# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

# FORM 10

# Amendment No. 1

GENERAL FORM FOR REGISTRATION OF SECURITIES Pursuant to Section 12(b) or 12(g) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

# **Adelphia Recovery Trust**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware** (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization) 11-6615508 (I.R.S. Employment Identification No.) L

919 North Market Street, 17th Floor, P.O. Box 705 Wilmington, Delaware (Address of Principal Executive Offices)

**19899** (Zip Code)

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Securities to be registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

Title of Each Class to be so Registered None

Name of Each Exchange on Which Each Class is to be Registered N/A

Securities to be registered pursuant to Section 12(g) of the Act:

CVV Series ACC-7 Interests (Title of Classes)

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

Large accelerated filer □ Non-accelerated filer ⊠ (Do not check if smaller reporting company) Accelerated filer  $\square$ Smaller reporting company  $\square$ 

### INFORMATION REQUIRED IN REGISTRATION STATEMENT

#### Item 1. Business

#### Overview

The Adelphia Recovery Trust (the "<u>ART</u>") was formed as a Delaware statutory trust pursuant to that certain First Modified Fifth Amended Joint Chapter 11 Plan of Reorganization (the "<u>Plan</u>") of Adelphia Communications Corporation ("<u>Adelphia</u>") and certain of its subsidiaries. The purpose of the ART is to prosecute the various causes of action transferred to the ART pursuant to the Plan (the "<u>Causes of Action</u>") and distribute to the owners (the "<u>Holders</u>") of the interests in the ART ("<u>Interests</u>") the net proceeds of such Causes of Action, according to the relative priorities established pursuant to the Plan, subject to the retention of various amounts to fund the prosecution of those Causes of Action and operations of the ART. Pursuant to the Plan, in addition to the Causes of Action, Adelphia transferred \$25 million in cash to the ART in order to fund the initial expenses of operation. The ART has no purpose other than to prosecute its Causes of Action and to distribute net proceeds to Holders.

Adelphia and certain of its subsidiaries filed for Chapter 11 bankruptcy protection in June 2002. During the bankruptcy, on July 31, 2006 the assets of Adelphia were sold for a combination of cash and stock in Time Warner Cable ("<u>TWC</u>"). In late 2006, representatives of various groups of creditors reached agreement on the allocation and distribution of the cash, TWC stock, other proceeds from the sale of estate assets and relative priorities to any distributions arising from the Causes of Action contributed to the ART. This agreement was embodied in the Plan, which was confirmed in January 2007 and became effective on February 13, 2007. Under the Plan, the creditors and equity holders of Adelphia and its certain of its subsidiaries received one or more of the following: cash, TWC stock, rights to future distributions up to payment in full and the Interests.

The ART will dissolve upon the earlier of the distribution of all of its assets to the Holders and the fifth anniversary of its creation. However, the Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of New York (the "Bankruptcy Court") may approve an extension of the term if deemed necessary for the purposes of resolving the Causes of Action and distributing the net proceeds to Holders.

As set forth in the Plan and the Declaration of Trust for the ART, as amended (the "<u>Declaration</u>"), the ART is administered by five trustees (the "<u>Trustees</u>"). These Trustees are authorized to carry out the purposes of the ART. In particular, the Trustees are responsible for protecting, maintaining, liquidating to cash and maximizing the value of the Causes of Action contributed to the ART, whether by litigation, settlement or otherwise.

#### **Distributions**

Pursuant to the Plan and the Declaration, distributions to Holders are net of any costs and expenses incurred by the ART in connection with administering, litigating or otherwise resolving the various Causes of Action. Such amounts withheld from distribution may also include fees and expenses of the Trustees, premiums for directors and officers insurance, and other insurance

and fees and expenses of attorneys and consultants. Distributions will be made only from assets of the ART and only to the extent that the ART has sufficient assets (over amounts retained for contingent liabilities and future costs and expenses, among other things) to make such payments in accordance with the Plan and the Declaration. No distribution is required to be made to any Holder unless such Holder is to receive in such distribution at least \$25.00 per ART certificate held or unless such distribution is the final distribution to such Holder pursuant to the Plan and the Declaration.

Distributions will be made at the sole discretion of the Trustees in accordance with the provisions of the Plan and the Declaration. As of the date hereof, the Trustees have determined the present best course of action is to retain the existing cash in reserve to administer the ART and fund the prosecution of the Causes of Action. Consequently, there have been no distributions through the date of this Registration Statement and none have been announced.

#### ART Operations and Management

# Overview

The Trustees are Mr. Bryan Bloom, Mr. Lee S. Hillman, Mr. David P. Stowell, Mr. Ralph J. Takala and Mr. Dean A. Ziehl. The Trustees were appointed by various groups of claimants of the Adelphia estate and approved by the Bankruptcy Court. The Trustees have authority to carry out the purposes of the ART.

The ART is required to have a Delaware Trustee, and also has an Institutional Trustee. The Delaware Trustee of the ART is Bank of New York Mellon (Delaware) and has been appointed for the purpose of fulfilling the requirements of the Delaware Statutory Trust Act. The Institutional Trustee of the ART is Bank of New York Mellon. The Institutional Trustee is responsible for authentication of ART certificates (for Interests) distributed to Holders, the distribution through a paying agent of amounts due to Holders and the taking of all actions that may be necessary or appropriate for the preservation and the continuation of the ART's valid existence, rights, franchises, and privileges as a statutory trust. Quest Turnaround Advisors, L.L.C. ("Quest") is the Plan Administrator (in such capacity, the "<u>Plan Administrator</u>") of the debtors named in the Plan (the "<u>Debtors</u>"). Pursuant to the terms of the Plan Administrator Agreement between Quest and the Debtors, Quest and the Debtors agreed with each other to provide certain administrative services to the ART. In order to facilitate the provision of such administrative services, the ART has appointed Quest as the trust administrator of the ART (in that capacity, the "<u>Trust Administrator</u>").

The Bankruptcy Court has retained exclusive jurisdiction over all matters relating to the ART.

# The Trustees

The ART does not have directors, executive officers or employees. The Trustees have the duty and authority to take actions necessary to protect, maintain, liquidate to cash and maximize the value of its Causes of Action, whether by litigation, settlement or otherwise. The Declaration includes the following material duties and powers of the Trustees:

- taking any action necessary or desirable to carry out the purposes of the ART;
- maintaining the value of the assets of the ART;
- making distributions to the Holders;
- · determining reserves to cover future costs and expenses associated with the ART;
- causing the ART to retain professionals or employees or agents as they may deem necessary to aid in the performance of their responsibilities pursuant to the terms of the Declaration and the Plan, including the prosecution of Causes of Action and the liquidation and distribution of the assets of the ART;
- causing the ART to pay all costs and expenses incurred in connection with the prosecution of Causes of Action and the administration of the ART;
- filing any and all tax returns with respect to the ART;
- causing valuations of property transferred to and held by the ART to be made for all United States federal income tax purposes; and
- winding up the affairs and liquidation of the ART.

A Trustee may be removed, but only by (i) the creditor(s) who appointed such Trustee or (ii) Bankruptcy Court order made after such notice and hearing as the Bankruptcy Court may direct. Any motion to remove a Trustee must be for cause shown and can only be brought by the Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors of Adelphia Communications Corporation and all of its Affiliated Debtors-In-Possession (the "<u>Creditors Committee</u>"). Upon the death, resignation, removal or incompetency (determined by a court of competent jurisdiction) of a Trustee, the applicable creditor(s) who initially appointed such Trustee will have the authority to appoint a successor Trustee, provided, however, that if such creditor(s) does not make such appointment within 40 days of such death, resignation, removal or determination of incompetency, a majority of the remaining Trustees will have the power to appoint a successor Trustee. If a successor Trustee has not been appointed within 60 days of such written notice, the remaining Trustees may petition the Bankruptcy Court to appoint a successor Trustee.

## Audit Committee

The Audit Committee of the ART is appointed by the Trustees to oversee (i) the integrity of the financial statements of the ART, (ii) the accounting and financial reporting processes of the ART and its audits, (iii) the independent auditor of the ART and the independence, qualifications and performance of such auditor, (iv) the performance of the internal audit function and independent auditor of the ART, in the event that the ART has an internal audit function, and (v) the compliance by the ART with legal and regulatory requirements. The Audit Committee is composed of Mr. Bryan Bloom, Mr. Lee S. Hillman, and Mr. Ralph J. Takala (Chairman).

# Trust Administrator

The Plan Administrator Agreement between Quest and the Debtors provides that the Plan Administrator will, among other things, cause the Debtors to perform bookkeeping, accounting, financial reporting and other administrative functions of the ART, as reasonably requested by the Trustees and necessary or desirable to support the ART. In addition, the Plan Administrator will cause the Debtors to provide support for the Causes of Action, including: maintaining and providing the ART with access to the books, records and other documents of the Debtors and providing the ART with access to those employees of the Debtors that perform such administrative services. The Plan Administrator also supervises the Debtors in performing the foregoing functions for the ART. Finally, the Plan Administrator assists the ART in the preparation of and execution of required reports, forms or applications for filing with the SEC or other governmental authorities.

In order to facilitate the provision of the services described above, the ART has appointed Quest as the Trust Administrator of the ART. In that capacity, the ART has requested that the Trust Administrator, under direction of the Trustees, provide the following services:

- assist in the preparation of the financial statements of the ART, including quarterly and annual statements; commencing with the financial statements of the ART for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2007;
- assist with establishing, maintaining and evaluating disclosure controls and procedures as defined in Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15
   (e) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended ("<u>Exchange Act</u>") and internal controls over financial reporting as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(f) and 15d-15(f), as applicable to the ART;
- assist the ART in the preparation and submission of all filings required of the ART under the Exchange Act;
- sign Exchange Act filings (Form 10, Form 10-K and otherwise) in its capacity as Trust Administrator, including the certifications required by Sections 302 and 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2004; and
- assist the ART in such other matters as reasonably requested by the Trustees to enable the ART to comply with the Exchange Act and the Exchange Act Rules.

For its role as Plan Administrator, Quest is compensated exclusively by the Debtors. The ART does not pay Quest any additional amounts of compensation for serving as either Plan Administrator or Trust Administrator. The ART is required to reimburse Quest and the Debtors for out-of-pocket expenses incurred in performance of services on behalf of the ART.

Pursuant to the Plan Administrator Agreement, Quest may be removed as Plan Administrator of the Debtors by the Trustees for cause, upon notice, or without cause, upon 30 day notice. The ART may remove Quest as Trust Administrator at any time.

## Item 1A. Risk Factors

# The ART is controlled by the Trustees and the Holders have no authority regarding decisions made on behalf of the ART

All decisions concerning the conduct of the Causes of Action and distribution of assets of the ART are to be made by the Trustees, in accordance with the terms of the Plan and Declaration. A decision to settle a Cause of Action requires the approval of a majority of the Trustees. Generally, the Holders have no right to elect or remove a Trustee. A Trustee may be removed, but only by (i) the creditor(s) who appointed such Trustee or (ii) Bankruptcy Court order made after such notice and hearing as the Bankruptcy Court may direct. Any motion to remove a Trustee must be for cause shown and can only be brought by the Creditors Committee.

# The ART may not be successful in litigating the Causes of Action or if the ART is successful, there could be a significant delay before any recovery is obtained and distributed

It is not possible to predict whether any distributions will be made to the Holders or, if any distributions are made, the timing and amount of those distributions. The ART will only make distributions to the Holders if and to the extent that it receives proceeds from the Causes of Action, and then only to the extent that the proceeds from the Causes of Action exceed any amounts withheld by the Trustees to fund the prosecution of remaining Causes of Action and operations of the ART. There can be no assurance that the ART will obtain a favorable judgment or settlement with respect to any particular Cause of Action. In addition, if there is a recovery, there can be no assurance as to the timing of any such recovery. To the extent the Causes of Action do not ultimately result in a judgment or settlement favorable to the ART, the value of the Interests will decrease.

# Holders will have only limited rights against the Trustees and the Trustees have limited liability to the ART

The Declaration provides that the Institutional Trustee, the Delaware Trustee and the Trustees (and their respective affiliates, directors, officers, employees and representatives) and any officer, employee or agent of the ART or its affiliates will have no liability to the ART or the Holders except for (i) acts or omissions of the Trustees undertaken with the deliberate intent to injure the Holders or with reckless disregard for the best interests of the Holders and (ii) acts or omissions of the Institutional Trustee or Delaware Trustee undertaken with gross negligence, willful misconduct or bad faith. Any liability of the Trustees will be limited to actual, proximate and quantifiable damages.

The Declaration further provides that, with certain exceptions, no Holder has the right to institute any action or proceeding against the Trustees or otherwise under the Declaration unless the Holder has given the Institutional Trustee written notice of default and unless the requisite Holders have joined in the request for such action or proceeding. "Requisite Holders" means the Holders holding

Interests that would be entitled to receive more than fifty percent of a hypothetical \$50 million distribution of the ART, if such distribution were made as of a date for such determination as reasonably fixed by the Trustees.

The Declaration provides that the Holders have no voting rights (except in connection with certain amendments to the Declaration and except for limited rights in connection with the appointment of a successor Institutional Trustee or Delaware Trustee) and no rights to dividends, liquidation preferences or other distributions other than their pro rata share of the net proceeds of the Causes of Action actually distributed by the Trustees pursuant to the Plan and Declaration.

# Even if there is a recovery based on the Causes of Action, there can be no assurances that there will be sufficient funds to make any distributions to Holders

Even if the ART obtains a settlement or award based on the Causes of Action, there can be no assurance that the Holders will receive any proceeds from such settlement or award. Prior to Holders receiving any payments, the Trustees will pay all of the expenses of the ART and may set aside funds for future expenses or contingencies of the ART. Furthermore, distributions (if any) to a particular class of Interests is contingent upon payment in full (or in some cases, in part) to classes of Interests with higher distribution priorities.

## Potential conflicts of interest exist among the classes of Interests

The existence of separate classes of Interests and the different distribution priority of each class could give rise to occasions when the interests of the Holders could diverge, conflict or appear to diverge or conflict. Operational and financial decisions by the Trustees regarding the litigation could favor one group of Holders over another, adversely affecting the market value of a particular class of Interests or the distribution to that particular class of Interests. For example, the decision to settle a Cause of Action for a smaller amount than that which could potentially be recovered through litigation could favor those classes of Interests with a higher distribution priority in the waterfall, as those classes would be more likely to ultimately receive a distribution with respect to such a settlement as opposed to those with a lower distribution priority in the waterfall.

