing Lender, the purchase shall be rescinded and each Lender which has sold a participation to the purchasing Lender the purchase price to the ratable extent of such recovery together with an amount equal to such selling Lender's ratable share (according to the proportion of

(a) the amount of such selling Lender's required repayment to the purchasing Lender

to

(b) the total amount so recovered from the purchasing Lender)

of any interest or other amount paid or payable by the purchasing Lender in respect of the total amount so recovered. The Borrower agrees that any Lender so purchasing a participation from another Lender pursuant to this Section may, to the fullest extent permitted by law, exercise all its rights of payment (including pursuant to <u>Section 4.9</u>) with respect to such participation as fully as if such Lender were the direct creditor of the Borrower in the amount of such participation. If under any applicable bankruptcy, insolvency or other similar law, any Lender receives a secured claim in lieu of a setoff to which this Section applies, such Lender shall, to the extent practicable, exercise its rights in respect of such secured claim in a manner consistent with the rights of the Lenders entitled under this Section to share in the benefits of any recovery on such secured claim. SECTION 4.9. Setoff. Each Lender shall, upon the occurrence of any Default described in <u>clauses (a)</u> through (d) of Section 9.1.9 or, with the consent of the Required Lenders, upon the occurrence of any other Event of Default, have the right to appropriate and apply to the payment of the Obligations owing to it (whether or not then due), and (as security for such Obligations) the Borrower hereby grants to each Lender a continuing security interest in, any and all balances, credits, deposits, accounts or moneys of the Borrower then or thereafter maintained with or otherwise held by such Lender; provided, however, that any such appropriation and application shall be subject to the provisions of <u>Section 4.8</u>. Each Lender agrees promptly to notify the Borrower and the Administrative Agent after any such setoff and application made by such Lender; provided, however, that the failure to give such notice shall not affect the validity of such setoff and application. The rights of each Lender under this Section are in addition to other rights and remedies (including other rights of setoff under applicable law or otherwise) which such Lender may have.

SECTION 4.10. <u>Mitigation</u>. Each Lender agrees that if it makes any demand for payment under <u>Sections 4.3</u>, <u>4.4</u>, <u>4.5</u>, or <u>4.6</u>, or if any adoption or change of the type described in <u>Section 4.1</u> shall occur with respect to it, it will use reasonable efforts (consistent with its internal policy and legal and regulatory restrictions and so long as such efforts would not be disadvantageous to it, as determined in its sole discretion) to designate a different lending office if the making of such a designation would reduce or obviate the need for the Borrower to make payments under <u>Sections 4.3</u>, <u>4.4</u>, <u>4.5</u>, or <u>4.6</u>, or would eliminate or reduce the effect of any adoption or change described in <u>Section 4.1</u>.

SECTION 4.11. Replacement of Lenders. If any Lender (an "Affected Lender") (a) fails to consent to an election, consent, amendment, waiver or other modification to this Agreement or other Loan Document that requires the consent of a greater percentage of the Lenders than the Required Lenders and such election, consent, amendment, waiver or other modification is otherwise consented to by the Required Lenders, (b) makes a demand upon the Borrower for (or if the Borrower is otherwise required to pay) amounts pursuant to Section 4.3, 4.5 or 4.6 (and the payment of such amounts are, and are likely to continue to be, more onerous in the reasonable judgment of the Borrower than with respect to the other Lenders) or (c) gives notice pursuant to Section 4.1 requiring a conversion of such Affected Lender's LIBO Rate Loans to Base Rate Loans or suspending such Lender's obligation to make Loans as, or to convert Loans into, LIBO Rate Loans, the Borrower may, within 30 days of the failure to consent or receipt by the Borrower of such demand or notice, as the case may be, give notice (a "Replacement Notice") in writing to the Administrative Agent and such Affected Lender of its intention to replace such Affected Lender with a financial institution or other Person (a "Substitute Lender") designated in such Replacement Notice; provided that no Replacement Notice may be given by the Borrower if (i) such replacement conflicts with any applicable law or regulation, (ii) if applicable, such Lender consents to such election, consent, amendment, waiver or other modification, or (iii) if applicable, prior to any such replacement, such Lender shall have taken any necessary action under Section 4.10 (if applicable) so as to eliminate the continued need for payment of amounts owing pursuant to Section 4.3, 4.5 or 4.6. If the Administrative Agent (and, in the case of a proposed assignment of a Revolving Loan Commitment, each Issuer and the Swing Line Lender) shall, in the exercise of its reasonable discretion and within 30 days of its receipt of such Replacement Notice, notify the Borrower and such Affected Lender in writing that the Substitute Lender is satisfactory to the Administrative Agent (such consent not being required where the

Substitute Lender is already a Lender or an Affiliate of a Lender) and, in the case of a proposed assignment of a Revolving Loan Commitment, each Issuer and the Swing Line Lender (such consent not being required where the Substitute Lender is already a Lender with a Revolving Loan Commitment) then such Affected Lender shall, subject to the payment of any amounts due pursuant to Section 4.4, assign, in accordance with Section 11.11.1, all of its Commitments, Loans, Notes (if any) and other rights and obligations under this Agreement and all other Loan Documents (including its rights in Reimbursement Obligations, if applicable) to such Substitute Lender; provided that (i) such assignment shall be without recourse, representation or warranty (other than those set forth in the Lender Assignment Agreement) and shall be on terms and conditions reasonably satisfactory to such Substitute Lender, (ii) the purchase price paid by such Substitute Lender shall be in the amount of such Affected Lender's Loans and its percentage of outstanding Reimbursement Obligations, together with all accrued and unpaid interest and fees in respect thereof, plus all other amounts (including the amounts demanded and unreimbursed under Sections 4.3, 4.5 and 4.6), owing to such Affected Lender hereunder and (iii) the Borrower shall pay to the Administrative Agent all reasonable out-of-pocket expenses incurred in connection with such assignment and assumption (including the processing fees described in Section 11.11.1). Upon the effective date of an assignment described above, the Substitute Lender shall become a "Lender" for all purposes under the Loan Documents. Each Lender hereby grants to the Administrative Agent an irrevocable power of attorney (which power is coupled with an interest) to execute and deliver, on behalf of such Lender as assignment agreement necessary to effectuate any assignment of such Lender's interests hereunder in the circumstances contemplated by this Section 4.11.

## ARTICLE V

# CONDITIONS TO EFFECTIVENESS AND TO FUTURE CREDIT EXTENSIONS

SECTION 5.1. <u>Conditions Precedent to the Effectiveness of this Agreement and Making of Credit Extensions</u>. The conditions to effectiveness of this Agreement and the obligations of the Lenders to make Loans under this Agreement shall be subject to the prior or concurrent satisfaction of each of the conditions set forth in this Article.

SECTION 5.1.1. <u>Resolutions, etc</u>. The Administrative Agent shall have received from the Borrower a certificate, dated the Effective Date, of its Secretary or Assistant Secretary (or Authorized Officer serving a similar function, in the case of other than a corporation) as to:

(a) resolutions of the Borrower's Board of Directors (or other similar governing body) then in full force and effect authorizing, as applicable, the execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement, the Notes and each other Loan Document to be executed by the Borrower; and

(b) the incumbency and signatures of the Borrower's Authorized Officers authorized to execute and deliver this Agreement and each other Loan Document to be executed by the Borrower;

upon which certificate each Lender may conclusively rely until each such Lender shall have received a further certificate of the Borrower canceling or amending the prior certificate.

SECTION 5.1.2. <u>Effective Date Certificate</u>. The Administrative Agent shall have received a certificate substantially in the form of Exhibit F hereto, dated the Effective Date and duly executed and delivered by the chief executive, financial or accounting (or equivalent) Authorized Officer of the Borrower.

SECTION 5.1.3. <u>Delivery of Notes</u>. The Administrative Agent shall have received, for the account of each Lender that has requested a Note, if any, such Lender's Note, duly executed and delivered by an Authorized Officer of the Borrower.

SECTION 5.1.4. <u>Affirmation and Consent</u>. The Administrative Agent shall have received an affirmation and consent, dated as of the Effective Date and duly executed by an Authorized Officer of each Guarantor, in form and substance satisfactory to the Administrative Agent.

SECTION 5.1.5. <u>Opinions of Counsel</u>. The Administrative Agent shall have received opinions, dated the Effective Date and addressed to the Administrative Agent and all Lenders, from:

(a) Simpson Thacher & Bartlett LLP, special New York counsel to the Borrower and each other Obligor, in form and substance satisfactory to the Administrative Agent; and

(b) Hunton & Williams LLP, special Virginia counsel to the Borrower, in form and substance satisfactory to the Administrative Agent.

SECTION 5.1.6. <u>Required Approvals</u>. The Administrative Agent shall be satisfied that all material governmental and third party approvals necessary or advisable in connection with the financing contemplated hereby and the continuing operations of the Borrower and its Subsidiaries have been duly obtained and are in full force and effect, and that all applicable waiting periods have expired without any action being taken or threatened by any competent authority which would restrain, prevent or otherwise impose adverse conditions on the financing hereof.

SECTION 5.1.7. <u>Litigation; Proceedings</u>. The Administrative Agent shall be satisfied that there does not exist any restraining order, injunction or other pending or threatened litigation, proceedings or investigations which (i) contests any aspect of any of the transactions contemplated by any Loan Documents or (ii) could reasonably be expected to have a material adverse effect on any of the consolidated business, financial conditions or results of operations of the Borrower and its Subsidiaries, taken as a whole.

SECTION 5.2. <u>All Credit Extensions</u>. The obligation of each Lender and the Issuer to make any Credit Extension (but subject to <u>clauses (b)</u> and <u>(c)</u> of <u>Section 2.3.2</u>) shall be subject to the satisfaction of each of the conditions precedent set forth in this <u>Section 5.2</u>.

SECTION 5.2.1. <u>Compliance with Warranties, No Default, etc.</u> Both before and after giving effect to any Credit Extension the following statements shall be true and correct:

(a) the representations and warranties set forth in <u>Article VI</u> and in each other Loan Document shall, in each case, be true and correct in all material respects with the same effect as if then made (unless stated to relate solely to an earlier date, in which case such representations and warranties shall be true and correct in all material respects as of such earlier date);

(b) no material adverse development shall have occurred in any litigation, action, proceeding, labor controversy, arbitration or governmental investigation disclosed pursuant to <u>Section 6.6</u>;

(c) the sum of (x) the aggregate outstanding principal amount of all Revolving Loans and Swing Line Loans and (y) all Letter of Credit Outstandings does not exceed the Revolving Loan Commitment Amount; and

(d) no Default shall have then occurred and be continuing.

SECTION 5.2.2. <u>Credit Extension Request</u>. The Administrative Agent shall have received a Borrowing Request, if Loans (other than Swing Line Loans) are being requested, or an Issuance Request, if a Letter of Credit is being issued or extended. Each of the delivery of a Borrowing Request or an Issuance Request and the acceptance by the Borrower of the proceeds of such Credit Extension shall constitute a representation and warranty by the Borrower that on the date of such Credit Extension (both immediately before and after giving effect to such Credit Extension and the application of the proceeds thereof) the statements made in Section 5.2.1 are true and correct.

SECTION 5.2.3. <u>Satisfactory Legal Form</u>. All documents executed or submitted pursuant hereto by or on behalf of the Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries or any other Obligors shall be reasonably satisfactory in form and substance to the Administrative Agent and its counsel; the Administrative Agent and its counsel shall have received all information, as the Administrative Agent or its counsel may reasonably request.

### ARTICLE VI

### REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES

In order to induce the Lenders, the Issuer and the Administrative Agent to enter into this Agreement, continue the Existing Letters of Credit as Letters of Credit hereunder, the Existing Revolving Loans as Revolving Loans hereunder and the Existing Swing Line Loans as Swing Line Loans hereunder and to make Credit Extensions hereunder, the Borrower represents and warrants unto the Administrative Agent, the Issuer and each Lender as set forth in this Article VI.

SECTION 6.1. Organization, etc. The Borrower and each of its Subsidiaries (a) is a corporation validly organized and existing and in good standing under the laws of the jurisdiction

of its incorporation, is duly qualified to do business and is in good standing as a foreign corporation in each jurisdiction where the nature of its business requires such qualification, except to the extent that the failure to qualify would not reasonably be expected to result in a Material Adverse Effect, and (b) has full power and authority and holds all requisite governmental licenses, permits and other approvals to (x) enter into and perform its Obligations under this Agreement, the Notes and each other Loan Document to which it is a party and (y) own and hold under lease its property and to conduct its business substantially as currently conducted by it except, in the case of this <u>clause (b)(y)</u>, where the failure could not reasonably be expected to result in a Material Adverse Effect.

SECTION 6.2. <u>Due Authorization, Non-Contravention, etc.</u> The execution, delivery and performance by the Borrower of this Agreement, the Notes and each other Loan Document executed or to be executed by it, and the execution, delivery and performance by each other Obligor of each Loan Document executed or to be executed by it and the Borrower are within each such Obligor's corporate powers, have been duly authorized by all necessary corporate action, and do not

(a) contravene any such Obligor's Organic Documents;

(b) contravene any contractual restriction, law or governmental regulation or court decree or order binding on or affecting any such Obligor, where such contravention, individually or in the aggregate, could reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect; or

(c) result in, or require the creation or imposition of, any Lien on any of the Obligor's properties, except pursuant to the terms of a Loan Document.

SECTION 6.3. <u>Government Approval, Regulation, etc.</u> No authorization or approval or other action by, and no notice to or filing with, any governmental authority or regulatory body or other Person, is required for the due execution, delivery or performance by any Obligor of this Agreement, the Notes or any other Loan Document to which it is a party, except as have been duly obtained or made and are in full force and effect or those which the failure to obtain or make could not reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect. Neither the Borrower nor any of its Subsidiaries is an "investment company" within the meaning of the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended.

SECTION 6.4. <u>Validity, etc.</u> This Agreement constitutes, and the Notes and each other Loan Document executed by any Obligor will, on the due execution and delivery thereof, constitute, the legal, valid and binding obligations of such Obligor enforceable in accordance with their respective terms; in each case with respect to this <u>Section 6.4</u> subject to the effects of bankruptcy, insolvency, fraudulent conveyance, reorganization, moratorium and other similar laws relating to or affecting creditors' rights generally, general equitable principles (whether considered in a proceeding in equity or at law) and an implied covenant of good faith and fair dealing.

SECTION 6.5. <u>No Material Adverse Change</u>. Since December 31, 2005, there has been no material adverse change in the financial condition, operations, assets, business or properties of the Borrower and its Subsidiaries, taken as a whole.

SECTION 6.6. <u>Litigation, Labor Controversies, etc.</u> There is no pending or, to the knowledge of the Borrower, threatened litigation, action, proceeding, labor controversy arbitration or governmental investigation affecting any Obligor, or any of their respective properties, businesses, assets or revenues, which (a) could reasonably be expected to result in a Material Adverse Effect, except as disclosed in <u>Item 6.6</u> ("Litigation") of the Disclosure Schedule, or (b) purports to affect the legality, validity or enforceability of any Sub Debt Document, this Agreement, the Notes or any other Loan Document.

SECTION 6.7. Subsidiaries. The Borrower has no Subsidiaries, except those Subsidiaries:

- (a) which are identified in <u>Item 6.7</u> ("Existing Subsidiaries") of the Disclosure Schedule; or
- (b) which are permitted to have been acquired in accordance with <u>Section 7.2.5 or 7.2.8</u>.

