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IN THE JUDICIAL COMMITTEE OF THE PRIVY COUNCIL

ON APPEAL

FROM THE FEDERAL COURT OF MALAYSIA

BETWEEN:

- (1) SYARIKAT BUNGA RAYA-TIMOR JAUH SDN. BHD.
- (2) UNITED HOLDINGS BERHAD

Appellants (Defendants)

- and -

TRACTORS MALAYSIA BERHAD

Respondent (Plaintiffs)

RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

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Solicitors for the Respondent

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RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

No.1

AMENDED WRIT OF SUMMONS

In the High Court in Malaya at Kuala Lumpur

No.1 Amended Writ of Summons 5th June 1978

Amended this 5th day of June, 1978 pursuant to Order 28 Rule 2 of the Rules of the Supreme Court, 1957

Sgd.

Senior Assistant Registrar High Court, Kuala Lumpur

IN THE HIGH COURT IN MALAYA AT KUALA LUMPUR CIVIL SUIT NO. 1419 OF 1978

Between:

Tractors Malaysia Berhad

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Plaintiff

And

1. Syarikat Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh Sdn. Bhd.

2. United Holdings Berhad

<u>Defendants</u>

No.1 Amended Writ of Summons 5th June 1978 (continued)

SPECIALLY INDORSED WRIT

The Honourable Tan Sri Sarwan Singh Gill, P.M.N., P.S.M., Chief Justice of the High Court, Malaya, in the name and on behalf of His Majesty the Yang Dipertuan Agung.

To :-

- 1. Syarikat Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh Sdn.Bhd. 4th Floor, Wong Shee Fun Building, 2E, Jalan Ah Fook Johore Baru, Johore
- 2. United Holdings
 Berhad
 4th Floor, Wong
 Shee Fun Building, 10
 2E, Jalan Ah Fook
 Johore Baru, Johore

WE COMMAND YOU that within twelve (12) days after the service of this Writ on you, inclusive of the day of such service, you do cause an appearance to be entered for you in an action at the suit of the Plaintiff abovenamed.

AND TAKE NOTICE that in default of your so doing the Plaintiff may proceed therein and judgment may be given in your absence.

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WITNESS, ZAITUN ZAWIYAH BT. PUTEH, Senior Assistant Registrar of the High Court, Malaya.

Dated this 8th day of May, 1978.

Sd: SKRINE & CO. Plaintiff's Solicitors

Sd: ZAITUN ZAWIYAH BT. PUTEH Senior Assistant Registrar High Court, Kuala Lumpur.

N.B.:- This Writ is to be served within twelve months from the date thereof, or, if renewed, within six months from the date of last renewal including the date of such date and not afterwards.

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The Defendant may appear hereto by entering an appearance either personally or by solicitor at the Registry of the High Court at Kuala Lumpur.

A Defendant appearing personally may, if he desires, enter his appearance by post, and the appropriate forms may be obtained by sending a Postal Order for \$3.00 with an addressed envelope to the Registrar of the High Court at Kuala Lumpur.

If a Defendant enters an appearance he must

also deliver a defence within fourteen (14) days from the last day of the time limited for appearance unless such time is extended by the Court or a Judge otherwise judgment may be entered against him without notice, unless he has in the meantime been served with a Summons for Judgment.

In the High Court in Malaya at Kuala Lumpur

No.1 Amended Writ of Summons 5th June 1978 (continued)

AMENDED STATEMENT OF CLAIM

1. By Nine (9) Equipment Lease Agreements in writing as varied by the relative Variation Agreements all dated June 23, 1977, the Plaintiffs agreed to let and the 1st Defendant agreed to take on lease tractors for a period of 36 months, particulars of which are set down below:-

PARTICULARS

20	Agree- ment No.	Date of main Agreement	Date of Commence- ment under Variation Agreement	Descrip- tion of <u>Tractor</u>	Rental payable per month
	P.J./ Lease/ 05/76	25.5.76	1.10.76	New Cat D6CDD Serial No.26K 1769 c/w New Carco Wind 13185	h- 5,298.33
30	P.J./ Lease/ 06/76	25.5.76	-do-	New Cat D6CDD Serial No. 26K 1774 c/w New Carco Winch- 13201	
40	P.J./ Lease/ 22/75	2.9.75	-do-	New Cat D6CDD Serial No. 99J 2161 c/w New Carco Winch- 3025	5 5,148.03

In the High Court in Malaya at Kuala Lumpur No.1 Amended Writ	Agree- ment No.	Date of Main Agreement	Date of Commence- ment under Variation Agreement	Rental Descrip- payable tion of per Tractor month	
of Summons 5th June 1978 (continued)	P.J./ Lease/ 23/75	2.9.75	1.10.76	New Cat D6CDD Serial No. 99J 2137 2157 c/w New Carco Winch- 3024 \$5,148.45	10
	P.J./ Lease/ 07/76	25.5.76	-do-	New Cat D6CDD Serial No. 26K 1771 c/w New Carco Winch- 13186 \$5,298.33	20
	P.J./ Lease/ 08/76	5 . 6.76	-do-	New Cat D6CDD Serial No. 26K 1770 c/w New Carco Winch- 13181 \$5,217.62	30
	P.J./ Lease/ 09/76	5.6.76	-do-	New Cat D6CDD Serial No. 26K 1772 c/w New Carco Winch- 13187 \$5,217.62	
	P.J./ Lease/ 10/76	5.6.76	-do-	New Cat D6CDD Serial No. 26K 1773 c/w New Carco Winch- 13200 \$5,217.62	40
	P.J./ Lease/ 21/75	2.9.75	-do-	New Cat D7FDD Serial No. 91E 1052 c/w New Carco Winch- 4742 \$6,666.11	50

The Plaintiff will refer to the said Agreement and Variation Agreements for their full terms and effects at the trial.

In the High Court in Malaya at Kuala Lumpur

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Amended Writ of Summons 5th June 1978 (continued)

- By clause 2 of the said agreements the 1st Defendant agreed to pay to the Plaintiff punctually the monthly rental payable in advance on the first day of each month. By clause 16 of the said Agreements interest at the rate of 12% per annum calculated on a daily basis from the due date until payment was made would be payable on any unpaid rental.
- 3. By clause 5 of the said Agreements the 1st Defendant agreed to indemnify the Plaintiff against loss, or damage to the goods or any part thereof by fire accident theft or any other causes whatsoever and whether or not resulting from the negligence of the 1st Defendant.
- Clause 18 of the said Agreements provided 4. among other things that should the 1st Defendant fail to pay any sums payable or to observe or perform any term, condition or provision of the said Agreements the rentals for the balance of the said term should become due and payable and that the Plaintiff might forthwith and without notice terminate the lease for all purposes and retake possession of the said goods.
 - It was provided under Clause 19 that upon the termination of the lease the 1st Defendant should pay to the Plaintiff :-
 - (i) any arrears of rental accrued as at the date of termination;
 - (ii) any sums other than rental which might have become payable;
 - (iii) any expenses incurred by the Plaintiff in tracing and/or recovering possession of the goods or in enforcing the provisions of the lease;
 - (iv) an amount equal to the unpaid rentals for the remainder of the period of the lease.
 - By further agreements in writing of the same dates and made between the Plaintiff and the 2nd Defendant, the 2nd Defendant guaranteed the due payment and performance by the 1st Defendant of all sums due and all obligations under the said Equipment Lease Agreements and Variation Agreements.

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No.1 Amended Writ of Summons 5th June 1978 (continued) 7. The 1st Defendant has paid various sums of money towards the rentals due under the said Equipment Lease Agreements and Variation Agreements as shown below:-

PARTICULARS

Agreement No.	Rentals paid	
1. PJ/Lease/05/76 2. PJ/Lease/06/76 3. PJ/Lease/22/75 4. PJ/Lease/23/75 5. PJ/Lease/07/76 6. PJ/Lease/08/76 7. PJ/Lease/09/76 8. PJ/Lease/10/76 9. PJ/Lease/21/75	\$31,789.98 \$31,789.98 \$30,888.18 \$30,890.70 \$31,789.98 \$31,305.72 \$31,305.72 \$31,305.72 \$39,996.66	10

All the abovementioned rentals were paid in respect of the period from October 1, 1976, to March 1, 1977.

8. In breach of the said Agreements and Variation Agreements the 1st Defendant has failed to pay further rentals due on the April 1, 1977, and subsequent months.

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9. Pursuant to clause 18 of the said Agreements therefore the Plaintiff retook possession of the tractors thereunder and terminated the said Agreements and Variation Agreements.

PARTICULARS

Agreement No.	Date of repossession	
1. PJ/Lease/05/76 2. PJ/Lease/06/76 3. PJ/Lease/22/75 4. PJ/Lease/23/75 5. PJ/Lease/07/76 6. PJ/Lease/08/76 7. PJ/Lease/09/76 8. PJ/Lease/10/76	27.11.77 27.11.77 6.12.77 6.12.77 6.12.77 6.12.77 6.12.77 6.12.77	0

The 1st Defendant voluntarily returned to the Plaintiff the said tractor under Agreement No. PJ/Lease/21/75 on or about January 29, 40 1978.

10. In the premises the Plaintiff has suffered loss and damage, particulars of which are set out in the Schedule attached hereto and marked "A".

11. By letters dated January 31, 1978, the Plaintiff's solicitors requested the 1st Defendant to make payment of the amounts payable under the first eight (8) relative Equipment Lease Agreements and Variation Agreements. By a letter dated March 9, 1978, the said Plaintiff's solicitors requested the 1st Defendant to make payment of the amounts payable under the Ninth Equipment Lease Agreement, i.e. PJ/Lease/21/75 dated June 23, 1977 as varied. However, the 1st Defendant has failed or refused to make any payment.

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5th June 1981
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12. The 2nd Defendant has failed or refused to pay or make good default by the 1st Defendant the amounts due to the Plaintiff under the said Agreements and Variation Agreements, and/or has failed or refused to indemnify the Plaintiff against their loss and damage arising out of the Plaintiff having entered into the said Agreements and Variation Agreements.

And the Plaintiff claims against both the 1st and 2nd Defendants:-

- (1) the sum of \$432,663.41 being arrears of rental;
- (2) the sum of \$1,022,649.76 being rentals due for the remainder of the period of the lease:
- (3) the sum of \$27,887.45 being interest due on unpaid rentals up to date of repossession or return of tractors;
 - (4) the sum of \$25,900.00 being repossession expenses;
 - (5) the sum of \$59,400.00 \$58,230.00 being estimated repairs charges;
 - (6) interest or \$432,663.41 at the rate of 12% per annum from the date of repossession or return of tractors to date of payment;
- (7) interest at the rate of 6% per annum on the sum of \$1,022,649.76 under prayer (2), the sum of \$25,900.00 under prayer (4) and the sum of \$59,400.00 \$58,230.00 under prayer (5) aforesaid from the date of judgment to the date of payment;

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(8) costs of suit;

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(9) such further and other relief.

No.1 Amended Writ of Summons 5th June 1981 (continued) Dated-this-8th-day-of May,-1978

Dated this 5th day of June, 1978

Sgd. Skrine & Co. Plaintiff's Solicitors

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And the sum of \$60/- (or such sum as may be allowed on taxation) for costs and also in case the Plaintiff obtains an Order for substituted service, the further sum of \$300/- (or such sum as may be allowed on taxation). If the amount claimed be paid to the Plaintiff or its advocate and solicitor or agent within four days from the service hereof, further proceedings will be stayed.

Provided that if it appears from the indorsement of the Writ that the Plaintiff is resident outside the scheduled territories as defined in the Exchange Control Ordinance, 1953, or is acting by order on behalf of a person so resident, or if the Defendant is acting by order on behalf of a person so resident, proceedings will only be stayed if the amount claimed is paid into Court within the said time and notice of such payment in is given to the Plaintiff, its advocate and solicitor or agent.

This Writ was issued by Messrs. SKRINE & CO. Straits Trading Building, No.4 Leboh Pasar Besar, Kuala Lumpur, solicitors for the said Plaintiff of Jalan 205, Petaling Jaya, Selangor.

This Writ was served by me at on the 1st
Defendant on the day of 1978 at the hour of

Indorsed this day of 1978.

Signed: -

Addresss:-

This Writ was served by me at on the 2nd

Defendant on the day of 1978 at the hour of

Indorsed this day of 1978.

Signed: - Address: -

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		<u>s c</u>		CHEDULE	HEDULE "A"		No.1 Amended Writ of Summons	
	No. Agreement No.	Total Rental (36 months)	s Rentals Paid	Rentals over due to date of repossession/ return	Rentals due for remain- der of the period of lease	Interest at 12% per annum up to date of repossession/return	5th June 1981 Repossession expenses	(continued) Estimated repairs
	1. FJ/Lease/05/76	\$190 ,7 39.88	\$31,789.98 (1.10.76 to 1.3.77)	\$42,386.64 (1.4.77 to 1.11.77)	\$116,563.26 (1.12.77 to 1.9.79)	\$ 2,820.18	\$ 3,950.00	\$ 6,600.00
	2. PJ/Lease/06/76	\$ 190 , 739 . 88	\$31,789.98 (1.10.76 to 1.3.77)	\$42,386.64 (1.4.77 to 1.11.77)	\$115,563.26 (1.12.77 to 1.9.79)	\$ 2,820.18	\$ 3,950.00	\$ 6,500.00
9	3. PJ/Lease/22/75	\$ 185,328.94	\$30,888.18 (1.10.76 to 1.3.77)	\$46,332.27 (1.4.77 to 1.12.77)	\$108,108.49 (1.1.78 to 1.9.79)	\$ 2,870.49	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 6,500.00
	4. PJ/Lease/23/75	\$185,344.24	\$30,890.70 (1.10.76 to 1.3.77)	\$46,336.05 (1.4.77 to 1.12.77)	\$108,117.49 (1.1.78 to 1.9.79)	\$ 2,870.73	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 6,500.00
	5. PJ/Lease/07/76	\$190,739.88	\$31,789.98 (1.10.76 to 1.3.77)	\$47,684.97 (1.4.77 to 1.12.77)	\$111,264.93 (1.1.76 to 1.9.79)	\$ 2,954.31	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 6,500.00

\$560,617.43

\$942,892.82 \$157,148.82 \$225,126.57

In the High Court in Malaya at Kuala Lumpur

\$14,335.89

\$16,900.00

\$32,600.00

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No.1
Amended Writ of Summons
5th June 1981 (continued)

5th June 1981 (continued)		Rentals over	Rentals due for remain-	Interest at 12% per annum				
<u>n</u>	o Agreement No.	Total Rentals (36 months)	Rentals <u>Paid</u>	due to date of repossession/return	der of the period of <u>lease</u>	up to date of repossession/return	Repossession expenses	Estimated repairs
	B/F	\$942,892.82	\$157,148.82	\$225,126.57	\$560,617.43	\$14,335.8 9	\$16,900.00	\$32,600.00
6	. PJ/Lease/08/76	\$187,834.3 4	\$ 31,305.72 (1.10.76 to 1.3.77)	\$ 46,958.58 (1.4.77 to 1.12.77)	\$109,570.04 (1.1.78 to 1.9.79)	\$ 2,909.28	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 6,500.00
?	. PJ/Lease/09/76	\$187,834.34	\$ 31,305.72 (1.10.76 to 1.3.77)	\$ 46,958.58 (1.4.77 to 1.12.77)	\$109,570.04 (1.1.78 to 1.9.79)	\$ 2,909.28	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 6,300.00
8	. PJ/Lease/10/76	\$187,834.34	\$ 31,305.72 (1.10.76 to 1.3.77)	\$ 46,958.58 (1.4.77 to 1.12.77)	\$109,570.04 (1.1.78 to 1.9.79(\$ 2,909.28	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 6,500.00
9	. PJ/Lease/21/75	\$ 239 , 979 . 97	\$ 39,996.66 (1.10.76 to 1.3.77)	\$ 66,661.10 (1.4.77 to 1.1.78)	\$133,322.21 (1.2.78 to 1.9.79)	\$ 4,823.72	\$ -	\$-8,000.00 \$ 6,830.00
	<u> </u>	1,746,375.81	\$291,062.64	\$432,663.41	#1,022,649.76	\$27,887.45	\$25,900.00	\$59,400.00 \$58,230.00
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No. 2

SUMMONS IN CHAMBERS FOR SUMMARY JUDGMENT

In the High Court in Malaya at Kuala Lumpur

No.2 Summons in Chambers for Summary Judgment 29th July 1978

IN THE HIGH COURT IN MALAYA AT KUALA LUMPUR CIVIL SUIT NO. 1419 OF 1978

Between

Tractors Malaysia Berhad

Plaintiff

And

- 1. Syarikat Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh Sdn. Bhd.
- 2. United Holdings Berhad

Defendants

SUMMONS IN CHAMBERS

LET ALL PARTIES CONCERNED attend before the Senior Assistant Registrar in Chambers at the High Court at Kuala Lumpur on Friday the 1st day of September 1978 at 9.00 o'clock in the forenoon on the hearing of an application on the part of the Plaintiffs for an Order that they may be at liberty to sign final judgment against the Defendants in the aggregate sum of \$1,567,300.62 together with interest as stated below:-

(a) interest on \$432,663.41 at the rate of 12% per annum from the date of repossession or return of tractors to the date of payment;

- (b) interest on \$1,022,649.76 at the rate of 6% per annum from the date of judgment to the date of payment;
- (c) interest on \$25,900.00 at the rate of 6% per annum from the date of judgment to the date of payment;
- (d) interest on \$58,230.00 at the rate of 6% per annum from the date of judgment to the date of payment;

and that the costs of this application be assessed at \$200.00.

Dated this 29th day of July, 1978.

Senior Assistant Registrar High Court, Kuala Lumpur

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No.2

Summons in Chambers for Summary Judgment 29th July 1978

(continued)

This Summons in Chambers is filed by Messrs. Skrine & Co., Solicitors for the Plaintiff, whose address for service is at Straits Trading Building, No.4 Leboh Pasar Besar, Kuala Lumpur.

The Affidavit of Wan Chee Chuan affirmed on the 29th day of July, 1978 will be read in support of this application.

This Summons in Chambers is to be served on :-

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Messrs. K.C.Koh & Co., Advocates & Solicitors, 2-E (4th Floor) Jalan Ah Fook, Wong Shee Fun Building, Johore Bahru.

No.3 Affidavit of Wan Chee Chuen 29th July 1978 No. 3

AFFIDAVIT OF WAN CHEE CHUEN

IN THE HIGH COURT IN MALAYA AT KUALA LUMPUR CIVIL SUIT NO: 1419 OF 1978

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Between:

Tractors Malaysia Berhad

Plaintiff

And:

- 1. Syarikat Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh Sdn.Bhd.
- 2. United Holdings Berhad

Defendant

AFFIDAVIT

I, Wan Chee Chuen of care of Tractors Malaysia Berhad of Jalan 205, Petaling Jaya, Selangor, duly affirm and say as follows:-

- 1. I am the Credit Control Manager (Central Area) of the abovenamed Plaintiff Company, whose registered office is at Jalan 205, Petaling Jaya, Selangor.
- 2. The First Defendant Syarikat Bunga

Raya-Timor Jauh Sdn. Bhd. and the Second Defendant United Holdings Berhad are and were at the commencement of this action justly and truly indebted to the abovenamed Plaintiff Company in the sum of \$1,567,300.62 out of which \$432,633.41 is for arrears of rentals, \$1,022,649.76 for rentals due for the remainder of the period of the lease; \$27,887.45 for interest due on unpaid rentals up to date of repossession or return of tractors; \$25,900.00 for repossession expenses; \$58,230.00 for estimated repairs for breach of contract under nine (9) Equipment Lease Agreements in writing as varied by the relative Variation Agreements all dated June 23rd, 1977, referred to in paragraph 1 of the Statement of Claim. The statement of Claim. particulars of the said claim appear by the amended Statement of Claim in this action.

In the High Court in Malaya at Kuala Lumpur

No.3 Affidavit of Wan Chee Chuen 29th July 1978 (continued)

- 3. Now produced and shown to me are the said nine (9) Equipment Lease Agreements in writing and the relative Variation Agreements marked "WCC1" to "WCC9".
 - 4. By 2 A.R. Registered letters dated January, 31st and March, 9th 1978, the Plaintiff Company's solicitors Messrs. Skrine & Co., of Straits Trading Building, No.4, Leboh Pasar Besar, Kuala Lumpur demanded from the First and Second Defendants settlement of the Plaintiff Company's claim under the said nine (9) Agreements within 7 days from the date of the letters, which are now produced and shown to me marked "WCC 10" and "WCC 11" respectively. The relative A.R. Registration cards are now produced and shown to me marked "WCC 12" and "WCC 13" respectively.

Inspite of the letters neither the First Defendant nor the Second Defendant has settled the claim as demanded.

- 5. I verily believe that there is no defence to this action.
 - 6. It is within my own knowledge that the said debt was incurred and is still due and owing. I am duly authorised by the Plaaintiff Company to make this Affidavit.

AFFIRMED by the said > Wan Chee Chuen at Kuala Lumpur this 29th > Sgd. day of July 1978 at > 9.15 a.m.

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Sgd.
Commissioner for Oaths
(TNEH LIANG PENG)

No.3 Affidavit of Wan Chee Chuen 29th July 1978 (continued) This Affidavit is filed by Messrs. Skrine & Co. Solicitors for the Plaintiff, whose address for service is at Straits Trading Building, No.4 Leboh Pasar Besar, Kuala Lumpur.