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# There is no trading market for the Interests, which could limit liquidity, and it may be difficult to establish a price per Interest

There is no current established trading market for the Interests and the ART does not intend to seek to have the Interests listed on an exchange or a national market. There is minimal trading in the over the counter market on the pink sheets, which has limited liquidity. The price of the Interests may depend on a number of factors, including (but not limited to) the nature of court decisions, speculation about the outcome of the Causes of Action and the sufficiency of the funds available to the ART to prosecute the Causes of Action. There may be wide fluctuations in the price of the Interests. See Item 9 of this Registration Statement.

# The outcome of litigation is inherently speculative, and limited information regarding their developments and potential outcomes will be available; therefore, it may be difficult for Holders to assess the amount of recovery

The ART will file annual reports on Form 10-K and quarterly reports on Form 10-Q that will include an overview of the status of the pending Causes of Action. The ART will also advise Holders if there is a material final judicial decision in any of the Causes of Action or any material settlements. The ART's ability to disclose details of the Causes of Action in this registration statement or in

future public filings may be limited, however, by the inherent nature and rules of judicial proceedings, including, among other things, proceedings and filings that are sealed by a court, matters involving attorney-client and work product privilege and proceedings that are conducted on a confidential basis by agreement of the parties, such as settlement negotiations. Furthermore, due to the speculative nature of litigation, it may be difficult for holders to make a meaningful determination of the potential outcome on any Cause of Action.

# A Holder's tax liability could exceed distributions

If the ART has income for a taxable year, the appropriate portion of that income may be includable in a Holder's taxable income, whether or not any cash is actually distributed to the Holder by the ART. The Plan and Declaration permit the Trustees to reserve certain amounts to fund, among other things, operating and other expenses, and do not contain a mandatory tax distribution provision. Therefore, for any particular year there may be no distribution or a distribution that is less than a Holder's tax liability on its share of the income of the ART.

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# Item 2. Financial Information

# **Selected Financial Data**

The Selected Financial Data should be read in conjunction with the financial statements and related notes, which are included in Item 13 below, and "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Statements and Results of Operations" included in this Item 2.

# Summary of Changes in Net Assets

	February 13 to December 31, 2007	February 13 to March 31, 2007	January 1, 2008 to March 31, 2008
Net assets, beginning of period	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 187,988,198
Revenues	192,597,684	165,597	1,950,025
Expenses	30,653,236	6,334,250	7,720,195
Net (Loss) Income	161,944,448	(6,168,653)	(5,770,170)
Contributions from Debtor	26,043,750	26,043,750	0
Cash Distributions per Interest	0	0	0
Net assets, end of period	\$ 187,988,198	\$19,875,097	\$ 182,218,028

#### **Summary of Balance Sheet Items**

	As of	As of	As of
	December 31, 2007	March 31, 2007	March 31, 2008
Total Assets	\$ 194,808,000	\$26,084,444	\$191,611,248
Total Liabilities	\$ 6,819,802	\$ 6,209,347	\$ 9,393,220

### **Management's Discussion and Analysis**

# Overview

Adelphia and certain of its subsidiaries filed for Chapter 11 bankruptcy protection in June 2002. During the bankruptcy, substantially all of the assets of Adelphia were sold to Comcast Corp. and Time Warner NY Cable LLC, for a combination of cash and stock in TWC on July 31, 2006. In December 2006, representatives of various groups of creditors reached agreement on the allocation and distribution of the cash, TWC stock, and relative priorities to any distributions arising from the Causes of Action contributed to the ART. This agreement was embodied in the Plan, which was confirmed on January 5, 2007 and became effective on February 13, 2007. Under the Plan, the creditors and equity holders of Adelphia and certain of its subsidiaries received one or more of the following: cash, TWC stock, rights to future distributions up to payment in full and the Interests.

The ART was formed as a Delaware statutory trust pursuant to the Plan. The purpose of the ART is to prosecute the various Causes of Action transferred from Adelphia and its subsidiaries and distribute to the Holders of the Interests in the ART the net proceeds of such Causes of Action, according to the relative priorities established pursuant to the Plan, subject to the retention of various amounts to fund the prosecution of those Causes of Action and operations of the ART. Pursuant to the Plan, in addition to Causes of Action, Adelphia transferred \$25 million in cash to the ART in order to fund the initial expenses of operation. The ART has no purpose other than to prosecute its Causes of Action and to distribute net proceeds to Holders.

On February 13, 2007 the ART was formed. As of March 31, 2008, the number of Interests outstanding in each series is as follows:

Series of Interest:	
Series RF	115,000,000
Series Arahova	722,639,681
Series FrontierVision	86,600,001
Series FPL	25,575,129
Series Olympus	17,000,001
Series ACC-1	4,839,988,165
Series ACC-2(2)	325,971,544
Series ACC-3(2)	134,176,377
Series ESL(1)	17
Series ACC-4	1,790,968,272
Series ACC-5 (1)	458
Series ACC-6B	150,000,000
Series ACC-6B1(1)	3
Series ACC-6D	575,000,000
Series ACC-6D1(1)	4
Series ACC-6E/F	935,812,456
Series ACC-6E/F1(1)	5
Series ACC-7	219,134,945
Series ACC-7A (1)	1,519,293,603

(1) For each of these categories of Interests, each holder of a disputed claim was awarded one Interest. It is possible the number of Interests could change based on the resolution of disputed claims.

(2) For each of these categories of Interests, the number of Interests outstanding could change based on the resolution of disputed claims.

# **Results of Operations**

The ART operates pursuant to the Plan and the Declaration. The ART was formed as a Delaware statutory trust to prosecute various claims originally owned by Adelphia and, if any of the prosecutions are successful or are settled in a manner which provides economic benefit to the ART, to distribute excess proceeds to the Holders. Two material Causes of Action have been settled as of the date of this Registration Statement. All litigation and bankruptcy claims between Leonard Tow, Claire Tow, related entities, David

Rosensweig, Adelphia and the ART were settled. As part of the settlement, the ART received a cash payment of approximately \$15.8 million and an interest bearing note in the principal amount of approximately \$4.9 million. The ART settled all of its claims against Adelphia's former auditor Deloitte & Touche LLP. Pursuant to the settlement, the ART received \$167.5 million. In addition, Adelphia and Buchanan Ingersoll & Rooney P.C. agreed to toll the statute of limitations on any claims between them as of March 26, 2004. Buchanan Ingersoll & Rooney P.C. was corporate counsel to Adelphia prior to the filing of Adelphia's bankruptcy petition in June 2002. That tolling agreement remains in effect and is terminable by either party upon notice. There is no assurance that any recovery will be obtained from Buchanan Ingersoll. As of the date of this Registration Statement, there remain other Causes of Action such as those described in item 8 of this Registration Statement and other future Causes of Action.

The costs related to the prosecution of the Causes of Action are substantial. Although the ART has received \$188.3 million to date for settled Causes of Action, the ART cannot estimate at this time the ultimate costs in prosecuting the various remaining Causes of Action or the timing and amount of future Causes of Action recoveries. Additionally, the ART's primary expense relates to professional fees that are necessary for the prosecution of the Causes of Action. It is possible that the ART may desire to retain additional professionals, which would increase the ART's expenses. The ART may be negatively impacted if the cost for these services were to change significantly, if a professional providing services needed to be replaced or supplemented or if the cost for these services were to vary from the budgeted amount. Expenses for the period from January 1, 2008 to March 31, 2008 are not (or may not be) indicative of future expenses, which may be significantly higher.

The ART Trustees have determined to retain the total current cash balances to fund the ongoing professional fees and operating expenses of the ART. The ART Trustees will continue to assess the adequacy of funds held and may distribute ART excess assets to Holders. Such distribution will be made according to the waterfall established in the Plan.

For the period of February 13, 2007 through December 31, 2007, the ART had net income of \$161.9 million. Included in this net income are settlement revenues of \$188.3 million and interest income of \$4.3 million. This was partially offset by \$28.8 million in legal and professional fees and \$1.9 million of other operating expenses.

For the period of January 1, 2008 through March 31, 2008, the ART incurred a net loss of \$4.8 million versus a loss of \$6.2 million for the same period in the prior year. The reduced net loss of \$1.4 million is due primarily to increases in investment income of \$1.7 million in the first quarter of 2008 versus \$0.2 million in the first quarter of 2007, which was higher due to substantially higher cash balances in 2008. Operating expenses increased to \$6.8 million in the first quarter of 2008 from \$6.3 million for the same period in 2007 due to slightly higher professional and general and administrative expenses as activity concerning the Causes of Action increases.

#### **Financial Condition**

The ART's sources of liquidity are from (a) the \$25 million transferred to the ART by Adelphia pursuant to the Plan, (b) the successful resolution of Causes of Action and (c) earnings on invested cash balances. Receipts from these sources will be used to pay professional and operating expenses of the ART and as distributions to the Holders after setting aside appropriate cash reserves required to pay future professional and operating expenses of the ART.

Given current cash balances and expected expenses and other potential disbursements and distributions, the ART does not expect a deficiency in liquidity in the next twelve months. Due to the uncertain nature of future revenues and expenses beyond twelve months, it is not possible to be certain that current liquidity will be adequate to cover all the future financial needs of the ART. Incurring debt, creating contingent obligation agreements and or seeking methods to reduce legal professional and administrative costs are all strategies that could be undertaken to address liquidity issues should they arise. These strategies could impact the ART's ability to maximize recoveries from settlements.

The nature of the ART's operation does not give rise to capital expenditures and there are no current or expected commitments for capital expenditures in the next twelve months. Should a need for capital expenditures arise, the ART would fund the requirement from current assets. Additionally, the ART currently has no long-term contracts or other long-term obligations that would have a material impact on liquidity.

Cash balances at March 31, 2008 of \$185.7 million are \$160.5 million higher than March 31, 2007 due to the settlement of the Tow / Rosensweig and Deloitte and Touche Causes of Action for \$188.2 million offset by operating expenses. Note receivable balances also were increased \$5.1 million from March 31, 2007 to March 31, 2008 due to the settlement of the Tow / Rosensweig Cause of Action. Accrued expenses increased from \$6.2 million in the first quarter of 2007 to \$8.4 million in the first quarter of 2008 as costs associated with the Causes of Action are increasing.

## **Debt and Other Long-term Obligations**

The ART has no debt, capital or operating lease or other long-term obligations and has no current plans to incur such obligations.

#### Cautionary Statement Regarding Risks and Uncertainties That May Affect Future Results

This Registration Statement on Form 10 contains forward-looking statements about the business, financial condition and prospects of the ART. The actual results of the ART could differ materially from those indicated by the forward-looking statements because of various risks and uncertainties, including, without limitation, the number and amounts of litigations and/or settlements which are successful, the amount of funding required to continue the litigations, economic conditions, changes in tax and other governmental rules and regulations applicable to the ART, and other risks identified and described in Item 1A-Risk Factors. These

risks and uncertainties are beyond the ability of the ART to control, and in many cases, the ART cannot predict the risks and uncertainties that could cause its actual results to differ materially from those indicated by the forward-looking statements. When used in this Registration Statement, the words "believes," "estimates," "plans," "expects," and "anticipates" and similar expressions as they relate to the ART or its management are intended to identify forward-looking statements.

#### Item 3. Properties

The ART does not own or lease any physical properties.

#### Item 4. Security Ownership of Certain Beneficial Owners and Management

The ART does not have any securities that vote for the election of the Trustees and, consequently does not have any "voting securities" within the meaning of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and the regulations thereunder applicable to the disclosure of 5% holders of voting securities.

# Item 5. Directors and Executive Officers

There are five Trustees of the ART, each of whom has served since the inception of the ART:

Bryan Bloom, age 49, presently serves as in-house counsel, analyst and portfolio manager at W.R. Huff Asset Management Co., L.L.C., an investment management firm, and its various affiliates. Mr. Bloom joined Huff in 1994. Prior to that time, he was a tax partner at the law firm of Shanley & Fisher. Mr. Bloom is currently an observer to the board of directors for CKX, Inc. and <u>a director of FXRE</u>, Inc. Mr. Bloom serves on the Audit Committee of the ART.

Lee S. Hillman, age 52, presently serves as Executive Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer of Power Plate International, a global manufacturer, distributor and licensor of health and exercise equipment. Mr. Hillman previously served as President of Power Plate North America since 2005, which merged into Power Plate International in February 2006. From 2003 to present, Mr. Hillman also serves as President of Liberation Investment Advisory Group, LLC and Liberation Management Services, LLC, a private management and advisory services consultant to commercial and investment banks, private equity and hedge funds and growth stage businesses. Mr. Hillman also serves on the boards of directors for Lawson Products, Inc. and RCN Corporation. Mr. Hillman serves on the Audit Committee of the ART.

David P. Stowell, age 55, presently serves as a professor in the Department of Finance at Kellogg School of Management, Northwestern University, which he joined in March 2005. Prior to this position, Mr. Stowell was a managing director in JP Morgan's investment banking division.

Ralph J. Takala, age 68, presently serves as Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer of Cumberland Farms, Inc., a company that operates convenience stores and gas stations and is a wholesaler of refined petroleum products, which he joined in December 2006. Prior to that, he worked as an independent financial and business consultant, which included serving as the interim Chief Financial Officer of Picturetel Corp., a manufacturer of video communications systems, from 2000 to 2001. Mr. Takala is a Certified Public Accountant and serves on the Audit Committee of the ART.

Dean Ziehl, age 55, presently is a partner in the law firm of Pachulski Stang Ziehl & Jones LLP, which he joined in 1983. Mr. Ziehl serves on the board of directors for *Plan*Member Services Corporation. Mr. Ziehl is the Chairman of the Trustees.