SECTION 6.8. <u>Ownership of Properties</u>. The Borrower and each of its Subsidiaries own good title to all of their properties and assets (other than insignificant properties and assets), real and personal, tangible and intangible, of any nature whatsoever (including patents, trademarks, trade names, service marks and copyrights), free and clear of all Liens or material claims (including material infringement claims with respect to patents, trademarks, copyrights and the like) except as permitted pursuant to <u>Section 7.2.3</u>.

SECTION 6.9. <u>Taxes</u>. The Borrower and each of its Subsidiaries has filed all Federal, State, foreign and other material tax returns and reports required by law to have been filed by it and has paid all taxes and governmental charges thereby shown to be owing, except any such taxes or charges which are being contested in good faith by appropriate proceedings and for which adequate reserves in accordance with GAAP shall have been set aside on its books.

SECTION 6.10. <u>Pension and Welfare Plans</u>. No Pension Plan has been terminated that has resulted in a liability to the Borrower of more than \$5,000,000, and no contribution failure has occurred with respect to any Pension Plan sufficient to give rise to a Lien under section 302(f) of ERISA in excess of \$5,000,000. No condition exists or event or transaction has occurred with respect to any Pension Plan which could reasonably be expected to result in the incurrence by the Borrower of any material liability, fine or penalty other than such condition, event or transaction which would not reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect. Except as disclosed in Item 6.10 (" Employee Benefit Plans") of the Disclosure Schedule, since the date of the last financial statement of the Borrower, the Borrower has not materially increased any contingent liability with respect to any post-retirement benefit under a Welfare Plan, other than liability for continuation coverage described in Part 6 of Subtitle B of Title I of ERISA.

SECTION 6.11. <u>Environmental Warranties</u>. Except as set forth in <u>Item 6.11 (" Environmental Matters</u>") of the Disclosure Schedule or as, individually or in the aggregate, could not reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect:

(a) all facilities and property (including underlying groundwater) owned or leased by the Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries have been, and continue to be, owned or leased by the Borrower and its Subsidiaries in compliance with all Environmental Laws;

(b) there have been no past, and there are no pending or threatened

(i) written claims, complaints, notices or requests for information received by the Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries with respect to any alleged violation of any Environmental Law, or

(ii) written complaints, notices or inquiries to the Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries regarding potential liability under any Environmental Law;

(c) to the best knowledge of the Borrower, there have been no Releases of Hazardous Materials at, on or under any property now or previously owned or leased by the Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries;

(d) the Borrower and its Subsidiaries have been issued and are in compliance with all permits, certificates, approvals, licenses and other authorizations relating to environmental matters and necessary or desirable for their businesses;

(e) no property now or previously owned or leased by the Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries is listed or, to the knowledge of the Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries, proposed for listing (with respect to owned property only) on the National Priorities List pursuant to CERCLA, on the CERCLIS or on any similar state list of sites requiring investigation or clean-up;

(f) to the best knowledge of the Borrower, there are no underground storage tanks, active or abandoned, including petroleum storage tanks, on or under any property now or previously owned or leased by the Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries;

(g) the Borrower and its Subsidiaries have not directly transported or directly arranged for the transportation of any Hazardous Material to any location (i) which is listed or to the knowledge of the Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries, proposed for listing on the National Priorities List pursuant to CERCLA, on the CERCLIS or on any similar state list, or (ii) which is the subject of federal, state or local enforcement actions or other investigations;

(h) to the best knowledge of the Borrower, there are no polychlorinated biphenyls or friable asbestos present in a manner or condition at any property now or previously owned or leased by the Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries; and

(i) to the best knowledge of the Borrower, no conditions exist at, on or under any property now or previously owned or leased by the Borrower or any of its

Subsidiaries which, with the passage of time, or the giving of notice or both, would give rise to liability under any Environmental Law.

SECTION 6.12. <u>Regulations U and X</u>. No Obligor is engaged in the business of extending credit for the purpose of purchasing or carrying margin stock, and no proceeds of any Credit Extensions will be used to purchase or carry margin stock or otherwise for a purpose which violates, or would be inconsistent with, F.R.S. Board Regulation U or Regulation X. Terms for which meanings are provided in F.R.S. Board Regulation U or Regulation U or Regulation X or any regulations substituted therefor, as from time to time in effect, are used in this Section with such meanings.

SECTION 6.13. <u>Accuracy of Information</u>. All material factual information concerning the financial condition, operations or prospects of the Borrower and its Subsidiaries heretofore or contemporaneously furnished by or on behalf of the Borrower in writing to the Administrative Agent, the Issuer or any Lender for purposes of or in connection with this Agreement or any transaction contemplated hereby is, and all other such factual information hereafter furnished by or on behalf of the Borrower to the Administrative Agent, the Issuer or any Lender will be, true and accurate in every material respect on the date as of which such information is dated or certified and such information is not, or shall not be, as the case may be, incomplete by omitting to state any material fact necessary to make such information not misleading.

Any term or provision of this Section to the contrary notwithstanding, insofar as any of the factual information described above includes assumptions, estimates, projections or opinions, no representation or warranty is made herein with respect thereto; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that to the extent any such assumptions, estimates, projections or opinions are based on factual matters, the Borrower has reviewed such factual matters and nothing has come to its attention in the context of such review which would lead it to believe that such factual matters were not or are not true and correct in all material respects or that such factual matters omit to state any material fact necessary to make such assumptions, estimates, projections or opinions not misleading in any material respect.

SECTION 6.14. <u>Seniority of Obligations, etc.</u> The Borrower has the power and authority to incur Subordinated Debt as provided for under the Sub Debt Documents applicable thereto and has duly authorized, executed and delivered the Sub Debt Documents applicable thereto. The Borrower has issued, pursuant to due authorization, any Subordinated Debt under the applicable Sub Debt Documents, and such Sub Debt Documents constitute the legal, valid and binding obligations of the Borrower enforceable against the Borrower in accordance with its respective terms, subject to the effects of bankruptcy, insolvency, fraudulent conveyance, reorganization, moratorium and other similar laws relating to or affecting creditors' rights generally, general equitable principles (whether considered in a proceeding in equity or at law) and an implied covenant of good faith and fair dealing. The subordinated Debt by the holder of any "Senior Debt" (or similar term referring to the Obligations, as applicable) in such Sub Debt Documents, which has not effectively waived the benefits thereof. All monetary Obligations, including those to pay principal of and interest (including post-petition interest, whether or not permitted as a claim) on the Loans and Reimbursement Obligations, and fees and expenses in connection therewith, constitute "Senior

Debt" (or similar term referring to the Obligations, as applicable) in such Sub Debt Documents, and all such Obligations are entitled to the benefits of the subordination created by such Sub Debt Documents. The Borrower acknowledges that the Administrative Agent and each Lender is entering into this Agreement, and is extending its Commitments, in reliance upon the subordination provisions of (or to be contained in) the Sub Debt Documents and this Section.

SECTION 6.15. <u>Solvency</u>. The incurrence of the Credit Extensions hereunder, the incurrence by the Borrower of the Indebtedness represented by the Notes and the execution and delivery of the Guaranties by the Obligors parties thereto, will not involve or result in any fraudulent transfer or fraudulent conveyance under the provisions of Section 548 of the Bankruptcy Code (11 U.S.C. §101 <u>et seq</u>., as from time to time hereafter amended, and any successor or similar statute) or any applicable state law respecting fraudulent transfers or fraudulent conveyances. The Borrower and each of its Subsidiaries is Solvent.

# ARTICLE VII

#### **COVENANTS**

SECTION 7.1. <u>Affirmative Covenants</u>. The Borrower agrees with the Administrative Agent, the Issuer and each Lender that, until all Commitments have terminated, all Letters of Credit have terminated or expired and all Obligations have been paid and performed in full, the Borrower will perform its obligations set forth below.

SECTION 7.1.1. <u>Financial Information, Reports, Notices, etc.</u> The Borrower will furnish to each Lender, the Issuer and the Administrative Agent copies of the following financial statements, reports, notices and information:

(a) as soon as available and in any event within 60 days after the end of each of the first three Fiscal Quarters of each Fiscal Year of the Borrower (or, if the Borrower is required to file such information on a Form 10-Q with the Securities and Exchange Commission, promptly following such filing), a consolidated balance sheet of the Borrower and its Subsidiaries as of the end of such Fiscal Quarter, together with the related consolidated statement of earnings and cash flow for such Fiscal Quarter and for the period commencing at the end of the previous Fiscal Year and ending with the end of such Fiscal Quarter (it being understood that the foregoing requirement may be satisfied by delivery of the Borrower's report to the Securities and Exchange Commission on Form 10-Q), certified by the chief financial Authorized Officer of the Borrower;

(b) as soon as available and in any event within 120 days after the end of each Fiscal Year of the Borrower (or, if the Borrower is required to file such information on a Form 10-K with the Securities and Exchange Commission, promptly following such filing), a copy of the annual audit report for such Fiscal Year for the Borrower and its Subsidiaries, including therein a consolidated balance sheet for the Borrower and its Subsidiaries as of the end of such Fiscal Year, together with the related consolidated statement of earnings and cash flow of the Borrower and its Subsidiaries for such Fiscal Year (it being understood that the foregoing requirement may be satisfied by delivery of

the Borrower's report to the Securities and Exchange Commission on Form 10-K), in each case certified (without any Impermissible Qualification) by PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP or another "Big Four" firm, together with a certificate from such accountants to the effect that, in making the examination necessary for the signing of such annual report by such accountants, they have not become aware of any Default that has occurred and is continuing, or, if they have become aware of such Default, describing such Default and the steps, if any, being taken to cure it;

(c) together with the delivery of the financial information required pursuant to <u>clauses (a)</u> and <u>(b)</u>, a Compliance Certificate, executed by the chief financial Authorized Officer of the Borrower, showing (in reasonable detail and with appropriate calculations and computations in all respects satisfactory to the Administrative Agent) compliance with the financial covenants set forth in <u>Section 7.2.4</u>;

(d) as soon as possible and in any event within three Business Days after obtaining knowledge of the occurrence of each Default, a statement of the chief financial Authorized Officer of the Borrower setting forth details of such Default and the action which the Borrower has taken and proposes to take with respect thereto;

(e) as soon as possible and in any event within five Business Days after (x) the occurrence of any material adverse development with respect to any litigation, action, proceeding, or labor controversy described in Section 6.6 and the action which the Borrower has taken and proposes to take with respect thereto or (y) the commencement of any labor controversy, litigation, action, proceeding of the type described in Section 6.6, notice thereof and of the action which the Borrower has taken and proposes to take with respect thereof and of the action which the Borrower has taken and proposes to take with respect thereof and of the action which the Borrower has taken and proposes to take with respect thereto;

(f) promptly after the sending or filing thereof, copies of all reports and registration statements which the Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries files with the Securities and Exchange Commission or any national securities exchange or any foreign equivalent;

(g) as soon as practicable after the chief financial officer or the chief executive officer of the Borrower or a member of the Borrower's Controlled Group becomes aware of (i) formal steps in writing to terminate any Pension Plan or (ii) the occurrence of any event with respect to a Pension Plan which, in the case of (i) or (ii), could reasonably be expected to result in a contribution to such Pension Plan by (or a liability to) the Borrower or a member of the Borrower's Controlled Group in excess of \$5,000,000, (iii) the failure to make a required contribution to any Pension Plan if such failure is sufficient to give rise to a Lien under section 302 (f) of ERISA, (iv) the taking of any action with respect to a Pension Plan or (v) any material increase in the contingent liability of the Borrower with respect to any post-retirement Welfare Plan benefit, notice thereof and copies of all documentation relating thereto;

(h) promptly following the delivery or receipt, as the case may be, of any material written notice or communication pursuant to or in connection with any Sub Debt Document, a copy of such notice or communication; and

(i) such other information respecting the condition or operations, financial or otherwise, of the Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries as any Lender or the Issuer may from time to time reasonably request.

SECTION 7.1.2. <u>Compliance with Laws, etc.</u> The Borrower will, and will cause each of its Subsidiaries to, comply in all material respects with all applicable laws, rules, regulations and orders, such compliance to include:

(a) the maintenance and preservation of its corporate existence and qualification as a foreign corporation, except where the failure to so qualify could not reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect; and

(b) the payment, before the same become delinquent, of all material taxes, assessments and governmental charges imposed upon it or upon its property except to the extent being contested in good faith by appropriate proceedings and for which adequate reserves in accordance with GAAP shall have been set aside on its books.

SECTION 7.1.3. <u>Maintenance of Properties</u>. The Borrower will, and will cause each of its Subsidiaries to, maintain, preserve, protect and keep its properties (other than insignificant properties) in good repair, working order and condition (ordinary wear and tear excepted), and make necessary and proper repairs, renewals and replacements so that its business carried on in connection therewith may be properly conducted at all times unless the Borrower determines in good faith that the continued maintenance of any of its properties is no longer economically desirable.

SECTION 7.1.4. Insurance. The Borrower will, and will cause each of its Subsidiaries to,

(a) maintain insurance on its property with financially sound and reputable insurance companies against loss and damage in at least the amounts (and with only those deductibles) customarily maintained, and against such risks as are typically insured against in the same general area, by Persons of comparable size engaged in the same or similar business as the Borrower and its Subsidiaries; and

(b) maintain all worker's compensation, employer's liability insurance or similar insurance as may be required under the laws of any state or jurisdiction in which it may be engaged in business.

Without limiting the foregoing, all insurance policies required pursuant to this Section (other than those with respect to WW.com and its Subsidiaries until the occurrence of the Trigger Date) shall (i) name the Administrative Agent on behalf of Secured Parties as mortgagee and/or loss payee (in the case of property insurance) or additional insured (in the case of liability insurance), as applicable, and provide that no cancellation or modification of the policies will be made

without thirty days' prior written notice to the Administrative Agent and (ii) be in addition to any requirements to maintain specific types of insurance contained in the other Loan Documents.

SECTION 7.1.5. <u>Books and Records</u>. The Borrower will, and will cause each of its Subsidiaries to, keep books and records which accurately reflect in all material respects all of its business affairs and transactions and permit the Administrative Agent, the Issuer and each Lender or any of their respective representatives, at reasonable times and intervals, and upon reasonable notice, to visit all of its offices, to discuss its financial matters with its officers and independent public accountant (and the Borrower hereby authorizes such independent public accountant to discuss the Borrower's financial matters with the Issuer and each Lender or its representatives whether or not any representative of the Borrower is present) and to examine, and photocopy extracts from, any of its books or other corporate records.

SECTION 7.1.6. Environmental Covenant. The Borrower will, and will cause each of its Subsidiaries to,

(a) use and operate all of its facilities and properties in compliance with all Environmental Laws, keep all necessary permits, approvals, certificates, licenses and other authorizations relating to environmental matters in effect and remain in compliance therewith, and handle all Hazardous Materials in compliance with all applicable Environmental Laws, in each case except where the failure to comply with the terms of this clause could not reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect;

(b) promptly notify the Administrative Agent and provide copies of all written claims, complaints, notices or inquiries relating to the condition of its facilities and properties or compliance with Environmental Laws which relate to environmental matters which would have, or would reasonably be expected to have, a Material Adverse Effect, and promptly cure and have dismissed with prejudice any material actions and proceedings relating to compliance with Environmental Laws, except to the extent being diligently contested in good faith by appropriate proceedings and for which adequate reserves in accordance with GAAP have been set aside on their books; and

(c) provide such information and certifications which the Administrative Agent may reasonably request from time to time to evidence compliance with this <u>Section 7.1.6</u>.

SECTION 7.1.7. Future Subsidiaries .

