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Designation and  
terms of bonds  
of other series.

Section 2. The bonds of each series, other than Series A, shall be designated in such appropriate manner as shall be determined by resolution of the Board of Directors of the Telephone Company. The terms of the bonds of each series other than the terms of Series A herein expressly provided, including the maximum principal amount of bonds which may be issued in the series, date of the bonds, date of maturity, rate of interest, interest payment dates, place or places of payment of principal and interest, exchangeability, provisions relating to conversion into the capital stock of the Telephone Company or of a successor corporation, to a sinking fund, to redemption and to payment without deduction for certain taxes, and other special covenant and provisions shall be such, not inconsistent with the terms of this indenture, as may be determined by the Board of Directors of the Telephone Company, and as shall be expressed in said bonds.

Form of bonds  
and coupons.

Section 3. Bonds of all series, and the coupons to be attached to coupon bonds, shall be substantially in the forms hereinbefore set forth, with such omissions, variations or insertions as may be necessary or appropriate to make them conform to provisions authorized in respect of the bonds of any series by the Board of Directors of the Telephone Company and permitted by this Indenture.

Execution  
authentication  
and delivery of  
bonds.

All bonds issued under this indenture shall, from time to time be executed on behalf of the Telephone Company by its President, or a Vice President, under its corporate seal attested by its Secretary or an Assistant Secretary, and shall be delivered to the Corporate Trustee for authentication by it; and thereupon, as provided in this indenture and not otherwise, the Corporate Trustee shall authenticate and deliver the same. Only such bonds issued hereunder as shall bear thereon indorsed a certificate of authentication substantially in the form hereinbefore recited, executed by the Corporate Trustee, shall be secured by this indenture or be entitled to any right or benefit hereunder, and such authentication by the Corporate Trustee upon any such bond shall be conclusive evidence that the bond so authenticated has been duly authenticated and delivered hereunder and that the holder thereof is entitled to the benefits of the trusts hereby created.

Effect of  
Corporate  
Trustee's  
certificate.

Signatures of  
former officers  
to continue valid.

In case any of the officers of the Telephone Company who shall have signed and sealed any of the bonds so issuable under this indenture shall have ceased to be officers of the Telephone Company before the bonds so signed and sealed shall have been actually authenticated and delivered by the Corporate Trustee, such bonds, nevertheless, may be authenticated and delivered and issued as though the persons who signed and sealed such bonds had not ceased to be officers of the Telephone Company; and also, any of such bonds may be signed and sealed in behalf of the Telephone Company by such persons as at the actual date of the execution of such bonds shall be the proper officers of the Telephone Company, although at the date borne by such bond any such person shall not have been an officer of the Telephone Company.