No.4 Affidavit of Koh Kim Chai 11th September 1978

No.4

AFFIDAVIT OF KOH KIM CHAI

IN THE HIGH COURT IN MALAYA AT KUALA LUMPUR

CIVIL SUIT NO: 1419 OF 1978

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Between:

Tractors Malaysia Berhad

Plaintiff

And

- 1. Syarikat Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh Sdn. Bhd.
- 2. United Holdings Berhad

Defendants

AFFIDAVIT

I, KOH KIM CHAI, I.C.No. 4428458 at 2E Jalan Ah Fook, Johore Bahru, a Malaysian Citizen, duly affirm and say as follows:-

- 1. I am a Director of the 1st and 2nd Defendant companies and I am authorised by the said companies to make this Affidavit on both the companies behalf.
- 2. I beg to refer to the Affidavit of Wan Chee Chuen dated the 29th of July 1978 and to the exhibits attached thereto numbered "WCCl "WCC 13".
- 3. I verily believe that the Equipment
 Lease Agreements and the Variation Agreements
 thereto referred to in Exhibit "WCC 1 "WCC 9"
 are in fact Hire Purchase Agreements as
 defined by Section 2 of the Hire Purchase Act
 1967 in that the said Agreements involved the
 letting of goods with an option to purchase
 in which the instalments were referred to as

rent. This is noted from the fact that :-

(a) the parties intended to give and did give the 1st Defendant an option to purchase the said goods as noted in Para.5 of a letter containing the arrangements under which the Equipment Lease Agreements were entered, dated the 21st of August 1975 from the Plaintiff to the 1st Defendant, a copy of which is annexed hereto and marked "KKC 1":

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- (b) the Equipment Lease Agreements had reduced the residual value of the goods at the end of the lease period to \$1/-only thereby allowing for the transfer of the said goods to the lst Defendant at a nominal sum of \$1/-only.
- 4. I am advised and verily believe that pursuant to the matters referred to in Para. 3 above the said Equipment Lease Agreements and the Variation Agreements thereunder being in the nature of Hire Purchase Agreements are unenforceable and void in that they are in violation of the sections of the Hire Purchase Act 1967 and that in that event the claim against the 1st Defendant and the 2nd Defendant as Guarantor is unenforceable and untenable.
- 5. With rererence to Equipment Lease Agreements exhibited as "WCC 3", "WCC 4", "WCC 5" and "WCC 6" the Guarantee and Indemnity Agreements signed by the 2nd Defendant have not been dated and I am advised and verily believe that the said Guarantees and Indemnity are therefore not enforceable.
- 6. In any event I am advised and verily believe that with regard to Clause 19 (ii)(d) of the Equipment Leases exhibited as "WCC 1" "WCC 9", Section 75 of the Contracts Ordinance 1950 applies in that the said clauses by which the Plaintiff claims unpaid rentals is in the nature of a penalty and that in any event under Section 75 of the Contracts Act the Court is entitled to ascertain what is reasonable compensation for breach of contract.
- 7. I am further advised and verily believe that the Court in ascertaining the reasonable compensation for unpaid rentals referred to in Para. 5 above should take into account inter alia:-

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- (a) the value of the equipments recovered; and
- (b) a rebate for lump sum payment of future rentals

and that such reasonable compensation if assessed by the Court would be substantially less than the sum of \$1,567,300.62 claimed under this item by the Plaintiff. I am further informed that the goods under the said Equipment Leases have now been sold by the Plaintiff at a profit.

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8. I verily believe that the repossession expenses of \$25,000/- and estimated repairs of \$58,230/- for the goods under the Equipment Leases referred to in Para.2 of Wan Chee Chuen's Affidavit is far in excess of what it would cost to repossess and repair the said goods and in any event I state that the goods did not require any repairs whatsoever as the goods had been properly maintained.

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9. With regard to the sum of \$432,633.41 claimed as arrears of rentals in the said Equipment Lease Agreements referred to in Para.2 of the Affidavit of Wan Chee Chuen I verily believe that this sum is not due as a grace period of 2 - 3 months was given to the 1st Defendant by the Plaintiff for monsoon periods as noted in Para.3 of the exhibit "KKC 1". If the monsoon periods are deducted then the sums to the Plaintiff as arrears of rentals would be less than the sum claimed.

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10. I am advised by my Solicitors and verily believe that in the circumstances the 1st and 2nd Defendants have a good Defence to the claim of the Plaintiff and I pray that the application of the Plaintiff for Summary Judgment be dismissed with costs and that the 1st and 2nd Defendants be given unconditional leave to defend the action.

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AFFIRMED by the said (KOH KIM CHAI at Kuala)
Lumpur this 11th day (SGD)
of September 1978 at (2.00 p.m.

Before me,

SGD

Commissioner for Oaths (W.P. SARATHY P.P.M.)

This Affidavit is filed by Messrs. Ng Ek Teong & Partners, Solicitors for the 1st and 2nd Defendants herein, whose address for service is at 2nd Floor, Bangunan Persatuan Hokkien Selangor, Jalan Raja Chulan, Kuala Lumpur.

In the High Court in Malaya at Kuala Lumpur

No.4 Affidavit of Koh Kim Chai 11th September 1978 (continued)

No.5

GROUNDS OF DECISION OF SENIOR ASSISTANT REGISTRAR

No.5 Grounds of Decision of Senior Assistant Registrar 3rd November 1978

IN THE HIGH COURT IN MALAYA AT KUALA LUMPUR

Civil Suit No. 1419 of 1978

BETWEEN

Tractors Malaysia Berhad

Plaintiff

AND

- 1. Syarikat Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh Sdn. Bhd.
- 2. United Holdings Berhad

Defendants

GROUNDS OF DECISION

This is an appeal against my decision in refusing to allow leave to the plaintiff to sign final judgment.

The facts of this case are as follows.

The plaintiff has let out some tractors to the first defendant. This letting out is evidenced by several agreements entered by the parties. The first defendant had made payments towards the rental of the said tractors from 1st October, 1976 to 1st March, 1977. However, from 1st April, 1977 onwards, the first defendant has failed to make any payments towards the rental due. Hence the plaintiff has repossessed several of the said tractors in the months of November and December, 1977. The first defendant

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No.5 Grounds of Decision of Senior Assistant Registrar 3rd November 1978 (continued) had also voluntarily returned one of the tractors in January, 1978. As a result of these non-payments by the first defendant and the second defendant who is the guarantor-indemnifier, the plaintiff commenced legal proceedings to recover the losses and damages which the plaintiff has suffered. During the hearing for leave to sign final judgment, the plaintiff prayed for judgment in respect of the arrears and interest of rentals, and also for costs. In respect of the rest of the prayers in the amended statement of claim, the plaintiff has agreed that a full hearing is necessary.

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During the hearing, counsel for the plaintiff has submitted that the agreements (marked as exhibits "WCC1" to "WCC9" of enclosure 4) are simple hiring agreements. This is because in all the agreements the 20 periods of the hiring are stipulated. fact that all the agreement documents have the heading "Equipment Lease Agreement" has some bearing too. The counsel relied on the definition of "equipment lease" as stated in Encylopedia of Forms and precedents Volume 10 paragraph 86. There it is stated that the term "equipment lease" has however acquired a distinctive significance in commerce as denoting an agreement for the lease of a plant or machinery for the business purposes for a term rather longer than the ordinary 30 rental agreement, the lessee in general being given no power to terminate the lease before the end of the leasing period. Hence counsel submitted that the agreements cannot be hirepurchase agreements as contended by the defendant. The counsel continued to submit that the option to purchase the tractors as alleged by the defendant in the affidavit (i.e. paragraph 3 of enclosure 7) is irrelevant. 40 The counsel states that since this option letter (marked "KKCl" of enclosure 7) has been sent before the agreements were signed, it is thus an extrinsic evidence. Being an extrinsic evidence it should not be allowed to be brought in to contradict the written agreements. For this point, counsel has relied on section 92 of the Evidence Act 1950 and the Federal Court decision in the case of Tractors Malaysia Bhd and Kumpulan Pembinaan Malaysia 50 Sdn. Bhd. (registered as Federal Court Civil Appeal No.177 of 1977).

Counsel for the defendant in his submission contends that the agreements

entered were in the nature of hire-purchase agreements. Options to purchase the said tractors were evidenced by letter dated 21st August, 1975 (marked as exhibit "KKC1" of enclosure 7). Counsel submitted that the said letter should be considered by virtue of proviso (a) in Section 92 of the Evidence Act, 1950. The said letter would invalidate the written agreements since they are in violation of the provisions of the Hire Purchase Act 1967. Thus such agreements are unenforceable and void.

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No.5 Grounds of Decision of Senior Assistant Registrar 3rd November 1978 (continued)

On the question as to the liability of the second defendant, counsel for the plaintiff submits that the agreements entered by the second plaintiff are not only agreements but also indemnity agreements. Thus even if the said agreements between the Plaintiff and the first defendant are null and void, the indemnifier is still liable. For this point, counsel relied on the decision in Yeoman Credit Ltd. v. Letter 1961 2AER 294. As such the second Letter 1961 2AER 294. As such the second defendant is liable for the sum claimed. Counsel for the defendant, however, questioned the enforceability of the Guarantee/Indemnity Agreements. This is because several of the agreements (annexed together with exhibits marked "WCC 2", "WCC 4", "WCC 5" and "WCC 6") have not been dated. These dates were relevant since they indicated as from when the guarantees were to take effect.

As can be seen several issues have been put forward by both the counsels. These issues are triable and could be better dealt with during a full hearing. Thus I have dismissed the application and have given leave to the defendant to defend this action.

Sd:

Senior Assistant Registrar

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No.6 Notice of Appeal to Judge

4th November 1978

in Chambers

No. 6

NOTICE OF APPEAL TO JUDGE IN CHAMBERS

IN THE HIGH COURT IN MALAYA AT KUALA LUMPUR Civil Suit No.: 1419 of 1978

Between

Tractors Malaysia Berhad

Plaintiff

And

1. Syarikat Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh Sdn. Bhd.

2. United Holdings Berhad

Defendants

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NOTICE OF APPEAL

TAKE NOTICE that the Plaintiff abovenamed intends to appeal from the decision of the Senior Assistant Registrar given on the 3rd day of November, 1978 refusing to allow the Plaintiff's Summons in Chambers for leave to sign final judgment dated 29th July, 1978.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that you are required to attend before the Honourable Judge in Chambers in the High Court at Kuala Lumpur, day of the 9.30 o'clock in the forenoon on the hearing of an application by the Plaintiff abovenamed that the said Plaintiff's Summons in Chambers for leave to sign final judgment be allowed. that the costs of this appeal and of the application to the Senior Assistant Registrar be the Plaintiff's in any event.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that it is the intention of the Plaintiff to attend by Counsel.

Dated this 4th day of November, 1978.

Plaintiff's Solicitors. Senior Assistant Registrar, High Court, Kuala Lumpur.

The address for service of the Plaintiff is care of Messrs. SKRINE & CO., Straits Trading Building, No.4, Leboh Pasar Besar, Kuala Lumpur, solicitors for the Plaintiff abovenamed.

This Notice of Appeal is to be served on :-

Messrs. Ng Ek Teong & Partners, Advocates & Solicitors, Bangunan Persatuan Hokkien, Jalan Raja Coulan, KUALA LUMPUR, Solicitors for the Defendants abovenamed. In the High Court in Malaya at Kuala Lumpur

No.6 Notice of Appeal to Judge in Chambers 4th November 1978 (continued)

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NOTES RECORDED BY MR. JUSTICE HARUN HASHIM WHEN SUIT HEARD IN THE HIGH COURT

No.7
Notes recorded
by Mr.Justice
Harun Hashim
when suit
heard in the
High Court
5th May 1979

7A. NOTES OF EVIDENCE

IN THE HIGH COURT IN MALAYA AT KUALA LUMPUR

CIVIL SUIT NO: 1419 OF 1978

Between

Tractors Malaysia Berhad

Plaintiff

And

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- 1. Syarikat Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh Sdn.Bhd.
- 2. United Holdings Berhad

Defendants

Mr. Wong Chong Wah for Plaintiff/Appellant Mr. Narayanan for Defendants/Respondents

IN OPEN COURT BEFORE HARUN J. ON 5.3.1979

NOTES OF EVIDENCE

Court:

No appearance filed in this matter.

No defence filed either.

30 <u>Narayanan:</u>

Undertakes to file appearance

Wong:

Not opposing.

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Notes recorded
by Mr.Justice
Harun Hashim
when suit
heard in the
High Court
5th May 1979
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Wong:

- (i) Asked for arrear of rentals
- (ii) Interest of unpaid rentals up to-date of re-possession or return of tractors.

Refers to G/D of SAR - rentals due for the remainder of the period of the lease - not correct - should be interest as in (ii) above.

Narayanan:

That is correct.

Wong:

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But reserves right to argue if matter should go on appeal: rentals due for remainder of period in view of decision of this Court in C.S. 190/76 - that this matter should not be argued at stage of 0.14 application.

Here terms and conditions of agreement all contained: Equipment Lease Agreement, Agreement in writing on all terms stated here. So also preambles and title of agreement - refers to clause in the agreement.

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Submits indemnity remains good.

Variation agreement - guarantor also consented.

No denial that debts are due and owing - Encl. (7).

Objection to 0.14 based on technical grounds - Mr. Koh Kim Chai - signed all documents - is a Solicitor of some standing in Johor Bahru. Mr. Koh is a Director of both companies.

Allegation that this agreement is a force - disguising Hire Purchase Agreement.

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Refers to letter of 21 Aug.1975 - 5 tractors only involved - other 6 tractors were after 21 Aug.1975 - therefore this letter good for 3 tractors only.

Submits letter is inadmissible - refers to Equipment Lease Agreement (i) is common is now a technical meaning - no confusion in the trade and amongst lawyers - (ii) extrinsic evidence should not be allowed in - Encyclopaedia of Forms & Precedents (Butterworths) Vol. - p.425

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Simple Hire - Meaning of Hire - para.86 Equipment Lease Agreement - lease of plant or machinery. Submits not a case of lessor taking advantage of lessee - there are distinct advantages in this arrangement. Here all terms Court in Malaya stated - rights and liabilities.

General rule applicable - all terms stated in written agreement - extrinsic evidence should

not be allowed section 91 Evidence Act also section 92 Evidence Act. Halsbury's Vol.12 (4th Edition) para.1478 @ p.612 - on extrinsic evidence. Also para.1480 - evidence of previous negotiations - para. 1481 Contracts extrinsic evidence - terms implied by law.

Halsbury's Vol.9 (4th Edition) para.214 @ General rule - para.216 - written terms and written contracts. Federal Court Civil Appeal No: 177/77 - Tractors Malaysia Bhd. v. Kumpulan Pembinaan Malaysia Sdn.Bhd. - Section 92 Evidence Act.

Value of residue - 31 - no meaning.

Claim against guarantors:

Submits indemnity here does not depend on the 20 agreement - Chitty (24th Edition) Vol.2 - para. 3227 - not invalid even if H.P. Agreement void.

> Yeoman Credit Ltd. v. Letter & Anor (1961) 2 All E.R. 294. Not dating Guarantor & Indemnity attached to the agreement - same person signed the agreement. Anyway date not important - as long as document traceable to main agreement. In any event variation agreement specially referred to the Guarantor & Indemnity agreement.

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Section 2 Hire Purchase Agreement - definition by this definition this agreement becomes H.P. Agreement. Section 6(2) - not enforceable when it complies. Letter - section 92 Evidence Act - proviso - illegality - Refers to Campbell Discount Co.Ltd. v. Gall (1961) 1 QB 431 & 439.

Phipson on Evidence (11th Edition) p.1794 documents part evidence affecting Hire Purchase Agreements. F.C. Appeal 177/77 - did not deal with exemption to section 92 Evidence Act.

Hire Purchase - Good (2nd Edition) 482 -Guarantor did not guarantee anything more than what the hirer had undertaken. Not indemnity -Word "Indemnity" in Document for decorative purpose only.

Submits there are triable issues.

Wong not called upon to reply

In the High at Kuala Lumpur

No.7 Notes recorded by Mr. Justice Harun Hashim when suit heard in the High Court 5th May 1979 (continued)

No.7
Notes recorded by Mr.Justice Harun Hashim when suit heard in the High Court
5th May 1979
(continued)

Court:

Appeal allowed.

Leave to Plaintiff to sign final judgment in the sum of \$432,663-41 being arrears of rent and the sum of \$27,887-45 being interest due on unpaid rentals up to date of repossession or return of tractors.

Costs.

Sgd: Harun 5 Feb. 1979.

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No.8 Order of Harun J.

5th March 1979

No.8

ORDER OF HARUN J.

IN THE HIGH COURT IN MALAYA AT KUSUAL LUMPUR Civil Suit No. 1419 of 1978

Between

Tractors Malaysia Berhad

Plaintiff

And

- Syarikat Bunga Raya-Timor Juah Sdn.Bhd.
- 2. United Holdings Berhad

Defendants

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BEFORE THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE HARUN HASHIM THIS 5TH DAY OF MARCH, 1979

IN OPEN COURT

ORDER

THIS APPEAL coming on for hearing this day in the presence of Mr. Wong Chong Wah of Counsel for the Appellant/Plaintiff and Mr. Narayanan of Counsel for the Respondents/Defendants abovenamed AND UPON READING the Notice of Appeal dated the 4th day of November 1978 filed herein AND UPON HEARING Counsel as aforesaid IT IS ORDERED that the appeal be allowed AND IT IS ORDERED that the Order of Court given by Che Zura binte Yahya, the Senior

Assistant Registrar of the High Court, Kuala Lumpur on the 3rd day of November, 1978 be and is hereby set aside AND IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Appellant/Plaintiff be and is hereby at liberty to sign final judgment against the Respondents/Defendants for the sum of \$432,663.41 being arrears of rental and the sum of \$27,887.45 being interest due on unpaid rentals up to the date of repossession or return of tractors AND IT IS LASTLY ORDERED that the costs of this application be taxed by the proper officer of the Court and be paid by the Respondent/Defendants to the Appellant/Plaintiff.

In the High Court in Malaya at Kuala Lumpur

No.8 Order of Harun J.

5th March 1979 (continued)

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court this 5th day of March, 1979.

Sd:

Senior Assistant Registrar High Court, Kuala Lumpur.

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No. 9

JUDGMENT ON THE ORDER OF HARUN J.

No.9
Judgment on
the Order of
Harun J.
5th March 1979

IN THE HIGH COURT IN MALAYA AT KUALA LUMPUR (COMMERCIAL DIVISION)

Civil Suit No. 1419 of 1978

Between

Tractors Malaysia Berhad

Plaintiff

And

1. Syarikat Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh Sdn. Bhd.

2. United Holdings Berhad

Defendant s

JUDGMENT

Pursuant to the Order dated the 5th day of March 1979, whereby it was ordered that the Plaintiff be and is hereby at liberty to sign final judgment against the Defendants for the sum of \$432,663.41 being arrears of rental and the sum of \$27,887.45 being interest due on unpaid rentals to the date of repossession

No.9 Judgment on the Order of Harun J.

5th March 1979 (continued)

or return of tractors and costs of suit to be taxed.

IT IS THIS DAY ADJUDGED that the Plaintiff do recover against the Defendants the sum of \$432,663.41 (Ringgit Four hundred and thirty two thousand six hundred and sixty three and sen forty one) being arrears of rental and the sum of \$27,887.45 (Ringgit Twenty seven thousand eight hundred and eighty seven and sen forty five) being interest due on unpaid rentals up to the date of repossession or return of tractors and costs of suit be taxed by the proper Officer of the Court and be paid by the Defendants to the Plaintiff.

Given under my hand and the Seal of the Court this 5th day of March 1979.

Sd:

Senior Assistant Registrar High Court, Kuala Lumpur.

In the Federal Court of Malaysia at <u>Kuala Lumpu</u>r

No.10 Notice of Appeal to the Federal Court 4th April 1979 No.10

NOTICE OF APPEAL TO THE FEDERAL COURT

IN THE FEDERAL COURT OF MALAYSIA HOLDEN AT KUALA LUMPUR (APPELLATE JURISDICTION)

FEDERAL COURT CIVIL APPEAL NO:

OF 1979

Between

 Syarikat Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh Sdn. Bhd.

2. United Holdings Berhad

Appellants

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And

Tractors Malaysia Berhad

Respondent

(In the matter of Civil Suit No.1419 of 1978 in the High Court in Malaya at Kuala Lumpur)

Between

Tractors Malaysia Berhad

Plaintiff

And

- 1. Syarikat Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh Sdn.Bhd.
- 2. United Holdings Berhad

Defendants

In the Federal Court of Malaysia at Kuala Lumpur

No.10 Notice of Appeal to the Federal Court 4th April 1979 (continued)

NOTICE OF APPEAL

TAKE NOTICE that Syarikat Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh Sdn. Bhd. and United Holdings Berhad, being dissatisfied with the decision of the Honourable Mr. Justice Datuk Harun Mahmud Hashim given in the High Court at Malaya at Kuala Lumpur on the 5th March 1979 on the Summons-in-Chambers dated the 29th day of July 1978 appeals to the Federal Court against the whole of the said decision.

Dated this 4th day of April 1979

SGD.

Ng Ek Teong & Partners Solicitors for the 1st & 2nd Appellants

To:

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The Chief Registrar Federal Court Registry Kuala Lumpur

The Senior Assistant Registrar High Court Kuala Lumpur.

The Respondent abovenamed or his solicitors M/s Skrine & Co. 4 Leboh Pasar Besar Kuala Lumpur

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This Notice of Appeal is filed by Messrs. Ng Ek Teong & Partners, Solicitors for the Appellants abovenamed whose address for service is at 2nd Floor, Bangunan Persatuan Hokkien Selangor, Jalan Raja Chulan, Kuala Lumpur.

In the Federal Court of Malaysia at <u>Kuala Lumpur</u> No.11

AFFIDAVIT OF KOH KIM CHAI

No.11 Affidavit of Koh Kim Chai 19th February

1980

IN THE FEDERAL COURT OF MALAYSIA (APPELLATE JURISDICTION)

CIVIL APPEAL NO.82 OF 1979

Between

1. Syarikat Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh Sdn. Bhd.

2. United Holdings Bhd.

Appellants

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And

Tractors Malaysia Berhad

Respondent

(In the Matter of Kuala Lumpur High Court Civil Suit No. C 1419 of 1978

Between

Tractors Malaysia Berhad

Plaintiff

And

1. Syarikat Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh Sdn. Bhd.

2. United Holdings Berhad

Defendants)

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AFFIDAVIT

- I, KOH KIM CHAI, (NRIC No.4428458) a Malaysian Citizen of 23rd floor, Tun Abdul Razak Complex, Jalan Ah Fook, Johore Bahru do solemnly affirm and say as follows:-
- 1. I am a Director of the 1st and 2nd Defendant companies and I am authorised by the said companies to make this affidavit on behalf of both the companies.
- 2. Pursuant to an appeal by the Plaintiffs to the High Court on the decision of the Senior Assistant Registrar on an Order 14 application, the High Court ordered on the 5th day of March 1979 that the Plaintiffs be at liberty to sign final judgment against the 1st and 2nd Defendants for the sum of \$432,663.41 being arrears of rental under 9 Equipment Lease Agreements and the sum of \$27,887.45 being interest due thereon.