(a) Upon any Person becoming a U.S. Subsidiary of the Borrower (other than WW.com or its Subsidiaries until the occurrence of the Trigger Date), the Borrower shall notify the Administrative Agent and shall promptly cause such Subsidiary to execute and deliver to the Administrative Agent a supplement (in form and substance satisfactory to the Administrative Agent) to the Subsidiary Guaranty.

(b) Prior to the occurrence of the Investment Grade Rating Date, upon any Person becoming a U.S. Subsidiary of the Borrower, or upon the Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries (other than WW.com or its Subsidiaries until the occurrence of the Trigger

Date) acquiring additional Capital Securities of any existing Subsidiary, the Borrower shall notify the Administrative Agent of such acquisition, and

(i) the Borrower shall promptly cause such Subsidiary to execute and deliver to the Administrative Agent (A) a supplement (in form and substance satisfactory to the Administrative Agent) to the WWI Security Agreement and (B) if such Subsidiary owns any real property having a value as determined in good faith by the Administrative Agent in excess of \$2,000,000, a Mortgage, together with acknowledgment copies of Uniform Commercial Code financing statements (form UCC-1) delivered by the Subsidiary naming the Subsidiary as the debtor and the Administrative Agent as the secured party, or other similar instruments or documents, filed under the Uniform Commercial Code and any other applicable recording statutes, in the case of real property, of all jurisdictions as may be necessary or, in the opinion of the Administrative Agent, desirable to perfect the security interest of the Administrative Agent pursuant to the applicable Security Agreement or a Mortgage, as the case may be; and

(ii) the Borrower shall promptly deliver, or cause to be delivered, to the Administrative Agent under a supplement (in form and substance satisfactory to the Administrative Agent) to the WWI Pledge Agreement, certificates (if any) representing all of the issued and outstanding shares of Capital Securities of such Subsidiary (to the extent required to be delivered pursuant to the applicable Pledge Agreement) owned by the Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries, as the case may be, along with undated stock powers for such certificates, executed in blank, or, if any securities subject thereto are uncertificated securities, confirmation and evidence satisfactory to the Administrative Agent that appropriate book entries have been made in the relevant books or records of a financial intermediary or the issuer of such securities, as the case may be, under applicable law resulting in the perfection of the security interest granted in favor of the Administrative Agent pursuant to the terms of the applicable Pledge Agreement; <u>provided</u>, that notwithstanding anything to the contrary herein or in any Loan Document, in no event shall more than 65% of the Voting Stock of any Foreign Subsidiaries (unless in each case such pledge would not result in a materially adverse tax consequences to the Borrower and its Subsidiaries, taken as a whole), together, in each case, with such opinions, in form and substance and from counsel satisfactory to the Administrative Agent, as the Administrative Agent may reasonably require.

(c) On the Trigger Date the Borrower shall, and shall cause WW.com and its Subsidiaries to, execute and/or deliver to the Administrative Agent (i) a supplement (in form and substance satisfactory to the Administrative Agent) to the Subsidiary Guaranty and (ii) so long as the Investment Grade Rating Date has not occurred, all of the documents and instruments set forth in the foregoing clauses (a) and (b) of this Section with respect to WW.com and its Subsidiaries (to the extent applicable).

# SECTION 7.1.8. Future Leased Property and Future Acquisitions of Real Property .

(a) Prior to the Investment Grade Rating Date, prior to entering into any new lease of real property or renewing any existing lease of real property, the Borrower shall, and shall cause each of its U.S. Subsidiaries (other than WW.com or its Subsidiaries until the occurrence of the Trigger Date) to, use its (and their) best efforts (which shall not require the expenditure of cash or the making of any material concessions under the relevant lease) to deliver to the Administrative Agent a Waiver executed by the lessor of any real property that is to be leased by the Borrower or any such U.S. Subsidiary for a term in excess of one year in any state which by statute grants such lessor a "landlord's" (or similar) Lien which is superior to the Administrative Agent's, to the extent the value of any personal property of the Borrower or such U.S. Subsidiary to be held at such leased property exceeds (or it is anticipated that the value of such personal property will, at any point in time during the term of such leasehold term, exceed) \$5,000,000.

(b) Prior to the Investment Grade Rating Date, in the event that the Borrower or any of its U.S. Subsidiaries (other than WW.com or its Subsidiaries until the occurrence of the Trigger Date) shall acquire any real property having a value as determined in good faith by the Administrative Agent in excess of \$2,000,000, the Borrower or the applicable Subsidiary shall, promptly after such acquisition, execute a Mortgage and provide the Administrative Agent with

(i) evidence of the completion (or satisfactory arrangements for the completion) of all recordings and filings of such Mortgage as may be necessary or, in the reasonable opinion of the Administrative Agent, desirable effectively to create a valid, perfected first priority Lien, subject to Liens permitted by <u>Section 7.2.3</u>, against the properties purported to be covered thereby;

(ii) mortgagee's title insurance policies in favor of the Administrative Agent and the Lenders in amounts and in form and substance and issued by insurers, reasonably satisfactory to the Administrative Agent, with respect to the property purported to be covered by such Mortgage, insuring that title to such property is marketable and that the interests created by the Mortgage constitute valid first Liens thereon free and clear of all defects and encumbrances other than as approved by the Administrative Agent, and such policies shall also include a revolving credit endorsement and such other endorsements as the Administrative Agent shall request and shall be accompanied by evidence of the payment in full of all premiums thereon; and

(iii) such other approvals, opinions, or documents as the Administrative Agent may reasonably request.

(c) On the Trigger Date so long as the Investment Grade Rating Date has not occurred, the Borrower shall, and shall cause WW.com and its Subsidiaries to, execute and/or deliver to the Administrative Agent the agreements, instruments, approvals, opinions and other documents, as applicable, set forth in the foregoing clauses (a) and (b) of this Section (to the extent applicable).

SECTION 7.1.9. Use of Proceeds, etc. The proceeds of the Credit Extensions shall be applied by the Borrower as follows:

(a) the proceeds of the Term A Loans and Revolving Loans borrowed on the Effective Date shall be applied by the Borrower (i) to fund the Current Refinancing and (ii) to finance the payment of the fees and expenses related to the Current Refinancing; and

(b) the proceeds of all other Revolving Loans, Swing Line Loans and any Term Loans incurred pursuant to <u>Section</u> <u>2.1.6</u>, and the issuance of Letters of Credit from time to time, shall be used for working capital and general corporate purposes of the Borrower and its Subsidiaries.

SECTION 7.2. <u>Negative Covenants</u>. The Borrower agrees with the Administrative Agent, the Issuer and each Lender that, until all Commitments have terminated, all Letters of Credit have terminated or expired and all Obligations have been paid and performed in full, the Borrower will perform the obligations set forth in this <u>Section 7.2</u>.

SECTION 7.2.1. <u>Business Activities</u>. The Borrower will not, and will not permit any of its Subsidiaries to, engage in any business activity, except business activities of the type in which the Borrower and its Subsidiaries are engaged on the Effective Date and such activities as may be incidental, similar or related thereto.

SECTION 7.2.2. <u>Indebtedness</u>. The Borrower will not, and will not permit any of its Subsidiaries to, create, incur, assume or suffer to exist or otherwise become or be liable in respect of any Indebtedness, other than, without duplication, the following:

(a) Indebtedness in respect of the Credit Extensions and other Obligations;

(b) [INTENTIONALLY OMITTED];

(c) Indebtedness identified in <u>Item 7.2.2(c)</u> ("<u>Ongoing Indebtedness</u>") of the Disclosure Schedule, and any Refinancing Indebtedness;

(d) Indebtedness incurred by the Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries (i) (x) to any Person providing financing for the acquisition of any assets permitted to be acquired pursuant to Section 7.2.8 to finance its acquisition of such assets and (y) in respect of Capitalized Lease Liabilities in an aggregate amount for clauses (x) and (y) not to exceed \$10,000,000 at any time and (ii) from time to time for general corporate purposes in a maximum aggregate amount of all Indebtedness incurred pursuant to this clause (ii) not at any time to exceed \$25,000,000 less the then aggregate outstanding Indebtedness of Subsidiaries which are not Guarantors permitted under clause (f)(iii) below;

(e) Hedging Obligations of the Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries;

(f) intercompany Indebtedness of the Borrower owing to any of its Subsidiaries or any Subsidiary of the Borrower (other than the Designated Subsidiary and WW.com and its Subsidiaries until the occurrence of the Trigger Date) owing to the

Borrower or any other Subsidiary of the Borrower or of the Borrower to any Subsidiary of the Borrower, which Indebtedness

(i) if between Guarantors shall be evidenced by one or more promissory notes in form and substance satisfactory to the Administrative Agent which have been duly executed and delivered to (and endorsed to the order of) the Administrative Agent in pledge pursuant to a supplement to the applicable Pledge Agreement;

(ii) if between Guarantors (other than Indebtedness incurred by the Borrower) shall, except in the case of Indebtedness of the Borrower owing to any of its Subsidiaries, not be forgiven or otherwise discharged for any consideration other than payment in cash in the currency in which such Indebtedness was loaned or advanced unless the Administrative Agent otherwise consents; and

(iii) owing by Subsidiaries which are not Guarantors to Guarantors shall not exceed \$25,000,000 in the aggregate at any time outstanding;

(g) unsecured Debt of the Borrower, so long as after giving <u>pro forma</u> effect to the incurrence of such Debt the Borrower can demonstrate compliance with the covenants set forth in <u>Section 7.2.4</u>;

(h) [reserved];

(i) each Subordinated Guaranty;

(j) (i) guarantees by the Borrower or any Guarantor of any Indebtedness of the Borrower or any Guarantor and (ii) guarantees by any Subsidiary that is not a Guarantor of any Indebtedness of any other Subsidiary that is not a Guarantor and (iii) guarantees by the Borrower or any Guarantor of any unsecured Indebtedness of any Subsidiary that is not a Guarantor incurred pursuant to <u>clause (d)(ii)</u> of this Section; <u>provided</u>, that in each case, the Indebtedness being guaranteed is otherwise permitted by this Section;

(k) Indebtedness incurred or assumed in connection with a Franchise Acquisition in an amount not to exceed \$30,000,000 per Franchise Acquisition; and

(1) until the occurrence of the Trigger Date, Indebtedness of WW.com and its Subsidiaries in an amount not to exceed \$250,000,000;

<u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that no Indebtedness otherwise permitted by <u>clause (d)</u>, <u>(f)</u> (as such clause relates to Loans made by the Borrower to its Subsidiaries) or <u>(g)</u> may be incurred if, after giving effect to the incurrence thereof, any Default shall have occurred and be continuing.

SECTION 7.2.3. <u>Liens</u>. The Borrower will not, and will not permit any of its Subsidiaries to, create, incur, assume or suffer to exist any Lien upon any of its property, revenues or assets, whether now owned or hereafter acquired, except:

(a) Liens securing payment of the Obligations, granted pursuant to any Loan Document;

# (b) [INTENTIONALLY OMITTED];

(c) Liens to secure payment of Indebtedness of the type permitted and described in <u>clause (c)</u> of <u>Section 7.2.2</u>;

(d) Liens granted by the Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries to secure payment of Indebtedness of the type permitted and described in (x) <u>clause (d)(i) of Section 7.2.2</u>; provided, that the obligations secured thereby do not exceed in the aggregate \$5,000,000 at any time outstanding and (y) <u>clause (d)(ii) of Section 7.2.2</u> owed by Subsidiaries which are not Guarantors to non-Affiliates; provided that the obligations secured thereby do not exceed \$7,500,000 in the aggregate at any one time outstanding;

(e) Liens for taxes, assessments or other governmental charges or levies, including Liens pursuant to Section 107(1) of CERCLA or other similar law, not at the time delinquent or thereafter payable without penalty or being contested in good faith by appropriate proceedings and for which adequate reserves in accordance with GAAP shall have been set aside on its books;

(f) Liens of carriers, warehousemen, mechanics, repairmen, materialmen and landlords or other like liens incurred by the Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries in the ordinary course of business for sums not overdue for a period of more than 30 days or being diligently contested in good faith by appropriate proceedings and for which adequate reserves in accordance with GAAP shall have been set aside on its books;

(g) Liens incurred by the Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries in the ordinary course of business in connection with workmen's compensation, unemployment insurance or other forms of governmental insurance or benefits, or to secure performance of tenders, statutory obligations, insurance obligations, leases and contracts (other than for borrowed money) entered into in the ordinary course of business or to secure obligations on surety or appeal bonds;

(h) judgment Liens in existence less than 30 days after the entry thereof or with respect to which execution has been stayed or the payment of which is covered in full by a bond or (subject to a customary deductible) by insurance maintained with responsible insurance companies;

(i) Liens with respect to recorded minor imperfections of title and easements, rights-of-way, restrictions, reservations, permits, servitudes and other similar encumbrances on real property and fixtures which do not materially detract from the value or materially impair the use by the Borrower or any such Subsidiary in the ordinary course of their business of the property subject thereto;

(j) leases or subleases granted by the Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries to any other Person in the ordinary course of business;

(k) Liens in the nature of trustees' Liens granted pursuant to any indenture governing any Indebtedness permitted by <u>Section 7.2.2</u>, in each case in favor of the trustee under such indenture and securing only obligations to pay compensation to such trustee, to reimburse its expenses and to indemnify it under the terms thereof; and

(l) until the occurrence of the Trigger Date, Liens granted by WW.com or its Subsidiaries to secure payment of Indebtedness of the type permitted and described in <u>clause (l)</u> of <u>Section 7.2.2</u>; and

(m) until the occurrence of the Trigger Date, Liens on Capital Securities of WW.com granted by the Borrower to secure payment of Indebtedness of the type permitted and described in <u>clause (1)</u> of <u>Section 7.2.2</u>.

SECTION 7.2.4. Financial Condition .

(a) <u>Net Debt to EBITDA Ratio</u>. The Borrower will not permit the Net Debt to EBITDA Ratio as of the end of any Fiscal Quarter to be greater than 3.00 to 1.00.

(b) <u>Interest Coverage Ratio</u>. The Borrower will not permit the Interest Coverage Ratio as of the end of any Fiscal Quarter to be less than 3.00 to 1.00.

SECTION 7.2.5. <u>Investments</u>. The Borrower will not, and will not permit any of its Subsidiaries to, make, incur, assume or suffer to exist any Investment in any other Person, except:

(a) Investments existing on the date hereof and identified in <u>Item 7.2.5(a)</u> ("<u>Ongoing Investments</u>") of the Disclosure Schedule;

- (b) Cash Equivalent Investments;
- (c) without duplication, Investments permitted as Indebtedness pursuant to <u>Section 7.2.2</u>;
- (d) without duplication, Investments permitted as Capital Expenditures;

(e) Investments by the Borrower in any of its Subsidiaries (i) which have executed Guaranties, or by any such Subsidiary in any of its Subsidiaries which have executed Guaranties, by way of contributions to capital and (ii) which have not executed Guaranties in an aggregate amount not to exceed \$30,000,000, or by any such Subsidiary in any of its Subsidiaries, by way of contributions to capital;

(f) Investments made by the Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries, solely with proceeds which have been contributed, directly or indirectly, to such Subsidiary as cash equity from holders of the Borrower's common stock for the purpose of making an Investment identified in a notice to the Administrative Agent on or prior to the date that such capital contribution is made;

(g) Investments by the Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries to the extent the consideration received pursuant to clause (b)(i) of Section 7.2.9 is not all cash;

(h) [reserved];

(i) other Investments made by the Borrower or any of the Guarantors in an aggregate amount not to exceed \$30,000,000;

(j) other Investments made by any Non-Guarantor Subsidiary in another Non-Guarantor Subsidiary;

(k) other Investments made by the Borrower or any Subsidiary in Qualified Assets, to the extent permitted under <u>clause</u> (b) of Section 3.1.1;

- (1) Investments made by the Borrower in the Designated Subsidiary in an aggregate amount not to exceed \$1,500,000;
- (m) Investments permitted under <u>Section 7.2.6</u>;
- (n) Investments by the Borrower or any Subsidiary constituting Permitted Acquisitions; and
- (o) until the occurrence of the Trigger Date, other Investments made by WW.com and its Subsidiaries.

provided, however, that

(i) any Investment which when made complies with the requirements of the definition of the term "Cash Equivalent Investment" may continue to be held notwithstanding that such Investment if made thereafter would not comply with such requirements;

(ii) the Investments permitted above shall only be permitted to be made to the extent not prohibited in whole or in part by the terms of any Subordinated Debt or Sub Debt Document;

(iii) no Investment otherwise permitted by <u>clause (e)</u>, (f), (g) or (i) shall be permitted to be made if, immediately before or after giving effect thereto, any Default shall have occurred and be continuing; and

(iv) except as permitted under <u>clause (a)</u> above, no more than \$2,000,000 of Investments may be made in the Designated Subsidiary unless the Designated Subsidiary shall have taken the actions set forth in <u>Section 7.1.7</u>.

