(b) The Secondnamed Defendant admits each and every allegation contained in paragraph 3.



- 4. (a) Insofar as it contains any allegation against it, the Firstnamed Defendant admits each and every allegation contained in paragraph 4.
- (b) The Secondnamed Defendant does not plead to paragraph 4 as it makes no allegation against  $\underline{it}$ .
- 5. Insofar as it contains any allegation against them the First and Secondnamed Defendants admit each and every allegation contained in paragraph 5.
- 6. (a) The Firstnamed Defendant does not plead to paragraph 6 as it contains no allegation against it.
- (b) The Secondnamed Defendant admits each and every allegation contained in paragraph 6.



- 7. (a) The Firstnamed Defendant admits each and every allegation contained in paragraph 7.
- (b) The Secondnamed Defendant admits each and every allegation contained in paragraph 7.
- 8. (a) The Firstnamed Defendant admits each and every allegation contained in paragraph 8.
- (b) The Secondnamed Defendant does not plead to paragraph 8 as it contains no allegation against it.
- 9. (a) The Firstnamed Defendant admits each and every allegation contained in paragraph 9 and says further that the Guarantees provided by the Plaintiffs were provided as agents for the owner.