#### Trust Administrator

Quest Turnaround Advisor, LLC, a Connecticut limited liability company, serves as Plan Administrator of the Debtors and as Trust Administrator of the ART. Quest is in the business of providing interim management, turnaround, crisis management and advisory services to Boards of Directors, management and creditors committees. The principals of Quest who are currently actively engaged in providing services to the ART include:

Jeffrey A. Brodsky, age 49, is the co-founder and a Managing Director of Quest. In that capacity, Mr. Brodsky serves as the Chairman of the Board and CEO of PTV, Inc. PTV, Inc. was one of two companies created on January 10, 2003 upon the emergence of NTL Incorporated from Chapter 11 reorganization. PTV held NTL's portfolio of 18 troubled cable assets in continental Europe as well as non-cable businesses in the United Kingdom. Over the past five years these businesses have been restructured and sold. PTV has filed a certificate of dissolution and is currently being liquidated. In addition, Mr. Brodsky serves on the Board of Directors of AboveNet, Inc. (formerly Metromedia Fiber Network, Inc.) and TVMAX, Inc.

Barry D. Shalov, age 66, is a Managing Director of Quest, which he joined in 2007. Prior to that time, Mr. Shalov was a senior partner in the law firm of DLA Piper US LLP, which he joined in 2000. Previously, Mr. Shalov was a senior partner with the law firm of Gordon Altman Butowsky Weitzen Shalov & Wein. Currently, Mr. Shalov serves on the board of Cytokine Pharmasciences, Inc.

#### Item 6. Executive Compensation

	1	Fees Earned or	
Name	Pai	d in Cash in 2007	Total
Bryan Bloom	\$	175,000	\$175,000
Lee S. Hillman	\$	175,000	\$175,000
David P. Stowell	\$	175,000	\$175,000
Ralph Takala	\$	175,000	\$175,000
Dean Ziehl (1)	\$	425,000	\$425,000

(1) Dean Ziehl received \$175,000 in Base Compensation and \$250,000 in Additional Compensation

Each Trustee receives annual base compensation of \$175,000 ("<u>Base Compensation</u>"). Each of the five Trustees was paid \$150,000 as base compensation for services performed in 2007 on an interim basis. The compensation was paid quarterly at the beginning of each calendar quarter in the amount of \$37,500 per Trustee. After December 31, 2007, the Creditors Committee reached

agreement with the Trustees on Trustee compensation, which set the Trustee's Base Compensation at \$43,750 per quarter retroactive to January 1, 2007. The incremental annual compensation of \$25,000 per Trustee earned in 2007 will be paid in 2008.

In addition, under the compensation agreement, The Trustees may award, in their sole discretion, additional reasonable compensation to any Trustee for additional service to the ART ("<u>Additional Service Compensation</u>"). The aggregate amount of Additional Service Compensation distributed to all Trustees as a group in a year may not exceed \$350,000. Any Additional Service Compensation must be approved by a vote of a majority of the Trustees. Additional Service Compensation may be awarded to Trustees for service on the Audit Committee and for other services above and beyond the expected level of service, such as for close supervision of the Causes of Action. Dean Ziehl was awarded \$250,000 for his services in 2007 related to supervision of the Causes of Action.

As soon as practicable after the termination of the ART, but no later than 2.5 months after the end of the calendar year in which it terminates, each Trustee may receive additional compensation ("Incentive Compensation"). The Incentive Compensation for each Trustee shall equal (A + B - (C)) divided by 5, where:

(A) equals 60 basis points of the amount distributable to the Holders in an aggregate amount of distributions to Holders of up to \$1,500,000,000;

(B) equals 110 basis points of the amount distributable to Holders in an aggregate amount of distributions to Holders of \$1,500,000,000 or more; and

(C) equals the amounts paid or attributable to the Trustees as Base Compensation and Additional Service Compensation in total (for the avoidance of doubt, the sum of the Base Compensation and Additional Service Compensation during the existence of the ART shall be applied as a credit and deducted from any sums payable to any Trustee under (A) and (B) above).

Incentive Compensation for a Trustee shall never be less than zero. That is, the Base Compensation and the Additional Service Compensation shall be retained by the Trustees regardless of whether any Incentive Compensation is due.

For its role as Plan Administrator, Quest is compensated exclusively by the Debtors. The ART does not pay Quest any additional amounts of compensation for service as either Plan Administrator or Trust Administrator. The ART is required to reimburse Quest and the Debtors for out-of-pocket expenses incurred in performance of services on behalf of the ART.

#### Item 7. Certain Relationships and Related Transactions and Board Member Independence

The ART has chosen to apply the independence standards of the NYSE and the SEC's independence standards set forth in Rule 10A-3 applicable to audit committee members to both the Trustees and the Audit Committee members. The Trustees have determined that Messrs. Hillman, Stowell, Takala and Ziehl are independent. The independent Trustees have determined that Mr. Bloom is not independent based on his affiliation with Huff Asset Management Co., L.L.C. and its affiliates, which controls Interests in the ART. Additionally, Huff, on behalf of certain of its clients, former clients and affiliates, had, prior to the commencement of the litigation by the Adelphia bankruptcy estate, commenced litigation alleging securities law violations and other claims against some of the same defendants as the ART.

#### Item 8. Legal Proceedings

The following is a description of the litigation claims (i) pending as of the date of this registration statement or (ii) settled during the period prior to the date of this registration statement.

#### **Pending Litigation**

#### Bank Litigation

On July 6, 2003, the Creditors Committee filed a complaint (the "<u>Creditors Committee Complaint</u>") in the Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of New York against Adelphia's pre-petition commercial banks and lenders, Adelphia's former investment bankers and financial advisors, and assignees of Adelphia's pre-petition bank debt. The Creditors Committee Complaint asserted 52 Causes of Action seeking (a) recovery as fraudulent transfers the principal and interest paid by Adelphia to defendants, (b) avoidance as fraudulent obligations Adelphia's obligations, if any, to repay the defendants, (c) recovery of damages for fraud and breaches of fiduciary duties to Adelphia and for aiding and abetting fraud and breaches of fiduciary duties by members of the Rigas family relating to Adelphia's credit facilities, (d) equitable disallowance, subordination or recharacterization of each of the defendants' claims in Adelphia's bankruptcy cases, (e) avoidance and recovery of preferential transfers made to certain defendants shortly prior to Adelphia's bankruptcy filing, and (f) recovery of damages for violations of the Bank Holding Company Act. In addition, the Creditors Committee and Adelphia moved in the Bankruptcy Court seeking authority for the Committee to prosecute these claims together with Adelphia (the "<u>Standing Motion</u>"). On July 31, 2003, the Official Committee of Equity Security Holders for Adelphia filed a motion with the Bankruptcy Court to assert additional claims against the defendants in the form of an intervenor complaint. The Equity Committee was granted leave to file its complaint (the "<u>Equity Committee Complaint</u>"), which joined certain of the claims asserted in the Creditors Committee Complaint and also asserted new claims against the investment bank defendants for fraudulent concealment and against the agent bank and investment bank defendants for fraud and RICO violations.

In October 2003, various defendants moved to dismiss both complaints and filed objections to the Standing Motion. On August 30, 2005, the Bankruptcy Court granted the Standing Motion, holding that the Creditors Committee had standing to pursue the

claims in the Original Complaint on behalf of, and together with, Adelphia. On February 9, 2006, the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York granted a motion filed by certain defendants to withdraw the reference to the Bankruptcy Court, subject to the proviso, with the consent of all parties, that the motions to dismiss would remain with the Bankruptcy Court. No decision was rendered on the motions to dismiss during the Adelphia bankruptcy proceedings. The claims asserted in the Creditors Committee Complaint and the Equity Committee Complaint were transferred to the ART pursuant to the Plan.

In 2007, the Bankruptcy Court issued separate decisions with respect to each of the two complaints. *In re Adelphia Commc'ns Corp.*, 365 B.R. 24, 62 (Bankr. S.D.N.Y. 2007); *In re Adelphia Commc'ns Corp.*, Adversary No. 03-04942 (REG), 2007 WL 2403553 at \*11 (Bankr. S.D.N.Y. Aug. 17, 2007). In the first decision, the Bankruptcy Court sustained the fraudulent transfer claims, the aiding and abetting breach of fiduciary duty claims, the breach of fiduciary duty claims against certain defendants, the equitable subordination and disallowance claims, the Bank Holding Company Act claims, and the voidable preference claims in the Creditors Committee Complaint, but dismissed, with leave to replead, the claims for aiding and abetting fraud. In the second decision, the Bankruptcy Court dismissed the additional claims asserted in the Equity Committee's Complaint, but granted leave to replead the claims for fraud and fraudulent concealment.

On July 10, 2007, all of the original moving defendants sought leave to appeal with respect to all the claims in the Creditors Committee's Complaint that the Bankruptcy Court had declined to dismiss. The District Court denied leave to appeal from the rulings that sustained the fraudulent transfer claims, the voidable preference claims, and the equitable subordination claims, but granted leave to appeal on certain discrete issues of law concerning the ART's standing, application of the Bank Holding Company Act, the existence of equitable disallowance under the Bankruptcy Code, and the existence of aiding and abetting breach of fiduciary duty liability under Pennsylvania law as well as the adequacy of the pleadings on that claim. *Adelphia Recovery Trust v. Bank of Am., N.A.*, No. 05 Civ 9050 (LMM), 2007 WL 2585065 (S.D.N.Y. Sept. 05, 2007); *Adelphia Recovery Trust v. Bank of Am., N.A.*, No. 05 Civ. 9050 (LMM), 2007 WL 2890220 (S.D.N.Y. Sept. 28, 2007).

On October 31, 2007, while the appeal was pending, the ART filed an Amended Complaint. The Amended Complaint (i) consolidated the earlier complaints into a single complaint; (ii) added additional allegations to support the claims on which the Bankruptcy Court granted leave to replead (aiding and abetting fraud, fraudulent concealment, and fraud); and (iii) added as defendants approximately 380 new entities that became assignees of the Adelphia bank debt after the original complaints were filed. Certain defendants filed motions to dismiss the Amended Complaint and certain defendants filed answers to the Amended Complaint.

In its January 17, 2008 decision on appeal, the District Court concluded, *inter alia*, that the ART had standing to assert the tort <u>claims</u> and the Bankruptcy Court properly had sustained the claims for aiding and abetting breach of fiduciary duty and equitable disallowance. The Court dismissed the Bank Holding Company Act claim with leave to replead to cure an ambiguity in the original allegations. *Adelphia Recovery Trust v. Bank of Am., N.A.*, No. 05 Civ 9050 (LMM), 2008 WL 217057 at \*6, 13 (S.D.N.Y. Jan. 17, 2008). The

Bank Holding Company Act claims subsequently were repleaded in a Second Amended Complaint filed March 4, 2008. Certain defendants filed motions to dismiss the repleaded Bank Holding Company Act claims set forth in the Second Amended Complaint.

<u>On June 18, 2008, the District Court dismissed certain fraudulent transfer claims, voidable preference claims, equitable subordination and disallowance claims. Motions to dismiss other claims remain pending.</u> Under the current scheduling order, trial will commence no earlier than March 2009.

At this time, the ART cannot predict the outcome of these proceedings or estimate the possible financial effect of these proceedings on the ART.

#### Motorola Litigation

On June 22, 2006, Adelphia filed an adversary complaint against Motorola, Inc. and certain of its subsidiaries, as well as transferees of claims filed by Motorola in the Adelphia bankruptcy cases in the Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of New York. The complaint seeks recovery for (a) Motorola's aiding and abetting breaches of fiduciary duty by members of the Rigas family in manipulating Adelphia's financial statements and performance results for the fiscal years 2000 and 2001; (b) avoidance and recovery of preferential and fraudulent transfers made to Motorola of more than \$60 million; (c) avoidance of purported (but unperfected) liens asserted by Motorola; and (d) equitable disallowance or subordination of Motorola's claims in the Adelphia bankruptcy cases (the total face amount of which is approximately \$66.6 million).

The ART and Adelphia are co-plaintiffs in this litigation. On September 11, 2007, Adelphia and the ART amended the complaint against Motorola to add a cause of action for equitable disallowance and additional factual allegations. If Adelphia and the ART do not prevail on the claim for equitable disallowance, Adelphia has an interest senior to the ART to receive the amount necessary to offset any of Motorola's claims allowed by the Bankruptcy Court.

On August 22, 2007, plaintiffs moved for summary judgment to disallow a portion of the defendants' claims against certain Adelphia debtors. Plaintiffs' motion is pending. Discovery is ongoing, and no trial date has been set.

At this time, the ART cannot predict the outcome of these proceedings or estimate the possible financial effect of these proceedings on the ART.

## Prestige and FPL Litigation

On June 24, 2004, the Unsecured Creditors' Committee filed two separate fraudulent conveyance complaints, one against FPL Group, Inc. and West Boca Security, Inc. ("<u>FPL</u>") and the other against Prestige Communications of NC, Inc., Jonathan J. Oscher, Lorraine Oscher McClain, Robert F. Buckfelder, Buckfelder Investment Trust, and Anverse, Inc. Both actions were filed in the Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of New York and relate to pre-petition transactions. In a decision dated January 7, 2008, the District Court withdrew the reference in the Prestige action and transferred the case to the District Court. The FPL action remains pending in the Bankruptcy Court. Discovery is ongoing in both actions.

The Prestige action seeks to recover fraudulent transfers in connection with Adelphia's purchase of the assets of Prestige Communications of N.C., Inc., an acquisition that closed on July 5, 2000, as well as a claim that the owners of the Prestige cable systems aided and abetted breaches of fiduciary duty on the part of the Rigas family in connection with the transaction. The trial in the Prestige action is scheduled to begin January 20, 2009.

The FPL action seeks to recover an alleged fraudulent transfer arising out of Adelphia's repurchase of certain of its stock from FPL in January 1999 for \$149.5 million. The trial date in the FPL action is December 1, 2009.

At this time, the ART cannot predict the outcome of these proceedings or estimate the possible financial effect of these proceedings on the ART.

#### Avoidance Actions

On July 31, 2003, Adelphia and its debtor affiliates filed with the Bankruptcy Court their Statements of Financial Affairs, which included a schedule of payments to insider entities made within one year prior to Adelphia's filing for bankruptcy and payments to non-insider entities made within ninety days prior to Adelphia's filing for bankruptcy. Subsequently, Adelphia engaged in extensive analysis of all such payments to determine if they could be avoided pursuant to provisions of the Bankruptcy Code.

On April 20, 2004, Adelphia filed a motion seeking to abandon most of the potential actions to avoid the pre-petition payments because, among other reasons, (i) Adelphia believed that pursing certain of such actions against parties with whom Adelphia was continuing to do business could have a significant, adverse impact on important, ongoing business relationships, and (ii) the costs associated with pursuing such actions far outweighed any potential benefit to the Adelphia debtors' estates that might otherwise result from bringing such actions. In response to certain objections to Adelphia's motion, Adelphia amended its initial motion.