SECTION 7.2.6. Restricted Payments, etc. On and at all times after the Effective Date,

(a) subject to <u>clause (b)(ii)</u>, the Borrower will not declare, pay or make any dividend or distribution (in cash, property or obligations) on any shares of any class of

Capital Securities (now or hereafter outstanding) of the Borrower or on any warrants, options or other rights with respect to any shares of any class of Capital Securities (now or hereafter outstanding) of the Borrower (other than dividends or distributions payable in its common stock or warrants to purchase its common stock or splits or reclassifications of its stock into additional or other shares of its common stock) or apply, or permit any of its Subsidiaries to apply, any of its funds, property or assets to the purchase, redemption, sinking fund or other retirement of, or agree or permit any of its Subsidiaries to purchase or redeem, any shares of any class of Capital Securities (now or hereafter outstanding) of the Borrower, or warrants, options or other rights with respect to any shares of any class of Capital Securities (now or hereafter outstanding) of the Borrower (collectively, "Restricted Payments"); provided, that:

(i) subject to <u>clause (ii)</u> below, the Borrower may make Restricted Payments of dividends on the Borrower's Capital Securities so long as no Default has occurred and is continuing or would be caused thereby;

(ii) the Borrower may make Restricted Payments of extraordinary dividends or to repurchase the Borrower's Capital Securities so long as no Default has occurred and is continuing or would be caused thereby; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, if the Investment Grade Rating Date has not occurred, such Restricted Payments shall not exceed \$150,000,000 in the aggregate in any Fiscal Year for those Fiscal Quarters in such Fiscal Year during which either (a) the Net Debt to EBITDA Ratio is equal to or greater than 2.50:1 as set forth in the Compliance Certificate most recently delivered to the Administrative Agent or (b) the Net Debt to EBITDA Ratio is equal to or greater than 2.50:1 after giving <u>pro forma</u> effect to such Restricted Payments as of (and including) the computation date of the Compliance Certificate most recently delivered to the Administrative Agent; and

(iii) the Borrower may repurchase its stock held by employees constituting management, in an amount not to exceed \$5,000,000 in any Fiscal Year and an aggregate amount of \$20,000,000 (amounts unused in any Fiscal Year may be used in the immediately succeeding Fiscal Year);

(b) the Borrower will not, and will not permit any of its Subsidiaries to

(i) make any payment or prepayment of principal of, or interest on, any Subordinated Debt other than (A) in the case of interest only, on the stated, scheduled date for such payment of interest set forth in the applicable Sub Debt Documents or (B) which would not violate the terms of this Agreement or the subordination provisions of the applicable Sub Debt Documents; or

(ii) redeem, retire, purchase or defease any Subordinated Debt unless no Default has occurred and is continuing or would result therefrom; and

(c) the Borrower will not, and will not permit any Subsidiary to, make any deposit for any of the foregoing purposes (except in connection with any permitted expenditure described in <u>clauses (a)</u> and <u>(b)</u> above).

# SECTION 7.2.7. [INTENTIONALLY OMITTED]

SECTION 7.2.8. <u>Consolidation, Merger, etc.</u> The Borrower will not, and will not permit any of its Subsidiaries to, liquidate or dissolve, consolidate with, or merge into or with, any other corporation, or purchase or otherwise acquire all or substantially all of the assets of any Person (or of any division thereof) except:

(a) any such Subsidiary may liquidate or dissolve voluntarily into, and may merge with and into, the Borrower (so long as the Borrower is the surviving corporation of such combination or merger) or any other Subsidiary, and the assets or stock of any Subsidiary may be purchased or otherwise acquired by the Borrower or any other Subsidiary; <u>provided</u>, that notwithstanding the above, (i) a Subsidiary may only liquidate or dissolve into, or merge with and into, another Subsidiary of the Borrower if, after giving effect to such combination or merger, the Borrower continues to own (directly or indirectly), and the Administrative Agent continues to have pledged to it pursuant to a supplement to the WWI Pledge Agreement, a percentage of the issued and outstanding shares of Capital Securities (on a fully diluted basis) of the Subsidiary surviving such combination or merger that is equal to or in excess of the percentage of the issued and outstanding shares of Capital Securities (on a fully diluted basis) of the Subsidiary survives such combination or merger that was (immediately prior to the combination or merger) owned by the Borrower or pledged to the Administrative Agent and (ii) if such Subsidiary is a Guarantor the surviving corporation must be a Guarantor;

(b) so long as no Default has occurred and is continuing or would occur after giving effect thereto, the Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries may make Investments permitted under Section 7.2.5 (including any Permitted Acquisition); and

(c) a Subsidiary may merge with another Person in a transaction permitted by <u>clause (b)</u> of <u>Section 7.2.9</u>.

SECTION 7.2.9. <u>Asset Dispositions, etc.</u> Subject to the definition of Change in Control, the Borrower will not, and will not permit any of its Subsidiaries to, Dispose of all or any part of its assets, whether now owned or hereafter acquired (including accounts receivable and Capital Securities of Subsidiaries) to any Person, unless

(a) such Disposition is made by the Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries and is (i) in the ordinary course of its business (and does not constitute a Disposition of all or a substantial part of the Borrower or such Subsidiary's assets) or is of obsolete or worn out property or (ii) permitted by clause (a) or (b) of Section 7.2.8;

(b) (i) such Disposition (other than of Capital Securities) is made by the Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries and is for fair market value and the consideration consists of no less than 75% in cash, (ii) the Net Disposition Proceeds received from such Disposition, together with the Net Disposition Proceeds of all other assets sold, transferred, leased, contributed or conveyed pursuant to this <u>clause (b)</u> since the Effective Date, does not exceed (individually or in the aggregate) an amount equal to 10% of the assets of the Borrower and its Subsidiaries (other than WW.com and its Subsidiaries until

the occurrence of the Trigger Date) taken as a whole (calculated at the time such Disposition is to be made) over the term of this Agreement and (iii) the Net Disposition Proceeds generated from such Disposition not theretofore reinvested in Qualified Assets in accordance with <u>clause (b)</u> of <u>Section 3.1.1</u> (with the amount permitted to be so reinvested in Qualified Assets in any event not to exceed \$7,500,000 over the term of this Agreement) is applied as Net Disposition Proceeds to prepay the Loans pursuant to the terms of <u>clause (b)</u> of <u>Section 3.1.1</u> and <u>Section 3.1.2</u>;

- (c) such Disposition is made pursuant to a Local Management Plan; or
- (d) until the occurrence of the Trigger Date, Dispositions made by WW.com and its Subsidiaries.

#### SECTION 7.2.10. Modification of Certain Agreements .

(a) The Borrower will not, and will not permit any of its Subsidiaries to, consent to any amendment, supplement, amendment and restatement, waiver or other modification of any of the terms or provisions contained in, or applicable to, the Recapitalization Agreement or any schedules, exhibits or agreements related thereto, in each case which would adversely affect the rights or remedies of the Lenders, or the Borrower's or any Subsidiary's ability to perform hereunder or under any Loan Document.

(b) Except as otherwise permitted pursuant to the terms of this Agreement, without the prior written consent of the Required Lenders, the Borrower will not consent to any amendment, supplement or other modification of any of the terms or provisions contained in, or applicable to, any Subordinated Debt or any Sub Debt Document (including any Subordinated Guaranty), or make any payment in order to obtain an amendment thereof or change thereto, if the effect of such amendment, supplement, modification or change is to (i) increase the principal amount of, or increase the interest rate on, or add or increase any fee with respect to such Subordinated Debt or any such Sub Debt Document, advance any dates upon which payments of principal or interest are due thereon or change any of the covenants with respect thereto in a manner which is more restrictive to the Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries or (ii) change any event of default or condition to an event of default with respect thereto, change the redemption, prepayment or defeasance provisions thereof, change the subordination provisions thereof, or change any collateral therefor (other than to release such collateral), if (in the case of this <u>clause (b)(ii)</u>), the effect of such amendment or change, individually or together with all other amendments or changes made, is to increase the obligations of the obligor thereunder or to confer any additional rights on the holders of such Subordinated Debt, or any such Sub Debt Document (or a trustee or other representative on their behalf).

SECTION 7.2.11. <u>Transactions with Affiliates</u>. The Borrower will not, and will not permit any of its Subsidiaries to, enter into, or cause, suffer or permit to exist any arrangement or contract with any of their other Affiliates (other than any Obligor)

(a) unless (i) such arrangement or contract is fair and equitable to the Borrower or such Subsidiary and is an arrangement or contract of the kind which would be entered into by a prudent Person in the position of the Borrower or such Subsidiary with a Person which is not one of their Affiliates; and (ii) if such arrangement or contract involves an amount in excess of \$25,000,000, the terms of such arrangement or contract are set forth in writing and a majority of directors of the Borrower have determined in good faith that the criteria set forth in <u>clause (i)</u> are satisfied and have approved such arrangement or contract as evidenced by appropriate resolutions of the board of directors of the Borrower or the relevant Subsidiary; or (iii) such arrangement is set forth on Item 7.2.11 of the Disclosure Schedule; and

(b) except that, so long as no Default or Event of Default has occurred and is continuing or would be caused thereby, the Borrower and its Subsidiaries may pay (i) annual management, consulting, monitoring and advisory fees to The Invus Group, Ltd. in an aggregate total amount in any Fiscal Year not to exceed the greater of (x) 1.000,000 and (y) 1.0% of EBITDA for the relevant period, and any related out-of-pocket expenses and (ii) fees to The Invus Group, Ltd. and its Affiliates in connection with any acquisition or divestiture transaction entered into by the Borrower or any Subsidiary; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that the aggregate amount of fees paid to The Invus Group, Ltd. and its Affiliates in respect of any acquisition or divestiture transaction shall not exceed 1% of the total amount of such transaction.

SECTION 7.2.12. Negative Pledges, Restrictive Agreements, etc. The Borrower will not, and will not permit any of its Subsidiaries to, enter into any agreement (excluding (i) any restrictions existing under the Loan Documents or, in the case of <u>clauses (a)(i)</u> and (b), any other agreements in effect on the date hereof, (ii) in the case of <u>clauses (a)(i)</u> and (b), any restrictions with respect to a Subsidiary imposed pursuant to an agreement which has been entered into in connection with the sale or disposition of all or substantially all of the Capital Securities or assets of such Subsidiary pursuant to a transaction otherwise permitted hereby, (iii) in the case of <u>clause (a)</u>, restrictions in respect of Indebtedness secured by Liens permitted by <u>Section 7.2.3</u>, but only to the extent such restrictions apply to the assets encumbered thereby, (iv) in the case of <u>clause (a)</u>, restrictions under any Sub Debt Document, (v) any restrictions existing under any agreement that amends, refinances or replaces any agreement containing the restrictions referred to in <u>clause (i)</u>, (ii) or (iii) above or (vi) in the case of <u>clauses (a)(i)</u> and (b), any restrictions with respect to WW.com and its Subsidiaries imposed pursuant to the WW.com Debt Documents; <u>provided</u>, that the terms and conditions of any such agreement referred to in <u>clause (i)</u>, (ii) or (iii) are not materially less favorable to the Lenders or materially more restrictive to any Obligor a party thereto than those under the agreement so amended, refinanced or replaced) prohibiting

(a) the (i) creation or assumption of any Lien upon its properties, revenues or assets, whether now owned or hereafter acquired, or (ii) ability of the Borrower or any other Obligor to amend or otherwise modify this Agreement or any other Loan Document; or

(b) the ability of any Subsidiary to make any payments, directly or indirectly, to the Borrower by way of dividends, advances, repayments of loans or advances, reimbursements of management and other intercompany charges, expenses and accruals

or other returns on investments, or any other agreement or arrangement which restricts the ability of any such Subsidiary to make any payment, directly or indirectly, to the Borrower.

SECTION 7.2.13. <u>Stock of Subsidiaries</u>. The Borrower will not (other than in connection with a Permitted Acquisition or an Investment), and will not permit any of its Subsidiaries to issue any Capital Securities (whether for value or otherwise) to any Person other than the Borrower or another Wholly-owned Subsidiary of the Borrower except in connection with a Local Management Plan.

SECTION 7.2.14. <u>Sale and Leaseback</u>. The Borrower will not, and will not permit any of its Subsidiaries to, enter into any agreement or arrangement with any other Person providing for the leasing by the Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries of real or personal property which has been or is to be sold or transferred by the Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries to such other Person or to any other Person to whom funds have been or are to be advanced by such Person on the security of such property or rental obligations of the Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries.

SECTION 7.2.15. Fiscal Year. The Borrower will not and will not permit any of its Subsidiaries to change its Fiscal Year, unless such change brings the Fiscal Year of such Subsidiary into conformity with the Fiscal Year of the Borrower.

SECTION 7.2.16. <u>Designation of Senior Indebtedness</u>. The Borrower will not designate any Indebtedness (other than Indebtedness hereunder) as "Designated Senior Indebtedness" (or any analogous term) in any Sub Debt Document.

# ARTICLE VIII

#### [INTENTIONALLY OMITTED]

## ARTICLE IX

#### EVENTS OF DEFAULT

SECTION 9.1. Listing of Events of Default. Each of the following events or occurrences described in this Section 9.1 shall constitute an "Event of Default".

SECTION 9.1.1. <u>Non-Payment of Obligations</u>. The Borrower shall default in the payment or prepayment of any Reimbursement Obligation (including pursuant to <u>Sections 2.6</u> and <u>2.6.2</u>) on the applicable Disbursement Due Date or any deposit of cash for collateral purposes on the date required pursuant to <u>Section 2.6.4</u> or any principal of any Loan when due, or any Obligor (including the Borrower) shall default (and such default shall continue unremedied for a period of three Business Days) in the payment when due of any interest or commitment fee or of any other monetary Obligation.

SECTION 9.1.2. <u>Breach of Warranty</u>. Any representation or warranty of the Borrower or any other Obligor made or deemed to be made hereunder or in any other Loan Document

executed by it or any other writing or certificate furnished by or on behalf of the Borrower or any other Obligor to the Administrative Agent, the Issuer or any Lender for the purposes of or in connection with this Agreement or any such other Loan Document (including any certificates delivered pursuant to <u>Article V</u>) is or shall be incorrect when made in any material respect.

SECTION 9.1.3. <u>Non-Performance of Certain Covenants and Obligations</u>. The Borrower shall default in the due performance and observance of any of its obligations under <u>Section 7.1.9</u> or <u>Section 7.2</u>.