- 3. The 1st and 2nd Defendants filed a Notice of Appeal to the Federal Court on the 4th of April 1979 against the said Order of the High Court.
- 4. An application for stay to the High Court was heard on the 12th February 1980 before Mr. E.E. Sim Judicial Commissioner who disallowed the application.
- 5. The Plaintiffs claim against the Defendants in the said Order 14 application was limited to arrears in rental payable by the 1st Defendant as Lessees under 9 Equipment Lease Agreements and for interest on the said arrears of rental. The claim against the 2nd Defendant is as Guarantor to the said 9 Equipment Lease Agreements.
- 6. The 1st and 2nd Defendants by Affidavits and at the hearing of this action contended and still do contend that :-
- (a) The said 9 Equipment Lease Agreements are in fact Hire Purchase Agreements as defined in the Hire Purchase Act 1967 in that the said Agreements involve the letting of goods with an option to purchase in which the instalments were referred to as rent as noted from:-
 - (i) a letter from the Plaintiffs to the Defendants dated the 21st August 1975 by which the Plaintiffs gave the 1st Defendants an option to purchase the vehicles at the end of the lease period. The said letter of option is contended to be a condition precedent to the Equipment Lease Agreement or a collateral agreement and that the entire transaction is to be studied taking into consideration the said letter of option to see whether the agreements are Equipment Lease Agreements or Hire Purchase Agreements. A copy of the said letter is attached herewith and marked "K.K.C.1"
 - And (ii) the fact that the residual value in the Equipment Lease Agreements was only a nominal sum of \$1.00

Consequently the Equipment Lease Agreements being in the nature of Hire Purchase Agreements are unenforceable and void in that they are in violation of the Hire Purchase Act 1967 and that

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No.11 Affidavit of Koh Kim Chai 19th February 1980

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In the Federal Court of Malaysia at Kuala Lumpur

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in that event the claim against the 1st and 2nd Defendants based on the purported Equipment Lease Agreements is unenforceable.

(b) The said letter of option had also clauses which gave the 1st Defendants a grace period of 2-3 months to pay his rentals as these were considered monsoon periods and if the monsoon periods are deducted then the sums claimed as arrears of rental would be considerably less.

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- 7. The 2nd Defendants further contend :-
- (a) that the guarantee given by the 2nd Defendants is not enforceable in view of the matters stated in Clause 6(a)(i) & (ii) in that as the principal agreement is not enforceable then consequently the guarantee is also not enforceable;
- that if the said guarantee is to be construed as an indemnity such construction was not pleaded by the Plaintiffs and in any event it is not enforceable even as an indemnity against the 2nd Defendants.

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- (c) that a few of the guarantee agreements were not dated.
- At the High Court hearing the Plaintiff successfully contended that the letter referred to in Para. $\delta(a)(i)$ is not admissable in evidence under Section 91 and Section 92 of the Evidence Act 1950 (Revised 1971) to in any way affect the terms of the 9 Equipment Leases Agreements and thereby result in the said 9 Lease Agreements beingunenforceable.

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- It is respectfully contended that inter alia :-
- (a) The fact whether the said letter is admissable or not under Section 91 and Section 92 of the Evidence Ordinance is a triable issue and
- (b) The effect of the said letter on the 9 Equipment Leases and the resultant non-40 compliance with the Hire Purchase Act 1967 is a triable issue and

(c) The very contention of the illegality of the transaction is a triable issue, and that these are all matters to be decided at a trial of the Civil Suit.

11. I am advised and verily believe that the 1st and 2nd Defendants have good and valid arguments and authority in support of their contentions which merit consideration by the Appellate Court and in any event they have raised triable issues which should be decided by a trial judge.

In the Federal Court of Malaysia at Kuala Lumpur

No.11 Affidavit of Koh Kim Chai

19th February 1980

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- 11. (a) The 1st defendant Company is involved in the business of timber felling and extraction. The sole assets of the Company is a timber concession in Kelantan of approximately 20,000 acres. I verily believe that the current market price of the said timber concession is about M\$4,000,000/-.
 - (b) The 1st Defendant Company is a wholly owned subsidiary of the 2nd Defendant Company which is a Public Company listed in the Kuala Lumpur Stock Exchange.

 The trading in the shares of the 2nd Defendant Company in the Stock Exchange had been suspended at the request of the 2nd Defendant.
 - (c) I verily believe that the 1st and 2nd Defendant Companies' assets consist entirely of fixed assets and that there is no liquid assets in the nature of cash to meet the judgment sum.
- 12. I verily believe if the stay of execution is not granted, it will result in irreparable damage and serious injury to the 1st and 2nd Defendant for the following reasons:-
 - (a) To pay the judgment sum, the 1st and 2nd Defendants will have to be wound-up and the timber concession sold to obtain cash. The said sale will be a forced sale and consequently, the price obtained will be substantially less than the market price. Furthermore, the consent of the Ruler-in-Council of Kelantan has to be obtained prior to the sale being effected and it is possible that in view of the forced sale, the Ruler-in-Council may not give the approval for the sale and the concession may be cancelled to the detriment of both the Defendants.
 - (b) The assets of the 2nd Defendant is mainly the forecast concession held by the 1st Defendant and a winding up of the 2nd Defendant Company as stated in 11(a) above would also seriously affect the position of

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No.11 Affidavit of Koh Kim Chai 19th February 1980 (continued) the 2nd Defendant.

- (c) Furthermore, the 2nd Defendant Company being a Public Company, the payment of judgment sum will also result in serious injury to the position of shareholders if the Company's fixed assets have to be sold.
- 13. Irreparable damage would be caused to the Defendants as :-
- (a) The judgment debt can only be obtained by the 1st and 2nd Defendant Companies assets being sold by a forced sale; and

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- (b) To do the sale, the Companies would have to be wound-up.
- 14. In any event, I am advised and verily believe that :-
- (a) This judgment against the 1st and 2nd
 Defendants is a summary judgment obtained
 pursuant to an Order 14 application without
 a full trial on the merits of the case.
- (b) If the stay of execution is not granted and the Federal Court were to reverse on appeal the decision of the High Court, it would mean, that as illegality has been pleaded, the Honourable Court had lent itself to the enforcement of an illegal contract by the Plaintiffs.
- 15. The 1st and 2nd Defendants are financially sound and even if they lose their appeal, I verily believe that given sufficient time the 30 1st and 2nd Defendants would be able to dispose of the assets at market price and pay the judgment debt.
- 16. In the circumstances, I humbly request this Honourable Court to grant a stay of execution in terms of the application herein and I pray for an Order in the terms of the application filed herein.

AFFIRMED by KOH KIM CHAI) at Johore Bahru this Sd: K.C.Koh 40 19th day of February, 1980 at 12.10 p.m.

Before me,
Sd: R. RAMASAMY
R.RAMASAMY P.I.S.
Commissioner for Oaths
High Court, JOHORE BAHRU

No.12

MEMORANDUM OF APPEAL

IN THE FEDERAL COURT OF MALAYSIA (APPELLATE JURISDICTION)

CIVIL APPEAL NO. 82 OF 1979

Between

1. Syarikat Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh Sdn. Bhd.

2. United Holdings Berhad

Appellants

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And

Tractors Malaysia Berhad

Respondent

(In the Matter of Kuala Lumpur High Court Civil Suit No. C 1419 of 1976

Between

Tractors Malaysia Berhad

Plaintiff

And

1. Syarikat Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh Sdn. Bhd.

2. United Holdings Berhad

Defendants)

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MEMORANDUM OF APPEAL

DIRECTIONS OF FEDERAL COURT

- 1. (a) On the 4th March 1980, the appellants abovenamed applied to the Federal Court at Kuala Lumpur by a Notice of Motion dated 21st day of February 1980 for a stay of execution pending appeal to the Federal Court, of a decision of the Honourable Justice Harun dated the 5th March, 1979.
- (b) At the hearing of the said Notice of
 Motion, the Federal Court noted that the written
 Grounds of Judgment had not yet been delivered
 in the Court below, and with the consent of the
 parties to action, the Federal Court directed
 on its own motion:
 - (i) that the appellants pursuant to Rule 25 of the Federal Court (Civil Appeals) (Transitional) Rules 1963 do file the

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required appeal documents and proceed with the appeal to the Federal Court on the decision of Harun J. dated the 5th day of March, 1979.

(ii) that hearing of the said appeal be fixed for the 13th of March, 1980.

SEQUENCE OF PROCEEDINGS

- 2. (a) By way of a Summons-In-Chambers dated 29th July, 1978 the Respondent applied for summary judgment under Order 14 of the Rules of Supreme Court.
- (b) The said application for summary judgment was heard by the Senior Assistant Registrar on the 3rd day of November 1978. At the hearing of the application the Respondent prayed for summary judgment only in respect of the arrears of rental and interests thereon and costs. In respect of the rest of the prayers in the Amended Statement of Claim, the Respondent agreed that it should be set down for trial. The Senior Assistant Registrar dismissed the application and gave the Appellants unconditional leave to defend.

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- (c) By notice of Appeal dated the 4th day of November, 1978 the Respondent appealed on the decision of the Senior Assistant Registrar to the Judge-In-Chambers.
- (d) On the 5th March 1979, the Honourable Justice Harun in Open Court reversed the order of the Senior Assistant Registrar and gave 30 liberty to the Respondent to sign final judgment against the Appellant for the sum of \$432,663.41 being arrears of rental and the sum of \$27,887.45 being interest due on unpaid rentals up to the date of the repossession or return of the tractors and costs.
- (e) The Appellants filed a Notice of Appeal dated the 4th day of April 1979 to the Federal Court appealing against the whole of the said decision dated the 5th March 1979.

GROUNDS OF APPEAL

3. The Learned Judge erred in law and in fact when on the 5th March 1979, he granted summary judgment as he did in that he appeared to have failed to consider that the affidavits filed clearly raised triable issues and a number of bona fide defences to the claim namely:

(a) that the leasing transaction was in law and in fact a Hire Purchase Transaction as defined by Section 2 of the Hire Purchase Act 1967 in that there was a letting of goods with an option to purchase in which the instalments were referred to as rentals:

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(b) that consequently, the purported leasing 10th transaction was a device to circumvent the 1980 provisions of the Hire Purchase Act 1967 and as there was non-compliance with the provisions of the Hire Purchase Act 1967, by virtue of the said Act and Section 24 of the Contracts Act 1950, the said purported leasing transaction and the Equipment Lease Agreements hereunder are unenforceable and void;

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- (c) that as the said Equipment Lease Agreements were unenforceable and void, the claim is untenable against the 1st Appellant and consequently, the Respondent cannot enforce the Guarantee and Indemnity Agreements provided by the 2nd Appellants.
 - 4. The Learned trial Judge erred in :-
 - (a) apparently not holding that the letter which granted the option to purchase the tractors (referred to in Pages 112 and 113 of the Appeal Record) was admissable and had to be read together with the Equipment Lease Agreements to ascertain the true nature of the transaction.
 - (b) not considering that the indemnity contained in the Guarantee and the Indemnity Agreement provided by the 2nd Appellants do not create a liability on them to pay money to the Respondent in the event that the Equipment Lease Agreements are unenforceable by law and in any event, the Respondent had not pleaded in their Amended Statement of Claim that the 2nd Appellants had to indemnify the Respondents.
 - 5. The Learned Judge failed to give due weight to the fact that :-
 - (a) Some of the Guarantee and Indemnity Agreements signed by the 2nd Appellants had not been dated;
 - (b) that the residual value in the Equipment Lease Agreements was a sum of \$1/- and that

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it infers that there is a clear option In the Federal to purchase; Court of Malaysia at (c) that the Respondent had granted to the Kuala Lumpur Appellants a grace period of 2 to 3 months No.12 in payment of rentals during monsoon Memorandum of periods and that this called for evidence Appeal as to what the monsoon periods were and would reduce in any event the arrears of 10th March rental claimed. 1980 (continued) 10 The Learned trial Judge should have given unconditional leave to the Appellants to defend this suit as the matters raised above not only show bona fide triable issues but show clearly that the Appellants have a good defence at law. Dated this 10th day of March 1980 Ng Ek Teong & Partners Solicitors for the Appellants No.13 No.13 Judgment of 20 JUDGMENT OF FEDERAL Federal Court COURT 2nd April 1980 IN THE FEDERAL COURT OF MALAYSIA HOLDEN AT KUALA LUMPUR (Appellate Jurisdiction) FEDERAL COURT CIVIL APPEAL NO. 82 OF 1979 Between 1. Syarikat Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh Sdn. Bhd. 2. United Holdings Berhad Appellants 30 And Tractors Malaysia Berhad Respondent (In the Matter of Kuala Lumpur High Court Civil Suit No. C 1419 of 1978 Between Plaintiff Tractors Malaysia Berhad

And

1. Syarikat Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh Sdn. Bhd.

2. United Holdings Berhad

Defendants)

Coram: Raja Azlan Shah, C.J. Malaya

Chang Min Tat, F.J. Syed Othman, F.J.

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In the course of hearing an urgent application for stay of execution, it occurred to us that a much more satisfactory course in the circumstances of this case would be to hear the substantive appeal itself and though this would not make available to us the undoubted advantages of knowing the learned Judge's grounds of decision, we formed the opinion that in an Order 14 application which this proceeding was, nothing really turned on the credibility of witnesses and no real obstacle presented itself to the course we proposed to take. Apart from our inherent jurisdiction, Rule 25 of the Federal Court (Civil Appeals) (Transitional) Rules 1963 enables the appeal to be heard in such conditions.

By nine agreements in writing, called Equipment Leasing Agreements, all in identical form save as to the dates, the amounts and the objects of the leases, the respondents leased on various dates between September 2, 1975 and June 1976 certain very expensive machinery at substantial rentals, all in excess of \$7,000 odd per month, for a period of 30 months commencing from the dates of the agreements. Ex facie, the agreements were exactly what they were said to be - leasing agreements of chattels of contracts of bailment with no element of sale. Under these agreements, the appellants as lessees had no interest that could be seized by way of execution and there could be no question of any assignment or mortgage of an option to purchase. And if they purported to assign any proprietary rights in the machinery or otherwise deal with the objects of lease as owners, or "do or permit any act likely to endanger the safety or condition of the goods or prejudice or jeopardise the Lessor's ownership of the goods" (clause 18(f)), the respondents as lessors would become entitled to immediate possession and to terminate the leases. The lessees were also not entitled, as under a hire-purchase agreement, in the absence of any provisions to this effect, to

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No.13 Judgment of Federal Court 2nd April 1980 (continued) sub-hire them. Clause 19(i) refers to expiration or other determination of the lease and it is reasonably clear that the expiration refers to termination by effluxion of time and the "other determination" to the exercise of the lessors' rights arising upon any breach or breaches of the terms and conditions of the lease on the part of the lessees.

Clause 19(ii) reads:

- "(ii) Upon the determination of the lease (other than by effluxion of time) the lessee shall pay the lessor :-
- (a) any arrears of rentals accrued as at the date of termination;
- (b) any sums other than rentals which may become payable under the agreement;
- (c) any expenses incurred by the lessor in tracing and/or recovering possession of the goods or in enforcing the provisions of this lease;
- (d) an amount equal to the unpaid rentals for the remainder of the period of this lease. "

In each leasing, the 2nd appellants executed a document termed a Guarantee and Indemnity to guarantee the due payment of all sums of money due from the lessees to the lessors and to indemnify the lessors against all losses, damages, costs and expenses.

Each lease was consensually varied as to 30 the terms and the amounts of the payment. Whereas in the lease agreements, the total amount of the hiring charges was expressed in one lump sum to be paid by equal monthly parts for the period of the hire, with a leftover residual value of only \$1.00, the lump sum, decreased, in part, by the hire-rents hitherto paid, (i) was now further diminished by a certain rebate, (ii) then had added on to it accrued interest, (iii) and again was dininished by a more substantial 40 residual value, (iv) and lastly increased by an amount termed hiring charges. The net amount became the total rent for the period of the hire, now increased to 36 months from the date of the variation and the monthly instalment of rent is one-thirty-sixth of this total rent. One of the results of this variation was that the monthly hire was, in actual figures, reduced from some

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\$7,000 odd to some \$5,000 though it had to be borne in mind that the rents for the period that had elapsed before the variation took effect had been paid and had to be taken into consideration and the period of the hire was longer.

We were not advised of the significance in each case of this variation, but Mr. Wong Chong Wah for the respondents read to us a passage from T.M.Clark's Leasing (1978) published by McGraw-Hill Limited to the effect that there is no significance in the residual value and that this is nothing more or less than a book-keeping device to keep the books of the lessors in order. Goode on Hire Purchase Law and Procedure (2nd Edn.) at page 880 suggests that neither party to a leasing agreement contemplates that the equipment will have more than a nominal value at the end of the lease.

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It is not contended by the appellants that entering into an equipment leasing agreement is contracting outside the Hire Purchase Act (Revised) 1978 with its statutory provisions for the protection of hirers and the safeguard of the subject of the hire, which the Courts will not sanction. In the same way as parties can agree to take a licence in preference to a lease of premises which would give the protection of the relevant Rent Acts. Mohd Mustafa s/o
Seeni Mohd v. Kandasami s/o Kaliappa Gounder, (1)
Deguren v. Seal Estates (2) and Rossvale v
Green (3) it is similarly open to the parties to come to an agreement for a lease of equipment rather than to a hire-purchase agreement. adapt the words of Geoffrey Lane L.J. (as he then was) in Aldrington Garages v Fielding (4) if there is here only a lease of goods not a hire purchase dressed up in the verbiage and trappings of a lease, the lessor is entitled to succeed in its action for recovery of possession, arrears of rentals and all the other claims in the agreement. Neither statute nor public policy is against a equipment lease: see also the recent decision of Eusoffe Abdoolcader J. in Ipoh High Court Civil Suit No.137 of 1977 between Tan Chin Kim Sawmill & Factory Sdn. Bhd. and Tan Way Keat (Plaintiffs)

^{(1) (1979) 2} M.L.J. 109 F.C.

^{(2) (1979)} S.J. 222 (3) (1979) S.J. 610

^{(4) (1978) 247} E.G.557

No.13 Judgment of Federal Court 2nd April 1980 (continued) and Lindeteves-Jacoberg (M) Sdn.Bhd. and Malaysian International Merchant Bankers Berhad (Defendants). In fact equipment leasings confer certain advantages on both lessor and lessee principally in connection with tax reliefs available to both parties and the facility afforded to the lessee to return a piece of equipment which had become obsolete at the end of the minimum period without having to incur liability for payment of its full value and to replace it: see Goode on Hire-Purchase Law and Procedure (2nd Edn.) at pp.881.3.

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In the event the appellants fell into arrears of their payment of the rentals. respondents actively recovered possession of eight of the nine vehicles; the ninth was surrendered by the appellants to the respondents. The respondents also served a writ on the respondents for arrears of rentals under Clause 19(ii)(a) in the sum of \$432,663.41¢ and arrears of rentals for the remainder of the period of the leases under (b) in the sum of \$1,022,649.76¢ and interest. And a little later, the respondents made an Order 14 application to sign final judgment in terms of all the prayers in their writ. The Senior Assistant Registrar thought there were triable issues which would entitle the appellants to unconditional leave to defend. The Judge on appeal thought otherwise. appellants now appeal to this Court to restore the decision of the Senior Assistant Registrar.

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The defence of the appellants has not been delivered but in an affidavit filed to oppose the Order 14 application, Mr. Koh Kim Chai, a director of the 1st and 2nd appellant companies and an advocate and solicitor, contended that the transactions were in law and in fact hire-purchase agreements which being in breach of the statutory provisions of the Act were unenforceable by the Court. What he contended was:

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"(a) the parties intended to give and did give the 1st Defendants an option to purchase the said goods as noted in Para.5 of a letter containing the arrangements under which the Equipment Lease Agreements were entered, dated the 21st of August 1975 from the Plaintiff to the 1st Defendant, a copy of which is annexed hereto and marked 'KKC 1'; 40

(b) the Equipment Lease Agreements had reduced the residual value of the

goods at the end of the lease period In the Federato \$1/- only thereby allowing for Court of the transfer of the said goods to the Malaysia at 1st Defendant at a nominal sum of Kuala Lumpu \$1/- only.

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The second objection can be easily disposed of. His contention that the residual value at the end of the lease period was \$1/- 2nd April 1 could not be true in the light of the recalculation in the variation agreements to which his two companies had subscribed. Neither could he indicate any provision in the documents for a purchase or an option to purchase at this nominal sum or at any other stated or agreed sum. His counsel at the appeal did not pursue the matter and no necessity therefore arises for us to rule on it.

The first objection is rather more substantial. It raises two issues, first, whether the letter referred to is admissible in evidence as a collateral agreement or for the purpose of construing the lease agreements and secondly whether if admissible and admitted, the provision of an option granted to the appellants to purchase the machines has or has not converted the lease agreements, if not all of them, at least three of them which were referred to therein, into hire-purchases which would call for the operation of the protective provisions of the Hire-Purchase Act. These, in our view, are questions of law. A related problem is the proper construction of the letter for its full term and effect.

The general principle in an Order 14 application is that leave to defend must be given unless it is clear that there is no real substantial question to be tried, that there is no dispute as to facts or law which raises a reasonable doubt that the plaintiff is entitled to judgment: 1960 A.P. 263. Where the question of law raised is a difficult one, leave to defend should be given. But if the point is clear and the Court is satisfied that it is really unarguable, leave to defend will be 1976 Supreme Court Practice 140, under refused. the rubric "Question of Law". Therefore, if the Court is satisfied that the defence or defence objection is unarguable, it must refuse leave to defend; anything short of that must merit unconditional leave to defend.

We now set out the relevant terms of this letter which was dated August 21, 1975 i.e.

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"1. We attach herewith our equipment lease agreements for two (2) units Cat D6C and one (1) unit Cat D7F DD all complete with Carco Winches. The details and terms of the lease are as per the agreements attached. We will deliver the above units by the 27th/28th August, 1975.

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- 4. We will hold the price of neither (sic) the Cat D6C or the Cat D7F whichever you decide to purchase up till March, 1976 in consideration of your desire to purchase another seven or eight units by then.
- 5. As agreed, the option to purchase for the machines will be exercised by Syarikat Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh Sendirian Berhad or its assignee. "

The purpose of the appellants in seeking to introduce this letter is to contend that the option to purchase makes the leasings hire purchase agreements and therefore unenforceable by reason of the breaches of the Act.