On May 27, 2004, the Bankruptcy Court entered an order tolling all claims to avoid inter-debtor payments and authorizing the abandonment of potential actions to avoid (i) transfers to taxing authorities; (ii) transfers to human resource providers engaged in business with Adelphia; (iii) transfers determined to have been made in the ordinary course of business; and (iv) certain transfers deemed *de minimis*. As to the remainder of the transfers made by Adelphia during the relevant one-year and ninety-day periods prior to the bankruptcy filing, Adelphia either (i) entered into tolling agreements with the transferee extending Adelphia's time to initiate an action, or (ii) filed a complaint and initiated an adversary proceeding against the transferee.

As of June 25, 2004, Adelphia secured approximately 250 tolling agreements with various transferees, including members of the Rigas family, the Rigas family entities, former executives James Brown and Michael Mulcahey, and former directors Erland Kailbourne, Dennis Coyle, Leslie Gelber, and Peter Metros, among others. Certain of these tolling agreements have been amended

from time to time. In addition, Adelphia filed approximately 150 complaints in the Bankruptcy Court commencing actions to avoid certain pre-petition transfers and payments. Some of those complaints have since been dismissed after further investigation.

On July 21, 2004, the Bankruptcy Court temporarily stayed all activity in the avoidance actions commenced by Adelphia and approved notice and service procedures in connection therewith.

At this time, the ART cannot predict the outcome of these proceedings or estimate the possible financial effect of these proceedings on the ART.

#### Litigation Settled Prior to Date of Registration Statement

### Deloitte & Touche Litigation

On November 6, 2002, Adelphia filed a lawsuit against Deloitte & Touche LLP ("<u>Deloitte</u>"), Adelphia's former independent auditor, for accounting malpractice in Pennsylvania state court. Adelphia alleged that Deloitte (i) failed to conduct an audit in compliance with generally accepted auditing standards and (ii) provided an opinion that Adelphia's financial statements conformed with generally accepted accounting principles when Deloitte allegedly knew or should have known that those financial statements did not so conform.

On August 3, 2007, the ART announced that it had reached a settlement with Deloitte to resolve the claims between Adelphia, the ART, and Deloitte in exchange for consideration of \$167.5 million, subject to the approval of the Bankruptcy Court. The Bankruptcy Court entered an order approving the settlement on August 16, 2007.

#### Rosensweig and Tow Litigation

On August 3, 2007, the ART announced the settlement of various pending adversary actions and bankruptcy claims pending in the Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of New York involving Leonard Tow, his wife, and David Rosensweig, the Trustee of two trusts created in connection with Tow's exercise of his right to terminate his employment as the Chief Executive Officer of the Century Communications Corporation when Adelphia acquired Century in 1999. The settlement provided for a cash payment to the ART of approximately \$15.8 million and an interest-bearing note in the principal amount of approximately \$4.9 million issued by Adelphia with simple, non-compounding, interest thereon at the rate of 8%. That note is recourse only to the proceeds of a \$28 million life insurance policy on the lives of Mr. Tow and his wife, the proceeds of which policy shall not be paid until the death of the last to die of Mr. Tow and his wife. The Bankruptcy Court entered an order approving the settlement on September 6, 2007.

#### Bankruptcy Court Motion to Amend Declaration

On June 4, 2008, the Bankruptcy Court granted the ART's motion to amend the Declaration to remove the ART's obligation to list the Interests on any national exchange. The amendment is necessary as a condition to the ART's receipt of a private letter ruling from the Internal Revenue Service confirming the ART's treatment for tax purposes as a pass-through grantor trust so that litigation proceeds generally will not be subject to taxation at the trust level.

# Item 9. Market Price of and Distributions on the Registrant's Interests and Related Shareholder Matters

<u>On June 4, 2008, the Bankruptcy Court granted the ART'S motion</u> to amend the Declaration to remove the ART's obligation to list the Interests on any national exchange. The amendment is necessary as a condition to the ART's receipt of a private letter ruling from the Internal Revenue Services confirming the ART's treatment for tax purposes as a pass-through grantor trust so that litigation proceeds generally will not be subject to taxation at the trust level.

There is no established market for any class of Interests. The Interests have not been quoted in the automated quotation system of a registered securities association nor have there been any quotations of any bids for the Interests.

As of March 31, 2008, the approximate number of record holders in each class of Interests was as follows:

	Holders
Class	
RF	1
Arahova	67
FrontierVision	16
FPL	3
Olympus	12
ESL	1
ACC-1	92
ACC-2	191
ACC-3	22
ACC-4	65
ACC-5	1
ACC-6B	30
ACC-6B1	1
ACC-6D	39
ACC-6D1	1
ACC-6E/F	47
ACC-6E/F1	1
ACC-7	1,498
ACC-7A	3
Total	2,091

#### Item 10. Recent Sales of Unregistered Securities

The Interests were issued pursuant to the Plan and their issuance was exempt from the registration requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, pursuant to Section 1145 of the Bankruptcy Code.

The Interests were issued to certain creditors of the Adelphia bankruptcy estate pursuant to the Plan. Generally, a creditor received one Interest for each dollar of such creditor's claim deficiency, which deficiency was equal to the amount of such creditor's allowed claim plus, in some cases, post-petition accrued interest, less any distributions to such creditor pursuant to the Plan. In the case of CVV Series ACC-7 Interests, each creditor received one Interest for each share of Adelphia Class A Common Stock owned with no regard to dollar value.

# Item 11. Description of Securities to be Registered

The securities being registered are beneficial interests in a grantor trust. Nineteen classes of claimants and equity groups received Interests in the ART, or may receive Interests upon resolution of their claims. A description of the 19 classes that received Interests is set forth in the table below.

<b>Description of</b>	<b>Classes of</b>	Interests i	in the A	Adelphia	Recovery	Trust
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Series		Description
RF	Restitution Fund	Restitution Fund administered by US Attorney General and the SEC for investors harmed by the activities of prior management
aims	Arahova	Senior Notes issued by Century Communications prior to an assumption of the Century Communications' debt by Adelphia Communications Corporation ("ACC") in an acquisition of Century Communications
betor Cl	FrontierVision	Senior Notes issued by FrontierVision Holdings prior to the assumption of FrontierVision's debt by ACC in an acquisition of FrontierVision
Subsidiary Dbetor Claims	FPL	Note issued by Ft. Myers Acquisition Limited Partnership to Olympus Communications, L.P., assigned to West Boca Security, Inc., and further assigned to Lehman Commercial Paper, Inc.
Subsi	Olympus	Senior Notes issued by Olympus Communications, L.P. (a joint venture between ACC and unaffiliated third parties that was eventually wholly-owned by ACC) and Olympus Capital Corporation
**	ESL	Subsidiary debtor Existing Securities Law claims
ims	ACC - 1	Senior Notes issued by ACC
ACC Debtor Claims	ACC - 2	ACC Trade claims
Debto	ACC - 3	ACC Other Unsecured claims
ACC	ACC - 4	Convertible Subordinated Notes issued by ACC
	ACC-5	ACC Existing Securities Law claims
	ACC-6B	ACC Series B Preferred Stock
ests	ACC-6B1	ACC Series B Preferred Stock Existing Securities Law claims
nter	ACC-6D	ACC Series D Preferred Stock
l viu	ACC-6D1	ACC Series D Preferred Stock Existing Securities Law claims
ACC Equiv Interests	ACC-6E/F	ACC Series E/F Preferred Stock
AC	ACC-6E/F1	ACC Series E/F Preferred Stock Existing Securities Law claims
	ACC-7	ACC Common Stock
	ACC-7A	ACC Common Stock Existing Securities Law claims

\*\* Subsidiary equity claims

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Each class of Interest has a different distribution priority. Moreover, there are "vertical" as well as "horizontal" classes of Interests in the ART. As set forth in the distribution priority waterfall below, distributions (if any) to certain classes of Interests are contingent upon payment in full (or in some cases, in part) to classes of Interests with higher distribution priorities. In connection with a distribution, Holders are entitled to receive their pro rata portion of a stated amount and dividends on such stated amount, the rate of which is set forth in the Plan for each class of Interests. However, Holders of CVV Series RF, CVV Series ACC-6B, CVV Series ACC-6B, CVV Series ACC-6B, CVV Series ACC-6B, CVV Series ACC-6D, CVV Series ACC-6D1, CVV Series ACC-6E/F, CVV Series ACC-6E/F1, CVV Series ACC-7 and CVV Series ACC-7A Interests do not earn dividends on their stated amount. A graphical representation of the distribution priority waterfall is set forth below.

# **ART DISTRIBUTION WATERFALL (1)**

Aggregate Distributions(2)	Distribution Description (3)	ART DISTRIBUTIO	N RECIPIENT
Up to 230,000,000	Until RF holders have received an aggregate \$115 million	Series RF - 50% Series Arahova - 22.94% Series FrontierVision - 1.25% Series FPL376%	Series ACC 1 - 21.35% Series ACC 2 - 1.08% Series ACC 3 - 0.50% Series Olympus - 2.5%
230,000,001- 489,000,000	Until Series Olympus has received aggregate distributions of \$16 million plus the Olympus Fees, plus accrued post-Effective Date dividends	Series Arahova - 45.87% Series FrontierVision - 2.5% Series FPL752% Series Olympus - 5%	Series ACC 1 - 42.71% Series ACC 2 - 2.16% Series ACC 3 - 1.01%
489,000,001- 1,165,000,000	Until cumulative distribution is \$1,165 million	Series Arahova - 48.37% Series FrontierVision - 2.5% Series FPL752%	Series ACC 1 - 45.04% Series ACC 2 - 2.27% Series ACC 3 - 1.06%
1,165,000,001- 2,832,000,000	Until Series Arahova has received \$625 million plus the Arahova Fees plus accrued post-Effective Date dividends	Series Arahova - 14.51% Series FrontierVision - 2.5% Series FPL752%	Series ACC 1 - 76.56% Series ACC 2 - 3.86% Series ACC 3 - 1.81%
2,832,000,001- 3,858,000,000	Until Series FPL has received aggregate distributions of \$6.2 million plus Default Interest, plus accrued post-Effective Date dividends	Series FrontierVision - 2.5% Series FPL752%	Series ACC 1 - 90.07% Series ACC 2 - 4.55% Series ACC 3 - 2.13%
3,858,000,001- 3,928,000,000		Series FrontierVision - 2.5% Series ACC 1 - 90.77%	Series ACC 2 - 4.58% Series ACC 3 - 2.14%
3,928,000,001- 4,316,000,000	Until the holders of Claims in Class ACC Notes and in Classes ACC Trade and ACC Other Unsecured have been paid in full including Case Contract Interest (ACC Notes) and Case 8% Interest (ACC Trade and ACC Other Unsecured) and accrued post- Effective Date dividends	Series ACC 1 - 93.1%	Series ACC-2 - 4.7% Series ACC-3 - 2.2%
4,316,000,001- 4,369,000,000	Until the additional distribution to the Series Arahova Interests equals \$50 million plus accrued post-Effective Date dividends at a rate of 5% per annum	Series Arahov	7a - 100%
Not Quantifiable	Until ESL holders have received Payment in Full of their Claims and Case 8% Interest plus accrued post- Effective Date dividends		
Not Quantifiable	Until ACC-4 holders have received the full amount of their Allowed Claims plus Case Contract Interest plus post-Effective Date dividends		
Not Quantifiable	Until ACC-5 holders have received the full amount of their Allowed Claims plus Case 8% Interest plus post-Effective Date dividends		
Not Quantifiable	Until ACC-6 holders receive distributions in accordance with the relative priorities established by the Liquidation Preferences governing the shares of		

		ACC Preferred Stock and the Bankruptcy Code.	
	Not	Each ACC 7 holder is entitled to reacive a pro-rate	
Q		Each ACC-7 holder is entitled to receive a pro rata share of any distributions remaining	

- (1) Capitalized terms used but not otherwise defined have the respective meaning given to them under the Plan. Aggregate distributions and ART distribution percentages are as of March 31, 2008.
- (2) Pursuant to the terms of the Plan, certain series of Interests are entitled to post-Effective Date dividends on certain amounts due to the corresponding class of claims. For purposes of calculating the reference amount on which post-Effective Date dividends accrue, the distribution of the True Up Holdback is treated as if it occurred on the Effective Date.
- (3) Unless otherwise stated, post-Effective Date dividends accrue at a rate of 8.9% per annum.

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The Declaration does not provide the Holders any voting rights (except in connection with certain amendments to the Declaration and except for limited rights in connection with the appointment of a successor Institutional Trustee or Delaware Trustee). The beneficial interests are freely transferable and tradable.

Distributions will be made to the Holders from amounts recovered through resolution of the Causes of Action, and any other cash held by the ART, subject to, among other things, the establishment of reasonable reserves for contingent liabilities and future costs and expenses. Pursuant to the Plan and the Declaration, all distributions are net of any costs and expenses incurred by the ART in connection with administering, litigating or otherwise resolving the various Causes of Action of the ART and operating the ART. Amounts withheld and not distributed may also include fees and expenses of the Trustees, premiums for directors and officers insurance, and other insurance and fees and expenses of attorneys and consultants. Distributions will be made only from assets of the ART and only to the extent that the ART has sufficient assets (over reserves for contingent liabilities and future costs and expenses, among other things) to make such payments in accordance with the Plan and the Declaration. No distribution is required to be made to any Holder unless such Holder is to receive in such distribution at least \$25.00 per ART certificate held or unless such distribution is the final distribution to such Holder pursuant to the Plan and the Declaration.

The Interests only represent a right to receive a pro rata portion of the distributions from the ART to each respective class of Interests, pursuant to the terms of the Plan and the Declaration. The Holders have no right with respect to, or interest in, (i) the Causes of Action, (ii) the Debtors or (iii) any amount with respect to the Causes of Action, including any judgment or settlement proceeds.

Distributions will be made at the sole discretion of the Trustees in accordance with the provisions of the Plan and the Declaration. As of the date of this Registration Statement, the Trustees have determined the present best course of action is to retain the existing cash in reserve to administer the ART and resolve the Causes of Action. Consequently, there have been no distributions through the date of this Registration Statement and none have been announced.