SECTION 9.1.4. <u>Non-Performance of Other Covenants and Obligations</u>. Any Obligor shall default in the due performance and observance of any other agreement contained herein or in any other Loan Document executed by it, and such default shall continue unremedied for a period of 30 days after notice thereof shall have been given to the Borrower by the Administrative Agent at the direction of the Required Lenders.

SECTION 9.1.5. <u>Default on Other Indebtedness</u>. A default shall occur (i) in the payment when due (subject to any applicable grace period), whether by acceleration or otherwise, of any Indebtedness, other than Indebtedness described in <u>Section 9.1.1</u>, of the Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries or any other Obligor having a principal amount, individually or in the aggregate, in excess of \$1,000,000, or (ii) in the performance or observance of any obligation or condition with respect to such Indebtedness having a principal amount, individually or in the aggregate, in excess of \$5,000,000 if the effect of such default is to accelerate the maturity of any such Indebtedness or such default shall continue unremedied for any applicable period of time sufficient to permit the holder or holders of such Indebtedness, or any trustee or agent for such holders, to cause such Indebtedness to become due and payable prior to its expressed maturity.

SECTION 9.1.6. Judgments. Any judgment or order for the payment of money in excess of \$1,000,000 (not covered by insurance from a responsible insurance company that is not denying its liability with respect thereto) shall be rendered against the Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries or any other Obligor and remain unpaid and either

(a) enforcement proceedings shall have been commenced by any creditor upon such judgment or order; or

(b) there shall be any period of 60 consecutive days during which a stay of enforcement of such judgment or order, by reason of a pending appeal or otherwise, shall not be in effect.

SECTION 9.1.7. Pension Plans. Any of the following events shall occur with respect to any Pension Plan:

(a) the termination of any Pension Plan if, as a result of such termination, the Borrower or any Subsidiary would be required to make a contribution to such Pension Plan, or would reasonably expect to incur a liability or obligation to such Pension Plan, in excess of \$5,000,000; or

(b) a contribution failure occurs with respect to any Pension Plan sufficient to give rise to a Lien under section 302(f) of ERISA in an amount in excess of \$5,000,000.

SECTION 9.1.8. Change in Control. Any Change in Control shall occur.

SECTION 9.1.9. <u>Bankruptcy, Insolvency, etc.</u> The Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries (other than any Immaterial Subsidiary or the Designated Subsidiary) or any other Obligor shall

(a) become insolvent or generally fail to pay, or admit in writing its inability or unwillingness to pay, debts as they become due;

(b) apply for, consent to, or acquiesce in, the appointment of a trustee, receiver, sequestrator or other custodian for the Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries or any other Obligor or any property of any thereof, or make a general assignment for the benefit of creditors;

(c) in the absence of such application, consent or acquiescence, permit or suffer to exist the appointment of a trustee, receiver, sequestrator or other custodian for the Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries or any other Obligor or for a substantial part of the property of any thereof, and such trustee, receiver, sequestrator or other custodian shall not be discharged within 60 days, <u>provided</u> that the Borrower or each Subsidiary and each other Obligor hereby expressly authorizes the Administrative Agent, the Issuer and each Lender to appear in any court conducting any relevant proceeding during such 60-day period to preserve, protect and defend their rights under the Loan Documents;

(d) permit or suffer to exist the commencement of any bankruptcy, reorganization, debt arrangement or other case or proceeding under any bankruptcy or insolvency law, or any dissolution, winding up or liquidation proceeding, in respect of the Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries or any other Obligor, and, if any such case or proceeding is not commenced by the Borrower or such Subsidiary or such other Obligor, such case or proceeding shall be consented to or acquiesced in by the Borrower or such Subsidiary or such other Obligor or shall result in the entry of an order for relief or shall remain for 60 days undismissed, <u>provided</u> that the Borrower, each Subsidiary and each other Obligor hereby expressly authorizes the Administrative Agent, the Issuer and each Lender to appear in any court conducting any such case or proceeding during such 60-day period to preserve, protect and defend their rights under the Loan Documents; or

(e) take any action (corporate or otherwise) authorizing, or in furtherance of, any of the foregoing.

SECTION 9.1.10. Impairment of Security, etc. Any Loan Document, or any Lien granted thereunder, shall (except in accordance with its terms), in whole or in part, terminate, cease to be in full force and effect or cease to be the legally valid, binding and enforceable obligation of any Obligor party thereto; the Borrower or any other Obligor shall, directly or indirectly, contest in any manner the effectiveness, validity, binding nature or enforceability thereof; or any Lien securing any Obligation shall, in whole or in part, cease to be a perfected first priority Lien, subject only to those exceptions expressly permitted by such Loan Document, except to the extent any event referred to above (a) results from the failure of the Administrative Agent to maintain possession of certificates representing securities pledged under the WWI Pledge Agreement or to file continuation statements under the Uniform Commercial Code of any

applicable jurisdiction or (b) is covered by a lender's title insurance policy and the relevant insurer promptly after the occurrence thereof shall have acknowledged in writing that the same is covered by such title insurance policy.

SECTION 9.1.11. <u>Subordinated Debt</u>. The subordination provisions relating to any Subordinated Debt (the "<u>Subordination</u> <u>Provisions</u>") shall fail to be enforceable by the Lenders (which have not effectively waived the benefits thereof) in accordance with the terms thereof, or the principal or interest on any Loan, Reimbursement Obligation or other monetary Obligations shall fail to constitute Senior Debt, or the same (or any other similar term) used to define the monetary Obligations.

SECTION 9.1.12. <u>Redemption</u>. Any holder of any Subordinated Debt shall file an action seeking the rescission thereof or damages or injunctive relief relating thereto; or any event shall occur which, under the terms of any agreement or indenture relating to Subordinated Debt, shall require the Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries to purchase, redeem or otherwise acquire or offer to purchase, redeem or otherwise acquire all or any portion of the principal amount of the Subordinated Debt (other than as provided under <u>Section 7.2.6</u>); or the Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries shall for any other reason purchase, redeem or otherwise acquire or offer to purchase, redeem or otherwise acquire, or make any other payments in respect of the principal amount of any such Subordinated Debt (other than as provided under <u>Section 7.2.6</u>).

SECTION 9.2. <u>Action if Bankruptcy, etc.</u> If any Event of Default described in <u>clauses (a)</u> through (d) of <u>Section 9.1.9</u> shall occur with respect to the Borrower, any Subsidiary or any other Obligor, the Commitments (if not theretofore terminated) shall automatically terminate and the outstanding principal amount of all outstanding Loans and all other Obligations shall automatically be and become immediately due and payable, without notice or demand.

SECTION 9.3. Action if Other Event of Default. If any Event of Default (other than any Event of Default described in <u>clauses (a)</u> through (d) of <u>Section 9.1.9</u> with respect to the Borrower or any Subsidiary or any other Obligor) shall occur for any reason, whether voluntary or involuntary, and be continuing, the Administrative Agent, upon the direction of the Required Lenders, shall by notice to the Borrower declare all or any portion of the outstanding principal amount of the Loans and other Obligations to be due and payable, require the Borrower to provide cash collateral to be deposited with the Administrative Agent in an amount equal to the Stated Amount of all issued Letters of Credit and/or declare the Commitments (if not theretofore terminated) to be terminated, whereupon the full unpaid amount of such Loans and other Obligations which shall be so declared due and payable shall be and become immediately due and payable, without further notice, demand or presentment, the Borrower shall deposit with the Administrative Agent cash collateral in an amount equal to the Stated Amount of all issued Letters of Credit and/or, as the case may be, the Commitments shall terminate.

## ARTICLE X

#### THE AGENTS

SECTION 10.1. Actions . Each Lender hereby appoints Scotia Capital as its Administrative Agent and as a Lead Agent and Book Manager under and for purposes of this Agreement, the Notes and each other Loan Document. Each Lender authorizes the Administrative Agent to act on behalf of such Lender under this Agreement, the Notes, and each other Loan Document and, in the absence of other written instructions from the Required Lenders received from time to time by the Administrative Agent (with respect to which the Administrative Agent agrees that it will comply, except as otherwise provided in this Section or as otherwise advised by counsel), to exercise such powers hereunder and thereunder as are specifically delegated to or required of the Administrative Agent by the terms hereof and thereof, together with such powers as may be reasonably incidental thereto. Each Lender hereby appoints JPM Chase as the Syndication Agent and JPM as a Lead Agent and Book Manager. Each Lender hereby indemnifies (which indemnity shall survive any termination of this Agreement) each Agent, ratably in accordance with their respective Term Loans outstanding and Commitments (or, if no Term Loans or Commitments are at the time outstanding and in effect, then ratably in accordance with the principal amount of Term Loans and their respective Commitments as in effect in each case on the date of the termination of this Agreement), from and against any and all liabilities, obligations, losses, damages, claims, costs or expenses of any kind or nature whatsoever which may at any time be imposed on, incurred by, or asserted against, the Agents in any way relating to or arising out of this Agreement, the Notes and any other Loan Document, including reasonable attorneys' fees, and as to which any Agent is not reimbursed by the Borrower or any other Obligor (and without limiting the obligation of the Borrower or any other Obligor to do so); provided, however, that no Lender shall be liable for the payment of any portion of such liabilities, obligations, losses, damages, claims, costs or expenses which are determined by a court of competent jurisdiction in a final proceeding to have resulted solely from an Agent's gross negligence or willful misconduct. The Agents shall not be required to take any action hereunder, under the Notes or under any other Loan Document, or to prosecute or defend any suit in respect of this Agreement, the Notes or any other Loan Document, unless it is indemnified hereunder to its satisfaction. If any indemnity in favor of the Agents shall be or become, in any Agent's determination, inadequate, any Agent may call for additional indemnification from the Lenders and cease to do the acts indemnified against hereunder until such additional indemnity is given. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Lead Arrangers and Book Managers shall have no duties, obligations or liabilities under any Loan Document.

SECTION 10.2. <u>Funding Reliance, etc.</u> Unless the Administrative Agent shall have been notified by telephone, confirmed in writing, by any Lender by 5:00 p.m., New York time, on the day prior to a Borrowing that such Lender will not make available the amount which would constitute its Percentage of such Borrowing on the date specified therefor, the Administrative Agent may assume that such Lender has made such amount available to the Administrative Agent and, in reliance upon such assumption, make available to the Borrower a corresponding amount. If and to the extent that such Lender shall not have made such amount available to the Administrative Agent, such Lender severally agrees and the Borrower agrees to repay the Administrative Agent forthwith on demand such corresponding amount together with

interest thereon, for each day from the date the Administrative Agent made such amount available to the Borrower to the date such amount is repaid to the Administrative Agent, at the interest rate applicable at the time to Loans comprising such Borrowing (in the case of the Borrower) and (in the case of a Lender), at the Federal Funds Rate (for the first two Business Days after which such amount has not been repaid, and thereafter at the interest rate applicable to Loans comprising such Borrowing.

SECTION 10.3. Exculpation. Neither any Agent nor any of their respective directors, officers, employees or agents shall be liable to any Lender for any action taken or omitted to be taken by it under this Agreement or any other Loan Document, or in connection herewith or therewith, except for its own willful misconduct or gross negligence, nor responsible for any recitals or warranties herein or therein, nor for the effectiveness, enforceability, validity or due execution of this Agreement or any other Loan Document, nor for the creation, perfection or priority of any Liens purported to be created by any of the Loan Documents, or the validity, genuineness, enforceability, existence, value or sufficiency of any collateral security, nor to make any inquiry respecting the performance by the Borrower of its obligations hereunder or under any other Loan Document. Any such inquiry which may be made by any Agent shall not obligate it to make any further inquiry or to take any action. The Agents shall be entitled to rely upon advice of counsel concerning legal matters and upon any notice, consent, certificate, statement or writing which the Agents believe to be genuine and to have been presented by a proper Person.

SECTION 10.4. Successor. The Syndication Agent may resign as such upon one Business Day's notice to the Borrower and the Administrative Agent. The Administrative Agent may resign as such at any time upon at least 30 days prior notice to the Borrower and all Lenders. If the Administrative Agent at any time shall resign, the Required Lenders may, with the prior consent of the Borrower (which consent shall not be unreasonably withheld), appoint another Lender as a successor Administrative Agent which shall thereupon become the Administrative Agent hereunder. If no successor Administrative Agent shall have been so appointed by the Required Lenders, and shall have accepted such appointment, within 30 days after the retiring Administrative Agent's giving notice of resignation, then the retiring Administrative Agent may, on behalf of the Lenders, appoint a successor Administrative Agent, which shall be one of the Lenders or a commercial banking institution organized under the laws of the U.S. (or any State thereof) or a U.S. branch or agency of a commercial banking institution, and having a combined capital and surplus of at least \$250,000,000; provided, however, that if, such retiring Administrative Agent is unable to find a commercial banking institution which is willing to accept such appointment and which meets the qualifications set forth in above, the retiring Administrative Agent's resignation shall nevertheless thereupon become effective and the Lenders shall assume and perform all of the duties of the Administrative Agent hereunder until such time, if any, as the Required Lenders appoint a successor as provided for above. Upon the acceptance of any appointment as Administrative Agent hereunder by a successor Administrative Agent, such successor Administrative Agent shall be entitled to receive from the retiring Administrative Agent such documents of transfer and assignment as such successor Administrative Agent may reasonably request, and shall thereupon succeed to and become vested with all rights, powers, privileges and duties of the retiring Administrative Agent, and the retiring Administrative Agent shall be discharged from its duties and obligations under this

Agreement. After any retiring Administrative Agent's resignation hereunder as the Administrative Agent, the provisions of

(a) this <u>Article X</u> shall inure to its benefit as to any actions taken or omitted to be taken by it while it was the Administrative Agent under this Agreement; and

(b) <u>Section 11.3 and Section 11.4 shall continue to inure to its benefit.</u>

SECTION 10.5. <u>Credit Extensions by each Agent</u>. Each Agent shall have the same rights and powers with respect to (x) the Credit Extensions made by it or any of its Affiliates, and (y) the Notes held by it or any of its Affiliates as any other Lender and may exercise the same as if it were not an Agent. Each Agent and its respective Affiliates may accept deposits from, lend money to, and generally engage in any kind of business with the Borrower or any Subsidiary or Affiliate of the Borrower, as if such Agent were not an Agent hereunder.

SECTION 10.6. <u>Credit Decisions</u>. Each Lender acknowledges that it has, independently of each Agent and each other Lender, and based on such Lender's review of the financial information of the Borrower, this Agreement, the other Loan Documents (the terms and provisions of which being satisfactory to such Lender) and such other documents, information and investigations as such Lender has deemed appropriate, made its own credit decision to extend its Commitments. Each Lender also acknowledges that it will, independently of each Agent and each other Lender, and based on such other documents, information and investigations as it shall deem appropriate at any time, continue to make its own credit decisions as to exercising or not exercising from time to time any rights and privileges available to it under this Agreement or any other Loan Document.

SECTION 10.7. <u>Copies, etc.</u> The Administrative Agent shall give prompt notice to each Lender of each notice or request required or permitted to be given to the Administrative Agent by the Borrower pursuant to the terms of this Agreement (unless concurrently delivered to the Lenders by the Borrower). The Administrative Agent will distribute to each Lender each document or instrument received for its account and copies of all other communications received by the Administrative Agent from the Borrower for distribution to the Lenders by the Administrative Agent in accordance with the terms of this Agreement.