With respect, we do not think that unenforceability is to be equated with invalidity or illegality so that we do not consider 30 this letter admissible under section 92A of the Evidence Act 1950 to invalidate the agreements or to prove illegality, as contended by Mr. George for the appellants. Neither do we think that there is any latent ambiguity in the "residual value" in the agreements for elucidation under section 92(f) and section 95. We are in doubt whether this letter is admissible under section 92(b) to prove a separate agreement on a matter on which theleasing agreements 40 were silent, since that sub-section refers to a separate oral agreement, unless of course the letter is evidence of an oral agreement. But we are of the opinion that it is at least arguable that the entire agreement between the parties consists of two sets of documents, the leasing agreements as varied and the letter, and on this view, they must be read together. We must not however be taken as expressing a firm opinion, as we did not have the benefits of 50 argument but in this possibility of an arguable

case, there is in our opinion and with respect a triable issue which necessarily gives the appellants a right to unconditional leave to defend in those cases to which the letter refers.

On a proper construction of the letter in question, it seems to us that the obvious reference to and the enclosure of the three equipment lease agreements, the fixing of the prices of the equipment if the appellants should decide to purchase any in consideration of their intention to purchase other units and the ordinary grammatical meaning to be given to the word "purchase" must mean that the option to purchase which was given, referred, if at all, to the three vehicles in these three lease agreements and could not refer to the subsequent leasings. No similar offer had been shown by the appellants to have been made in any other document or letter. These later leasings were therefore not qualified by any offer to purchase.

The appeal is therefore allowed in part, to the extent that unconditional leave to defend will be given to the appellants, in respect of the three agreements referred to in the letter of August 21, 1975 but the leave to sign final judgment against both appellants in respect of the equipment in the remaining leasing is upheld.

Before leaving the appeal, we have to refer to a notable omission which appeared to have escaped the notice of counsel at the appeal. It concerned the failure of the Judge when he allowed the appeal from the Senior Assistant Registrar to deal fully with the Order 14 The application was for the whole application. of the claim, that is, for arrears of rentals and for rentals for the unexpired remainder of the periods of the leases. The Judge merely awarded the full sum for past rentals. He did not indicate in his note of the order he made what he proposed in regard to the future rentals. No cross-appeal by the lessors had been lodged or notice of such cross-appeal given: Rule 9 (1) and (2) Federal Court (Civil Appeals) (Transitional) Rules 1963. Neither did they by their counsel ask for the leave of this Court to contend that the decision of the High Court should be varied to include the future rentals in respect of the equipment whose leases are not tainted by breaches of the Hire Purchase Act, or such damages as flowed from the lessees! breach of the agreements.

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Insofar as this claim for the rents for the unexpired period of the lease, contractually agreed to in clause 19(ii)(b) supra, which the learned Judge did not rule on, is concerned, reference may be made to a recent decision of this Court, written by Eusoffe Abdoolcader J. in Federal Court Civil Appeal No.44 of 1979, Diamond Peak Sdn. Bhd. & Anor. v. Tweedie. that case it has held that when an Order 14 10 application is dismissed, it does not mean that the statement of claim is struck out and if the Court purports to do so, its order is bad and must be set aside. All the Court can do where leave to defend is properly to be given is to give such leave and exercise, if it chooses to do so at that stage, its power to give such directions as to the future conduct of the action as might be given under Order 30 Rules of the High Court.

At this stage we do not wish to say anything about the proprietary of the claim for the agreed rentals for the unexpired period of the leases, but Eusoffe Abdoolcader J. dealt with that question in his judgment in the Ipoh High Court Civil Suit No. 137/1977, supra.

Both decisions were given on the same day, March 6, 1980. We appreciate of course that they were not available to the Bar when this case was argued in the High Court or known to counsel when it came up before us.

The order of this Court therefore is that the leave to the respondents to sign final judgment against both appellants for the arrears of rentals in respect of the six leasings to which the letter of August 21, 1975 does not refer, is confirmed, in such sum as the parties will arrive at from the relevant documents with interest thereon at the agreed rate up to the date of repossession, and in one case, up to the date of return and further interest at 12% p.a. on such arrears from the date of repossession or return as the case maybe to the date of payment. The judgment should also include the repossession expenses: clause 19(ii)(c). Leave to defend will be given to the appellants in respect of the three vehicles in the leasing agreements mentioned in the letter of August 21, 1975. This must mean leave to defend also in respect of the rentals for the unexpired period of these 3 leases. The order for costs to the respondents in the High Court and before the Senior Assistant Registrar will stand but the

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costs of the appeal in this Court shall be in the cause.

The application for stay is refused.

Sd: CHANG MIN TAT (TAN SRI DATUK CHANG MIN TAT) JUDGE

FEDERAL COURT, MALAYSIA

Kuala Lumpur 2nd April 1980

Date of Hearing: 10 13th March, 1980

Encik V.C.George (Encik K.S. Narayanan with him)

for Appellants

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Solicitors: Messrs. Ng Ek Teong & Partners

Encik Wong Chong Wah for Respondent. Solicitors: Messrs. Skrine & Co.

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ORDER OF FEDERAL COURT

No.14 Order of Federal Court 2nd April 1980

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Kuala Lumpur

Court of Malaysia at

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IN THE FEDERAL COURT OF MALAYSIA HOLDEN AT KUALA LUMPUR

(APPELLATE JURISDICTION)

FEDERAL COURT CIVIL APPEAL NO. 82 OF 1979

Between

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Appellants

And

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2. United Holdings Berhad

Defendants)

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Court of

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CHANG MIN TAT, JUDGE, FEDERAL COURT MALAYSIA

SYED OTHMAN, JUDGE, FEDERAL COURT, MALAYSIA

IN OPEN COURT

THIS 2ND DAY OF APRIL, 1980

2nd April 1980

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ORDER

THIS APPEAL coming on for hearing on the 13th day of March, 1980 in the presence of Mr. V.C. George (with Mr. K.S. Narayanan with him) of Counsel for the Appellants and Mr. Wong Chong Wah of Counsel for the Respondent AND UPON READING the Record of Appeal filed herein AND UPON HEARING the submissions of Counsel as aforesaid IT WAS ORDERED that the Appeal do stand adjourned for judgment AND the same coming on for judgment this day in the presence of Miss Kumarsamy of Counsel for the Appellants Mr. Wong Chong Wah of Counsel for the Respondent IT IS ORDERED that the Appeal be and is hereby dismissed to the extent that the judgment of the Honourable Mr. Justice Harun Hashim dated the 5th day of March, 1979 be varied and confirmed as follows:-

- the sum of \$273,333.99 being arrears of rental in respect of the six leasings;
- (2) the sum of \$17,322.51 being interest due on the arrears of rentals in respect of the said six leasings up to the date of repossession or return of tractors;

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- (3) further interest at 12% per annum on the arrears of rental in respect of the said six leasings as follows:-
 - (a) the sum of \$84,773.28 from 27.11.77 to the date of payment:
 - (b) the sum of \$188,560.98 from 6.12.77 to the date of payment;
- (4)the sum of \$19,900.00 being repossession expenses in respect of the said six leasings:

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AND IT IS ORDERED that leave be and is hereby given to the Appellants to defend in respect of the three vehicles under Equipment Leasing Agreements Nos. P.J./Lease 22/75, P.J./Lease 23/75 P.J./Lease 21/75 AND IT IS ORDERED that the Appellants do pay to the Respondent the

costs of the High Court and before the Senior Assistant Registrar arising out of the applica- Court of tion of the Respondent dated 29th day of July, AND IT IS LASTLY ORDERED that the costs of this Appeal be costs in the cause AND IT IS ORDERED that the sum of \$500.00 paid into Court by the Appellants as security for costs of this Appeal be and is hereby refunded to the Appellants

In the Federal Malaysia at Kuala Lumpur

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GIVEN under my hand and the Seal of the Court this 2nd day of April, 1980.

> Sd: Illegible

Senior Assistant Registrar Federal Court, Malaysia Kuala Lumpur.

No.15

AFFIDAVIT OF K.S. NARAYANAN

No.15 Affidavit of K.S.Narayanan 3rd May 1980

IN THE FEDERAL COURT OF MALAYSIA HOLDEN AT KUALA LUMPUR

(APPELLATE JURISDICTION)

FEDERAL COURT CIVIL APPEAL NO.82 OF 1979

Between

1. Syarikat Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh Sdn.Bhd

2.United Holdings Berhad

Appellants

And

Tractors Malaysia Berhad

Respondent

(In the Matter of Kuala Lumpur High Court Civil Suit No. C 1419 of 1978

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2. United Holdings Berhad

Defendants)

No.15 Affida it of K.S. Narayanan 3rd May 1980 (continued)

AFFIDAVIT

- I, K.S. NARAYANAN of full age, Malaysian Citizen residing at No. 205, Jalan Ara, Bandaraya, Kuala Lumpur do hereby affirm and say as follows:-
- 1. I am an Advocate and Solicitor of the High Court in Malaya and a partner of Messrs. Ng Ek Teong & Partners, Solicitors for the Appellants abovenamed.
- 2. I have had and continue to have the conduct of this matter and am authorised by the Appellants abovenamed to affirm this Affidavit on their behalf.

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- 3. On the 2nd day of April 1980, this Honourable Court delivered a decision and ordered:-
 - (a) that the Respondents be given leave to sign final judgment against both the Appellants for the arrears of rentals in respect of the six (6) Equipment Leasing Agreements to which the letter of August 21st 1975 does not refer, in such sums as the parties will arrive at from the relevant documents with interest thereon at the agreed rate, up to the date of repossession, and in one case, up to the date of return and further interest at 12% per annum on such arrears from the date of repossession or return as the case may be to the date of payment with expenses of repossession included; and
 - (b) that the Appellants be given leave to defend in respect of three (3) vehicles in connection with three (3) other Equipment Leasing Agreements mentioned in the letter of August 21st 1975.
- 4. The Appellants are desirous of appealing to His Majesty the Yang Di-Pertuan Agong in 40 respect of that part of the said Order of the Honorable Court referred to in Paragraph 3(a) above.
- 5. The Appellants contend that the said Order of Court granting leave to sign final judgment isan interlocutory Order and consequently pursuant to Section 74(i)(b) of the Courts of Judicature Act 1964 an appeal shall lie to His

Majesty the Yang Di-Persuan Agong only if the Federal Court considers the matter to be a fit one for appeal.

6. It is respectfully contended that :-

> (a) the Federal Court erred in coming to the conclusion that the letter of 21st August 1975 does not refer to the 3rd May 1980 six (6) Equipment Leasing Agreements and that in any event, whether the said letter refers to the said Leasing Agreements or not is in itself a triable issue;

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- (b) the fact that the residual value of the said six (6) Equipment Leasing Agreements was \$1/- at inception and subsequently varied to about \$55,000/raises the inferences that :-
 - (i) there was an option to purchase the vehicles under the said Leasing Agreements at a nominal sum of the residual value of \$1/- at the end of the Leasing period: and
 - (ii) the subsequent variation of \$55,000/- makes it clear that the residual value was not purely a figure "nothing more or less than a book-keeping device" as found by the Federal Court but a figure which was intended to water down the option given to the Lessor: and
 - (iii) that the inferences in (b)(i) and (ii) above and its effects raise triable issues to be determined by a trial judge.
- (c) the letter of 21st August 1975 read with the circumstances of the variation of the residual value as referred to in (b) above gave an option to the first Appellant to purchase the six (6) vehicles contained in the six (6) Equipment Leasing Agreements thereby making the transaction a Hire-purchase transaction:
- (d) if the Defendant alleges illegality and there are facts before the Court which support such allegation and the Plaintiff contends to the contrary as in the

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No.15 Affidavit of K.S.Narayanan 3rd May 1980 (continued) situation obtaining the instant case, and where two separate inferences could be drawn from the facts before the Court the matter can only be resolved by a trial during which evidence would have to be lead in open Court in support of the respective contentions of the parties.

- 7. It is respectfully contended that this matter is a fit and proper case for appeal particularly as:-
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- (a) the Appellants have an arguable case for reversing the conclusion of the Federal Court granting the Respondents final leave to sign Judgment as triable issues exist; and
- (b) one of the main contentions of the lst and 2nd Appellants was and still is that the relevant Equipment Leasing Agreements are unenforceable against them by the Respondents as they are contrary to the Hire-Purchase Act 1967 and consequently illegal; and

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(c) that if this leave to appeal is not granted, the Appellants stand to lose a sum of approximately \$400,000/- which the Appellants allege the Respondents would have obtained on enforcing an illegal transaction.

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8. In the alternative, the Appellants contend that the Order of the Honourable Court referred to in Paragraph 3(a) above is a final Order and consequently pursuant to Section 74(i)(a) of the Courts of Judicature Act 1964, an appeal shall lie to His Majesty the Yang Di-Pertuan Agong if the matter in dispute amounts to a value in excess of \$25,000/-. This appeal has a value of approximately \$400,000/- and it is respectfully contended that in those circumstances, the Appellants should be given leave to appeal to His Majesty the Yang Di-Pertuan Agong.

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9. The Appellants further hereby respectfully apply for a stay of execution of the said Order pending appeal to the Privy Council on the grounds stated in Paragraphs 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 of the Affidavit of Koh Kim Chai affirmed on the 19th day of February 1980 and filed in the High Court and which is annexed to this Affidavit and marked "KSN1".

10. I humbly pray and this Honourable Court will grant an Order in terms of this application.

AFFIRMED by K.S. Narayanan) at Kuala Lumpur in the) Federal Territory this) 3rd day of May 1980 at) 10.45 am

Sd: K.S.Narayanan

In the Federal Court of Malaysia at Kuala Lumpur

No.15 Affidavit of K.S. Narayanan 3rd May 1980 (continued)

Before me,

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Sd: Yee Soon Kwong Commissioner for Oaths Kuala Lumpur

This Affidavit is filed by Messrs. Ng Ek Teong & Partners, Solicitors for the Respondent whose address for service is at 2nd Floor, Bangunan Persatuan Hokkien Selangor, Jalan Raja Chulan, Kuala Lumpur.

No. 16

AFFIDAVIT OF WONG CHONG WAH

No.16 Affidavit of Wong Chong Wah 13th May 1980

IN THE FEDERAL COURT OF MALAYSIA HOLDEN AT KUALA LUMPUR

(APPELLATE JURISDICTION)

FEDERAL COURT CIVIL APPEAL NO: 82 OF 1979

Between

1. Syarikat Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh Sdn. Bhd.

2. United Holdings Berhad

Appellants

And

30 Tractors Malaysia Berhad

Respondent

(In the Matter of Kuala Lumpur High Court Civil Suit No. C 1419 of 1978)

Between

Tractors Malaysia Berhad

Plaintiff

And

No.16 Affidavit of Wong Chong Wah 13th May 1980 (continued)

- 1. Syarikat Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh Sdn. Bhd.
- 2. United Holdings Berhad

Defendants

AFFIDAVIT

I, WONG CHONG WAH of full age, of 3rd Floor, Straits Trading Building, 4 Leboh Pasa Besar, Kuala Lumpur, affirm and say as follows:-

- 1. I am a partner in Messrs. Skrine & Co., Advocates and Solicitors for the Respondent abovenamed and I am in charge of this matter.
- 2. On the 5th day of March 1979 the High Court at Kuala Lumpur in Civil Suit No.1419 of 1978 gave Judgment in favour of the Plaintiff against the Defendants herein and ordered that the Plaintiff be at liberty to sign final judgment against the Defendants for the sum of \$432,663.41 being arrears of rental and the sum of \$27,887.45 being interest due on unpaid rentals up to the date of repossession or return of tractors.

3. The abovenamed Appellants appealed against the said Judgment and the appeal was heard in the Federal Court of Malaysia at Kuala Lumpur on the 13th day of March 1980 when at the conclusion of the hearing, Judgment was reserved.

- 4. On the 2nd day of April 1980, the Federal Court gave judgment confirming in part the High Court's Judgment and allowing in part the Appellants' Appeal against the High Court's Judgment in that the Judgment sum was reduced to \$310,556.50 plus interest.
- 5. The Respondent is dissatisfied with the said Judgment of the Federal Court.
- 6. The said Judgment is an interlocutory Judgment or Order in a civil matter which is a fit one for appeal.
- 7. The Respondent is willing to enter into good and sufficient security for the due prosecution of the Appeal to the Yang Di-Pertuan Agung and the payment of costs herein, and to 40 abide by any other conditions that may be imposed by this Honourable Court.
- 8. I pray that this Honourable Court will be pleased to grant to the Respondent leave to appeal to His Majesty the Yang Di-Pertuan Agung.

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AFFIRMED at Kuala Lumpur this 13th day of May, 1980

Sd: Wong Chong Wah

In the Federal Court of Malaysia at Kuala Lumpur

Before me,

Sd: Theh Liang Peng, P.P.N.

Commissioner for Oaths Kuala Lumpur No.16 Affidavit of Wong Chong Wah 13th May 1980 (continued)

This Affidavi+ is filed by Messrs. Skrine & Co. Straits Trading Building, No.4 Leboh Pasar Besar, Kuala Lumpur, Solicitors for the Respondent abovenamed.

No. 17

NOTICE OF MOTION OF APPELLANTS FOR CONDITIONAL LEAVE No.17 Notice of Motion of Appellants for Conditional Leave

3rd June 1980

IN THE FEDERAL COURT OF MALAYSIA (APPELLATE JURISDICTION)

CIVIL APPEAL NO. 82 OF 1979

Between

20 l. Syarikat Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh Sdn. Bhd.

2. United Holdings Berhad

Appellants

And

Tractors Malaysia Berhad

Respondent

(In the Matter of Kuala Lumpur High Court Civil Suit No. C1419 of 1978

Between

Tractors Malaysia Berhad

Plaintiff

And

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1. Syarikat Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh Sdn.Bhd.

2. United Holdings Berhad

Defendants)

NOTICE OF MOTION

TAKE NOTICE that on Tuesday 24th day of

No.17 Notice of Motion of Appellants for Conditional Leave

3rd June 1980 (continued)

June 1980 at 9.30 o'clock in the forenoon or soon thereafter as he can be heard Mr. V.C. George of Counsel for the abovenamed Appellants will move the Court for an Order:-

- (a) that conditional leave be granted to the abovenamed Appellants to appeal to His Majesty the Yang Di-Pertuan Agong against that part of the decision of this Honourable Court 10 given on the 2nd day of April 1980 granting leave to the Respondents to sign final judgment against both the Appellants for the arrears of rental in respect of six (6) Equipment Leasing Agreements with interest thereon up to the date of repossession, and in one case up to the date of return, of the Equipment and further interests at 12% per annum on such arrears from the date of repossession 20 or return as the case may be to the date of payment and repossession expenses incurred; AND
- (b) that the execution of that part of the Order referred to in (a) above and all proceedings to enforce that part of the Order be stayed pending the disposal of the appeal; AND
- (c) that the costs of and incidental to this application be costs in the cause. 30

Sd: Ng Ek Teong & Partners
Solicitors for Appellants
abovenamed

Dated at Kuala Lumpur this 3rd day of June 1980.

Sd: Illegible Chief Registrar Federal Court Kuala Lumpur.

To: The Respondents and/or their Solicitors Messrs. Skrine & Co. Straits Trading Building, 4 Leboh Pasar Besar Kuala Lumpur

This Application will be supported by the Affidavit of K.S. Narayanan affirmed on the 3rd day of May 1980 and filed herein.

This Notice of Motion is filed by Messrs. Ng Ek Teong & Partners, Solicitors for the Appellants whose address for service is at 2nd floor, Bangunan Persatuan Hokkien Selangor, Jalan Raja Chulan, Kuala Lumpur.

In the Federal Court of Malaysia at Kuala Lumpur

No.17 Notice of Motion of Appellants for Conditional Leave

3rd June 1980 (continued)

No. 18

NOTICE OF MOTION OF RESPONDENTS FOR CONDITIONAL LEAVE No.18 Notice of Motion of Respondents for Conditional Leave

3rd June 1980

IN THE FEDERAL COURT OF MALAYSIA HOLDEN AT KUALA LUMPUR

(APPELLATE JURISDICTION)

FEDERAL COURT CIVIL APPEAL NO: 82 OF 1979

Between

 Syarikat Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh Sdn. Bhd.

2. United Holdings Berhad

Appellants

And

Tractors Malaysia Berhad

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Respondent

(In the Matter of Kuala Lumpur High Court Civil Suit No. C 1419 of 1978)

Between

Tractors Malaysia Berhad

Plaintiff

And

1. Syarikat Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh Sdn. Bhd.

2. United Holdings Berhad

Defendants

NOTICE OF MOTION

TAKE NOTICE that the Court will be moved on Tuesday the 24th day of June 1980, at 9.30

Nol8 Notice of Motion of Respondents for Conditional Leave

3rd June 1980 (continued)

o'clock in the forenoon or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard Mr. Wong Chong Wah of Counsel for the abovenamed Respondent, Tractors Malaysia Berhad, for an Order:-

- (a) that conditional leave be granted to the Respondent to appeal to His Majesty the Yang Di-Pertuan Agung against the decision of this Honourable Court given on the 2nd day of April, 1980
- (b) that the costs of and incidental to this application be costs in the cause.

Sd: Skrine & Co.
Solicitors for the
Respondent abovenamed

Dated at Kuala Lumpur this

Sd: Illegible Senior Assistant Registrar, Federal Court, Malaysia

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To:-

Messrs. Ng Ek Teong & Partners, 2nd Floor, Bangunan Persatuan Hokkien Selangor, Jalan Raja Chulan, Kuala Lumpur, Solicitors for the Appellants abovenamed.

Kuala Lumpur.

The address for service on the Respondent is Messrs. Skrine & Co., Straits Trading Building, No4 Leboh Pasar Besar, Kuala Lumpur, Solicitors for the Respondent abovenamed.

No. 19

ORDER GRANTING CONDITIONAL LEAVE TO APPEAL

In the Federal Court of Malaysia at Kuala Lumpur

No.19 Order granting Conditional Leave to Appeal 24th June 1980

IN THE FEDERAL COURT OF MALAYSIA HOLDEN AT KUALA LUMPUR

(APPELLATE JURISDICTION)
FEDERAL COURT CIVIL APPEAL NO: 82 OF 1979

Between

 Syarikat Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh Sdn. Bhd.