#### Item 12. Indemnification of Directors and Officers

#### Indemnification of the Trustees

The Declaration states that the ART shall indemnify, to the fullest extent permitted by law, the Trustees in connection with any threatened, pending or completed action, suit, proceeding or claim, whether civil, criminal, administrative or investigative, arising out of or relating to the ART, the Interests, the issuance or distribution of the Interest certificates, the Causes of Action, including, but not limited to, (i) in connection with the prosecution or settlement of such Causes of Action or the enforcement of any determination, judgment or order with respect thereto and (ii) any decision, determination or approval by the Trustees regarding the prosecution, disposition, settlement, resolution or liquidation of any such cause of action, or any acts or omissions of the ART, or actions taken by the Trustees in their capacity or purportedly in their capacity as Trustees, against any and all losses, liabilities, damages, judgments, demands, suits, claims, assessments, charges, fines, penalties and other costs and expenses, including attorneys' fees and expenses and other fees and expenses associated with the defense of a claim or incurred by the Trustees in obtaining indemnification under the Declaration, whether or not in a formal proceeding (collectively, "Damages").

Notwithstanding the preceding paragraph, the ART shall not be required to indemnify a Trustee if it is established in a final judicial determination by clear and convincing evidence that such Damages arose as the result of acts or omissions of the Trustee with deliberate intent to injure the Holders or with reckless disregard for the best interests of such Holders. The termination of any action, suit or proceeding by judgment, order, settlement, conviction, or upon a plea of nolo contendere or its equivalent, shall not, of itself, create a presumption that the Trustee acted or decided with deliberate intent to injure the Holders.

To the fullest extent permitted by law, expenses (including attorneys' fees and expenses) incurred by a Trustee in defending a civil, criminal, administrative or investigative action, suit, proceeding or claim referred to above shall be paid by the ART in advance of the final disposition of such action, suit, proceeding or claim promptly upon receipt of an undertaking (without bond or security) by or on behalf of such Trustee to repay such amount if it shall ultimately be determined that he is not entitled to be indemnified by the ART as authorized in the Declaration.

The Declaration also authorizes the ART to purchase and maintain insurance to cover its indemnification obligations and any other liabilities of the Trustees. The ART maintains applicable policies insuring the ART and the Trustees against certain claims.

#### Indemnification of the Plan Administrator

Under the Plan Administrator Agreement, if the Plan Administrator or any Plan Administrator staff member (collectively, "<u>Plan Administrator Person</u>") becomes involved in any capacity in any claim, suit, action, proceeding, or investigation (including, without limitation, any shareholder or derivative action or arbitration proceeding) (collectively, a "<u>Proceeding</u>") in connection with any matter in any way relating to, or arising out of the services to be performed by the Plan Administrator under the Plan Administrator Agreement (including, but not limited to, its role as Plan Administrator or the role of any staff member as a governor, officer or director of any of the Debtors), the Debtors (to the extent services are not services for the ART described in the immediately succeeding parenthetical) and the ART (to the extent services are administrative services or other services being performed for the

ART pursuant to a written request therefor by the Trustees) shall indemnify, defend and hold such Plan Administrator Person harmless to the fullest extent permitted by law, from and against any losses, claims, damages, liabilities and expenses, except to the extent that it shall be determined by a court of competent jurisdiction in a judgment that has become final in that it is no longer subject to appeal or other review that such losses, claims, damages, liabilities and/or expenses resulted primarily from the willful misconduct, gross negligence, bad faith, or fraud of the Plan Administrator Person.

In addition, in the event that any Plan Administrator Person becomes involved in any capacity in any Proceeding in connection with any matter in any way relating to, or arising out of the services to be performed by the Plan Administrator under the Plan Administrator Agreement (except to the extent such Proceeding is a result of or related to a Plan Administrator Person's violation or breach of any of the terms of the Plan, the Plan Administrator Agreement or other applicable order as determined by a court of competent jurisdiction in a judgment or finding, as applicable, that has become final in that it is no longer subject to appeal or other review) the Debtors and the ART (to the extent services are being performed for the ART) shall reimburse such Plan Administrator Person for its reasonable legal and other expenses (including the cost of any investigation and preparation) as such expenses are incurred by such Plan Administrator Person in connection therewith, subject to the obligation of such Plan Administrator Person to repay such reimbursement if it is ultimately determined that such Plan Administrator Person is not entitled to such reimbursement.

The ART maintains applicable policies insuring Quest as the Trust Administrator against certain claims in connection with its services to the ART.

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# **REPORT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM**

To the Trustees of the

## Adelphia Recovery Trust

We have audited the accompanying balance sheet of the Adelphia Recovery Trust (the "ART") as of December 31, 2007, and the related statements of operations and changes in net assets, and cash flows for the period from February 13, 2007 (date established) to December 31, 2007. These financial statements are the responsibility of the ART's Trustees. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with the standards of the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States). Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. The ART is not required to have, nor were we engaged to perform, an audit of the ART's internal control over financial reporting. An audit includes consideration of internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the ART's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by the ART's Trustees, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the ART as of December 31, 2007 and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the period from February 13, 2007 to December 31, 2007 in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

<u>/s/ UHY LLP</u> <u>New Haven, Connecticut</u> <u>April 28, 2008</u>

# Adelphia Recovery Trust Balance Sheet

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	December 31, 2007
Assets	
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 189,684,573
Prepaid insurance	124,670
Note and accrued interest receivable	4,998,757
Total assets	\$ 194,808,000
Liabilities and net assets	
Accrued expenses	\$ 6,819,802
Total liabilities	6,819,802
Net assets	187,988,198
Total liabilities and net assets	\$ 194,808,000

See accompanying notes to the financial statements

# Adelphia Recovery Trust Statement of Operations and Changes in Net Assets

	For the period from February 13, 2007 (date established) to December 31, 2007
Revenues	
Litigation - court approved settlements	\$ 188,196,702
Litigation - settlements	100,000
Interest income	4,300,982
Total revenues	192,597,684
Operating expenses	
General and administrative expenses	1,854,119
Professional expenses - litigation	26,417,616
Professional expenses - administrative	2,381,501
Total operating expenses	30,653,236
Net income	161,944,448
Contributions from Debtor	
Cash	25,000,000
Non-cash	1,043,750
Net assets, end of period	\$ 187,988,198

See accompanying notes to the financial statements

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# Adelphia Recovery Trust Statement of Cash Flows

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	For the period from February 13, 2007 (date established) to December 31, 2007
Operating activities	ф. 1 <i>(</i> 1044.440
Net income	\$ 161,944,448
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities:	
Insurance funded by Debtor	1,043,750
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:	
Prepaid insurance	(124,670)
Note and accrued interest receivable	(4,998,757)
Accrued expenses	6,819,802
Net cash provided by operating activities	164,684,573
Financing activities	
Contribution from Debtor - cash	25,000,000
Net cash provided by financing activities	25,000,000
Net change in cash and cash equivalents	189,684,573
Cash and cash equivalents, end of period	\$ 189,684,573

See accompanying notes to the financial statements

# <u>Adelphia Recovery Trust</u> <u>Notes to Financial Statements</u>

# December 31, 2007

# **<u>1.</u>** Nature and Purpose

The Adelphia Recovery Trust (the "ART") is a Delaware statutory trust. The ART was created at the expense of Adelphia Communications Corporation ("Adelphia") and certain of its subsidiaries (together with Adelphia the "Debtors"). The ART was established on February 13, 2007 pursuant to the First Modified Fifth Amended Joint Chapter 11 Plan of Reorganization of Adelphia Communications Corporation and Certain Affiliated Debtors (the "Plan"), which was confirmed by the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of New York (the "Bankruptcy Court") by an order dated January 5, 2007. The ART became effective February 13, 2007 (the "Effective Date"). The ART holds certain litigation claims transferred to it pursuant to the Plan against various third parties (the "Causes of Action"). The Causes of Action transferred to the ART for resolution were recorded at the nominal amount of \$1. The ART exists to resolve the Causes of Action through litigation or settlement for the holders of interests (the "Holders") in the ART. The Holders on the Effective Date were the restitution fund established under the Plan by the U.S. Treasury (the "Restitution Fund") and certain creditors and equity holders of the Debtors. The ART will distribute to the Holders, the net proceeds from resolving the Causes of Action, less amounts withheld for the costs of administering the ART and prosecuting the remaining Causes of Action.

The ART will dissolve upon the earlier of the distribution of all of its assets to the Holders or the fifth anniversary of its creation. However, an extension of the term may be granted by the Bankruptcy Court if deemed necessary to resolve the remaining Causes of Action and or for distributing the net proceeds to the Holders. Each such extension must be approved by the Bankruptcy Court within six months of the beginning of each such extension.

The ART is administered by five individual trustees (the "Trustees") appointed by various creditors of the Adelphia estate and approved by the Bankruptcy Court. The ART has no employees as of December 31, 2007. The Trustees engage third party professionals and others including a trust administrator (the "Trust Administrator"), which along with Adelphia, assist the Trustees in administering the activities of the ART. The Trustees have the duty and authority to take actions necessary to protect, maintain, liquidate to cash and maximize the Causes of Action, whether by litigation, settlement or otherwise. The time frame for ultimate resolution of any of the Causes of Action cannot be estimated. For a description of the ongoing Causes of Action see Note 7.

On the Effective Date, Adelphia contributed \$25,000,000 to the ART to fund the costs of resolving the Causes of Action pursuant to the Plan. Additional amounts appropriate to prosecute outstanding Causes of Action or otherwise fund the activities of the ART will be obtained from any proceeds received from resolved Causes of Action, through earnings on ART investments or through loans from third parties including Adelphia. These amounts, and any amounts held pending distribution to the Holders, will be the only amounts held by the ART.

Pursuant to the Plan and the Declaration of Trust as amended (the "Declaration"), the Trustees are permitted to retain amounts for contingent and future costs and expenses. Pursuant to the Plan and the Declaration, all distributions are net of any costs and expenses incurred by the ART in connection with administering, litigating or otherwise resolving the various Causes of Action of the ART. The distribution of any net proceeds from settlements or judgments will be made at the sole discretion of the Trustees in accordance with the Plan and the Declaration. As of the date hereof, the Trustees have determined to retain the existing cash and cash equivalents to administer the ART and fund the prosecution of the pending Causes of Action. Therefore, there have been no distributions as of December 31, 2007.

# 2. Significant Accounting Policies

# Use of Estimates

<u>The preparation of the financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of</u> <u>America requires the ART to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure</u> <u>of contingent assets and liabilities. Actual results are likely to differ from those estimates and those differences may be significant.</u>

# **Cash and Cash Equivalents**

The ART considers all highly liquid investments purchased with a maturity of three months or less to be cash equivalents. Substantially all cash and cash equivalents are held in the trust department of a reputable financial institution. The amount on deposit exceeds the federally insured limit. As of December 31, 2007 substantially all cash equivalents consist of money market funds which are invested in US Government Treasury obligations in accordance with the ART investment policy.

# **Income Taxes**

The ART is not subject to federal or state income taxes. The ART is not aware of any transactions or events up to and including December 31, 2007 that would subject it to federal or state income taxes. Further, the ART has no unrecognized income tax benefits as of December 31, 2007 nor are there any amounts required to be included in the financial statements for interest or penalties on unrecognized income tax benefits.

The Plan and Declaration provide that, for federal income tax purposes, the ART was deemed to be formed in two steps. The contribution by Adelphia of \$25 million for the purpose of pursuing the Causes of Action, the Causes of Action and any and all other property transferred to the ART (together, the "ART Property") were treated first as a deemed transfer of the ART Property to the holders of claims and equity interests who receive interests in the ART ("Interests") (in proportion to the fair market values of the Interests they receive). This was followed by a deemed transfer by each such holder of its interest in the ART Property to the ART, in exchange for Interests. All Interests allocated to holders of disputed claims and equity interests ("DC/EI Holders") are deemed transferred to a reserve, and an election will be made pursuant to the Plan and U.S. Treasury Regulations Section 1.468B-9(c) to treat such reserve as a "disputed ownership fund" (the "ART DOF"). The ART DOF and not the DC/EI Holders will be treated as the owner of these reserved Interests.

The ART DOF will be treated for United States federal income tax purposes as a taxable entity separate from the ART. The ART DOF will be responsible for the payment of any taxes (including withholding taxes) resulting from holding Interests (including, without limitation, any allocation of income to holders of Interests), but the only source of payment therefor will be the amounts distributed to the DOF on behalf of the holders of such Interests (and funds, if any, transferred to the ART DOF by DC/EI Holders).

The Holders will be treated as the grantors of the ART and the Trustees will file tax returns for the ART as a "grantor trust" pursuant to Section 1.671-4(a) of the U.S. Treasury Regulations. The ART obtained a private letter ruling from the Internal Revenue Service confirming the ART's treatment for tax purposes as a pass-through grantor trust. As a condition to receiving that private letter ruling, the ART must amend its Declaration to eliminate the Trustees' obligation under the Declaration of Trust to "use reasonable best efforts to have the [ART] interests ... listed on a national securities exchange." The Trust has filed a motion with the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of New York seeking approval of that amendment to the ART's Declaration.

Items of income, gain, loss, deduction and other tax items will be allocated to the Holders that would be entitled to receive such items if they constituted cash distributions or reductions therefrom. The Holders will be responsible for the payment of taxes on a current basis that result from such allocations whether or not cash is distributed.

As of December 31, 2007 the net tax basis of the ART is approximately \$490 million higher than the reported amount of net assets in the ART financial statements.

# **Revenue Recognition**

Revenue from Causes of Action is recognized when collection is reasonably assured:

For settlements that are not submitted to the Bankruptcy Court for approval, revenue is recognized when the settlement agreement is fully executed by all parties to the agreement.

For settlements that are submitted for Bankruptcy Court approval, revenue is recognized when an order entered by the Bankruptcy Court approving the settlement becomes a final order and is not subject to appeal. Settlements collected but subject to appeal are recorded as deferred settlement revenue until the time for appeal expires.

For judgments, revenue is recognized when a judgment entered by the Bankruptcy Court becomes a final judgment and is not subject to appeal or such appeal when made is determined to be frivolous or have a remote chance of success.

The ART is currently in the process of prosecuting numerous Causes of Action as discussed in Note 7.