SECTION 10.8. <u>Reliance by the Administrative Agent</u>. The Administrative Agent shall be entitled to rely upon any certification, notice or other communication (including any thereof by telephone, telecopy, telegram or cable) believed by it to be genuine and correct and to have been signed or sent by or on behalf of the proper Person, and upon advice and statements of legal counsel, independent accountants and other experts selected by the Administrative Agent. As to any matters not expressly provided for by this Agreement or any other Loan Document, the Administrative Agent shall in all cases be fully protected in acting, or in refraining from acting, hereunder or thereunder in accordance with instructions given by the Required Lenders or all of the Lenders as is required in such circumstance, and such instructions of such Lenders and any action taken or failure to act pursuant thereto shall be binding on all of the Lenders. For purposes of applying amounts in accordance with this Section, the Administrative Agent shall be entitled to rely upon any Secured Party that has entered into a Rate Protection Agreement with any Obligor for a determination (which such Secured Party agrees to provide or cause to be

provided upon request of the Administrative Agent) of the outstanding Secured Obligations owed to such Secured Party under any Rate Protection Agreement. Unless it has actual knowledge evidenced by way of written notice from any such Secured Party and the Borrower to the contrary, the Administrative Agent, in acting hereunder and under each other Loan Document, shall be entitled to assume that no Rate Protection Agreements or Obligations in respect thereof are in existence or outstanding between any Secured Party and any Obligor.

SECTION 10.9. <u>Defaults</u>. The Administrative Agent shall not be deemed to have knowledge or notice of the occurrence of a Default unless the Administrative Agent has received notice from a Lender or the Borrower specifying such Default and stating that such notice is a "Notice of Default". In the event that the Administrative Agent receives such a notice of the occurrence of a Default, the Administrative Agent shall give prompt notice thereof to the Lenders. The Administrative Agent shall (subject to <u>Section 11.1</u>) take such action with respect to such Default as shall be directed by the Required Lenders; <u>provided</u>, <u>that</u> unless and until the Administrative Agent shall have received such directions, the Administrative Agent may (but shall not be obligated to) take such action, or refrain from taking such action, with respect to such Default as it shall deem advisable in the best interest of the Lenders except to the extent that this Agreement expressly requires that such action be taken, or not be taken, only with the consent or upon the authorization of the Required Lenders.

#### ARTICLE XI

#### MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

SECTION 11.1. <u>Waivers, Amendments, etc.</u> The provisions of this Agreement and of each other Loan Document may from time to time be amended, modified or waived, if such amendment, modification or waiver is in writing and consented to by the Borrower and the Required Lenders; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that no such amendment, modification or waiver shall:

(a) modify <u>Section 4.8</u> (as it relates to sharing of payments) or this <u>Section 11.1</u>, in each case, without the consent of all Lenders;

(b) increase any Lender's Percentage of any Commitment Amount, increase the aggregate amount of any Loans to be made by a Lender pursuant to its Commitments, extend the Revolving Loan Commitment Termination Date of Credit Extensions made (or participated in) by a Lender or reduce any fees described in <u>Article III</u> payable to any Lender without the consent of such Lender;

(c) extend the final Stated Maturity Date for any Lender's Loan, or reduce the principal amount of or rate of interest on any Lender's Loan or extend the date on which scheduled payments of principal, or payments of interest or fees are payable in respect of any Lender's Loans, in each case, without the consent of such Lender (it being understood and agreed, however, that any vote to rescind any acceleration made pursuant to <u>Section 9.2</u> and <u>Section 9.3</u> of amounts owing with respect to the Loans and other Obligations shall only require the vote of the Required Lenders);

(d) reduce the percentage set forth in the definition of "Required Lenders" or any requirement hereunder that any particular action be taken by all Lenders without the consent of all Lenders;

(e) increase the Stated Amount of any Letter of Credit, unless consented to by the Issuer of such Letter of Credit, or extend the Stated Expiry Date of any Letter of Credit to a date which is subsequent to the Revolving Loan Commitment Termination Date, unless consented to by the Issuer of such Letter of Credit and all Revolving Lenders;

(f) except as otherwise expressly provided in this Agreement or another Loan Document, release (i) any Guarantor from its obligations under a Guaranty other than in connection with a Disposition of all or substantially all of the Capital Securities of such Guarantor in a transaction permitted by <u>Section 7.2.9</u> as in effect from time to time or (ii) all or substantially all of the collateral under the Loan Documents, in either case without the consent of all Lenders;

(g) change any of the terms of <u>clause (c)</u> of <u>Section 2.1.4</u> or <u>Section 2.3.2</u> without the consent of the Swing Line Lender; or

(h) affect adversely the interests, rights or obligations of the Administrative Agent (in its capacity as the Administrative Agent), the Syndication Agent (in its capacity as the Syndication Agent) or any Issuer (in its capacity as Issuer), unless consented to by the Administrative Agent, the Syndication Agent or such Issuer, as the case may be.

No failure or delay on the part of the Administrative Agent, the Syndication Agent, any Issuer or any Lender in exercising any power or right under this Agreement or any other Loan Document shall operate as a waiver thereof, nor shall any single or partial exercise of any such power or right preclude any other or further exercise thereof or the exercise of any other power or right. No notice to or demand on the Borrower or any other Obligor in any case shall entitle it to any notice or demand in similar or other circumstances. No waiver or approval by the Administrative Agent, the Syndication Agent, any Issuer or any Lender under this Agreement or any other Loan Document shall, except as may be otherwise stated in such waiver or approval, be applicable to subsequent transactions. No waiver or approval hereunder shall require any similar or dissimilar waiver or approval thereafter to be granted hereunder.

SECTION 11.2. <u>Notices</u>. All notices and other communications provided to any party hereto under this Agreement or any other Loan Document shall be in writing or by facsimile and addressed, delivered or transmitted to such party at its address or facsimile number set forth on <u>Schedule III</u> hereto or set forth in the Lender Assignment Agreement or at such other address or facsimile number as may be designated by such party in a notice to the other parties. Any notice, if mailed and properly addressed with postage prepaid or if properly addressed and sent by pre-paid courier service, shall be deemed given when received; any notice, if transmitted by facsimile, shall be deemed given when transmitted (telephonic confirmation in the case of facsimile).

SECTION 11.3. <u>Payment of Costs and Expenses</u>. The Borrower agrees to pay on demand all reasonable expenses of the Administrative Agent (including the reasonable fees and out-of-pocket expenses of Mayer, Brown, Rowe & Maw LLP, special New York counsel to the Administrative Agent and of local counsel, if any, who may be retained by counsel to the Administrative Agent) in connection with:

(a) the syndication by the Agents of the Loans, the negotiation, preparation, execution and delivery of this Agreement and of each other Loan Document, including schedules and exhibits, and any amendments, waivers, consents, supplements or other modifications to this Agreement or any other Loan Document as may from time to time hereafter be required, whether or not the transactions contemplated thereby are consummated;

(b) the filing, recording, refiling or rerecording of each Mortgage, each Pledge Agreement and each Security Agreement and/or any Uniform Commercial Code financing statements or other instruments relating thereto and all amendments, supplements and modifications to any thereof and any and all other documents or instruments of further assurance required to be filed or recorded or refiled or rerecorded by the terms hereof or of such Mortgage, Pledge Agreement or Security Agreement; and

(c) Document.

the preparation and review of the form of any document or instrument relevant to this Agreement or any other Loan

The Borrower further agrees to pay, and to save each Agent, the Issuer and the Lenders harmless from all liability for, any stamp or other similar taxes which may be payable in connection with the execution or delivery of this Agreement, the Credit Extensions made hereunder, or the issuance of the Notes and Letters of Credit or any other Loan Documents. The Borrower also agrees to reimburse the Administrative Agent, the Issuer and each Lender upon demand for all reasonable out-of-pocket expenses (including attorneys' fees and legal expenses) incurred by the Administrative Agent, the Issuer or such Lender in connection with (x) the negotiation of any restructuring or "work-out", whether or not consummated, of any Obligations and (y) the enforcement of any Obligations.

SECTION 11.4. <u>Indemnification</u>. In consideration of the execution and delivery of this Agreement by each Lender and the extension of the Commitments, the Borrower hereby indemnifies, exonerates and holds the Administrative Agent, the Syndication Agent, the Issuer and each Lender and each of their respective Affiliates, and each of their respective partners, officers, directors, employees and agents, and each other Person controlling any of the foregoing within the meaning of either Section 15 of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or Section 20 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (collectively, the "<u>Indemnified Parties</u>"), free and harmless from and against any and all actions, causes of action, suits, losses, costs, liabilities, obligations, claims and damages, and expenses actually incurred in connection therewith (irrespective of whether any such Indemnified Party is a party to the action for which indemnification hereunder is sought), including reasonable attorneys' fees and disbursements (collectively, the "<u>Indemnified Liabilities</u>"), incurred by the Indemnified Parties or any of them as a result of, or arising out of, or relating to

(a) any transaction financed or to be financed in whole or in part, directly or indirectly, with the proceeds of any Credit Extension;

(b) the entering into and performance of this Agreement and any other Loan Document by any of the Indemnified Parties (including any action brought by or on behalf of the Borrower as the result of any determination by the Required Lenders pursuant to <u>Article V</u> not to make any Credit Extension);

(c) any investigation, litigation or proceeding related to any acquisition or proposed acquisition by the Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries of all or any portion of the stock or assets of any Person, whether or not the Administrative Agent, the Syndication Agent, the Issuer or such Lender is party thereto;

(d) any investigation, litigation or proceeding related to any environmental cleanup, audit, compliance or other matter relating to the protection of the environment or the Release by the Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries of any Hazardous Material;

(e) the presence on or under, or the escape, seepage, leakage, spillage, discharge, emission, discharging or releases from, any real property owned or operated by the Borrower or any Subsidiary thereof of any Hazardous Material present on or under such property in a manner giving rise to liability at or prior to the time the Borrower or such Subsidiary owned or operated such property (including any losses, liabilities, damages, injuries, costs, expenses or claims asserted or arising under any Environmental Law), regardless of whether caused by, or within the control of, the Borrower or such Subsidiary; or

(f) each Lender's Environmental Liability (the indemnification herein shall survive repayment of the Notes and any transfer of the property of the Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries by foreclosure or by a deed in lieu of foreclosure for any Lender's Environmental Liability, regardless of whether caused by, or within the control of, the Borrower or such Subsidiary);

except for any such Indemnified Liabilities arising for the account of a particular Indemnified Party by reason of the relevant Indemnified Party's gross negligence or willful misconduct. The Borrower and its permitted successors and assigns hereby waive, release and agree not to make any claim, or bring any cost recovery action against, the Administrative Agent, the Syndication Agent, the Issuer or any Lender under CERCLA or any state equivalent, or any similar law now existing or hereafter enacted, except to the extent arising out of the gross negligence or willful misconduct of any Indemnified Party. It is expressly understood and agreed that to the extent that any of such Persons is strictly liable under any Environmental Laws, the Borrower's obligation to such Person under this indemnity shall likewise be without regard to fault on the part of the Borrower with respect to the violation or condition which results in liability of such Person. If and to the extent that the foregoing undertaking may be unenforceable for any reason, the Borrower hereby agrees to make the maximum contribution to the payment and satisfaction of each of the Indemnified Liabilities which is permissible under applicable law.

SECTION 11.5. <u>Survival</u>. The obligations of the Borrower under <u>Sections 4.3, 4.4, 4.5, 4.6, 11.3</u> and <u>11.4</u>, and the obligations of the Lenders under <u>Sections 4.8</u> and <u>10.1</u>, shall in each case survive any termination of this Agreement, the payment in full of all Obligations, the termination or expiration of all Letters of Credit and the termination of all Commitments. The representations and warranties made by the Borrower and each other Obligor in this Agreement and in each other Loan Document shall survive the execution and delivery of this Agreement and each such other Loan Document.

SECTION 11.6. <u>Severability</u>. Any provision of this Agreement or any other Loan Document which is prohibited or unenforceable in any jurisdiction shall, as to such provision and such jurisdiction, be ineffective to the extent of such prohibition or unenforceability without invalidating the remaining provisions of this Agreement or such Loan Document or affecting the validity or enforceability of such provision in any other jurisdiction.

SECTION 11.7. <u>Headings</u>. The various headings of this Agreement and of each other Loan Document are inserted for convenience only and shall not affect the meaning or interpretation of this Agreement or such other Loan Document or any provisions hereof or thereof.

SECTION 11.8. <u>Execution in Counterparts; Effectiveness</u>. This Agreement may be executed by the parties hereto in several counterparts each of which shall be deemed to be an original and all of which shall constitute together but one and the same agreement. This Agreement shall become effective when counterparts hereof executed on behalf of the Borrower, the Agents and each Lender (or notice thereof satisfactory to the Administrative Agent), shall have been received by the Administrative Agent.

SECTION 11.9. Governing Law; Entire Agreement. THIS AGREEMENT, THE NOTES AND EACH OTHER LOAN DOCUMENT (OTHER THAN THE LETTERS OF CREDIT, TO THE EXTENT SPECIFIED BELOW AND EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE EXPRESSLY SET FORTH IN A LOAN DOCUMENT), INCLUDING PROVISIONS WITH RESPECT TO INTEREST, LOAN CHARGES AND COMMITMENT FEES, SHALL EACH BE DEEMED TO BE A CONTRACT MADE UNDER AND GOVERNED BY THE INTERNAL LAWS OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK (INCLUDING FOR SUCH PURPOSE SECTIONS 5-1401 AND 5-1402 OF THE GENERAL OBLIGATIONS LAW OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK). EACH LETTER OF CREDIT SHALL BE GOVERNED BY, AND CONSTRUED IN ACCORDANCE WITH, THE LAWS OR RULES DESIGNATED IN SUCH LETTER OF CREDIT, OR IF NO LAWS OR RULES ARE DESIGNATED, THE INTERNATIONAL STANDBY PRACTICES (ISP98—INTERNATIONAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE PUBLICATION NUMBER 590 (THE "ISP RULES ")) AND, AS TO MATTERS NOT GOVERNED BY THE ISP RULES, THE INTERNAL LAWS OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK. This Agreement and the other Loan Documents constitute the entire understanding among the parties hereto with respect to the subject matter hereof and supersede any prior agreements, written or oral, with respect thereto.

SECTION 11.10. <u>Successors and Assigns</u>. This Agreement shall be binding upon and shall inure to the benefit of the parties hereto and their respective successors and assigns; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that:

(a) the Borrower may not assign or transfer its rights or obligations hereunder without the prior written consent of the Administrative Agent and all Lenders; and

(b) the rights of sale, assignment and transfer of the Lenders are subject to <u>Section 11.11</u>.

SECTION 11.11. <u>Sale and Transfer of Loans and Notes</u>; <u>Participations in Loans and Notes</u>. Each Lender may assign, or sell participations in, its Loans, Letters of Credit and Commitments to one or more other Persons, on a non <u>pro rata</u> basis, in accordance with this <u>Section 11.11</u>.