2. United Holdings Berhad

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Appellants

And

Tractors Malaysia Berhad

Respondent

(In the Matter of Kuala Lumpur High Court Civil Suit No: C 1419 of 1978

Between

Tractors Malaysia Berhad

Plaintiff

And

1. Syarikat Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh Sdn. Bhd.

2. United Holdings Berhad

Defendants)

CORAM: RAJA AZLAN SHAH, CHIEF JUSTICE, HIGH COURT, MALAYA:

CHANG MIN TAT, JUDGE, FEDERAL COURT,

MALAYSIA:

SYED OTHMAN, JUDGE, FEDERAL COURT,

MALAYSIA

IN OPEN COURT THIS 24TH DAY OF JUNE 1980

UPON MOTION made on to Court on the 24th
day of June 1980 by Mr.V.C.George, Counsel for
the Appellants abovenamed and by Mr. Wong Chong
Wah, Counsel for the Respondent abovenamed
AND UPON READING the Appellants' Notice of Motion
dated the 3rd of June 1980 and the Affidavit of
K.S. Narayanan affirmed on the 3rd of May 1980,
the Respondent's Notice of Motion dated the 3rd
day of June 1980 and the Affidavit of Wong Chong
Wah dated the 13th of May 1980, all filed herein
AND UPON HEARING Counsel for the Appellants and
Counsel for the Respondent as aforesaid

No.19 Order granting Conditional Leave to Appeal 24th June 1980 (continued) IT IS ORDERED that leave be and is hereby granted to the Appellants to appeal to His Majesty the Yang di-Pertuan Agong against that part of the decision of this Honourable Court given on the 2nd day of April 1980 granting leave to the Respondent to sign final judgment against both the Appellants for the arrears of rental in respect of six (6) Equipment Lease Agreements with interest thereon up to the date of repossession and one case up to the date of return of the equipment and further interest at 12% per annum on such arrears from the date of repossession or return as the case may be to the date of payment and for repossession expenses incurred, upon the following conditions :-

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- (a) that the Appellants abovenamed do within three (3) months from the date hereof enter into good and sufficient security to the satisfaction of the Chief Registrar, Federal Court, Malaysia in the sum of \$5,000/- only for the due prosecution of the appeal and
- (b) that the Appellants abovenamed do within the period of three (3) months from the date hereof take the necessary steps for the purpose of procuring the preparation of the record and for the despatch thereof to England.

AND IT IS ORDERED that leave be and is hereby granted to the Respondent to appeal to His Majesty the Yang di-Pertuan Agong against the decision of the Federal Court given on the 2nd day of April 1980 upon the following conditions:-

- (i) that the Respondent abovenamed do within three (3) months from the date hereof enter into good and sufficient security to the satisfaction of the Chief Registrar, Federal Court,
 Malaysia in the sum of \$5,000/- only for the due prosecution of the appeal and
- (ii) that the Respondent abovenamed be exempted from the preparation of the Record of Appeal and its despatch to England and
- (iii) that in default by the Appellants abovenamed to proceed with the preparation of the Record of Appeal 50

and its despatch to England within three (3) months from the date hereof the Respondent shall have three (3) months from the 24th September 1980 within which to procure the preparation of the Record of Appeal and its despatch to England.

AND IT FURTHER ORDERED that the appeal by the Appellants and the appeal by the Respondent to His Majesty the Yang di-Pertuan Agong be and is hereby consolidated pursuant to Rule 124 of the Federal Court 1980 and that the Appellants appeal be the main appeal AND IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Appellants prayer (b) contained in the Appellants Notice of Motion dated the 3rd day of June 1980 requesting for stay of execution of the Judgment of this Honourable Court given on the 2nd of April 1980, pending appeal on the said judgment to His Majesty the Yang di-Pertuan Agong be refused AND IT IS LASTLY ORDERED that costs of the Appellants application and the Respondent's application be costs in the cause.

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Given under my hand and seal of the Court this 24th day of June 1980.

Sgd: Illegible SENIOR ASSISTANT REGISTRAR FEDERAL COURT MALAYSIA KUALA LUMPUR

This Order is filed by M/s Ng Ek Teong & Partners of 2nd Floor, Bangunan Persatuan Hokkien Selangor, Jalan Raja Chulan, Kuala Lumpur, Solicitors for Appellants abovenamed.

In the Federal Court of Malaysia at Kuala Lumpur

No.19 Order granting Conditional Leave to Appeal 24th June 1980 (continued)

No. 20 In the Federal Court of ORDER GRANTING FINAL Malaysia at LEAVE TO APPEAL TO Kuala Lumpur H.M. THE YANG DI-PERTUAN No.20 AGONG Order granting final leave to appeal to IN THE FEDERAL COURT OF MALAYSIA HOLDEN AT H.M.the Yang KUALA LUMPUR Di-Pertuan (APPELLATE JURISDICTION) Agorg FEDERAL COURT CIVIL APPEAL NO: 82 OF 1979 11th October 1980 10 Between 1. Syarikat Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh Sdn. Bhd. 2. United Holdings Berhad Appellants And Tractors Malaysia Berhad Respondent (In the Matter of Kuala Lumpur High Court Civil Suit No. C 1419 of 1978 Between Tractors Malaysia Berhad Plaintiff 20 1. Syarikat Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh Sdn. Bhd. 2. United Holdings Berhad Defendants) RAJA AZLAN SHAH, CHIEF JUSTICE, HIGH CORAM: COURT, MALAYA: SYED OTHMAN, JUDGE, FEDERAL COURT, MALAYSIA; ABDUL HAMID, JUDGE, FEDERAL COURT, MALAYSIA IN OPEN COURT 30

IN OPEN COURT 30 THIS 11TH DAY OF OCTOBER 1980

UPON MOTION made on to Court this day
by Encik K.S. Narayanan of Counsel for the
Appellants abovenamed and also mentioning on
behalf of the Solicitors for the Respondent
AND UPON READING the Notice of Motion dated
the 26th day of September 1980 and the
Affidavit of K.S. Narayanan affirmed on the
23rd day of September 1980 AND UPON HEARING
Counsel for the Appellants aforesaid IT IS
ORDERED that final leave be and is hereby

granted to the Appellants to appeal to His Majesty the Yang Di-Pertuan Agong from that part of the decision of this Honourable Court given on the 2nd day of April 1980 granting leave to the Respondent to sign final judgment against both the Appellants for arrears of rental in respect of six (6) Equipment Lease Agreements with interest up to the date of repossession and in one case up to the date of return of equipment and further interest at 12% per annum on such arrears from the date of repossession or return as the case may be to the date of payment and repossession of expenses incurred.

In the Federal Court of Malaysia at Kuala Lumpur

No.20 Order granting final leave to appeal to H.M. the Yang Di-Pertuan Agong 11th October 1980

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GIVEN under my hand and the Seal of the Court this 11th day of October 1980.

Sd: (Illegible)
SENIOR ASSISTANT REGISTRAR
FEDERAL COURT
KUALA LUMPUR
MALAYSIA.

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This Order is filed by M/s Ng Ek Teong & Partners, Solicitors for the Appellants abovenamed, whose address for service is at 2nd Floor, Bangunan Persatuan Hokkien Selangor, Jalan Raja Chulan, Kuala Lumpur.

DEFENDANTS EXHIBIT

"K.C.C.1"

Letter Plaintiffs to First Defendant

21st August 1975

DEFENDANTS EXHIBIT

"K.C.C.1"

LETTER PLAINTIFFS TO FIRST DEFENDANT

TRACTORS MALAYSIA BERHAD

Incorporated in Malaysia Jalan 205 Petaling Jaya, Selangor, Malaysia P.O.Box 2 Petaling Jaya, Telephone: 779822 Telegram and Telex: "TRACTORS" Telex: MA 37594

Our ref: PJ/S/M45

21st August, 1975

Syarikat Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh Sendirian Berhad 6th Floor, Oriental Plaza P.O.Box 1013 KUALA LUMPUR

Attention: Mr. K.C.Koh

Dear Sirs

LEASE AGREEMENTS FOR CATERPILLAR EQUIPMENT

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Further to your discussion with the writer and our General Manager Sales, we wish to confirm the following arrangements:-

We attach herewith our equipment lease 1. agreements for two (2) units Cat D6C DD and one (1) unit Cat D7F DD all complete with Carco Winches. The details and terms of the lease are as per the agreements attached. We will deliver the above units by the 27th/28th August, 1975.

- As agreed, we will allow yourselves thirty 2. (30) days after delivery of the units to decide on your machine model preference, which will then determine our replacement unit to yourselves. Should you decide to retain both models after thirty days, the given lease agreements will be maintained.
- We will allow yourselves two or three 3. months grace towards the payment of your lease instalments during the monsoon period only on condition that your project 40 is seriously affected by weather conditions.

However, as agreed, you will pay your overdue interest promptly when due during this period. Also, after this period of grace, you will keep your accounts current after a few months, and it has also been agreed that your account should not left for more than three months at any time.

DEFENDANTS EXHIBIT

"K.C.C.1"

Letter Plaintiffs to First Defendant

21st August 1975

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- We will hold the price of either the Cat D6C or the Cat D7F whichever you decide to purchase up till March, 1976 in consideration of your desire to purchase another seven or eight units by then.
- 5. As agreed, the option to purchase for the machines will be exercised by Syarikat Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh Sendirian Berhad or its assigness.

We trust that the arrangements confirm our discussion and we wish to assure you of our best services and attention at all times.

20 Yours faithfully, for TRACTORS MALAYSIA BERHAD

Sd:

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LIM KOH CHIN Sales Manager

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Encl.

PLAINTIFFS EXHIBITS

"W.C.C.7"

- (1) EquipmentLease Agreement21/752 September 1975
- (2) Schedule thereto
- (3) Guarantee and Indemnity in respect thereof 2 September 1975
- (4) Variation Agreement 23 June 1977
- (5) Schedule to Variation Agreement

PLAINTIFFS EXHIBITS

"W.C.C.7"

- (1) EQUIPMENT LEASE AGREEMENT 21/75
- (2) SCHEDULE THERETO
- (3) GUARANTEE AND INDEMNITY IN RESPECT THEREOF
- (4) VARIATION AGREEMENT
- (5) SCHEDULE TO VARIATION AGREEMENT

TRACTORS MALAYSIA BERHAD (Incorporated in Malaysia)

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EQUIPMENT LEASE AGREEMENT

AN AGREEMENT made the 2nd day of September 1975 between TRACTORS MALAYSIA BERHAD of Jalan 205, P.O.Box 2 Petaling Jaya (hereinafter with its successors and assigns referred to as "the Lessor") of the one part and the person or company whose name and address is set out in the Schedule hereto (hereinafter referred to as "the Lessee") of the other part

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WHEREAS at the request of the Lessee the Lessor if it does not already own them has agreed to purchase the goods described in the Schedule hereto (hereinafter referred to as "the goods") for the sole purpose of leasing the goods to the Lessee Upon and Subject to the terms and conditions herein contained.

NOW IT IS HEREBY AGREED as follows :-

- 1. The Lessor hereby lets and the Lessee takes on lease from the Lessor the goods for the term of years stated in the Schedule hereto (hereinafter referred to as "the said term").
- 2. The Lessee shall punctually pay to the Lessor during the said term the monthly rental stated in the Schedule hereto payable in advance on the first day of each month All payments of rental hereunder shall be paid to the Lessor at the address stated herein or at such other address as the Lessor may from time to time specify and payments made by post shall be at 40 the risks of the Lessee.
- 3. The Lessee acknowledges that the goods are and throughout the period of this Lease shall remain the sole property of the Lessor and the Lessee shall have no right of property therein

but is merely a bailee to use the same subject to the terms and conditions herein contained.

The Lessee shall throughout the said term 4.

> (i) Keep the goods in good and servicable Lease Agreement repair and condition (fair wear and tear only excepted) and will if the goods shall be or become in any way out of order or repair have the same repaired or replaced by the Lessor or its nominee only and by no other person or firm and repay to the Lessor the full cost of such repair or replacement and the Lessor shall be entitled to possession of the goods for the purpose of repair or replacement and shall have a lien on the goods until such repayment by the Lessee but exercise of such lien shall not prevent the accrual of rental hereunder;

- (ii) Punctually pay all registration charges licence fees rent rates taxes and other outgoings payable in respect of the goods or the use thereof or in respect of any premises in which the goods may from time to time be placed or kept and if so required by the Lessor produce to the Lessor on demand the last receipts for all such payments and in the event of the Lessee making default under the subclause the Lessor shall be at liberty to make all or any such payments and the Lessee agrees to reimburse the Lessor such amounts:
- (iii) Permit the Lessor or its servants or agents at all reasonable times to enter upon the premises in which the goods are for the time being placed or kept for the purpose of testing or inspecting the condition of the goods;
 - (iv) Keep the goods in the possession and control of the Lessee at the address set out in the Schedule hereto or at such other address as may from time to time be approved in writing by the Lessor;
 - (v) Notify the Lessor of any change in the Lessee's address and upon request by the Lessor promptly inform the Lessor

PLAINTIFFS EXHIBITS

"W.C.C.7"

- (1) Equipment 21/75
- 2 September 1975
- (2) Schedule thereto
- (3) Guarantee and Indemnity in respect thereof 2 September 1975
- (4) **V**ariation Agreement 23 June 1977
- (5) Schedule to Variation Agreement

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PLAINTIFFS EXHIBITS

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- (1) Equipment Lease Agreement 21/75 2 September 1975
- (2) Schedule thereto
- (3) Guarantee and Indemnity in respect thereof 2 September 1975
- (4) Variation Agreement 23 June 1977
- (5) Schedule to Variation Agreement

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of the whereabouts of the goods.

- 5. The Lessee will indemnify the Lessor and keep the Lessor indemnified at all times against
 - (i) Loss of the goods or any part thereof by confiscation, forfeiture or seizure whether under distress for rent, execution or other legal process;
 - (ii) Loss, destruction of or damage to the goods or any part thereof by fire accident theft or any other causes whatsoever and whether or not resulting from the negligence of the Lessee;

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- (iii) All claims and demands arising out of the use operation or keeping of the goods.
- 6. (i) The Lessee shall immediately after the signing of this Lease at its own cost insure and keep the goods insured throughout the said term in the name of the Lessor for not less than the amounts set out in the Schedule hereto under the heading "Insurable Values" in some insurance company approved by the Lessor under a comprehensive policy of insurance against loss or damage by accident fire theft and such other risks as the Lessor may from time to time require.
 - (ii) The Lessee shall punctually pay all premiums payable under the said policy and produce the receipts for such payments to the Lessor on demand and to maintain the said policy in full effect and not to permit or suffer any act matter or thing whereby the said policy will or may be prejudicially affected or invalidated.
 - (iii) In the event of any claim arising under any insurance hereunder the Lessee shall give to the Lessor immediate written notice thereof and will comply with all requests and instructions of the Lessor in connection with any claim and subsequent dealings with the insurers and hereby irrevocably authorises the Lessor to adjust or compromise any such claim as the Lessor may think fit and to receive any monies 50

payable in respect thereof and to give effective receipts and discharges therefor and in the event of any claim being disputed by the insurer to take all such steps actions or proceedings as the Lessor shall deem necessary in the joint names of the Lessee and the Lessor or otherwise as the Lessor may think fit for the purpose of enforcing any of the Lessor's rights and remedies and generally to act for and on behalf of the Lessor and Lessee in respect of such claim as the Lessor may think fit. The Lessor shall be entitled to receive to the exclusion of the Lessee and to retain subject to the terms of this agreement without thereby divesting itself of the property in the goods or in the salvage thereof all monies payable by the insurers under any policy in consequence of the loss or destruction Agreement of or damage to the goods within the meaning of the provisions of any insurance Provided however that if the Lessee is not in default under the terms of this agreement and the goods are damaged but capable of repair the Lessor will apply any moneys received from the insurer in respect of such damage under the insurance referred to in Clause 6(i) herein towards the cost of the repairs. Provided further that the Lessor may at any time cancel such insurance or alter or vary any part or portion of the risks covered or the terms of insurance and any rebate of premium received by the Lessor shall be placed to the credit of the Lessee in respedt of any moneys due owing or payable or becoming due or payable by the Lessee to the Lessor

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(iv) If the goods be totally lost or destroyed or damaged beyond repair then subject to the provisions of Clause 5 (i) and (ii) this Lease shall ipso facto terminate and notwithstanding the provisions of Clause 19(ii) the Lessee shall forthwith pay to the Lessor the sum of the unpaid rentals under this Lease up to the date of loss, destruction or damage plus the insurance value of the goods at that date less the amount received by the Lessor from the

insurer of the goods. But save as

hereunder.

PLAINTIFFS EXHIBITS

"W.C.C.7"

- (1) Equipment Lease Agreement 21/75
- 2 September 1975
- (2) Schedule thereto
- (3) Guarantee and Indemnity in respect thereof 2 September 1975
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- provided in this Clause the loss of or damage to the goods shall not affect the continuance of this Lease or the Lessee's liability for payment of rental hereunder.
- (v) The Lessee may at its own expense insure the Lessee's interest in the goods.
- (vi) The Lessee will at the Lessee's own expense insure and keep insured during 10 the period of this Lease in an insurance company nominated by the Lessor the goods in the joint names of the Lessor and the Lessee for an amount and subject to terms approved by the Lessor all insurable liability in respect of injury to all persons (whether officers employees agents contractors occupiers licensees invit-20 ees trespassers or any members of the public) and whether or not upon the premises at which the goods are situated and damage to property and will on request by the Lessor provide evidence to the satisfaction of the Lessor of the currency of such last mentioned insurance.
- 7. The Lessee will use operate maintain and store the goods in a skilful and proper manner and shall obtain all necessary licences 30 permits and permissions for the use of the goods and not use the goods or permit the same to be used contrary to any law regulation or bye-law relating thereto for the time being in force Provided that if the Lessee shall contravene or fail to comply with any statutory or other requirements as aforesaid then the Lessor may so comply and the Lessee will forthwith indemnify the Lessor against all costs charges and expenses incurred by the Lessor in connection therewith.
- 8. The Lessee will not cause or permit the goods to be affixed to any real property without the written consent of the Lessor Provided that if the goods are with such consent affixed to any land or building the Lessee shall ensure that such goods shall be capable of being removed without material injury to the said land or building and that all such steps shall be taken as are necessary to prevent title from passing to the owner of the said land or building.

- 9. The Lessee will maintain on the goods any insignia or identification marks or plates and will not remove or deface the same.
- 10. This Agreement is a personal one between the Lessor and the Lessee and the Lessee has no interest assignable in equity or at law in this agreement or in the goods and will not during the said term agree to, attempt, offer or purport to
 - (i) sell assign sublet pledge mortgage charge incumber or part with possession of or otherwise deal with the equipment or any interest therein nor create nor allow to be created any lien on the property whether for repairs or otherwise and in the event of the breach of this sub-clause by the Lessee the Lessor shall be entitled (but shall not be bound) to pay to any third party such sum as is necessary to procure the release of the goods and shall be entitled to recover such sum from the Lessee forthwith;
 - (ii) sell mortgage charge demise sublet or otherwise dispose of any land or building on or in which the goods are kept without giving the Lessor at least six weeks prior notice in writing and the Lessee shall in any event ensure that any such sale mortgage charge demise sublease or other disposition as the case may be is made subject to the right of the Lessor to repossess the goods at any time (whether or not the same or any part thereof shall have become affixed to the said land or building) and for that purpose to enter upon such land or building and sever any part of the goods affixed thereto.
- ll. As between the Lessor and the Lessee and their respective successors in title the said goods shall remain personal property and shall continue in the ownership of the Lessor not-withstanding that the same may have been affixed to any land or building. The Lessee shall be responsible for any damage caused to any such land or building by the affixing of the said goods thereto or the removal of the said goods therefrom (whether such affixing or removal be effected by the Lessor or the Lessee) and shall

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indemnify the Lessor against any claim made in respect of such damage.

The Lessee assumes all risks and liability for the goods and for the use operation and storage thereof and for injuries to or deaths of persons and damage to property howsoever arising from or incidental to such use operation or storage whether such injury to or death of person be of agents or employees of the Lessee or of third parties and such damage to property be of the Lessee or of others. The Lessee will save and hold the Lessor harmless from all losses damages claims penalties liabilities and expenses including legal costs howsoever arising or incurred because of or incidental to the goods or the use operation or storage or alleged use operation or storage thereof.

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- 13. The Lessee acknowledges and agrees with the Lessor:-
 - (a) that the goods are of a size, design, capacity and manufacture selected by the Lessee.
 - (b) that the Lessee is satisfied that the goods are suitable for its purpose.
 - (c) that the Lessor is not the manufacturer of the goods in property of such kind.
 - (d) that having inspected the goods the Lessee has signed this agreement relying entirely on its own judgment and not on any statements made by the Lessor or the agents or servants of the Lessor.
 - (e) that no warranty of fitness or that the goods are merchantable shall apply to this agreement.
 - (f) that the goods are accepted by the Lessee with all faults and defects (if any) and delivery shall be conclusive evidence that the goods are 40 in good and substantial working order and condition.
 - (g) that the Lessor has not made and does not hereby make any representation or warranty with respect to the merchantability condition, quality, durability or suitability of the goods in any respect.

- (h) that all promises warranties and conditions express or implied by Statute or otherwise whether given hereunder or collateral hereto or otherwise are hereby expressly negatived and extinguished.
- (i) that the Lessor shall not be liable to the Lessee either in contract or in tort for any liability claim loss damage or expense of any kind or nature;
 - (i) caused directly or indirectly by goods or any inadequacy thereof for any purpose or any defect therein or by the use thereof or
 - (ii) in relation to any repairs servicing maintenance or adjustments thereto to any delay in providing or failure to provide the same or in relation to any interruption or loss of use thereof or any loss of business or any damage whatsoever and however caused.
- 14. Time shall be of the essence of this contract in so far as it relates to obligations or agreements of the Lessee.
- 15. The Lessee shall not be liable for fair wear and tear of the equipment and the burden of depreciation resulting from any such fair wear and tear shall fall upon the Lessor who shall be entitled to claim all capital allowances in respect of the goods.
- 16. If the Lessee shall make default in payment of any moneys payable under this Agreement the Lessee shall pay to the Lessor on the sum or sums in arrears interest at the rate of 12 per centum per annum calculated on a daily basis and to accrue after as well as before any judgment without prejudice to the Lessor's rights under any other of the terms and conditions herein expressed or implied.
- 17. The Lessee warrants that every statement made and every particular given by the Lessee in relation to the transaction effected by this Agreement is true and correct in every particular and acknowledges that the Lessor entered into this Agreement relying on such warranty.