# 3. Notes Receivable

On August 3, 2007 the ART settled a Cause of Action and received an unsecured note bearing simple (non-compounding) interest, at a rate of 8%, in the principal amount of \$4,875,250. The Court approved the settlement of that Cause of Action on September 6, 2007. The note is recourse only to the proceeds of a \$28 million life insurance policy on the lives of Mr. Leonard Tow and his wife, the proceeds of which policy shall not be paid until the death of the last to die of Mr. Tow and his wife. Payment of the principal and interest is not expected before December 31, 2008. As of December 31, 2007, the balance under the note was \$4,998,757 comprised of the principal amount of the note and accrued interest of \$123,507.

# 4. Other Related Party Transactions

In 2007, Adelphia was directed by the ART Trustees to pre-pay director and officer insurance premiums on behalf of the ART in the amount of \$1,043,750. The ART has characterized the payment as a non-cash contribution from Adelphia. All future insurance costs will be paid for by the ART. There remains a prepaid insurance balance of \$124,670 as of December 31, 2007.

The Trust Administrator and Adelphia continue to provide administrative support to the ART including maintaining electronic data and paper documents used in prosecuting the Causes of Action, support for Holder distributions when they might occur (including maintenance of data related to the implementation of Plan provisions) and financial reporting. These services have and will continue to be provided at no cost to the ART under the terms of various agreements between the Trust Administrator and Adelphia. The ART financial statements do not reflect any amounts for these services.

# 5. Fair Value of Financial Instruments

The fair value of all the ART's financial instruments as of December 31, 2007, including cash and cash equivalents, notes and accrued interest receivable, and accrued expenses approximate their carrying value.

# 6. Trustee Compensation

Each Trustee receives annual base compensation of \$175,000. Each of the five Trustees were paid \$150,000 as base compensation in 2007 on an interim basis for carrying out the purpose of the ART. The compensation was paid quarterly at the beginning of each calendar quarter in the amount of \$37,500 per Trustee. After December 31, 2007 the Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors of Adelphia Communications Corporation and all of its Affiliated Debtors-In-Possession (the "Creditors Committee") agreed to increase Trustee compensation to \$43,750 per quarter retroactive to January 1, 2007. The incremental annual compensation of \$25,000 per Trustee for 2007 will be paid and recognized as expense in 2008.

The Trustees may award additional reasonable service compensation to any Trustee for additional service to the ART. The aggregate amount of additional service compensation distributed to all Trustees as a group in a year may not exceed \$350,000. As of the date of this report \$250,000 of additional service compensation was awarded for 2007 service. The decision to award additional service compensation and the related payment were both finalized after December 31, 2007 and will be expensed in 2008.

Incentive compensation is also possible in conjunction with the termination of the ART, based on the amount of aggregate distributions to the Holders over the existence of the ART. The incentive compensation is based on a percentage scale related to aggregate distributions, and is reduced by amounts paid in base and additional service compensation and cannot be less than zero in any event.

# 7. <u>Causes of Action and Contingencies</u>

# **Court Approved Settlements**

Court approved settlements of Causes of Action for the period from February 13, 2007 to December 31, 2007 follow:

# **Defendant**

Deloitte and Touche LLP	\$167,500,000
Tow & Rosensweig	20,696,702
Total	\$188,196,702

# Pending Causes of Action

# **Bank Litigation**

On July 6, 2003, the Creditors Committee filed a complaint (the "Creditors Committee Complaint") in the Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of New York against Adelphia's pre-petition commercial banks and lenders, Adelphia's former investment bankers and financial advisors, and assignees of Adelphia's pre-petition bank debt. The Creditors Committee Complaint asserted 52 Causes of Action seeking (a) recovery as fraudulent transfers the principal and interest paid by Adelphia to defendants, (b) avoidance as fraudulent obligations Adelphia's obligations, if any, to repay the defendants, (c) recovery of damages for fraud and breaches of fiduciary duties to Adelphia and for aiding and abetting fraud and breaches of fiduciary duties by members of the Rigas family relating to Adelphia's credit facilities, (d) equitable disallowance, subordination or recharacterization of each of the defendants' claims in Adelphia's bankruptcy cases, (e) avoidance and recovery of preferential transfers made to certain defendants shortly prior to Adelphia's bankruptcy filing, and (f) recovery of damages for violations of the Bank Holding Company Act. In addition, the Creditors Committee and Adelphia moved in the Bankruptcy Court seeking authority for the Committee to prosecute these claims together with Adelphia (the "Standing Motion"). On July 31, 2003, the Official Committee of Equity Security Holders for Adelphia filed a motion with the Bankruptcy Court to assert additional claims against the defendants in the form of an intervenor complaint. The Equity Committee was granted leave to file its complaint (the "Equity Committee Complaint"), which joined certain of the claims asserted in the Creditors Committee Complaint and also asserted new claims against the investment bank defendants for fraudulent concealment and against the agent bank and investment bank defendants for fraud and RICO violations.

In October 2003, various defendants moved to dismiss both complaints and filed objections to the Standing Motion. On August 30, 2005, the Bankruptcy Court granted the Standing Motion, holding that the Creditors Committee had standing to pursue the claims in the Original Complaint on behalf of, and together with, Adelphia. On February 9, 2006, the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York granted a motion filed by certain defendants to withdraw the reference to the Bankruptcy Court, subject to the proviso, with the consent of all parties, that the motions to dismiss would remain with the Bankruptcy Court. No decision was rendered on the motions to dismiss during the Adelphia bankruptcy proceedings. The claims asserted in the Creditors Committee Complaint and the Equity Committee Complaint were transferred to the ART pursuant to the Plan.

In 2007, the Bankruptcy Court issued separate decisions with respect to each of the two complaints. In re Adelphia Commc'ns Corp., 365 B.R. 24, 62 (Bankr. S.D.N.Y. 2007); In re Adelphia Commc'ns Corp., Adversary No. 03-04942 (REG), 2007 WL 2403553 at \*11 (Bankr. S.D.N.Y. Aug. 17, 2007). In the first decision, the Bankruptcy Court sustained the fraudulent transfer claims, the aiding and abetting breach of fiduciary duty claims, the breach of fiduciary duty claims against certain defendants, the equitable subordination and disallowance claims, the Bank Holding Company Act claims, and the voidable preference claims in the Creditors Committee Complaint, but dismissed, with leave to replead, the claims for aiding and abetting fraud. In the second decision, the Bankruptcy Court dismissed the additional claims asserted in the Equity Committee's Complaint, but granted leave to replead the claims for fraud and fraudulent concealment.

On July 10, 2007, all of the original moving defendants sought leave to appeal with respect to all the claims in the Creditors Committee's Complaint that the Bankruptcy Court had declined to dismiss. The District Court denied leave to appeal from the rulings that sustained the fraudulent transfer claims, the voidable preference claims, and the equitable subordination claims, but granted leave to appeal on certain discrete issues of law concerning the ART's standing, application of the Bank Holding Company Act, the existence of equitable disallowance under the Bankruptcy Code, and the existence of aiding and abetting breach of fiduciary duty liability under Pennsylvania law as well as the adequacy of the pleadings on that claim. Adelphia Recovery Trust v. Bank of Am., N.A., No. 05 Civ 9050 (LMM), 2007 WL 2585065 (S.D.N.Y. Sept. 05, 2007); Adelphia Recovery Trust v. Bank of Am., N.A., No. 05 Civ. 9050 (LMM), 2007 WL 2890220 (S.D.N.Y. Sept. 28, 2007). On October 31, 2007, while the appeal was pending, the ART filed an Amended Complaint. The Amended Complaint (i) consolidated the earlier complaints into a single complaint; (ii) added additional allegations to support the claims on which the Bankruptcy Court granted leave to replead (aiding and abetting fraud, fraudulent concealment, and fraud); and (iii) added as defendants approximately 380 new entities that became assignees of the Adelphia bank debt after the original complaints were filed. Certain defendants filed motions to dismiss the Amended Complaint and certain defendants filed answers to the Amended Complaint.

In its January 17, 2008 decision on appeal, the District Court concluded, inter alia, that the ART had standing and the Bankruptcy Court properly had sustained the claims for aiding and abetting breach of fiduciary duty and equitable disallowance. The Court dismissed the Bank Holding Company Act claim with leave to replead to cure an ambiguity in the original allegations. Adelphia Recovery Trust v. Bank of Am., N.A., No. 05 Civ 9050 (LMM), 2008 WL 217057 at \*6, 13 (S.D.N.Y. Jan. 17, 2008). The Bank Holding Company Act claims subsequently were repleaded in a Second Amended Complaint filed March 4, 2008. Certain defendants filed motions to dismiss the repleaded Bank Holding Company Act claims set forth in the Second Amended Complaint. The motions to dismiss the Amended Complaint and the Second Amended Complaint are pending. Under the current scheduling order, the trial will commence no earlier than March 2009.

At this time, the ART cannot predict the outcome of these proceedings or estimate the possible financial effect of these proceedings on the ART.

# Motorola Litigation

On June 22, 2006, Adelphia filed an adversary complaint against Motorola, Inc. and certain of its subsidiaries, as well as transferees of claims filed by Motorola in the Adelphia bankruptcy cases in the Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of New York. The complaint seeks recovery for (a) Motorola's aiding and abetting breaches of fiduciary duty by members of the Rigas family in manipulating Adelphia's financial statements and performance results for the fiscal years 2000 and 2001; (b) avoidance and recovery of preferential and fraudulent transfers made to Motorola of more than \$60 million; (c) avoidance of purported (but unperfected) liens asserted by Motorola; and (d) equitable disallowance or subordination of Motorola's claims in the Adelphia bankruptcy cases (the total face amount of which is approximately \$66.6 million).

The ART and Adelphia are co-plaintiffs in this litigation. On September 11, 2007, Adelphia and the ART amended the complaint against Motorola to add a cause of action for equitable disallowance and additional factual allegations. If Adelphia and the ART do not prevail on the claim for equitable disallowance, Adelphia has an interest senior to the ART to receive the amount necessary to offset any of Motorola's claims allowed by the Bankruptcy Court.

On August 22, 2007, plaintiffs moved for summary judgment to disallow a portion of the defendants' claims against certain Adelphia debtors. Plaintiffs' motion is pending. Discovery is ongoing, and no trial date has been set.

At this time, the ART cannot predict the outcome of these proceedings or estimate the possible financial effect of these proceedings on the ART.

# Prestige and FPL Litigation

On June 24, 2004, the Unsecured Creditors' Committee filed two separate fraudulent conveyance complaints, one against FPL Group, Inc. and West Boca Security, Inc. ("FPL") and the other against Prestige Communications of NC, Inc., Jonathan J. Oscher, Lorraine Oscher McClain, Robert F. Buckfelder, Buckfelder Investment Trust, and Anverse, Inc. Both actions were filed in the Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of New York and relate to pre-petition transactions. In a decision dated January 7, 2008, the District Court withdrew the reference in the Prestige action and transferred the case to the District Court. The FPL action remains pending in the Bankruptcy Court. Discovery is ongoing in both actions.

<u>The Prestige action seeks to recover fraudulent transfers in connection with Adelphia's purchase of the assets of Prestige</u> <u>Communications of N.C., Inc., an acquisition that closed on July 5, 2000, as well as a claim that the owners of the Prestige cable</u> <u>systems aided and abetted breaches of fiduciary duty on the part of the Rigas family in connection with the transaction. The trial in the</u> <u>Prestige action is scheduled to begin January 20, 2009.</u>

The FPL action seeks to recover an alleged fraudulent transfer arising out of Adelphia's repurchase of certain of its stock from FPL in January 1999 for \$149.5 million. The trial date in the FPL action is December 1, 2009.

At this time, the ART cannot predict the outcome of these proceedings or estimate the possible financial effect of these proceedings on the ART.

#### Avoidance Actions

On July 31, 2003, Adelphia and its debtor affiliates filed with the Bankruptcy Court their Statements of Financial Affairs, which included a schedule of payments to insider entities made within one year prior to Adelphia's filing for bankruptcy and payments to non-insider entities made within ninety days prior to Adelphia's filing for bankruptcy. Subsequently, Adelphia engaged in extensive analysis of all such payments to determine if they could be avoided pursuant to provisions of the Bankruptcy Code.

On April 20, 2004, Adelphia filed a motion seeking to abandon most of the potential actions to avoid the pre-petition payments because, among other reasons, (i) Adelphia believed that pursing certain of such actions against parties with whom Adelphia was continuing to do business could have a significant, adverse impact on important, ongoing business relationships, and (ii) the costs associated with pursuing such actions far outweighed any potential benefit to the Adelphia debtors' estates that might otherwise result from bringing such actions. In response to certain objections to Adelphia's motion, Adelphia amended its initial motion.

On May 27, 2004, the Bankruptcy Court entered an order tolling all claims to avoid inter-debtor payments and authorizing the abandonment of potential actions to avoid (i) transfers to taxing authorities; (ii) transfers to human resource providers engaged in business with Adelphia; (iii) transfers determined to have been made in the ordinary course of business; and (iv) certain transfers deemed de minimis. As to the remainder of the transfers made by Adelphia during the relevant one-year and ninety-day periods prior to the bankruptcy filing, Adelphia either (i) entered into tolling agreements with the transferee extending Adelphia's time to initiate an action, or (ii) filed a complaint and initiated an adversary proceeding against the transferee.

As of June 25, 2004, Adelphia secured approximately 250 tolling agreements with various transferees, including members of the Rigas family, the Rigas family entities, former executives James Brown and Michael Mulcahey, and former directors Erland Kailbourne, Dennis Coyle, Leslie Gelber, and Peter Metros, among others. Certain of these tolling agreements have been amended from time to time. In addition, Adelphia filed approximately 150 complaints in the Bankruptcy Court commencing actions to avoid certain pre-petition transfers and payments. Some of those complaints have since been dismissed after further investigation.

On July 21, 2004, the Bankruptcy Court temporarily stayed all activity in the avoidance actions commenced by Adelphia and approved notice and service procedures in connection therewith.

At this time, the ART cannot predict the outcome of these proceedings or estimate the possible financial effect of these proceedings on the ART.

#### **<u>8.</u>** Subsequent Events

Subsequent to December 31, 2007 and to April 28, 2008 there have been no events that would be material to the financial statements of the ART including Cause of Action settlements or judgments or Holder distributions or decisions concerning future Holder distributions.