SECTION 11.11.1. Assignments. Any Lender,

(a) with the written consents of the Borrower and the Administrative Agent (which consents shall not be unreasonably delayed or withheld and which consent, in the case of the Borrower, shall be deemed to have been given in the absence of a written notice delivered by the Borrower to the Administrative Agent, on or before the fifth Business Day after receipt by the Borrower of such Lender's request for such consent), may at any time assign and delegate to one or more commercial banks or other financial institutions; and

(b) with notice to the Borrower and the Administrative Agent, but without the consent of the Borrower or the Administrative Agent, may assign and delegate to any of its Affiliates, Related Fund or to any other Lender,

(each Person described in either of the foregoing clauses as being the Person to whom such assignment and delegation is to be made, being hereinafter referred to as an "<u>Assignee Lender</u>"), all or any fraction of such Lender's total Loans, participations in Letters of Credit and Letter of Credit Outstandings with respect thereto and Commitments in a minimum aggregate amount of \$1,000,000 or the then remaining amount of a Lender's type of Loan or Commitment; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that (i) with respect to assignments of Revolving Loans, the assigning Lender must assign a <u>pro rata</u> portion of each of its Revolving Loan Commitments, Revolving Loans and interest in Letters of Credit Outstandings, (ii) the Administrative Agent, in its own discretion, or by instruction from the Issuer, may refuse acceptance of an assignment of Revolving Loans and Revolving Loan Commitments to a Person not satisfying long-term certificate of deposit ratings published by S&P or Moody's, of at least BBB- or Baa3, respectively, or (unless otherwise agreed to by the Issuer), if such assignment would, pursuant to any applicable laws, rules or regulations, be binding on the Issuer, result in a reduced rate of return to the Issuer or require the Issuer to set aside capital in an amount that is greater than that which is required to be set aside for other Lenders participating in the Letters of Credit, and (iii) such minimum assignment amounts shall not apply to assignments among Lenders, their Affiliates and Related Funds; <u>provided</u>, <u>further</u>, that any such Assignee Lender will comply, if applicable, with the provisions contained in <u>Section 4.6</u> and the Borrower, each other Obligor and the Administrative Agent shall be entitled to continue to deal solely and directly with such Lender in connection with the interests so assigned and delegated to an Assignee Lender until

(i) written notice of such assignment and delegation, together with payment instructions, addresses and related information with respect to such Assignee Lender, shall have been given to the Borrower and the Administrative Agent by such Lender and such Assignee Lender;

(ii) such Lender and such Assignee Lender shall have executed and delivered to the Borrower and the Administrative Agent a Lender Assignment Agreement, accepted by the Administrative Agent; and

(iii) the processing fees described below shall have been paid.

From and after the date that the Administrative Agent accepts such Lender Assignment Agreement and records the information contained therein in the Register pursuant to Section 11.11.3, (x) the Assignee Lender thereunder shall be deemed automatically to have become a party hereto and to the extent that rights and obligations hereunder have been assigned and delegated to such Assignee Lender in connection with such Lender Assignment Agreement shall have the rights and obligations of a Lender hereunder and under the other Loan Documents, and (y) the assignor Lender, to the extent that rights and obligations hereunder have been assigned and delegated by it in connection with such Lender Assignment Agreement, shall be released from its obligations hereunder and under the other Loan Documents. Within ten Business Days after its receipt of notice that the Administrative Agent has received an executed Lender Assignment Agreement, the Borrower shall execute and deliver to the Administrative Agent (for delivery to the relevant Assignee Lender), to the extent required by the Assignee Lender, new Notes evidencing such Assignee Lender's assigned Loans and Commitments and, if the assignor Lender has retained Loans and Commitments hereunder, replacement Notes in the principal amount of the Loans and Commitments, as the case may be, retained by the assignor Lender hereunder (such Notes to be in exchange for, but not in payment of, those Notes, then held by such assignor Lender). Each such Note shall be dated the date of the predecessor Notes. The assignor Lender shall mark the predecessor Notes "exchanged" and deliver them to the Borrower. Accrued interest on that part of the predecessor Notes evidenced by the new Notes and accrued fees, shall be paid as provided in the Lender Assignment Agreement. Accrued interest on that part of the predecessor Notes evidenced by the replacement Notes shall be paid to the assignor Lender. Accrued interest and accrued fees shall be paid at the same time or times provided in the predecessor Notes and in this Agreement. Such assignor Lender or such Assignee Lender must also pay a processing fee to the Administrative Agent upon delivery of any Lender Assignment Agreement, in the amount of \$3,500, unless such assignment and delegation is by a Lender to its Affiliate or if such assignment and delegation is by a Lender to the Federal Reserve Bank or other creditor, as provided below; provided however that for purposes of paying such processing fee, same-day assignments to Affiliates and/or Related Funds of a Lender shall be treated as a single assignment. Any attempted assignment and delegation not made in accordance with this Section 11.11.1 shall be null and void.

Notwithstanding any other term of this <u>Section 11.11.1</u>, the agreement of the Swing Line Lender to provide the Swing Line Loan Commitment shall not impair or otherwise restrict in any manner the ability of the Swing Line Lender to make any assignment of its Loans or Commitments, it being understood and agreed that the Swing Line Lender may terminate its Swing Line Loan Commitment, to the extent such Swing Line Commitment would exceed its

Revolving Loan Commitment after giving effect to such assignment, in connection with the making of any assignment. Nothing contained in this <u>Section 11.11.1</u> shall restrict or prohibit any Lender from pledging its rights (but not its obligations to make Loans) under this Agreement and/or its Loans and/or its Notes hereunder to a Federal Reserve Bank (or in the case of a Lender which is a fund, to the trustee of, or other Eligible Institution affiliated with, such fund for the benefit of its investors) or other creditor in support of borrowings made by such Lender from such Federal Reserve Bank or other creditor.

In the event that S&P or Moody's shall, after the date that any Lender with a Commitment to make Revolving Loans or participate in Letters of Credit or Swing Line Loans becomes a Lender, downgrade the long-term certificate of deposit rating or long-term senior unsecured debt rating of such Lender, and the resulting rating shall be below BBB- or Baa3, then each of the Issuer and (if different) the Swing Line Lender shall have the right, but not the obligation, upon notice to such Lender and the Administrative Agent, to replace such Lender with an Assignee Lender in accordance with and subject to the restrictions contained in this Section, and such Lender hereby agrees to transfer and assign without recourse (in accordance with and subject to the restrictions contained in this Section) all its interests, rights and obligations in respect of its Revolving Loan Commitment under this Agreement to such Assignee Lender; provided, however, that (i) no such assignment shall conflict with any law, rule and regulation or order of any governmental authority and (ii) such Assignee Lender shall pay to such Lender in immediately available funds on the date of such assignment the principal of and interest and fees (if any) accrued to the date of payment on the Loans made, and Letters of Credit participated in, by such Lender hereunder and all other amounts accrued for such Lender's account or owed to it hereunder.

SECTION 11.11.2. Participations.

(a) Any Lender may at any time sell to one or more commercial banks or other Persons (each of such commercial banks and other Persons being herein called a "<u>Participant</u>") participating interests in any of the Loans, Commitments, or other interests of such Lender hereunder; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that

(i) no participation contemplated in this Section shall relieve such Lender from its Commitments or its other obligations hereunder or under any other Loan Document;

(ii) such Lender shall remain solely responsible for the performance of its Commitments and such other obligations;

(iii) the Borrower and each other Obligor and the Administrative Agent shall continue to deal solely and directly with such Lender in connection with such Lender's rights and obligations under this Agreement and each of the other Loan Documents;

(iv) no Participant, unless such Participant is an Affiliate of such Lender, or Related Fund or is itself a Lender, shall be entitled to require such Lender to take or refrain from taking any action hereunder or under any other

Loan Document, except that such Lender may agree with any Participant that such Lender will not, without such Participant's consent, take any action of the type described in <u>clause (a)</u>, (b), (f) or, to the extent requiring the consent of each Lender, <u>clause (c)</u> of <u>Section 11.1</u>; and

(v) the Borrower shall not be required to pay any amount under this Agreement that is greater than the amount which it would have been required to pay had no participating interest been sold.

The Borrower acknowledges and agrees, subject to <u>clause (v)</u> above, that each Participant, for purposes of <u>Sections 4.3, 4.4, 4.5, 4.6, 4.8, 4.9, 11.3</u> and <u>11.4</u>, shall be considered a Lender. Each Participant shall only be indemnified for increased costs pursuant to <u>Section 4.3, 4.5</u> or <u>4.6</u> if and to the extent that the Lender which sold such participating interest to such Participant concurrently is entitled to make, and does make, a claim on the Borrower for such increased costs. Any Lender that sells a participating interest in any Loan, Commitment or other interest to a Participant under this Section shall indemnify and hold harmless the Borrower and the Administrative Agent from and against any taxes, penalties, interest or other costs or losses (including reasonable attorneys' fees and expenses) incurred or payable by the Borrower or the Administrative Agent as a result of the failure of the Borrower or the Administrative Agent to comply with its obligations to deduct or withhold any taxes from any payments made pursuant to this Agreement to such Lender or the Administrative Agent, as the case may be, which taxes would not have been incurred or payable if such Participant had been a Non-U.S. Lender that was entitled to deliver to the Borrower, the Administrative Agent or such Lender, and did in fact so deliver, a duly completed and valid (x) Internal Revenue Service Form W-8BEN or (y) Internal Revenue Service Form W-8BEN or applicable successor form) entitling such Participant to receive payments under this Agreement without deduction or withholding of any United States federal taxes.

SECTION 11.11.3. <u>Register</u>. The Borrower hereby designates the Administrative Agent to serve as the Borrower's agent, and the Administrative Agent hereby accepts such designation, solely for the purpose of this Section, to maintain a register (the "<u>Register</u>") on which the Administrative Agent will record each Lender's Commitment, the Loans made by each Lender and the Notes evidencing such Loans, and each repayment in respect of the principal amount of the Loans of each Lender and annexed to which the Administrative Agent shall retain a copy of each Lender Assignment Agreement delivered to the Administrative Agent pursuant to this Section. Failure to make any recordation, or any error in such recordation, shall not affect the Borrower's or any other Obligor's Obligations in respect of such Loans or Notes. The entries in the Register shall be conclusive, in the absence of manifest error, and the Borrower, the Administrative Agent and the Lenders shall treat each Person in whose name a Loan and related Note is registered as the owner thereof for all purposes of this Agreement, notwithstanding notice or any provision herein to the contrary. A Lender's Commitment and the Loans made pursuant thereto and the Notes evidencing such Loans may be assigned or otherwise transferred in whole or in part only by registration of such assignment or transfer in the Register. Any assignment or transfer of a Lender's Commitment or the Loans or the Notes evidencing such Loans made pursuant thereto shall be registered in the Register only upon delivery to the Administrative Agent of a Lender Assignment Agreement duly executed by the assignor thereof. No assignment or transfer of a Lender's Commitment or Loans or the Notes evidencing such

Loans shall be effective unless such assignment or transfer shall have been recorded in the Register by the Administrative Agent as provided in this Section. No Lender Assignment Agreement shall be effective until recorded in the Register. Upon its receipt of a Lender Assignment Agreement duly executed by the assigning Lender, the Assignee Lender and any other Person whose consent or acknowledgement is required pursuant to Section 11.11.1, the Administrative Agent shall promptly (i) accept such Lender Assignment Agreement and (ii) record the information contained therein in the Register.

SECTION 11.12. <u>Other Transactions</u>. Nothing contained herein shall preclude the Administrative Agent, the Issuer or any other Lender from engaging in any transaction, in addition to those contemplated by this Agreement or any other Loan Document, the Borrower or any of its Affiliates in which the Borrower or such Affiliate is not restricted hereby from engaging with any other Person.

SECTION 11.13. Forum Selection and Consent to Jurisdiction . ANY LITIGATION BASED HEREON, OR ARISING OUT OF. UNDER, OR IN CONNECTION WITH, THIS AGREEMENT OR ANY OTHER LOAN DOCUMENT, OR ANY COURSE OF CONDUCT, COURSE OF DEALING, STATEMENTS (WHETHER ORAL OR WRITTEN) OR ACTIONS OF THE ADMINISTRATIVE AGENT, THE SYNDICATION AGENT, THE LENDERS, ANY ISSUER OR THE BORROWER IN CONNECTION HEREWITH OR THEREWITH SHALL BE BROUGHT AND MAINTAINED EXCLUSIVELY IN THE COURTS OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK OR IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK; PROVIDED, HOWEVER, THAT ANY SUIT SEEKING ENFORCEMENT AGAINST ANY COLLATERAL OR OTHER PROPERTY MAY BE BROUGHT, AT THE ADMINISTRATIVE AGENT'S OPTION, IN THE COURTS OF ANY JURISDICTION WHERE SUCH COLLATERAL OR OTHER PROPERTY MAY BE FOUND. THE BORROWER IRREVOCABLY CONSENTS TO THE SERVICE OF PROCESS BY REGISTERED MAIL, POSTAGE PREPAID, OR BY PERSONAL SERVICE WITHIN OR WITHOUT THE STATE OF NEW YORK AT THE ADDRESS FOR NOTICES SPECIFIED IN SECTION 11.2. THE BORROWER HEREBY EXPRESSLY AND IRREVOCABLY WAIVES, TO THE FULLEST EXTENT PERMITTED BY LAW, ANY OBJECTION WHICH IT MAY HAVE OR HEREAFTER MAY HAVE TO THE LAYING OF VENUE OF ANY SUCH LITIGATION BROUGHT IN ANY SUCH COURT REFERRED TO ABOVE AND ANY CLAIM THAT ANY SUCH LITIGATION HAS BEEN BROUGHT IN AN INCONVENIENT FORUM. TO THE EXTENT THAT THE BORROWER HAS OR HEREAFTER MAY ACQUIRE ANY IMMUNITY FROM JURISDICTION OF ANY COURT OR FROM ANY LEGAL PROCESS (WHETHER THROUGH SERVICE OR NOTICE, ATTACHMENT PRIOR TO JUDGMENT, ATTACHMENT IN AID OF EXECUTION OR OTHERWISE) WITH RESPECT TO ITSELF OR ITS PROPERTY, THE BORROWER HEREBY IRREVOCABLY WAIVES TO THE FULLEST EXTENT PERMITTED BY LAW SUCH IMMUNITY IN RESPECT OF ITS OBLIGATIONS UNDER THIS AGREEMENT AND THE OTHER LOAN DOCUMENTS.

SECTION 11.14. <u>Waiver of Jury Trial</u>. THE ADMINISTRATIVE AGENT, THE SYNDICATION AGENT, EACH LENDER, EACH ISSUER AND THE BORROWER HEREBY KNOWINGLY, VOLUNTARILY AND INTENTIONALLY WAIVES TO THE FULLEST EXTENT PERMITTED BY LAW ANY RIGHTS IT MAY HAVE TO A TRIAL BY

JURY IN RESPECT OF ANY LITIGATION BASED HEREON, OR ARISING OUT OF, UNDER, OR IN CONNECTION WITH, THIS AGREEMENT OR ANY OTHER LOAN DOCUMENT, OR ANY COURSE OF CONDUCT, COURSE OF DEALING, STATEMENTS (WHETHER ORAL OR WRITTEN) OR ACTIONS OF THE ADMINISTRATIVE AGENT, THE SYNDICATION AGENT, SUCH LENDER, SUCH ISSUER OR THE BORROWER IN CONNECTION HEREWITH OR THEREWITH. THE BORROWER ACKNOWLEDGES AND AGREES THAT IT HAS RECEIVED FULL AND SUFFICIENT CONSIDERATION FOR THIS PROVISION (AND EACH OTHER PROVISION OF EACH OTHER LOAN DOCUMENT TO WHICH IT IS A PARTY) AND THAT THIS PROVISION IS A MATERIAL INDUCEMENT FOR THE ADMINISTRATIVE AGENT, THE SYNDICATION AGENT, EACH LENDER AND EACH ISSUER ENTERING INTO THIS AGREEMENT AND EACH SUCH OTHER LOAN DOCUMENT.