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- 18. If during the term of the Lease
 - (a) the Lessor ascertains that the Lessee has made a false statement in the course of negotiations preceding this Agreement or in relation to the transaction effected by this Agreement; or
 - (b) the Lessee fails to pay any sums payable hereunder; or
 - (c) the Lessee fails to observe or perform 10 any term, condition or provision of this Agreement on the part of the Lessee to be observed or performed; or
 - (d) the Lessee commits or suffers an act of bankruptcy or being a company any steps or proceedings are taken to have the Lessee wound up or if a meeting of the Lessee's creditors is called or the Lessee makes any composition with the Lessee's creditors or a distress or execution ir threatened or levied upon or against the Lessee's goods; or

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- (e) if any insurance proposal made by the Lessee in respect of the goods be declined or any insurance policy in respect of the goods be cancelled; or
- (f) if the Lessee shall do or permit any act likely to endanger the safety or condition of the goods or prejudice 30 or jeopardise the Lessor's ownerships of the goods; or
- (g) if the Lessee shall fail to give any requisite notice to the Lessor under this Agreement,

then in each and every such event the rentals for the balance of the said term shall thereupon become due and payable by the Lessee without prejudice to any pre-existing liability of the Lessee and the Lessor shall forthwith 40 and without notice or demand become entitled to immediate possession of the goods and if the Lessor sees fit the Lessor may:

(i) without prejudice to any other of the Lessor's rights under this Agreement forthwith and without notice terminate this Lease for all purposes and retake purpose the Lessor by its agents or servants may enter upon any land or premises where the goods are or where the Lessor or its agents or servants reasonably suspect that they are and for the purpose of such entry open any 21/75 gate door or fastening and detach and dismantle the goods from any part of the land or premises to which it may be affixed and the Lessee shall be responsible for all damage caused to the land or buildings by such removal; and In

(ii) alternatively, by written notice left at or sent by post to the Lessee's last known address or to the registered office of the Lessee terminate the leasing created hereby and upon such notice being left or sent this Lease shall for all purposes determine and the Lessee shall no longer be in possession of the goods with the consent of the Lessor and the Lessee shall forthwith return the goods to the Lessor at the Lessee's own expense and in default thereof the Lessor may repossess and retake the goods in the manner prescribed by the preceding Clause 18(i) herein.

- 19. (i) Upon the expiration or other determination of the Lease the Lessee shall forthwith deliver to the Lessor the insurance policy or policies and Certificate or Certificates of Insurance & Registration Book (if any) relating to the goods as well as the goods in a good state of repair and condition and with all such additions alterations and improvements as shall have been made thereto.
 - (ii) Upon the termination of the Lease
 (other than by effluxion of time) the
 Lessee shall pay to the Lessor :-
 - (a) any arrears of rentals accrued as at the date of termination
 - (b) any sums other than rentals which may have become payable under this Agreement
 - (c) any expenses incurred by the Lessor in tracing and/or recovering possession of the goods, or

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in enforcing the provisions of this Lease;

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- (d) an amount equal to the unpaid rentals for the remainder of the period of this Lease
- 20. If the Lessee having observed and performed all the covenants and conditions of this Lease shall desire to renew this Lease and shall give notice of such desire not less than months prior to the expiry of the term hereby created the Lessee shall be entitled to a new Lease of the goods for a term of commencing on the date of expiration of the Lease at a rental to be agreed upon but otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as those herein contained excluding the right of penewal as aforesaid
- No dealer or supplier through whom this Lease was negotiated or by whom the goods were 20 supplied nor any agent or servant of the dealer or supplier is or is to be deemed the agent of the Lessor for any purpose whatsoever and no liability is to be attached to the Lessor for any condition warranties or representation made by such dealer or supplier or agents or servants thereof.
- No relaxation forbearance delay or indulgence by the Lessor in enforcing any of the terms and conditions of this Lease or the granting of time by the Lessor to the Lessee shall prejudice affect or restrict the rights and powers of the Lessor hereunder nor shall any waiver by the Lessor of any breach hereof operate as a waiver of any subsequent or continuing or recurrent breach hereof. All rights and remedies conferred by this Agreement shall be cumulative and in addition to every other right and remedy available by law to the Lessor.
- 23. Any notice required or permitted to be given to the Lessee under this Agreement may be served upon the Lessee personally or left at or sent by post to the Lessee's last known address or registered office and if left at such address shall take effect from the time of such leaving and if sent by post be conclusively deemed to have been received by the Lessee within forty-eight hours after the time of posting Any notice required to be given by the Lessee under this Agreement shall be in writing and sent by prepaid registered post

to the Lessor at the address stated in this Agreement or such other address as may from time to time be notified to the Lessee.

- 24. The Lessor shall be entitled to assign its rights, benefits and interest under this Agreement.
- 25. A Certificate signed by any officer employed by the Lessor as to the amount due from the Lessee under this Agreement at the date of such Certificate shall be prima facie evidence that the amount so certified was in fact due from the Lessee at the date of such Certificate.

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- 26. In this Lease "the goods" shall include all additions, replacement and renewals thereof whether made before or after the date of this Lease. The Lessee shall not make any alterations, or additions to the goods nor affix nor instal any accessories equipment or device thereon or thereto without the written consent of the Lessor
- 27. The stamp duty in respect of this Agreement shall be paid by the Lessee to the Lessor on the singing of this Agreement.
- 28. In this Agreement unless the context otherwise requires words importing the singular shall include the plural words of the masculine gender shall include the feninine and neuter genders and the word person shall include company and vice versa in all cases. Where more than one person is the lessee hereunder all agreements by the Lessee shall be deemed to have been entered into by them and every two or more of them jointly and by each of them severally and reference to "the Lessee" shall include all of them and any one or more of them.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the parties hereto have hereunto set their hands and seal the day and year first above written

SIGNED for and on behalf of) TRACTORS MALAYSIA Tractors Malaysia Berhad in) BERHAD the presence of :-) Sd Illegible

Sd: Illegible Credit Manager Witness

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(2) Schedule thereto	SIGNED by the said	
(3) Guarantee and Indemnity in respect thereof 2 September 1975	in the presence of:) Sd: Goh Kee San Witness	10
(4) Variation Agreement 23 June 1977	Interpreted in the	
(5) Schedule to Variation Agreement (continued)	language by and acknowledged to be understood by NOTE: Hirer must sign alteration in full.	
	THE SCHEDULE	
	(1) Address of Lessor:	
	Jalan 205, P.O. Box 2, Petaling Jaya.	20
	(2) Name & Address of Lessee (including Business name if any):	
	Syarikat Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh Sdn.Bhd., 6th floor, Oriental Plaza, P.O.Box 1013, Kuala Lumpur 01-02.	
	(3) Description of the Goods: One unit D7F c/w Carco Winch Serial No. 4742	DD
	Engine No. Chassis/Serial No. Reg.N 91E1052	10. 30
	UNITED HOLDINGS BERHAD Year: 1974	

(4) Address where Goods are to be kept:

Kempong Ipoh,
Kelantan.

(5) Period of Lease: - Thirty (30) Calendar Months Commencing on the 28th day of August 1975

(6) Total Rent: \$297,075.00 payable as
follows :-

the sum of \$9,902.50 per month from 28th-8-75 to 28th-1-78 then the sum of \$ per month from then the sum of \$ per month from to then the sum of \$x\$per month from to then the sum of \$ per month from to then the sum of \$ per month from to, . then

the first of such instalments to be paid on the signing of this agreement. Residual Value: \$1.00

(7) Insurable Values:-

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First Year: \$233,000.00 Second Year: \$115,000.00 Third Year: \$53,400.00

Fourth Year: \$ Fifth Year: \$ Sixth Year: \$

SYARIKAT BUNGA RAYA-TIMOR JAUH SDN. BHD.

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GUARANTEE AND INDEMNITY OF EQUIPMENT LEASE AGREEMENT

IN CONSIDERATION OF TRACTOR MALAYSIA BERHAD (herein called "the Lessor") agreeing to enter into the equipment lease agreement with the lessee described in the schedule hereunder (hereinafter called "the lessee") in respect to equipment described in the said schedule, the undersigned (hereinafter called "the guarantor") hereby:-

- (a) guarantees the due payment to the lessor of all sums of money as shall from time to time or at any time hereafter become due and payable by the lessee under the terms of the said equipment lease agreement or any variation or extension thereof and also the due observance and performance of all other terms and conditions express or implied in the said agreement on the part of the lessee 20 to be observed and performed AND ALSO hereby indemnifies the lessor and agrees to keep it indemnified from and against all loss damage costs and expenses suffered or incurred by the lessor by reason of any breach or non-performance by the lessee of any of such terms and conditions on the part of the lessee to be observed or performed and all actions 30 claims and demands which may be instituted or made against the lessor in any way consequent upon arising out of or incidental to the said agreement.
- (b) authorises the lessor to grant or allow any time or indulgence to the lessee and to make any composition with the lessee as the lessor may think fit and to waive any of the rights of the lessor whether bestowed on the lessor pursuant to any of the said agreement or by law and to vary any of the terms and conditions of the said agreement.
- (c) agrees that the giving of such time or indulgence or compounding waiving or varying aforesaid shall not discharge the liability of the guarantor to the lessor hereunder or otherwise.
- (d) agrees that the liability and obligation of the guarantor to the lessor hereunder 50 shall be a continuing one and the lessor

shall not be bound at any time to exercise any of its rights under the said agreement and any omission by the Lessor so to do shall not affect or discharge the liability of the guarantor hereunder

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(e) agrees that the term "the guarantor" shall mean and include all the signatories hereto and when two or more are guarantors the terms hereof shall bind them and every two or more of them jointly and each of them severally

THE SCHEDULE

Lessee: - Name Syarikat Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh

Sdn. Bhd.

6th floor Oriental Plaza

Address P.O. Box 1013 Kuala Lumpur

Description of Equipment :-

One unit new Caterpillar D7F DD Tractor Serial No.91E1052 c/w new Carco Winch Serial No.4742 and std. attachments Year: 1974

IN WITNESS whereof this Guarantee and Indemnity has been executed on the 2nd day of September 1975

Names, Addresses and Signatures
Signatures of Guarantors of Witnesses to
Guarantors Signatures

Sd: Illegible Director Sd: Goh Kee San

Sd: Illegible Secretary

United Holdings Bhd. Mr.Goh Kee San 6th floor Oriental Plaza c/o TMB Jalan Parry Petaling Jaya Kuala Lumpur

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THIS AGREEMENT is made the 23rd day of June 1977 Between TRACTORS MALAYSIA BERHAD of P.O. Box 2, Jalan 205, Petaling Jaya, Selangor (hereinafter with its successors and assigns referred to as the Lessor) of the first part SYKT BUNGA RAYA-TIMOR JAUH SDN. BHD. of 6th floor Oriental Plaza, P.O. Box 1013, Kuala Lumpur 01-02 (hereinafter referred to as the Lessee) of the second part And UNITED HOLDINGS BERHAD of 6th floor Oriental Plaza, Jalan Parry, Kuala Lumpur (hereinafter referred to as the Guarantor) of the third part

WHEREAS the Lessor, Lessee and Guarantor entered into the Equipment Lease Agreement No. PJ/Lease/21/75 relating to tractor One unit new Caterpillar D7F DD Tractor Serial No. 91E1052 c/w new Carco Winch Serial No.4742 and std.attachments (description) and have agreed to vary the said Equipment Lease Agreement in the manner hereinafter appearing.

NOW IT IS HEREBY AGREED as follows :-

- The said Equipment Lease Agreement shall from and including the date of this Agreement be varied by varying in the manner set out in the Schedule hereto the amount and mode of payment of the sums payable under the Equipment Lease Agreement.
- The Guarantor agrees to the said variation. 2.
- Save as herein provided the said Equipment 30 Lease Agreement shall continue in full force and effect.
- This Agreement shal not come into force until signed on behalf of the Lessor by one of its officers duly authorised for the purpose.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the parties hereto have hereunto set their hands the day and year first above written

SIGNED for and on behalf of) TRACTORS MALAYSIA BERHAD in) the presence of Rahim bin Baba

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Sd: Illegible Credit Manager

Sd: Illegible

The Common Seal of Sykt) Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh Sdn.Bhd. was hereunto affixed in the presence) of Loh Soo Yep

Sd: S.Y.Loh

SIGNED by the said Sykt) Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh Sdn. Bhd. in the presence of Loh Soo Yap)

SYARIKAT BUNGA RAYA-TIMOR JAUH SDN.BHD. Sd: Illegible Director

Sd: S.Y.Loh

SIGNED by the said United) UNITED HOLDINGS Holdings Berhad (Guaran-) BERHAD tor) in the presence of Loh Soo Yap

Sd: Illegible

Sd: S.Y.Loh

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This is the Exhibit marked "W.C.C.7" referred to in the Affidavit of Wan Chee Chuen affirmed before me this 29th day of July 1978

> Sgd. Theh Liang Peng Commissioner for Oaths (Pesuruhjaya Sump**a**h) Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

THE SCHEDULE

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Total outstanding under the original Equipment Lease Agreement as on 1st-10-76

Rebate <u>Less:</u>

\$262,230.00 \$ 34,856.80

\$227**,**373.20

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Add: Overdue interest at 12% per annum for 14 months for the period 30-8-75 to 30-9-76

3,598.86

Less: Residual Value

\$230,972.06 \$ 69,291.62

\$161**,**680.44

Add: Hiring Charges **\$** 78,299.53

Total rental payable under Equipment Lease Agreement as varied by this Agreement

\$239**,**979.97

PLAINTIFFS	The total rent of \$239,979.97 mentioned	
EXHIBITS	above shall be payable as follows :-	
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2 September 1975	the sum of \sharp per month from to then	
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thereto (3) Guarantee	the first of such instalments to be paid on the 1st day of October 1976.	10
and Indemnity in		
respect thereof 2 September 1975	SYARIKAT BUNGA RAYA-TIMOR JAUH SDN. BHD.	
(4) Variation Agreement	Sd: Illegible	
23 June 1977	Director	
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and Indemnity 2 September 1975	THE SCHEDULE	
(5) Schedule to	(1) Address of Lessor:	
Variation Agreement	Jalan 205, P.O.Box 2,	
23 June 1977	Petaling Jaya.	
	(2) Name & Address of Lessee (including Business name if any)	
	(2) Name & Address of Lessee (including Business name if any) Syarikat Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh Sendirian Berhad, 6th floor, Oriental Plaza, P.O.Box 1013, Kuala Lumpur 01-02	30

(3) Description of the Goods: One unit Cat D6C c/w Carco Winch, Serial No.3025 Engine No. Chassis/Serial No. Reg.No. 99J2161 Year: 1974

(4) Address where Goods are to be kept:

Kampong Ipoh, Kelantan.

(5) Period of Lease: - Thirty (30) Calendar Months Commencing on the 29th day of August 1975

(6) Total Rent: \$224,400.00 payable as follows: Agreement

the sum of \$7,480.00 per month from

29th-8-75 to 29th-1-78 then per month from

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the first of such instalments to be paid on the signing of this agreement. Residual Value: \$1.00

(7) Insurable Values:-

First Year: \$176,000.00 Second Year: \$ 86,300.00 \$ 50,000.00 \$ \$ Third Year:

Fourth Year: Fifth Year: Sixth Year:

> SYARIKAT BUNGA RAYA-TIMOR JAUH SDN. BHD.

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guarantees the due payment to the lessor

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- of all sums of money as shall from time to time or at any time hereafter become due and payable by the lessee under the terms of the said equipment lease agreement or any variation or extension thereof and also the due observance and performance of all other terms and conditions express or implied in the said agreement on the part of the lessee to be observed and performed AND ALSO hereby indemnifies the lessor and agrees to keep it indemnified from and against all loss damage costs and expenses suffered or incurred by the lessor by reason of any breach or non-performance by the lessee of any of such terms and conditions on the part of the lessee to be observed or performed and all actions claims and demands which may be instituted or made against the lessor in any way consequent upon arising out of or incidental to the said agreement
- (b) authorises the lessor to grant or allow any time or indulgence to the lessee and to make any composition with the lessee as the lessor may think fit and to waive any of the rights of the lessor whether 40 bestowed on the lessor pursuant to any of the said agreement or by law and to vary any of the terms and conditions of the said agreement.
- (c) agrees that the giving of such time or indulgence or compounding waiving or varying aforesaid shall not discharge the liability of the guarantor to the lessor hereunder or otherwise
- (d) agrees that the liability and obligation 50 of the guarantor to the lessor hereunder

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agrees that the liability and obligation of the guarantor to the lessor hereunder shall be a continuing one and the lessor shall not be bound at any time to exercise (2) Schedule any of its rights under the said agreement and any omission by the lessor so to do shall not affect or discharge the liability of the guarantor hereunder

(e) agrees that the term "the guarantor" shall mean and include all the signatories hereto and when two or more are guarantors the terms hereof shall bind them and every two or more of them jointly and each Variation of them severally

THE SCHEDULE

Syarikat Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh Lessee: Name

Sdn. Bhd

Address 6th floor Oriental Plaza P.O. Box 1013

Kuala Lumpur 01-02

Description of Equipment: -

One unit new Caterpillar D6C DD Tractor Serial No.99J2161 c/w Carco Winch and accessories Serial No.3025 Year: 1974

IN WITNESS whereof this Guarantee and Indemnity has been executed on the 2nd day of September 1975

Names, Addresses and 30 Signatures of Guarantors Names and Signatures of Witnesses to Guarantors Signatures

UNITED HOLDINGS BERHAD

Sd: Illegible

Director

Sd: Illegible

Secretary

United Holdings Bhd 6th floor Oriental Plaza Jalan Parry Kuala Lumpur

Sd: Goh Kee San

Mr. Goh Kee San c/o TMB Petaling Jaya

PLAINTIFFS EXHIBITS

Part of "W.C.C.8"

- to Equipment Lease Agreement 22/75 2 September 1975
- (3) Guarantee and Indemnity 2 September 1975
- (5) Schedule to Agreement 23 June 1977

(continued)

PLAINTIFFS EXHIBITS Part of "W.C.C.8"

(2) Schedule to Equipment Lease Agreement 22/75

2 September 1975

(3) Guarantee and Indemnity 2 September 1975

(5) Schedule to Variation Agreement 23 June 1977

(continued)

This is the Exhibit marked "W.C.C.8" referred to in the Affidavit of Wan Chee Chuen affirmed before me this 29th day of July 1978

> Sgd. Tneh Liang Peng Commissioner for Oaths. (Pesuruhjaya Sunpah) Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia.

THE SCHEDULE

Total outstanding under the original Equipment Lease Agreement as on 1st-10-76	\$ 201 , 960.00	10
Less: Rebate	\$ 26,329.60	
Add: Overdue interest at 12%	\$175,630.40	
per annum for 14 months for the period 30/8/75		
to 30/9/76	\$ 2,756.74	
Less: Residual Value	\$178,387.14 \$ 53,516.14	
Add: Hiring Charges	\$124,871.00 \$ 60,473.24	20
Total rental payable under Equipment Lease Agreement as varied by this Agreement	\$ 185,344.24	

The total rent of \$185,344.24 mentioned above shall be payable as follows:-

the sum of \$5,148.45 per month from 1st-10-76 to 1st-09-79 then the sum of \$ per month from to then the sum of 3 per month from 30 to then

the first of such instalments to be paid on the 1st day of October 1976.

> Sd: Illegible

Part of "W.C.C.9"

- (2) SCHEDULE TO EQUIPMENT LEASE AGREEMENT 23/75
- (5) SCHEDULE TO VARIATION AGREEMENT

PLAINTIFFS EXHIBITS

Part of "W.C.C.O"

- (2) Schedule to Equipment Lease Agreement 23/75 2 September 1975
- (5) Schedule to Variation Agreement 23 June 1977

THE SCHEDULE

(1) Address of Lessor:

Jalan 205, P.O. Box 2, Petaling Jaya.

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(2) Name & Address of Lessee (including Business name if any):

Syarikat Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh Sendirian Berhad 6th floor, Oriental Plaza, P.O. Box 1013, Kuala Lumpur 01-02

(3) Description of the Goods: One unit Cat D6C c/w Carco Winch Serial No. 3024

Engine No. Chassis/Serial No. Reg. No.

99J2157

Year: 1974

(4) Address where Goods are to be kept:

Kampong Ipoh Kelantan

- (5) Period of Lease: Thirty (30) Calendar Months Commencing on the 28th day of August 1975
- (6) Total Rent: \$224,400.00 payable as follows:the sum of \$7,480.00 per month from 28th-8-75 to 28th-1-78 then the sum of \$ per month from to then the sum of \$ per month from to then the sum of \$ per month from to then the sum of \$ per month from to then the sum of 3 per month from to then

the first of such instalments to be paid on the signing of this agreement.

PLAINTIFFS EXHIBITS
Part of "W.C.C.9"

(2) Schedule to Equipment Lease Agreement 23/75 2 September 1975

(5) Schedule to Variation Agreement 23 June 1977

(continued)

Residual Value: \$1.00

(7) Insurable Values :-

First Year: \$176,000.00 \$ 86,300.00 Second Year: \$ 50,000.00 \$ \$ \$ \$ Third Year:

Fourth Year: Fifth Year: Sixth Year:

> SYARIKAT BUNGA RAYA-TIMOR JAUH SDN. BHD.

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Sd: Illegible

This is the Exhibit marked "W.C.C.9" referred to in the Affidavit of Wan Chee Chuen affirmed before me this 29th day of July 1978

> Sgd. Theh Liang Peng Commissioner for Oaths (Pesuruhjaya Sumpah) Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

THE SCHEDULE

20 Total outstanding under the original Equipment Lease \$201,960.00 Agreement as on 1st-10-76 \$ 26,329.60 Rebate Less: \$175,630.40 Add: Overdue interest at 12% per annum for 14 months for the period 30-8-75 to 30-9-76 2,742.01 \$178,372.41 \$ 53.511.72 30 Less: Residual Value \$124,860.69 \$ 60,468.25 Add: Hiring Charges Total rental payable under Equipment Lease Agreement as \$185,<u>328.94</u> varied by this Agreement The total rent of \$185,328.94 mentioned above shall be payable as follows :the sum of \$5,148.03 per month from 1st-10-76 to 1st-09-79 then 40 per month from the sum of \$ then to

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the first of such instalments to be paid on the 1st day of October 1976.

SYARIKAT BUNGA RAYA-TIMOR JAUH SDN. BHD.

Sd: Illegible

Director

PLAINTIFFS EXHIBITS

Part of "W.C.C.9"

- (2) Schedule to Equipment Lease Agreement 23/75 2 September 1975
- (5) Schedule to Variation Agreement 23 June 1977

(continued)

Part of "W.C.C.l"

(2) SCHEDULE TO EQUIPMENT LEASE AGREEMENT 05/76

(3) GUARANTEE AND INDEMNITY

(5) SCHEDULE TO VARIATION AGREEMENT

THE SCHEDULE

(1) Address of Lessor:

Tractors Malaysia Bhd Jalan 205 Petaling Jaya Selangor

(2) Name & Address of Lessee (including Business name if any):

Sykt Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh Sdn.Bhd 6th floor Oriental Plaza, Jalan Parry, PO Box 1013 Kuala Lumpur 01-02

(3) Description of the Goods: One unit new Caterpillar D6C Direct Drive Tractor c/w std. attachments, Fitted with new Carco Winch

Engine No. Chassis/Serial No. Reg. No. 26K1769
Winch S/No. 13185

(4) Address where Goods are to be kept.