# 9. Quarterly Financial Data (Unaudited)

	Statement of Operations and Changes in Net Assets									
	For the period from February 13, 2007 (date established) to March 31, 2007				For the quarter ed September 30, 2007	For the quarter ended December 31, 2007		For the period from February 13, 2007 (date established) to December 31, 2007		
Revenues										
Litigation - court approved										
settlements	\$		\$		\$	172,375,250	\$	15,821,452	\$	188,196,702
Litigation - settlements		—		—		—		100,000		100,000
Interest income		165,597		309,304		1,649,145		2,176,936		4,300,982
Total revenues		165,597		309,304		174,024,395		18,098,388		192,597,684
Operating expenses										
General and administrative										
expenses		333,605		477,634		509,358		533,522		1,854,119
Professional expenses -										
litigation		5,224,370	8,	397,410		5,809,634		6,986,202		26,417,616
Professional expenses -										
administrative		776,275		614,312		466,531		524,383		2,381,501
Total operating expenses		6,334,250	9,	489,356		6,785,523		8,044,107		30,653,236
Net (loss) income	\$	(6,168,653)	\$ (9,	180,052)	\$	167,238,872	\$	10,054,281	\$	161,944,448

# Adelphia Recovery Trust Statement of Operations and Changes in Net Assets

# Adelphia Recovery Trust Unaudited Condensed Balance Sheet

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	March 31, 2008
Assets	
Cash and cash equivalents	\$185,683,082
Prepaid insurance	831,903
Note and accrued interest receivable	5,096,263
Total assets	\$191,611,248
Liabilities and net assets	
Accrued expenses	\$ 9,393,220
Total liabilities	9,393,220
Net assets	182,218,028
Total liabilities and net assets	\$191,611,248

See the accompanying notes to the condensed financial statements

# Adelphia Recovery Trust Unaudited Condensed Statements of Operations

Revenues	For the quarter ended March 31, 2008	For the period from February 13, 2007 (date established) to March 31, 2007
Litigation - court approved settlements	\$ 200,206	\$ —
Litigation - settlements	60,000	_
Interest income	1,689,819	165,597
Total revenues	1,950,025	165,597
Operating expenses		
General and administrative expenses	515,010	333,605
Professional expenses - litigation	6,480,741	5,224,370
Professional expenses - administrative	724,444	776,275
Total operating expenses	7,720,195	6,334,250
Net loss	\$ (5,770,170)	\$ (6,168,653)

# Adelphia Recovery Trust Unaudited Condensed Statements of Cash Flows

	the quarter ended Aarch 31, 2008	Fel (dat	the period from pruary 13, 2007 e established) to [arch 31, 2007
Operating activities			
Net loss	\$ (5,770,170)	\$	(6,168,653)
Adjustments to reconcile net loss to net cash (used) provided by operating activities:			
Insurance funded by Debtor	_		1,043,750
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:			
Prepaid insurance	(707,233)		(921,979)
Note and accrued interest receivable	(97,506)		
Accrued expenses	 2,573,418		6,209,347
Net cash (used) provided by operating activities	(4,001,491)		162,465
Financing activities			
Contribution from Debtor - cash	 		25,000,000
Net cash provided by financing activities	 		25,000,000
Net change in cash and cash equivalents	(4,001,491)		25,162,465
Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of period	 189,684,573		
Cash and cash equivalents, end of period	\$ 185,683,082	\$	25,162,465

See accompanying notes to the condensed financial statements

# **Notes to Condensed Financial Statements**

# **<u>1.</u>** Basis of Presentation

The accompanying interim condensed financial statements of the ART as of March 31, 2008 and for the periods from January 1, 2008 to March 31, 2008 and from February 13, 2007 (date established) to March 31, 2007 have been prepared in accordance with US GAAP and with the instructions to Form 10-Q. As such, they do not include all of the information and footnotes required by US GAAP for complete financial statements. In the opinion of the Trustees, all adjustments (consisting of normal recurring accruals) considered necessary for a fair presentation of the interim condensed financial statements have been included. These condensed financial statements should be read in conjunction with the ART's audited financial statements as of December 31, 2007 and for the period from February 13, 2007 included elsewhere in this Form 10. Results for interim periods are not necessarily indicative of results for a full year.

# 2. Related Party Transactions

The Trust Administrator and Adelphia Communications Corporation continue to provide administrative support to the ART including maintaining electronic data and paper documents used in prosecuting the Causes of Action, support for Holder distributions when they

might occur (including maintenance of data related to the implementation of Plan provisions) and financial reporting. These services have and will continue to be provided at no cost to the ART under the terms of various agreements between the Trust Administrator and Adelphia. The ART financial statements do not reflect any amounts for these services.

# **<u>3.</u>** Causes of Action and Contingencies

# **Court Approved Settlements**

Court approved settlements of Causes of Action for the quarter ended March 31, 2008 follow:

# Defendant

Tow & Rosensweig	\$200,206
Total	\$200,206

# Pending Causes of Action

# Bank Litigation

On July 6, 2003, the Creditors Committee filed a complaint (the "Creditors Committee Complaint") in the Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of New York against Adelphia's pre-petition commercial banks and lenders, Adelphia's former investment bankers and financial advisors, and assignees of Adelphia's pre-petition bank debt. The Creditors Committee Complaint asserted 52 Causes of Action seeking (a) recovery as fraudulent transfers the principal and interest paid by Adelphia to defendants, (b) avoidance as fraudulent obligations Adelphia's obligations, if any, to repay the defendants, (c) recovery of damages for fraud and breaches of fiduciary duties to Adelphia and for aiding and abetting fraud and breaches of fiduciary duties by members of the Rigas family relating to Adelphia's credit facilities, (d) equitable disallowance, subordination or recharacterization of each of the defendants' claims in Adelphia's bankruptcy cases, (e) avoidance and recovery of preferential transfers made to certain defendants shortly prior to Adelphia's bankruptcy filing, and (f) recovery of damages for violations of the Bank Holding Company Act. In addition, the Creditors Committee and Adelphia moved in the Bankruptcy Court seeking authority for the Committee to prosecute these claims together with Adelphia (the "Standing Motion"). On July 31, 2003, the Official Committee of Equity Security Holders for Adelphia filed a motion with the Bankruptcy Court to assert additional claims against the defendants in the form of an intervenor complaint. The Equity Committee was granted leave to file its complaint (the "Equity Committee Complaint"), which joined certain of the claims asserted in the Creditors Committee Complaint and also asserted new claims against the investment bank defendants for fraudulent concealment and against the agent bank and investment bank defendants for fraud and RICO violations.

In October 2003, various defendants moved to dismiss both complaints and filed objections to the Standing Motion. On August 30, 2005, the Bankruptcy Court granted the Standing Motion, holding that the Creditors Committee had standing to pursue the claims in the Original Complaint on behalf of, and together with, Adelphia. On February 9, 2006, the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York granted a motion filed by certain defendants to withdraw the reference to the Bankruptcy Court, subject to the proviso, with the consent of all parties, that the motions to dismiss would remain with the Bankruptcy Court. No decision was rendered on the motions to dismiss during the Adelphia bankruptcy proceedings. The claims asserted in the Creditors Committee Complaint and the Equity Committee Complaint were transferred to the ART pursuant to the Plan.

In 2007, the Bankruptcy Court issued separate decisions with respect to each of the two complaints. In re Adelphia Commc'ns Corp., 365 B.R. 24, 62 (Bankr. S.D.N.Y. 2007); In re Adelphia Commc'ns Corp., Adversary No. 03-04942 (REG), 2007 WL 2403553 at \*11 (Bankr. S.D.N.Y. Aug. 17, 2007). In the first decision, the Bankruptcy Court sustained the fraudulent transfer claims, the aiding and abetting breach of fiduciary duty claims, the breach of fiduciary duty claims against certain defendants, the equitable subordination and disallowance claims, the Bank Holding Company Act claims, and the voidable preference claims in the Creditors Committee Complaint, but dismissed, with leave to replead, the claims for aiding and abetting fraud. In the second decision, the Bankruptcy Court dismissed the additional claims asserted in the Equity Committee's Complaint, but granted leave to replead the claims for fraud and fraudulent concealment.

On July 10, 2007, all of the original moving defendants sought leave to appeal with respect to all the claims in the Creditors Committee's Complaint that the Bankruptcy Court had declined to dismiss. The District Court denied leave to appeal from the rulings that sustained the fraudulent transfer claims, the voidable preference claims, and the equitable subordination claims, but granted leave to appeal on certain discrete issues of law concerning the ART's standing, application of the Bank Holding Company Act, the existence of equitable disallowance under the Bankruptcy Code, and the existence of aiding and abetting breach of fiduciary duty liability under Pennsylvania law as well as the adequacy of the pleadings on that claim. Adelphia Recovery Trust v. Bank of Am., N.A., No. 05 Civ 9050 (LMM), 2007 WL 2585065 (S.D.N.Y. Sept. 05, 2007); Adelphia Recovery Trust v. Bank of Am., N.A., No. 05 Civ. 9050 (LMM), 2007 WL 2890220 (S.D.N.Y. Sept. 28, 2007). On October 31, 2007, while the appeal was pending, the ART filed an Amended Complaint. The Amended Complaint (i) consolidated the earlier complaints into a single complaint; (ii) added additional allegations to support the claims on which the Bankruptcy Court granted leave to replead (aiding and abetting fraud, fraudulent concealment, and fraud); and (iii) added as defendants approximately 380 new entities that became assignees of the Adelphia bank debt after the original complaints were filed. Certain defendants filed motions to dismiss the Amended Complaint and certain defendants filed answers to the Amended Complaint.

In its January 17, 2008 decision on appeal, the District Court concluded, *inter alia*, that the ART had standing to assert the tort claims and the Bankruptcy Court properly had sustained the claims for aiding and abetting breach of fiduciary duty and equitable disallowance. The Court dismissed the Bank Holding Company Act claim with leave to replead to cure an ambiguity in the original allegations. Adelphia Recovery Trust v. Bank of Am., N.A., No. 05 Civ 9050 (LMM), 2008 WL 217057 at \*6, 13 (S.D.N.Y. Jan. 17, 2008). The Bank Holding Company Act claims subsequently were repleaded in a Second Amended Complaint filed March 4, 2008. Certain defendants filed motions to dismiss the repleaded Bank Holding Company Act claims set forth in the Second Amended Complaint.

On June 18, 2008, the District Court dismissed certain fraudulent transfer claims, voidable preference claims, equitable subordination and disallowance claims. Motions to dismiss other claims remain pending. Under the current scheduling order, trial will commence no earlier than March 2009.

At this time, the ART cannot predict the outcome of these proceedings or estimate the possible financial effect of these proceedings on the ART.

#### Motorola Litigation

On June 22, 2006, Adelphia filed an adversary complaint against Motorola, Inc. and certain of its subsidiaries, as well as transferees of claims filed by Motorola in the Adelphia bankruptcy cases in the Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of New York. The complaint seeks recovery for (a) Motorola's aiding and abetting breaches of fiduciary duty by members of the Rigas family in manipulating Adelphia's financial statements and performance results for the fiscal years 2000 and 2001; (b) avoidance and recovery of preferential and fraudulent transfers made to Motorola of more than \$60 million; (c) avoidance of purported (but unperfected) liens asserted by Motorola; and (d) equitable disallowance or subordination of Motorola's claims in the Adelphia bankruptcy cases (the total face amount of which is approximately \$66.6 million).

The ART and Adelphia are co-plaintiffs in this litigation. On September 11, 2007, Adelphia and the ART amended the complaint against Motorola to add a cause of action for equitable disallowance and additional factual allegations. If Adelphia and the ART do not prevail on the claim for equitable disallowance, Adelphia has an interest senior to the ART to receive the amount necessary to offset any of Motorola's claims allowed by the Bankruptcy Court.

On August 22, 2007, plaintiffs moved for summary judgment to disallow a portion of the defendants' claims against certain Adelphia debtors. Plaintiffs' motion is pending. Discovery is ongoing, and no trial date has been set.

At this time, the ART cannot predict the outcome of these proceedings or estimate the possible financial effect of these proceedings on the ART.

#### Prestige and FPL Litigation

On June 24, 2004, the Unsecured Creditors' Committee filed two separate fraudulent conveyance complaints, one against FPL Group, Inc. and West Boca Security, Inc. ("FPL") and the other against Prestige Communications of NC, Inc., Jonathan J. Oscher, Lorraine Oscher McClain, Robert F. Buckfelder, Buckfelder Investment Trust, and Anverse, Inc. Both actions were filed in the Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of New York and relate to pre-petition transactions. In a decision dated January 7, 2008, the District Court withdrew the reference in the Prestige action and transferred the case to the District Court. The FPL action remains pending in the Bankruptcy Court. Discovery is ongoing in both actions.

The Prestige action seeks to recover fraudulent transfers in connection with Adelphia's purchase of the assets of Prestige Communications of N.C., Inc., an acquisition that closed on July 5, 2000, as well as a claim that the owners of the Prestige cable systems aided and abetted breaches of fiduciary duty on the part of the Rigas family in connection with the transaction. The trial in the Prestige action is scheduled to begin January 20, 2009.

The FPL action seeks to recover an alleged fraudulent transfer arising out of Adelphia's repurchase of certain of its stock from FPL in January 1999 for \$149.5 million. The trial date in the FPL action is December 1, 2009.

At this time, the ART cannot predict the outcome of these proceedings or estimate the possible financial effect of these proceedings on the ART.

#### Avoidance Actions

On July 31, 2003, Adelphia and its debtor affiliates filed with the Bankruptcy Court their Statements of Financial Affairs, which included a schedule of payments to insider entities made within one year prior to Adelphia's filing for bankruptcy and payments to non-insider entities made within ninety days prior to Adelphia's filing for bankruptcy. Subsequently, Adelphia engaged in extensive analysis of all such payments to determine if they could be avoided pursuant to provisions of the Bankruptcy Code.

On April 20, 2004, Adelphia filed a motion seeking to abandon most of the potential actions to avoid the pre-petition payments because, among other reasons, (i) Adelphia believed that pursing certain of such actions against parties with whom Adelphia was continuing to do business could have a significant, adverse impact on important, ongoing business relationships, and (ii) the costs associated with pursuing such actions far outweighed any potential benefit to the Adelphia debtors' estates that might otherwise result from bringing such actions. In response to certain objections to Adelphia's motion, Adelphia amended its initial motion.