SECTION 11.15. <u>Confidentiality</u>. The Lenders shall hold all non-public information obtained pursuant to or in connection with this Agreement or obtained by such Lender based on a review of the books and records of the Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries in accordance with their customary procedures for handling confidential information of this nature, but may make disclosure to any of their examiners, Affiliates, outside auditors, counsel and other professional advisors or to any direct or indirect contractual counterparty in swap agreements or such contractual counterparty's professional advisor (so long as such contractual counterparty or professional advisor to such contractual counterparty agrees to be bound by the provisions of this Section) in connection with this Agreement or as reasonably required by any potential <u>bona fide</u> transferee, participant or assignee, or in connection with the exercise of remedies under a Loan Document, or as requested by any governmental agency or representative thereof or pursuant to legal process or to any quasi-regulatory authority (including the National Association of Insurance Commissioners); provided, however, that:

(a) unless specifically prohibited by applicable law or court order, each Lender shall notify the Borrower of any request by any governmental agency or representative thereof (other than any such request in connection with an examination of the financial condition of such Lender by such governmental agency) for disclosure of any such non-public information prior to disclosure of such information;

(b) prior to any such disclosure pursuant to this <u>Section 11.15</u>, each Lender shall require any such potential transferee, participant and assignee receiving a disclosure of non-public information to agree in writing

(i) to be bound by this <u>Section 11.15</u>; and

(ii) to require such Person to require any other Person to whom such Person discloses such non-public information to be similarly bound by this <u>Section 11.15</u>; and

(c) except as may be required by an order of a court of competent jurisdiction and to the extent set forth therein, no Lender shall be obligated or required to return any materials furnished by the Borrower or any Subsidiary.

Notwithstanding the foregoing paragraphs of this Section, any party to this Agreement (and each Affiliate, director, officer, employee, agent or representative of the foregoing or such Affiliate) may disclose to any and all persons, without limitation of any kind, the tax treatment and tax structure of the transactions contemplated herein and all materials of any kind (including opinions or other tax analyses) that are provided to such party relating to such tax treatment or tax structure . The foregoing language is not intended to waive any confidentiality obligations otherwise applicable under this Agreement except with respect to the information and materials specifically referenced in the preceding sentence. This authorization does not extend to disclosure of any other information, including (a) the identity of participants or potential participants in the transactions contemplated herein, (b) the existence or status of any negotiations, or (c) any financial, business, legal or personal information of or regarding a party or its affiliates, or of or regarding any participants or potential participants in the transactions contemplated herein, is each case to the extent such other information is not related to the tax treatment or tax structure of the transactions contemplated herein.

SECTION 11.16. Judgment Currency. If, for the purpose of obtaining judgment in any court, it is necessary to convert a sum due hereunder, under any Note or under any other Loan Document in another currency into U.S. Dollars or into a Foreign Currency, as the case may be, the parties hereto agree, to the fullest extent that they may effectively do so, that the rate of exchange used shall be that at which, in accordance with normal banking procedures, the applicable Secured Party could purchase such other currency with U.S. Dollars or with such Foreign Currency, as the case may be, in New York City, at the close of business on the Business Day immediately preceding the day on which final judgment is given, together with any premiums and costs of exchange payable in connection with such purchase.

SECTION 11.17. Release of Security Interests.

(a) As of the Effective Date, the Administrative Agent hereby releases (and is hereby irrevocably authorized by each Lender (without requirement of notice to or consent of any Lender) to release) and agrees to take any action requested by the Borrower having the effect of releasing (i) any guarantee obligations of, and collateral granted or pledged by, any Foreign Subsidiary pursuant to the Existing Credit Agreement and the Loan Documents related thereto and (ii) any Capital Securities pledged by the Borrower or its U.S. Subsidiaries pursuant to the WWI Pledge Agreement consisting of more than 65% of the Voting Stock of any Foreign Subsidiary.

(b) Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained herein or in any other Loan Document, the Administrative Agent is hereby irrevocably authorized by each Lender (without requirement of notice to or consent of any Lender except as expressly required by <u>Section 11.1</u>) to take any action requested by the Borrower having the effect of releasing any collateral or guarantee obligations (i) to the extent necessary to permit consummation of any transaction expressly permitted by any Loan Document or that has been consented to in accordance with <u>Section 11.1</u> or (ii) under the circumstances described in <u>clause (c)</u> below.

(c) Upon the occurrence of the Investment Grade Rating Date or at such time as the Loans, the Reimbursement Obligations and the other obligations under the Loan Documents shall have been paid in full, the Commitments have been terminated and no Letters of Credit shall be outstanding, the collateral shall be released from the Liens created by the Collateral Documents and all obligations thereunder (other than those expressly stated to survive such termination) of the Administrative Agent and each Obligor thereunder shall terminate (in the case of the Security Agreements, all without delivery of any instrument or performance of any act by any Person).

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this Agreement to be executed by their respective officers thereunto duly authorized as of the date first above written.

# WEIGHT WATCHERS INTERNATIONAL, INC.

By: /s/ JEFFREY FIARMAN

Name: Jeffrey Fiarman Title: Secretary

THE BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA, as Administrative Agent

By: /s/ BRIAN S. ALLEN

Name: Brian S. Allen Title: Managing Director

JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, NA., as Syndication Agent and as a Lender

By: /s/ TARA LYNNE MOORE

Name: Tara Lynne Moore Title: Vice President

SCOTIABANC INC.

By: /s/ WILLIAM E. ZARRETT Name : William E. Zarrett Title: Managing Director

BANK OF AMERICA, N.A.

By: /s/ STEVEN J. MELICHAREK Name: Steven J. Melicharek Title: SVP/Credit Products Officer

# FORTIS CAPITAL CORP.

By: /s/ CLAY JACKSON Name: Clay Jackson

Name:Clay JacksonTitle:Managing Director - Corporate Banking.<br/>Food, Beverage & Consumer Goods,

By: /s/ EGENS MICHIEL VAN ITERSON SCHOLTEN

Name:Egens Michiel Van Iteson ScholtenTitle:Vice President – Corporate Banking<br/>Food, Beverage & Consumer Goods

UNION BANK OF CALIFORNIA, NA.

By: /s/ MARISSA PETRI Name: Marissa Petri

Name:Marissa PetriTitle:Investment Banking Officer

CQMMERZBANK AG, NEW YORK AND GRAND CAYMAN BRANCHES

By: /s/ ANDREW P. LUSK Name: Andrew P. Lusk

By: /s/ BARBARA PETERS Name: Barbara Peters

U.S. BANK, N.A.

By: /s/ PATRICK H. MCGRAW, JR. Name: Patrick H. McGraw, Jr.

Name: Patrick H. McGraw, Jr. Title: Vice President U.S. Bank, N.A.

WACHOVIA BANK, N.A.

By: /s/ ALAN GREEN

Name :Alan GreenTitle:Senior Vice President

## BAYERISCHE LANDESBANK, ACTING THROUGH ITS NEW YORK BRANCH

By: /s/ STUART SCHULMAN Name : Stuart Schulman Title: Senior Vice President

By: /s/ NORMAN MCCLAVE Name : Norman McClave

Name :Norman McClaveTitle:First Vice President

CHARTER ONE BANK N.A.

By: /s/ MARY ANN KLEMM Name : Mary Ann Klemm Title: Vice President

CITIBANK, N.A.

By: /s/ JOHN J. BURKE Name : John J. Burke

Name : John J. Burke Title: GVP

HSBC BANK USA, N.A.

By: /s/ ALAN LAMANTIA Name : Alan LaMantia

Title: Vice President

MIZUHO CORPORATE BANK. LTD.

By: /s/ JAMES FAYEN Name : James Fayen

SOVEREIGN BANK

By: /s/ ANTONIA BADOLATO Name : Antonia Badolato

Title: Vice President

MERRILL LYNCH BANK USA.

By: /s/ LOUIS ALDER Name : Louis Alder

Name : Louis Alde Title: Director

COOPERATIVE CENTRALE RAIFFEISEN-BOERENLEENBANK B.A. "RABOBANK INTERNATIONAL", NEW YORK BRANCH

By: <u>/s/ TAMIRA TREFFERS-H</u>ERRERA

Name : Tamira Treffers-Herrera Title : Executive Director

By: /s/ BRETT DELFINO

Name : Brett Delfino Title : Executive Director

# CRÉDIT INDUSTRIEL ET COMMERCIAL

By: /s/BRIAN O'LEARY Name : Brian O'Leary

Title : Vice President

By: <u>/s/ MARCUS EDWARD</u>

Name : Marcus Edward Title : Vice President

# CREDIT SUISSE CAYMAN ISLANDS BRANCH

By: /s/ SARAH WU

Name : Sarah Wu Title : Director

By: /s/ NUPUR KUMAR

Name : Nupur Kumar Title : Associate

NATEXIS BANQUES POPULAIRES

By: /s/ CAROLINE VÉROT MOORE Name : Caroline Vérot Moore

By: /s/ FRANK MADDEN

Name : Frank Madden

# NORTH FORK BANK

By: /s/ PHILIP DAVI Name : Philip Davi Title: Senior Vice President

UNITED OVERSEAS BANK LIMITED, NEW YORK AGENCY

By: /s/ KWONG YEW WONG

Name : Kwong Yew Wong Title : First Vice President & General Manager

By: <u>/s/ MARIO SHENG</u>

Name : Mario Sheng Title : Assistant Vice President

THE GOVERNOR AND COMPANY OF THE BANK OF IRELAND

By: /s/ FIONA O'CONNOR Name : Fiona O'Connor

By: <u>/s/ AUVEEN O'HANLON</u> Name : Auveen O'Hanlon

TD BANKNORTH, N.A

By: /s/ JOHN MERCIER

Name : John Mercier Title: Senior Vice President

BANK LEUMI USA

By: <u>/s/ JOUNG HEE HONG</u> Name : Joung Hee Hong

THE BANK OF NEW YORK

By: /s/ ROGER GROSSMAN Name : Roger Grossman Title: Vice President

BANK OF TOKYO-MITSUBISHI UFJ TRUST COMPANY

By: /s/ MICHAEL L. ZION Name : Michael L. Zion

Title: Vice President

PEOPLE'S BANK

By: <u>/s/ FRANCIS J. MCGINN</u> Name : Francis J. McGinn Title: Vice President

GENERAL ELECTRIC CAPITAL CORPORATION

By: <u>/s/ RONALD F. CARAPEZZI</u> Name : Ronald F. Carapezzi Title: Duly Authorized Signatory

STATE BANK OF INDIA

By: /s/ RAKESH CHANDRA

Name :Rakesh ChandraTitle:Vice President & Head (CREDIT)

FIRST COMMERCIAL BANK NEW YORK AGENCY

By: /s/ HELEN TONG Name : Helen Tong Title VP & Manager

### CERTIFICATION

I, Linda Huett, President and Chief Executive Officer of Weight Watchers International, Inc., certify that:

- 1. I have reviewed this quarterly report on Form 10-Q of Weight Watchers International, Inc.;
- 2. Based on my knowledge, this report does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which such statements were made, not misleading with respect to the period covered by this report;
- 3. Based on my knowledge, the financial statements, and other financial information included in this report, fairly present in all material respects the financial condition, results of operations and cash flows of the registrant as of, and for, the periods presented in this report;
- 4. The registrant's other certifying officer and I am responsible for establishing and maintaining disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e)) and internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a 15 (f) and 15d 15 (f)) for the registrant and have:
  - (a) Designed such disclosure controls and procedures, or caused such disclosure controls and procedures to be designed under our supervision, to ensure that material information relating to the registrant, including its consolidated subsidiaries, is made known to us by others within those entities, particularly during the period in which this report is being prepared;
  - (b) Designed such internal control over financial reporting, or caused such internal control over financial reporting to be designed under our supervision, to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles;
  - (c) Evaluated the effectiveness of the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures and presented in this report our conclusions about the effectiveness of the disclosure controls and procedures as of the end of the period covered by this report based on such evaluation; and
  - (d) Disclosed in this report any change in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the registrant's first fiscal quarter that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant's internal control over financial reporting; and
- 5. The registrant's other certifying officer and I have disclosed, based on our most recent evaluation of internal control over financial reporting, to the registrant's auditors and the Audit Committee of registrant's Board of Directors (or persons performing the equivalent functions):
  - (a) All significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in the design or operation of internal control over financial reporting which are reasonably likely to adversely affect the registrant's ability to record, process, summarize and report financial information; and
  - (b) Any fraud, whether or not material, that involves management or other employees who have a significant role in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

Date: May 11, 2006

By: /s/ LINDA HUETT Linda Huett President, Chief Executive Officer and Director (Principal Executive Officer)

### CERTIFICATION

I, Ann M. Sardini, Chief Financial Officer of Weight Watchers International, Inc., certify that:

- 1. I have reviewed this quarterly report on Form 10-Q of Weight Watchers International, Inc.;
- 2. Based on my knowledge, this report does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which such statements were made, not misleading with respect to the period covered by this report;
- 3. Based on my knowledge, the financial statements, and other financial information included in this report, fairly present in all material respects the financial condition, results of operations and cash flows of the registrant as of, and for, the periods presented in this report;
- 4. The registrant's other certifying officer and I am responsible for establishing and maintaining disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e)) and internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a 15 (f) and 15d 15 (f)) for the registrant and have:
  - (a) Designed such disclosure controls and procedures, or caused such disclosure controls and procedures to be designed under our supervision, to ensure that material information relating to the registrant, including its consolidated subsidiaries, is made known to us by others within those entities, particularly during the period in which this report is being prepared;
  - (b) Designed such internal control over financial reporting, or caused such internal control over financial reporting to be designed under our supervision, to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles;
  - (c) Evaluated the effectiveness of the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures and presented in this report our conclusions about the effectiveness of the disclosure controls and procedures as of the end of the period covered by this report based on such evaluation; and
  - (d) Disclosed in this report any change in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the registrant's first fiscal quarter that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant's internal control over financial reporting; and
- 5. The registrant's other certifying officer and I have disclosed, based on our most recent evaluation of internal control over financial reporting, to the registrant's auditors and the Audit Committee of registrant's Board of Directors (or persons performing the equivalent functions):
  - (a) All significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in the design or operation of internal control over financial reporting which are reasonably likely to adversely affect the registrant's ability to record, process, summarize and report financial information; and
  - (b) Any fraud, whether or not material, that involves management or other employees who have a significant role in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

Date: May 11, 2006

By: /s/ ANN M. SARDINI Ann M. Sardini Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial and Accounting Officer)

### CERTIFICATION PURSUANT TO 18 U.S.C. SECTION 1350 AS ADOPTED PURSUANT TO SECTION 906 OF THE SARBANES-OXLEY ACT OF 2002

In connection with the quarterly report of Weight Watchers International, Inc. (the "Company") on Form 10-Q for the period ended April 1, 2006 as filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on the date hereof (the "Report"), I, Linda Huett, Chief Executive Officer of the Company, certify, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. Section 1350, as adopted pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002, that:

- 1. The Report fully complies with the requirements of Section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended; and
- 2. The information contained in the Report fairly presents, in all material respects, the financial condition and results of operations of the Company.

Date: May 11, 2006

By: /s/ LINDA HUETT Linda Huett President, Chief Executive Officer and Director (Principal Executive Officer)

### CERTIFICATION PURSUANT TO 18 U.S.C. SECTION 1350 AS ADOPTED PURSUANT TO SECTION 906 OF THE SARBANES-OXLEY ACT OF 2002

In connection with the quarterly report of Weight Watchers International, Inc. (the "Company") on Form 10-Q for the period ended April 1, 2006 as filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on the date hereof (the "Report"), I, Ann M. Sardini, Chief Financial Officer of the Company, certify, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. Section 1350, as adopted pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002, that:

- 1. The Report fully complies with the requirements of Section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended; and
- 2. The information contained in the Report fairly presents, in all material respects, the financial condition and results of operations of the Company.

Date: May 11, 2006

By: /s/ ANN M. SARDINI Ann M. Sardini Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial and Accounting Officer)