Kampong Ipoh, Kelantan Part of "W.C.C.1"

- (2) Schedule to Equipment Lease Agreement 05/76 25 May 1976
- (3) Guarantee and Indemnity 25 May 1976
- (5) Schedule to Variation Agreement 23 June 1977

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Part of "W.C.C.1"

- (2) Schedule to Equipment Lease Agreement 05/76 25 May 1976
- (3) Guarantee and Indemnity 25 May 1976
- (5) Schedule to Variation Agreement 23 June 1977

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(5)	Period	of Lease:-	Thi	irty	(30)	Cale	enda	ar
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(6) Total Rent: \$224,400.00 payable as follows: the sum of \$7,480.00 per month from 25th-5-76 to 25th-10-78

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(7) Insurable Values :-

First Year: \$176,000.00 Second Year: \$140,800.00 Third Year: \$126,720.00

Fourth Year: \$ Sixth Year: \$

Sd: Illegible

GUARANTEE AND INDEMNITY OF EQUIPMENT LEASE AGREEMENT

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IN CONSIDERATION OF TRACTOR MALAYSIA BERHAD (herein called "the Lessor") agreeing to enter into the equipment lease agreement with the lessee described in the schedule hereunder (hereinafter called "the lessee") in respect to equipment described in the said schedule, the undersigned (hereinafter called "the guarantor") hereby:-

(a) guarantees the due payment to the lessor of all sums of money as shall from time to time or at any time hereafter become due and payable by the lessee under the

terms of the said equipment lease agreement or any variation or extension thereof and also the due observance and performance of all other terms and conditions express or implied in the said agreement on the part of the lessee to be observed and performed AND ALSO hereby indemnifies the lessor and agrees to keep it indemnified from and against all loss damage costs and expenses suffered or incurred by the lessor by reason of any breach or non-performance by the lessee of any of such terms and conditions on the part of the lessee to be observed or performed and all actions claims and demands which may be instituted or made against the lessor in any way consequent upon arising out of or incidental to the said agreement

PLAINTIFFS EXHIBITS

Part of "W.C.C.1"

- (2) Schedule to Equipment Lease Agreement 05/76 25 May 1976
- (3) Guarantee and Indemnity 25 May 1976
- (5) Schedule to Variation Agreement 23 June 1977

(continued)

- (b) authorises the lessor to grant or allow any time or indulgence to the lessee and to make any composition with the lessee as the lessor may think fit and to waive any of the rights of the lessor whether bestowed on the lessor pursuant to any of the said agreement or by law and to vary any of the terms and conditions of the said agreement
 - (c) agrees that the giving of such time or indulgence or compounding waiving or varying aforesaid shall not discharge the liability of the guarantor to the lessor hereunder or otherwise
 - (d) agrees that the liability and obligation of the guarantor to the lessor hereunder shall be a continuing one and the lessor shall not be bound at any time to exercise any of its rights under the said agreement and any omission by the lessor so to do shall not affect or discharge the liability of the guarantor hereunder
- (e) agrees that the term "the guarantor" shall mean and include all the signatories hereto and when two or more are guarantors the terms hereof shall bind them and every two or more of them jointly and each of them severally

THE SCHEDULE

Lessee: Name Syarikat Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh Sdn.Bhd.
Address 6th floor Oriental Plaza
Jalan Parry, PO Box 1013
Kuala Lumpur

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PLAINTIFFS EXHIBITS Part of "W.C.C.1"	Description of Equipments Caterpillar D6C Direct 6A B'dozer, HD canopy a Fitted with new Carco	Drive Tractor c/w and std. attachments.	
(2) Schedule to Equipment Lease Agreement 05/76	Serial No. 26K1769 Winch Serial No. 13185 Year: 1976		
25 May 1976 (3) Guarantee and Indemnity	IN WITNESS whereof andemnity has been execu- May 1976		10
25 May 1976 (5) Schedule to Variation	Names, Address and Signatures of Guarantors	Names and Signatures of Witness to Guarantors Signatures	
Agreement 23 June 1977		Sd: Goh Kee San	
(continued)	UNITED HOLDINGS BERHAD Sd: Illegible Director	Mr. Goh Kee San c/o TMB PJ	
	Sd: Illegible Secretary		
	This is the Exhibit marke to in the Affidavit of Wa before me this 29th day of Sgd. Theh Li Commissioner (Pesuruhjaya Kuala Lumpur	an Chee Chuen affirmed of July 1978 iang Peng r for Oaths a Sumpah)	20
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	Total outstanding under the original Equipment Le Agreement as on 1st-10-76 Less: Rebate		30
	Add: Overdue interest at per annum for 4 monfor the period 30-6-to 30-9-76	12% ths -76 \$ 491.84	
	Less: Residual Value	\$183,580.24 \$ 55,074.07 \$128,506.17	
	Add: Hiring Charges	\$ 62,233.71	40
•	Total rental payable unde Equipment Lease Agreement varied by this Agreement		

The total rent of \$190,739.88 mentioned above shall be payable as follows:-

the sum of \$5,298.33 per month from 1st-10-76 to 1st-09-79 then the sum of \$ per month from to then the sum of \$-

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the first of such instalments to be paid on the 1st day of October 1976

SYARIKAT BUNGA RAYA-TIMOR JAUH SDN.BHD.

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Sd: Illegible Director

Part of "W.C.C.2"

- (2) SCHEDULE TO EQUIPMENT LEASE AGREEMENT 06/76
- (3) GUARANTEE AND INDEMNITY
- (5) SCHEDULE TO VARIATION AGREEMENT

THE SCHEDULE

(1) Address of Lessor:

Tractors Malaysia Bhd. Jalan 205 Petaling Jaya Selangor

(2) Name & Address of Lessee (including Business name if any):

Sykt Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh Sdn.

6th floor, Oriental Plaza Jalan Parry, PO Box 1013 Kuala Lumpur 01-02

(3) Description of the Goods: One unit new Caterpillar D6C DD Tractor c/w std. attachments, Fitted with new Carco Winch

Engine No. Chassis/Serial No. Reg. No. 26K1774
Winch S/No. 13201

PLAINTIFFS EXHIBITS

Part of "W.C.C.l"

- (2) Schedule to Equipment Lease Agreement 05/76 25 May 1976
- (3) Guarantee and Indemnity 25 May 1976
- (5) Schedule to Variation Agreement 23 June 1977

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Part of "W.C.C.2"

- (2) Schedule to Equipment Lease Agreement 06/76 25 May 1976
- (3) Guarantee and Indemnity 25 May 1976
- (5) Schedule to Variation Agreement 23 June 1977

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Part of "W.C.C.2"

- (2) Schedule to Equipment Lease Agreement 06/76 25 May 1976
- (3) Guarantee and Indemnity 25 May 1976
- (5) Schedule to Variation Agreement 23 June 1977

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(4) Address where Goods are to be kept: Kampong Ipoh Kelantan

- (5) Period of Lease: Thirty (30) Calendar Months Commencing on the 25th day of May 1976
- (6) Total Rent: \$224,400.00 payable as follows: the sum of \$7,480.00 per month from 25th-5-76 to 25th-10-78 10 then per month from the sum of \$ then to per month from the sum of \$ then to per month from the sum of \$ then to per month from the sum of \$ then to per month from the sum of \$ 20 then to

the first of such instalments to be paid on the signing of this agreement. Residual Value: \$1.00

(7) Insurable Values: -

\$176,000.00 First Year: \$140,800.00 Second Year: \$126,720.00 Third Year: \$ \$\$ \$ Fourth Year: Fifth Year:

Sixth Year:

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Sd: Illegible

GUARANTEE AND INDEMNITY OF EQUIPMENT LEASE AGREEMENT

PLAINTIFFS EXHIBITS

Part of "W.C.C.2"

IN CONSIDERATION OF TRACTOR MALAYSIA BERHAD (herein called "the lessor") agreeing to enter into the equipment lease agreement with the lessee described in the schedule hereunder (hereinafter called "the lessee") in respect to equipment described in the said schedule, the undersigned (hereinafter called "the guarantor") and Indemnity hereby:-

(2) Schedule to Equipment Lease Agreement 06/76 25 May 1**97**6

(3) Guarantee 25 May 1976

(5) Schedule to Variation Agreement 23 June 1977 (continued)

guarantees the due payment to the lessor (a) of all sums of money as shall from time to time or at any time hereafter become due and payable by the lessee under the terms of the said equipment lease agreement or any variation or extension thereof and also the due observance and performance of all other terms and conditions express or implied in the said agreement on the part of the lessee to be observed and performed AND ALSO hereby indemnifies the lessor and agrees to keep it indemnified from and against all loss damage costs and expenses suffered or incurred by the lessor by reason of any breach or non-performance by the lessee of any of such terms and conditions on the part of the lessee to be observed or performed and all actions claims and demands which may be instituted or made against the lessor in any way consequent upon arising out of or incidental to the said agreement

authorises the lessor to grant or allow any (b) time or indulgence to the lessee and to make any composition with the lessee as the lessor may think fit and to waive any of the rights of the lessor whether bestowed on the lessor pursuant to any of the said agreement or by law and to vary any of the terms and conditions of the said agreement

- agrees that the giving of such time or (c) indulgence or compounding waiving or varying aforesaid shall not discharge the liability of the guarantor to the lessor hereunder or otherwise
- agrees that the liability and obligation of (d) the guarantor to the lessor hereunder shall be a continuing one and the lessor shall not be bound at any time to exercise any of its rights under the said agreement and any

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Part of "W.C.C.2"

- (2) Schedule to Equipment Lease Agreement 06/76 25 May 1976
- (3) Guarantee and Indemnity 25 May 1976
- (5) Schedule to Variation Agreement 23 June 1977 (continued)

omission by the lessor so to do shall not affect or discharge the liability of the guarantor hereunder.

(e) agrees that the term "the guarantor" shall mean and include all the signatories hereto and when two or more are guarantors the term hereof shall bind them and every two or more of them jointly and each of them severally

THE SCHEDULE

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Lessee: - Name Syarikat Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh Sdn. Bhd. Address 6th floor, Oriental Plaza Jalan Parry, P.O.Box 1013

Kuala Lumpur 01-02

Description of Equipment: - One unit new Caterpillar D6C Direct Drive Tractor c/w 6A B'dozer, HD canopy and std. attachments. Fitted with new Carco Winch.

Serial No.26K1774 Winch Serial No. 13201

Year: 1976

IN WITNESS whereof this Guarantee and Indemnity has been executed on the 25th day of May 1976

Names, Addresses and Signatures of Guarantors

Names and Signatures of Witnesses to Guarantors' Signatures

UNITED HOLDINGS BERHAD

Sd: Illegible

Director

Sd: Goh Kee San

Mr. Goh Kee San

c/o TMB РJ

Sd: Illegible Secretary This is the Exhibit marked "W.C.C.2" referred to in the Affidavit of Wan Chee Chuen affirmed before me this 29th day of July 1978

> Sgd. Theh Liang Peng Commissioner for Oaths (Pesuruhjaya Sumpah) Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia.

THE SCHEDULE

Total outstanding under the original Equipment Lease 10 Agreement as on 1st-10-76 \$216,920.00 Less: Rebate \$ <u>33</u>,831.60 \$183,088.40 Add: Overdue interest at 12% per annum for 4 months for the period 30-6-76 to 30-9-76 491.84 \$183,580.24 Less: Residual Value *\$* 55,074.07 20 \$128,506.17 Add: Hiring Charges \$ 62,233.71 Total rental payable under Equipment Lease Agreement as varied by this Agreement

> The total rent of \$190,739.88 mentioned above shall be payable as follows :-

> the sum of \$5,298.33 per month from 1st-10-76 to 1st-09-79 then the sum of \$ per month from then to the sum of 3 per month from to then

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the first of such instalments to be paid on the 1st day of October 1976

> Sd: Illegible

\$190,739.88

PLAINTIFFS EXHIBITS

Part of "W.C.C.2"

- (2) Schedule to Equipment Lease Agreement 06/76 25 May 1976
- (3) Guarantee and Indemnity 25 May 1976
- (5) Schedule to Variation Agreement 23 June 1977 (continued)

Part of PLAINTIFFS "W.C.C.3" EXHIBITS (2) SCHEDULE TO EQUIPMENT LEASE Part of AGREEMENT 07/76 "W.C.C.3" (3) GUARANTEE AND INDEMNITY (2) Schedule to (5) SCHEDULE TO VARIATION Equipment Lease **AGREEMENT** Agreement 07/76 25 May 1976 (3) Guarantee THE SCHEDULE and Indemnity Undated (1) Address of Lessor: (5) Schedule to 10 Tractors Malaysia Bhd. Variation Jalan 205, Agreement Petaling Jaya, 23 June 1977 Selangor (2) Name & Address of Lessee (including Business name if any) Sykt. Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh Sdn. Bhd. 6th Floor, Oriental Plaza, Jalan Parry, P.O.Box 1013 20 Kuala Lumpur 01-02 Description of the Goods: - One unit New (3)Caterpillar D6C Direct Drive Tractor c/w std. attachments. Fitted with new Carco Winch Chassis/Serial No. Reg.No. Engine No. 26K1771 Winch S/No. 13186 (4) Address where Goods are to be kept: Kampong Ipoh, 30 Kelantan Period of Lease: - Thirty (30) Calendar Months Commencing on the 25th day of May (5)1976 Total Rent: \$224,400.00 payable as follows: (6) the sum of \$7,480.00 per month from 25-5-76 to 25-10-78 then per month from the sum of \$ to then per month from the sum of \$ 40 then to per month from the sum of \$

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the first of such instalments to be paid on the signing of this agreement.

Residual Value: \$1.00

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> \$176,000.00 First Year: \$140,800.00 Second Year: Third Year: \$126,720.00

Fourth Year: Fifth Year: Sixth Year:

> SYARIKAT BUNGA RAYA-TIMOR JAUH SDN. BHD.

> > Sd: Illegible Director

PLAINTIFFS EXHIBITS

Part of "W.C.C.3"

- (2) Schedule to Equipment Lease Agreement 07/76 25 May 1976
- (3) Guarantee and Indemnity Undated
- (5) Schedule to Variation Agreement 23 June 1977

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GUARANTEE AND INDEMNITY EQUIPMENT LEASE AGREEMENT

IN CONSIDERATION OF TRACTOR MALAYSIA BERHAD (herein called "the lessor") agreeing to enter into the equipment lease agreement with the lessee described in the schedule hereunder (hereinafter called "the lessee") in respect to equipment described in the said schedule, the undersigned (hereinafter called "the guarantor") hereby :-

guarantees the due payment to the lessor of (a) all sums of money as shall from time to time or at any time hereafter become due and payable by the lessee under the terms of the said equipment lease agreement or any variation or extension thereof and also the due observance and performance of all other terms and conditions express or implied in the said agreement on the part of the lessee to be observed and performed AND ALSO hereby indemnifie the lessor and agrees to keep it indemnified from and against all loss damage costs and expenses suffered or incurred by the lessor by reason of any breach or non-performance by the lessee of any of such terms and conditions on the part of the lessee to be observed and performed and all actions claims and demands which may be instituted or made against the

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Part of "W.C.C.3"

- (2) Schedule to Equipment Lease Agreement 07/76 25 May 1976
- (3) Guarantee and Indemnity Undated
- (5) Schedule to Variation Agreement 23 June 1977

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lessor in any way consequent upon arising out of or incidental to the said agreement

- (b) authorises the lessor to grant or allow any time or indulgence to the lessee and to make any composition with the lessee as the lessor may think fit and to waive any of the rights of the lessor whether bestowed on the lessor pursuant to any of the said agreement or by law and to vary any of the terms and conditions of the said agreement
- (c) agrees that the giving of such time or indulgence or compounding waiving or varying aforesaid shall not discharge the liability of the guarantor to the lessor hereunder or otherwise
- (d) agrees that the liability and obligation of the guarantor to the lessor hereunder shall be a continuing one and the lessor shall not be bound at any time to exercise any of its rights under the said agreement and any omission by the lessor so to do shall not affect or discharge the liability of the guarantor hereunder
- (e) agrees that the term "the guarantor" shall mean and include all the signatories hereto and when two or more are guarantors the terms hereof shall bind them and every two or more of them jointly and each of them severally.

THE SCHEDULE

Lessee: Name Syarikat Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh Sdn. Bhd.

Address 6th Floor, Oriental Plaza, Jalan Parry, P.O.Box 1013, Kuala Lumpur 01-02

Description of Equipment: -

One unit new Caterpillar D6C Direct Drive Tractor c/w 6A B'dozer, HD Canopy and std. attachments. Fitted with new Carco Winch. Serial No. 26K1771 Winch Serial No. 13186 Year: 1976

IN WITNESS whereof this Guarantee and Indemnity has been executed on the

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			Sd: Goh Kee San	(2) Schedule to Equipment Lease Agreement 07/76 25 May 1976
UNITI	ED HOLDINGS	BERHAD	Mr. Goh Kee San	
Sd:	Illegible Director		c/o Tractors Malaysia Bdh. Petaling Jaya.	(3) Guarantee and Indemnity Undated
Sd:	Illegible Secretary			(5) Schedule to Variation Agreement 23 June 1977
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Yhis is the Exhibit marked "W.C.C.3" referred to in the Affidavit of Wan Chee Chuen affirmed before me this 29th day of July 1978

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Sgd. Theh Lieng Peng Commissioner for Oaths (Pesuruhjaya Sumpah) Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

THE SCHEDULE

20	Total outstanding under the original Equipment Lease Agreement as on 1st-10-76 Less: Rebate	\$216,920.00 \$ 33,831.60
	Add: Overdue interest at 12% per annum for 4 months for the period 20-6-76 to	\$ 183,088.40
	30-9-76	\$ 491.84
	<u>Less</u> : Residual Value	\$183,580.24 \$ 55,074.07
30	Add: Hiring Charges	\$128,506.17 \$ 62,233.71
	Total rental payable under Equipment Lease Agreement as varied by this Agreement	\$ 190,739.88

The total rent of \$190,739.88 mentioned above shall be payable as follows:-

PLAINTIFFS EXHIBITS Part of "W.C.C.3" (2) Schedule to Equipment Lease Agreement 07/76 25 May 1976 (3) Guarantee and Indemnity Undated (5) Schedule to Variation Agreement 23 June 1977 (continued)	the sum of \$5,298.33 per month from lst-10-76 to lst-09-79 then per month from to then the sum of \$ per month from to then the sum of \$ per month from to then the first of such instalments to be paid on the lst day of October 1976 SYARIKAT BUNGA RAYA-TIMOR JAUH SDN. BHD Sd: Illegible	1.0
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Agreement 23 June 1977	Tractors Malaysia Bhd Jalan 205 Petaling Jaya Selangor (2) Name & Address of Lessee (including Business name if any) Sykt Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh Sdn. Bhd 6th floor Oreintal Plaza	3∩
	Jalan Parry, P.O.Boxl013 Kuala Lumpur Ol-O2 (3) Description of the Goods: One unit Caterpillar D6C Direct Drive Tractor c/w std. attachments. Fitted with new Carco Winch Engine No Chassis/Serial No. Reg.No. 26K1770 Winch S/No. 13181	30

(4) Address where Goods are to be kept:

Kampong Ipoh Kelantan

Period of Lease: Thirty (30) Calendar (5) Months Commencing on the 5th day of June 1976

(6) Total Rent: \$224,400.00 payable as follows:

the sum of \$7,480.00 per month from

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Insurable Values: (7)

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First Year: \$176,000.00 \$140,800.00 Second Year: \$126,720.00 Third Year:

Fourth Year: \$ Fifth Year: 8 Sixth Year:

> SYARIKAT BUNGA RAYA-TIMOR JAUH SDN. BHD.

> > Illegible Sd: Director

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PLAINTIFFS EXHIBITS

> Part of "W.C.C.4"

(2) Schedule to Equipment Lease Agreement 08/76 25 May 1976

(3) Guarantee and Indemnity Undated

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Part of "W.C.C.4"

- (2) Schedule to Equipment Lease Agreement 08/76 25 May 1976
- (3) Guarantee and Indemnity Undated
- (5) Schedule to Variation Agreement 23 June 1977

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GUARANTEE AND INDEMNITY OF EQUIPMENT LEASE AGREEMENT

IN CONSIDERATION OF TRACTOR MALAYSIA BERHAD (herein called "the lessor") agreeing to enter into the equipment lease agreement with the lessee described in the schedule hereunder (hereinafter called "the lessee") in respect to equipment described in the said schedule, the undersigned (hereinafter called "the guarantor") hereby:-

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- guarantees the due payment to the lessor (a) of all sums of money as shall from time to time or at any time hereafter become due and payable by the lessee under the terms of the said equipment lease agreement or any variation or extension thereof and also the due observance and performance of all other terms and conditions express or implied in the said agreement on the part of the lessee to be observed and performed AND ALSO hereby indemnifies the lessor and agrees to keep it indemnified from and against all loss damage costs and expenses suffered or incurred by the lessor by reason of any breach or non-performance by the lessee of any of such terms and conditions on the part of the lessee to be observed and performed and all actions claims and demands which may be instituted or made against the lessor in any way consequence upon arising out of or incidental to the said agreement
- (b) authorises the lessor to grant or allow any time or indulgence to the lessee and to make any composition with the lessee as the lessor may think fit and to waive any of the rights of the lessor whether bestowed on the lessor pursuant to any of the said agreement or by law and to vary any of the terms and conditions of the said agreement
- (c) agrees that the giving of such time or indulgence or compounding waiving or varying aforesaid shall not discharge the liability of the guarantor to the lessor hereunder or otherwise
- (d) agrees that the liability and obligation of the guarantor to the lessor hereunder shall be a continuing one and the lessor 50 shall not be bound at any time to exercise

any of its rights under the said agreement and any omission by the lessor so to do shall not affect or discharge the liability of the guarantor hereunder

PLAINTIFFS EXHIBITS

Part of "W.C.C.4"

(e) agrees that the term "the guarantor" shall mean and include all the signatories hereto and when two or more are guarantors the terms hereof shall bind them and every two or more of them jointly and each of them severally

(2) Schedule to Equipment Lease Agreement 08/76 25 May 1976

(3) Guarantee and Indemnity Undated

(5) Schedule to Variation Agreement 23 June 1977

(continued)

THE SCHEDULE

Lessee: Name Syarikat Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh

Sdn. Bhd

Address 6th floor Oriental Plaza
Jalan Parry, P.O. Box 1013

Kuala Lumpur 01-02

Description of Equipment:

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One unit new Caterpillar D6C Direct Drive Tractor c/w 6A B'dozer, HD canopy and std. attachments. Fitted with new Carco Winch

Serial No. 26K1770 Winch Serial No. 13181 Year: 1976

IN WITNESS whereof the Guarantee and Indemnity has been executed on the day of 197

Names, Addresses and Signatures of Guarantors Names and Signatures of Witnesses to Guarantors' Signatures

Sd: Goh Kee San

UNITED HOLDINGS BERHAD

Sd: Illegible Director

Mr. Goh Kee San c/o TMB

PJ

Sd: Illegible Secretary

Part of "W.C.C.4"

- (2) Schedule to Equipment Lease Agreement 08/76 25 May 1976
- (3) Guarantee and Indemnity Undated
- (5) Schedule to Variation Agreement 23 June 1977

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This is the Exhibit marked "W.C.C.4" referred to in the Affidavit of Wan Chee Chuen affirmed before me this 29th day of July 1978

Sgd. Theh Liang Peng Commissioner for Caths (Pesuruhjaya Seumpah) Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

THE SCHEDULE

Total outstanding under the original Equipment Lease Agreement as on 1st-10-76 Less: Rebate	\$216,920.00 \$ 36,542.00	10
	\$ 180,378.00	
Add: Overdue interest at 12% per annum for 3 months for the period 30/7/76	, = 0.1,3,1	
to 20/9/76	\$ 405 <u>.77</u>	
<u>Less</u> : Residual Value	\$180,783.77 \$ 54,235.13	
Add: Hiring Charges	\$126,548.64 \$ 61,285.70	20
Total rental payable under Equipment Lease Agreement as		
varied by this Agreement	\$187,8 3 4.34	

The total rent of \$187,834.34 mentioned above shall be payable as follows:

the sum of \$5,217.62 per month from 1st-10-76 to 1st-09-79 then the sum of \$ per month from to then 30 the sum of \$ per month from to then

the first of such instalments to be paid on the 1st day of October 1976

Sd: Illegible

PLAINTIFFS Part of "W.C.C.5" EXHIBITS Part of (2) SCHEDULE TO EQUIPMENT "W.C.C.5" LEASE AGREEMENT 09/76 3) GUARANTEE AND INDEMNITY (2) Schedule to (5) SCHEDULE TO VARIATION Equipment Lease AGREEMENT Agreement 09/76 25 May 1976 (3) Guarantee THE SCHEDULE and Indemnity Undated (1)Address of Lessor: (5) Schedule 10 Tractors Malaysia Bhd to Variation Jalan 205 Agreement Petaling Jaya 23 June 1977 Selangor (2) Name & Address of Lessee (including Business name if any): Sykt Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh Sdn. Bhd 6th floor Oriental Plaza Jalan Parry, P.O.Box 1013 Kuala Lumpur 01-02 (3) Description of the Goods: 20 One unit new Caterpillar D6C Direct Drive Tractor c/w std. attachments. Fitted with new Carco Winch Engine No. Chassis/Serial No. Reg.No. 26K1772 Winch S/No. 13187 (4) Address where Goods are to be kept: Kampong Ipoh Kelantan 30 Period of Lease: - Thirty (30) Calendar (5) Months Commencing on the 5th day of June 1976 (6) Total Rent: \$224,400.00 payable as follows: the sum of \$7,480.00 per month from 5th-6-76to 5th-11-78 then per month from the sum of \$

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- (5) Schedule to Variation Agreement 23 June 1977

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the first of such instalments to be paid on the signing of this agreement. Residual Value: \$1.00

(7) Insurable Values:-

> First Year: \$176,000.00 Second Year: \$140,800.00 Third Year: \$126,720.00

Fourth Year: \$ Fifth Year: Sixth Year:

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SYARIKAT BUNGA RAYA-TIMOR JAUH SDN. BHD.

> Sd: Illegible Director

GUARANTEE AND INDEMNITY OF EQUIPMENT LEASE AGREEMENT

IN CONSIDERATION OF TRACTOR MALAYSIA BERHAD (herein called "the Lessor") agreeing to enter into the equipment lease agreement with the lessee described in the schedule hereunder (hereinafter called "the lessee") in respect to equipment described in the said schedule, the undersigned (hereinafter called "the guarantor") hereby:-

(a) guarantees the due payment to the lessor of all sums of money as shall from time to time or at any time hereafter become due and payable by the lessee under the terms of the said equipment lease agreement or any variation or extension thereof and also the due observance and performance of all other terms and conditions express or implied in the said agreement on the part of the lessee to be observed and performed AND ALSO hereby indemnifies the lessor and agrees to keep it indemnified from and against all loss damage costs and expenses suffered or 40 incurred by the lessor by reason of any breach or non-performance by the lessee of any of such terms and conditions on the part of the lessee to be observed or

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performed and all actions claims and demands which may be instituted or made against the lessor in any way consequent upon arising out of or incidental to the said agreement

- (b) authorises the lessor to grant or allow any time or indulgence to the lessee and to make any composition with the lessee as the lessor may think fit and to waive any of the rights of the lessor whether bestowed on the lessor pursuant to any of the said agreement or by law and to vary any of the terms and conditions of the said agreement
- (c) agrees that the giving of such time or indulgence or compounding waiving or varying aforesaid shall not discharge the liability of the guarantor to the lessor hereunder or otherwise
- 20 (d) agrees that the liability and obligation of the guaranter to the lessor hereunder shall be a continuing one and the lessor shall not be bound at any time to exercise any of its rights under the said agreement and any omission by the lessor so to do shall not affect or discharge the liability of the guaranter hereunder
 - (e) agrees that the term "the guarantor" shall mean and include all the signatories hereto and when two or more are guarantors the terms hereof shall bind them and every two or more of them jointly and each of them severally

THE SCHEDULE

Lessee: Name Syarikat Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh Sdn. Bhd.
Address 6th floor Oriental Plaza Jalan Parry, P.O.Box 1013
Kuala Lumpur 01-02

40 Description of Equipment:

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One unit new Caterpillar D6C Direct Drive Tractor complete with 6A B¹dozer, HD canopy and standard attachments. Fitted with new Carco Winch

Serial No.26K1772 Winch Serial No.13187 Year: 1976

PLAINTIFFS EXHIBITS

Part of "W.C.C.5"

- (2) Schedule to Equipment Lease Agreement 09/76 25 May 1976
- (3) Guarantee and Indemnity Undated
- (5) Schedule to Variation Agreement 23 June 1977

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PLAINTIFFS EXHIBITS Part of	IN WITNESS whereof this Guarantee and Indemnity has been executed on the day of 197		
"W.C.C.5" (2) Schedule to	Names, Addresses and Signatures of Guarantors of Witnesses to Guarantors Signature		
Equipment Lease Agreement 09/76	Sd: Goh Kee Sa		
25 May 1976			
(3) Guarantee and Indemnity	UNITED HOLDINGS BERHAD Mr. Goh Kee Sa Sd: Illegible C/o TMB		
Undated (5) Schedule	Director PJ	10	
to Variation Agreement 23 June 1977	Sd: Illegible Secretary		
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	This is the Exhibit marked "W.C.C.5" referred to in the Affidavit of Wan Chee Chuen affirmed before me this 29th day of July 1978		
	Sgd. Tneh Liang Peng Commissioner for Oaths (Pesuruhjaya Sumah) Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia		
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	Total outstanding under the original Equipment Lease Agreement as on 1st-10-76 Less: Rebate \$216,920.0 \$36,542.0 \$180,378.0	<u>00</u>	
	Add: Overdue interest at 12% per annum for 3 months for the period 30-7-76 to \$405.		
	<u>Less</u> : Residual Value	13	
	Add: Hiring Charges \$ 126,548.		
	Total rental payable under Equipment Lease Agreement as varied by this Agreement \$187,834.	<u>34</u>	

The total rent of \$187,834.34 mentioned above shall be payable as follows :-

the sum of \$5,217.62 per month from 1st-10-76 **PLAINTIFFS** to 1st-09-79 then EXHIBITS the sum of \$ per month from Part of to then "W.C.C.5" the sum of \$per month from to then (2) Schedule to Equipment Lease Agreement 09/76 the first of such instalments to be paid on the 1st day of October 1976 25 **May** 1976 (3) Guarantee and Indemnity SYARIKAT BUNGA RAYA-TIMOR JAUH SDN. BHD. Undated (5) Schedule Sd: Illegible to Variation Director Agreement 23 June 1977 (continued) Part of Part of "W.C.C.6" "W.C.C.6" (2) SCHEDULE TO EQUIPMENT LEASE (2) Schedule to AGREEMENT 10/76 Equipment Lease GUARANTEE AND INDEMNITY Agreement 10/76 (5) SCHEDULE TO VARIATION 25 May 1976 AGREEMENT (3) Guarantee and Indemnity Undated THE SCHEDULE (5) Schedule (1)Address of Lessor: to Variation Agreement Tractors Malaysia Bhd 23 June 1977 Jalan 205 Petaling Jaya Selangor (2) Name & Address of Lessee (including Business name if any): Sykt Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh Sdn. Bhd 6th floor Oriental Plaza Jalan Parry, P.O.Box 1013 Kuala Lumpur 01-02 (3) Description of the Goods: One unit new Caterpillar D6C Direct Drive Tractor c/w std. attachments. Fitted with new

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Carco Winch

Part of "W.C.C.6"

- (2) Schedule to Equipment Lease Agreement 10/76 25 May 1976
- (3) Guarantee and Indemnity Undated
- (5) Schedule to Variation Agreement 23 June 1977 (continued)

Chassis/Serial No. Reg. No. Engine No. 26K1773

Winch S/No. 13200

(4) Address where Goods are to be kept:

> Kampong Ipoh Kelantan

- (5)Period of Lease: - Thirty (30) Calendar Months Commencing on the 5th day of June 1976
- (6) Total Rent: \$224,400.00 payable as follows: 10 the sum of \$7,480.00 per month from 5th-6-76 to 5th-11-78 then the sum of \$ per month from then to the sum of \$ per month from to then the sum of \$ per month from to then the sum of \$ per month from 20 to then per month from the sum of \$ to then the first of such instalments to be paid

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(7)Insurable Values :-

> First Year: \$176,000.00 \$140,800.00 Second Year: \$126,720.00 Third Year:

Fourth Year: \$ \$ Fifth Year: Sixth Year:

> SYARIKAT BUNGA RAYA-TIMOR JAUH SDN. BHD.

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Sd: Illegible Director

GUARANTEE AND INDEMNITY EQUIPMENT LEASE AGREEMENT

PLAINTIFFS EXHIBITS

Part of "W.C.C.6"

IN CONSIDERATION OF TRACTOR MALAYSIA BERHAD (herein called "the lessor") agreeing to enter into the equipment lease agreement with the lessee described in the schedule hereunder (hereinafter called "the lessee") in respect to equipment described in the said schedule, the undersigned (hereinafter called "the guarantor") and Indemnity hereby :-

(2) Schedule to Equipment Lease Agreement 10/76 25 May 1976

- (3) Guarantee Undated
- (5) Schedule to Variation Agreement 23 June 1977

- (a) guarantees the due payment to the lessor of all sums of money as shall from time to time or at any time hereafter become due and payable by the lessee under the terms of the said equipment lease agreement or any variation or extension thereof (continued) and also the due observance and performance of all other terms and conditions express or implied in the said agreement on the part of the lessee to be observed and performed AND ALSO hereby indemnifies the lessor and agreed to keep it indemnified from and against all loss damage costs and expenses suffered or incurred by the lessor by reason of any breach or non-performance by the lessee of any of such terms and conditions on the part of the lessee to be observed or performed and all actions claims and demands which may be instituted or made against the lessor in any way consequence upon arising out of or incidental to the said agreement
- (b) authorises the lessor to grant or allow any time or indulgence to the lessee and to make any composition with the lessee as the lessor may think fit and to waive any of the rights of the lessor whether bestowed on the lessor pursuant to any of the said agreement or by law and to vary any of the terms and conditions of the said agreement
- (c) agrees that the giving of such time or indulgence or compounding waiving or varying aforesaid shall not discharge the liability of the guarantor to the lessor hereunder or otherwise
- (d) agrees that the liability and obligation of the guarantor to the lessor hereunder shall be a continuing one and the lessor shall not be bound at any time to exercise any of its rights under the said agreement and any

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Part of "W.C.C.6"

- (2) Schedule to Equipment Lease Agreement 10/76 25 May 1976
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THE SCHEDULE

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Lessee: Name Syarikat Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh

Sdn. Bhd.
Address 6th floor Oriental Plaza
Jalan Parry, P.O.Box 1013
Kuala Lumpur 01-02

Description of Equipment:

One unit new Caterpillar D6C Direct Drive Tractor c/w 6A B'dozer, HD canopy and std. attachments. Fitted with new Carco Winch.

Serial No. 26K1773 Winch Serial No. 13200 Year: 1976

IN WITNESS whereof this Guarantee and Indemnity has been executed on the day of 197

Names, Addresses and Signatures of Guarantors Names and Signatures of Witnesses to Guarantors' Signatures 30

Sd: Goh Kee San Mr. Goh Kee San c/o TMB

UNITED HOLDINGS BERHAD

Sd: Illegible Director

Sd: Illegible Secretary

This is the Exhibit marked "W.C.C.6" referred to in the Affidavit of Wan Chee Chuen affirmed before me this 29th day of July 1978

Sgd. Theh Liang Peng Commissioner for Oaths (Pesuruhjaya Sumpah) Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

THE SCHEDULE

Total outstanding under the original Equipment Lease 10 \$216,920.00 Agreement as on 1st-10-76 Less: Rebate \$ 36,542.00 \$180,378.00 Add: Overdue interest at 12% per annum for 3 months for the period 30-7-76 to 30-9-76 405.77 \$180,783.77 \$ 54,235.13 Less: Residual Value \$126,548.64 20 \$ 61,285.70 Add: Hiring Charges

Total rental payable under Equipment Lease Agreement as varied by this Agreement \$\frac{\\$187,834.34}{2}\$

The total rent of \$187,834.34 mentioned above shall be payable as follows:-

the sum of \$5,217.62 per month from 1st-10-76 to 1st-09-79 then the sum of \$8 per month from to then the sum of \$8 per month from then to then

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the first of such instalments to be paid on the 1st day of October 1976

SYARIKAT BUNGA RAYA-TIMOR JAUH SDN.BHD

Sd: Illegible Director

PLAINTIFFS EXHIBITS

Part of "W.C.C.6"

- (2) Schedule to Equipment Lease Agreement 10/76 25 May 1976
- (3) Guarantee and Indemnity Undated
- (5) Schedule to Variation Agreement 23 June 1977

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"W.C.C.10"

Letter Plaintiffs Solicitors to First Defendant 31 January 1978

"W.C.C. 10"

LETTER PLAINTIFFS SOLICITORS TO FIRST DEFENDANT

A.R. REGISTERED

January 31 1978 WCW/CMW/48637/78

Syarikat Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh Sdn.Bhd. 6th Floor, Oriental Plaza, P.O. Box 1013 KUALA LUMPUR

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Dear Sirs

PJ/Lease/05/76 dated 25.5.76 PJ/Lease/06/76 dated 25.5.76 PJ/Lease/22/75 dated 2.9.75 PJ/Lease/07/76 dated 25.5.76 PJ/Lease/08/76 dated 25.5.76 PJ/Lease/09/76 dated 5.6.76 PJ/Lease/10/76 dated 5.6.76

We act for Tractors Malaysia Berhad of Jalan 205, Petaling Jaya. Our clients have informed us that by 8 equipment lease agreements, as subsequently varied described above, our clients let and you took on lease from our clients 8 tractors thereunder.

Under the said agreements, you agreed to pay to our clients the monthly rentals stated in the Schedule to them payable in advance. Clause 18 of the said agreements further provided that should you fail to pay the rentals punctually as agreed, our clients should forthwith and without notice on demand become entitled to immediate possession of the tractors and without notice terminate the agreements and to retake possession of the tractors. Clause 19 also provided that upon the termination of the agreements, you should pay to our clients the following:-

- (a) Arrears of rentals accrued as at the date of termination;
- (b) Any sums other than rentals which might have become due under these agreements;
- (c) Any expenses incurred by our clients in tracing and/or recovering possession of the tractors or in enforcing the provisions

of the agreements;

(d) An amount equal to other unpaid rentals for the remainder of the period of the lease under the agreements.

As a result of your persistent default in making the payments due to our clients, our clients exercised their rights under the agreements and repossessed all the 8 tractors.

Pursuant to the agreements you are liable to pay our clients the following sums of monies for all the 8 agreements:-

- 1. \$366,002.31 being arrears of rentals as at the date of termination;
- 2. \$889,327.55 being the amount equal to the unpaid rentals for the remainder period of the lease periods under the agreements;
- 3. \$23,063.73 being overdue interests due to date of repossession;
- 4. \$25,900/- being repossession expenses;
- 5. \$51,400/- being estimated repairs under clause 4(i) of the said agreements.

The total claim due to our clients under the abovementioned heads of claims amount to \$1,355,693.59. We enclose herewith the particulars of the Schedule Of Outstanding/Overdues as at Date of Repossession.

We have now been instructed by our clients to demand from you, which we hereby do, the said sum of \$1,355,693.59 to be paid to us or our clients within seven (7) days from the date hereof, failing which legal proceedings will be instituted against you.

You will notice that interest continues to accrue as long as payment is delayed by you.

Yours faithfully,

Encl.

c.c.: By Certificate of Posting:

Syarikat Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh Sdn. Bhd. 6th Floor Oriental Plaza P.O. Box 1013 KUALA LUMPUR PLAINTIFFS EXHIBITS

"W.C.C.10"

Letter Plaintiffs Solicitors to First Defendant

31 January 1978 (continued)

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"W.C.C.10"

Letter Plaintiffs Solicitors to First Defendant

31 January 1978

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c.c.: By A.R. REGISTERED & Certificate of Posting:

United Holdings Berhad 6th Floor Oriental Plaza

Jalan Parry Kuala Lumpur

c.c.: Tractors Malaysia Berhad

P.O. Box 2
PETALING JAYA

This is the Exhibit marked "W.C.C.10" referred to in the Affidavit of Wan Chee Chuen affirmed before me this 29th day of July 1978

Sgd. Theh Liang Peng Commissioner for Oaths (Pesuruhjaya Sumpah) Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

"W.C.C.11"

Letter Plaintiffs Solicitors to First Defendant 9th March 1978 ".W.C.C.ll"

LETTER PLAINTIFFS SOLICITORS TO FIRST DEFENDANT

A.R.REGISTERED

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March 9 1978 WCW/CMW/48637/78

Syarikat Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh Sdn.Bhd. 6th Floor Oriental Plaza P.O. Box 1013 KUALA LUMPUR

Dear Sirs

PJ/LEASE/21/75 DATED 23.6.77

We act for Tractors Malaysia Berhad of Jalan 205, Petaling Jaya.

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Our clients have informed us that by the above Equipment Lease Agreement as subsequently varied, our clients let and you took on lease the tractor mentioned therein.

Under the said agreement, you agreed to pay to our clients the monthly rentals stated in the Schedule to them payable in advance. Clause 18 of the said agreement further provided that should you fail to pay the rentals puctually as agreed, our clients should forthwith and without notice on demand become entitled to immediate possession of the tractor and without notice terminate the agreement and to retake possession of the tractor. Clause 19 also provided that upon the termination of the agreement, you should pay to our clients the following:-

PLAINTIFFS EXHIBITS

"W.C.C.11"

Letter Plaintiffs Solicitors to First Defendant 9th March 1978 (continued)

- (a) Arrears of rentals accrued as at the date of termination;
- (b) Any sums other than rentals which might have become due under this agreement;
- (c) Any expenses incurred by our clients in tracing and/or recovering possession of the tractor or in enforcing the provisions of the agreement;
- (d) An amount equal to other unpaid rentals for the remainder of the period of the lease under the agreement.

Pursuant to the agreement you are liable to pay to our clients the following sums of monies:-

- 1. \$66,661.10 being arrears of rental as at the date of return of the tractor;
- 2. \$133,322.21 being the amount equal to the unpaid rentals for the remainder period of the lease:
- 3. \$4,823.72 being overdue interest due to date of return of tractor;
- 4. \$6,830/- being estimated repairs under clause 4(1) of the said agreement.

The total claim due to our clients under the agreement amounts to \$211,637.03.

We have now been instructed by our clients to demand from you, which we hereby do, the said sum of \$211,637.03 to be paid to us or our clients within seven (7) days from the date hereof, failing which legal proceedings will be instituted against you.

You will notice that interest continues to accrue as long as payment is delayed by you.

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Yours faithfully,

"W.C.C.11"

Letter Plaintiffs Solicitors to First Defendant 9th March 1978 (continued)

c.c.: By Certificate of Posting:

Syarikat Bunga Raya-Timor Jauh Sdn. Bhd. 6th Floor Oriental Plaza P.O.Box 1013 KUALA LUMPUR

c.c.: By A.R.Registered:

United Holdings Berhad
6th Floor Oriental Plaza 10
Jalan Parry
KUALA LUMPUR

c.c.: By Certificate of Posting:

United Holdings Berhad 6th Floor Criental Plaza Jalan Parry KUALA LUMPUR

c.c.: Tractors Malaysia Berhad P.O. Box 2 PETALING JAYA

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This is the Exhibit marked "W.C.C.ll" referred to in the Affidavit of Wan Chee Chuen affirmed before me this 29th day of July 1978

Sgd. Theh Liang Peng Commissioner for Oaths (Pesuruhjaya Sumpah) Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

No.11 of 1981

IN THE JUDICIAL COMMITTEE OF THE PRIVY COUNCIL

ON APPEAL

FROM THE FEDERAL COURT OF MALAYSIA

BETWEEN:

- (1) SYARIKAT BUNGA RAYA-TIMOR JAUH SDN. BHD.
- (2) UNITED HOLDINGS BERHAD

Appellants (Defendants)

- and -

TRACTORS MALAYSIA BERHAD

Respondent (Plaintiffs)

RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

KINGSFORD DORMAN 14 Old Square, Lincoln's Inn, London, WC2A 3UB

Solicitors for the Appellants

HERBERT SMITH & CO. Watling House, 35-37 Cannon Street, London, EC4M 5SD

Solicitors for the Respondent