On May 27, 2004, the Bankruptcy Court entered an order tolling all claims to avoid inter-debtor payments and authorizing the abandonment of potential actions to avoid (i) transfers to taxing authorities; (ii) transfers to human resource providers engaged in business with Adelphia; (iii) transfers determined to have been made in the ordinary course of business; and (iv) certain transfers deemed de minimis. As to the remainder of the transfers made by Adelphia during the relevant one-year and ninety-day periods prior to the bankruptcy filing, Adelphia either (i) entered into tolling agreements with the transferee extending Adelphia's time to initiate an action, or (ii) filed a complaint and initiated an adversary proceeding against the transferee.

As of June 25, 2004, Adelphia secured approximately 250 tolling agreements with various transferees, including members of the Rigas family, the Rigas family entities, former executives James Brown and Michael Mulcahey, and former directors Erland Kailbourne, Dennis Coyle, Leslie Gelber, and Peter Metros, among others. Certain of these tolling agreements have been amended from time to time. In addition, Adelphia filed approximately 150 complaints in the Bankruptcy Court commencing actions to avoid certain pre-petition transfers and payments. Some of those complaints have since been dismissed after further investigation.

On July 21, 2004, the Bankruptcy Court temporarily stayed all activity in the avoidance actions commenced by Adelphia and approved notice and service procedures in connection therewith.

At this time, the ART cannot predict the outcome of these proceedings or estimate the possible financial effect of these proceedings on the ART.

#### 4. Subsequent Events

On June 4, 2008, the Bankruptcy Court approved the amendment to the ART's Declaration. Otherwise, subsequent to March 31, 2008 and to June 18, 2008 there have been no events that would be material to the financial statements of the ART including Cause of Action settlements or judgment or Holder distributions or decisions concerning future Holder distributions.

# Item 14. Changes in and Disagreements with Accountants on Accounting and Financial Disclosure

None.

# Item 15. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(a) An index to and description of the financial statements filed as part of this Registration Statement are set forth above in Item 13.

(b) Exhibits

- 2.1 First Modified Fifth Amended Joint Chapter 11 Plan of Reorganization of Adelphia Communications Corporation and Certain of its Affiliated Debtors, effective February 13, 2007\*
- 3.1 Restated Certificate of Trust, dated February 13, 2007\*
- 3.2 Amendment to Restated Certificate of Trust, dated March 15, 2007\*
- 3.3 Second Amended and Restated Declaration of Trust, dated June 4, 2008\*\*
- 3.4 Rules and Procedures of Adelphia Recovery Trust\*
- 4.1 Form of Certificate Evidencing Undivided Beneficial Interests in the Assets of the Adelphia Recovery Trust (Global Certificate)\*
- 4.2 Form of Certificate Evidencing Undivided Beneficial Interests in the Assets of the Adelphia Recovery Trust (Book Entry Certificate)\*
- 10.1 Plan Administrator Agreement, dated February 12, 2007\*
- 10.2 Trustee Compensation Agreement\*
- 24.1 Power of Attorney (included on signature page)\_
- <u>\*</u> Previously Filed
- <u>\*\*</u> <u>Filed Herewith</u>

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# SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of Section 12 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this <u>Amendment No. 1</u> to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, this <u>July 2nd 2008</u>.

By: <u>/s/ Ralph J. Takala</u>

Name: Ralph J. Takala Title: CVV Trustee

# Exhibit 3.3

# SECOND AMENDED AND RESTATED DECLARATION OF TRUST FOR ADELPHIA RECOVERY TRUST

by and among

Adelphia Communications Corporation and all of its affiliated Debtors-in-Possession acting on behalf of the CVV HOLDERS

and

the Trustees (as named herein)

Dated as of June 4, 2008

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#### SECOND AMENDED AND RESTATED DECLARATION OF TRUST FOR ADELPHIA RECOVERY TRUST

This SECOND AMENDED AND RESTATED DECLARATION OF TRUST (this "<u>Declaration</u>") for ADELPHIA RECOVERY TRUST, a Delaware statutory trust formerly known as Adelphia Contingent Value Vehicle (the "<u>Trust</u>"), dated as of June 4, 2008, by ADELPHIA COMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION ("<u>ACC</u>"), a Delaware corporation, and certain of its affiliated Debtors-in-Possession, acting on behalf of the CVV Holders (as defined below) ("<u>Debtors-in-Possession</u>" and, together with ACC, the "<u>Debtors</u>"), by the Trustees (as defined herein) and by the CVV Holders (as defined herein).

# RECITALS

WHEREAS, on the Commencement Date, the Debtors filed voluntary petitions for relief under Chapter 11 of the United States Bankruptcy Code in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of New York (the "Bankruptcy Court");

WHEREAS, on January 5, 2007, the Bankruptcy Court entered an order (the "<u>Confirmation Order</u>") confirming the Fifth Amended Joint Chapter 11 Plan of Reorganization for Adelphia Communications Corporation and Certain Affiliated Debtors (as such plan may hereafter be amended or otherwise modified, the "<u>Plan</u>");

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Plan and the Confirmation Order, (a) the Litigation Prosecution Fund, and (b) as set forth in Section 9.2 of the Plan, title to certain of the Debtors' Causes of Action were assigned, granted and transferred by the Debtors to the Contingent Value Vehicle being established pursuant to the Plan, the Confirmation Order and the terms of this Declaration for the benefit of CVV Holders;

WHEREAS, the Adelphia Contingent Value Vehicle was established as a Delaware statutory trust governed by the Statutory Trust Act (as defined herein), pursuant to a Trust Agreement, dated as of December 7, 2006 (as further amended and restated on February 13, 2007, the "Original Declaration"), and a certificate of trust, filed with the Secretary of State of the State of Delaware on December 7, 2006 (the "Certificate of Trust");

WHEREAS, on February 13, 2007, the Debtors, the CVV Holders and the Trustees, executed an amended and restated declaration of trust for the Adelphia Contingent Value Vehicle;

WHEREAS, on March 15, 2007, the name of the Adelphia Contingent Value Vehicle was changed to the Adelphia Recovery Trust;

WHEREAS, this Second Amended and Restated Declaration of Trust amends and restates the Original Declaration in its entirety; and

WHEREAS, the Bankruptcy Court has determined, by an order dated June 4, 2008, that the execution of this Second Amended and Restated Declaration of Trust is a valid exercise by the CVV Trustees of the power to amend the Declaration of Trust contained in Section 12.01 of the Original Declaration;

NOW, THEREFORE, it being the intention of the parties hereto to continue the Adelphia Recovery Trust as a statutory trust under the Statutory Trust Act (as defined herein) and that this Declaration constitute the governing instrument of such statutory trust, the Trustees declare that all assets contributed to the Adelphia Recovery Trust have been and will continue to be held in trust for the benefit of the CVV Holders, from time to time, of the CVV Interests issued hereunder, subject to the provisions of this Declaration.

#### ARTICLE I

#### Definitions

Section 1.01 Certain Terms Defined

(a) Capitalized terms defined in the Plan, and not otherwise defined herein, shall have the respective meanings ascribed to such terms in the Plan.

(b) For purposes of this Declaration, the following terms have the following meanings:

"<u>Adelphia Recovery Trust</u>" means the trust established in accordance with Article IX of the Plan and subject to the terms set forth in this Declaration that is intended to be treated for federal income tax purposes as a liquidating grantor trust, pursuant to: (a) Section 301.7701-4(d) of the Regulations of the United States Department of the Treasury; and (b) Revenue Procedure 94-45, 1994-2 C.B. 684, owned by the CVV Holders as grantors and subject to the provisions of Subpart E of Subchapter J of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (as amended).

"Affiliate" has the meaning ascribed to such term in Rule 405 under the Securities Act as in effect on the date of this Declaration.

"Authorized Officer" of a Person means any Person that is authorized to bind such Person.

"<u>Business Day</u>" means any day other than Saturday, Sunday or any other day on which banking institutions in Wilmington, Delaware are permitted or required by any applicable law to close.

"<u>Clearing Agency</u>" means an organization registered as a "Clearing Agency" pursuant to Section 17A of the Exchange Act that is acting as depositary for the CVV Certificates and in whose name (or in the name of a nominee of that organization) shall be registered a Global CVV Certificate and which shall undertake to effect book entry transfers and pledges of the CVV Certificates.

"<u>Clearing Agency Participant</u>" means a broker, dealer, bank, other financial institution or other Person for whom from time to time the Clearing Agency effects book entry transfers and pledges of securities deposited with the Clearing Agency.

"Commission" means the Securities and Exchange Commission.

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"<u>Corporate Trust Office</u>" means the office of the Institutional Trustee at which the corporate trust business of the Institutional Trustee shall, at any particular time, be principally administered, which office at the date of execution of this Declaration is located at The Bank of New York, Corporate Trust Administration, 101 Barclay Street – Floor 8 West, New York, New York 10286.

"<u>CVV Certificates</u>" means the certificates issued in one or more series by the Adelphia Recovery Trust evidencing beneficial interests in the Adelphia Recovery Trust.

"<u>CVV Holder</u>" means (1) with respect to a CVV Tradable Interest, a Person in whose name a CVV Certificate is registered on the register maintained by the Registrar pursuant to <u>Section 6.02</u>, and (2) with respect to a CVV Non-Tradable Interest, a Person in whose name such CVV Non-Tradable Interest is registered by the Institutional Trustee, each such Person being a beneficial owner within the meaning of the Statutory Trust Act.

"<u>CVV Interests</u>" means, collectively, the CVV Series RF Interests, CVV Series ACC-1 Interests, CVV Series ACC-2 Interests, CVV Series ACC-3 Interests, CVV Series Arahova Interests, CVV Series FrontierVision Interests, CVV Series Olympus Interests, CVV Series FPL Interests, CVV Series ESL Interests, CVV Series ACC-4, CVV Series ACC-5, CVV Series ACC-6 and CVV Series ACC-7, each such interest as defined, and having the rights and priorities provided in the Plan, the Confirmation Order and this Declaration.

"CVV Non-Tradable Interests" means the CVV Series RF Interests.

"CVV Tradable Interests" means, collectively, all CVV Interests except the CVV Non-Tradable Interests.

"Debtors" has the meaning set forth in the Plan.

"Depositary" means, with respect to the CVV Certificates, DTC or another Clearing Agency.

"DTC" means The Depository Trust Company, New York, New York, the initial Depositary.

"Effective Date" means February 13, 2007, the effective date of the Plan.

"Exchange Act" means the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

"Institutional Trustee" means The Bank of New York.

"IRS" means the Internal Revenue Service of the United States of America.

"<u>Officers' Certificates</u>" means (i) with respect to any Person other than CVV Trustees, a certificate signed by two Authorized Officers of such Person, and (ii) with respect to the CVV Trustees, a certificate signed by a majority of the CVV Trustees then in office. Any Officers' Certificate delivered with respect to compliance with a condition or covenant provided for in the Declaration shall include:

(a) a brief statement of the nature and scope of the examination or investigation undertaken by each Authorized Officer or the CVV Trustees in rendering the Certificate; and

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(b) a statement as to whether, in the opinion of each such Authorized Officer or CVV Trustees, such condition or covenant has been complied with.

"<u>Person</u>" means an individual, corporation, partnership, limited liability company, association, trust, joint venture, unincorporated organization or other entity.

"<u>Recovery</u>" and "<u>Recoveries</u>" mean, as applicable, any and all proceeds received by the Adelphia Recovery Trust on or after the Effective Date from: (a) the prosecution, and collection of, a final judgment of any of the claims comprising the Causes of Action included in the Contributed Assets; (b) the settlement or other compromise of any of the claims comprising the Causes of Action included in the Contributed Assets; (c) the liquidation of any other Trust Assets; or (d) any cash funded into the Adelphia Recovery Trust, including any interest earned on cash balances.

"<u>Requisite CVV Holders</u>" means the CVV Holders holding CVV Interests that would be entitled to receive more than 50% of a hypothetical \$50 million CVV Distribution, if such CVV Distribution were made as of a date for such determination as reasonably fixed by the CVV Trustees.

"<u>Responsible Officer</u>" means, with respect to the Institutional Trustee, any officer within the Corporate Trust Office of the Institutional Trustee, including any managing director, vice-president, any assistant vice-president, any assistant secretary, the treasurer, any assistant treasurer or other officer of the Corporate Trust Office of the Institutional Trustee customarily performing functions similar to those performed by any of the above—designated officers and also means, with respect to a particular corporate trust matter, any other officer to whom such matter is referred because of that officer's knowledge of and familiarity with the particular subject.

"Securities Act" means the Securities Act of 1933, as amended.

"<u>Statutory Trust Act</u>" means Chapter 38 of Title 12 of the Delaware Code, 12 Del. Code sec. 3801 et seq., as it may be amended from time to time, or any successor legislation.

"<u>Tax Code</u>" means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended. Any reference to a section of the Tax Code shall include a reference to any amendatory or successor provision thereto.

"<u>Trust Assets</u>" means the Contributed Assets and all other property held by the Adelphia Recovery Trust from time to time under this Declaration (including, without limitation, the Recoveries), and any earnings thereon.

"<u>Trust Indemnified Person</u>" means (a) the Institutional Trustee, the Delaware Trustee, any Affiliate of the Institutional Trustee or the Delaware Trustee, and any officers, directors, stockholders, members, partners, employees, representatives, custodians,

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nominees or agents of the Institutional Trustee and the Delaware Trustee; (b) any CVV Trustee; (c) any Affiliate of any CVV Trustee; (d) any partners, employees, representatives or agents of any CVV Trustee; or (e) any officer, employee or agent of the Adelphia Recovery Trust or its Affiliates, in each case in their capacity as such.

"<u>Trustee</u>" or "<u>Trustees</u>" means each Person who has signed this Declaration as a Trustee, in its capacity as such, so long as such Person shall continue in office in accordance with the terms hereof, and all other Persons who may from time to time be duly appointed, qualified and serving as Institutional Trustee, Delaware Trustee or a CVV Trustee in accordance with the provisions hereof, and references herein to a Trustee or the Trustees shall refer to such Person or Persons solely in their capacity as Trustees hereunder.

(c) In addition to the terms defined in <u>Section 1.01(b)</u>, the following terms have the respective meanings assigned thereto in the sections indicated below.

Defined Term	Section
ACC	Recitals
Assumed Liabilities	2.04
Authentication Agent	6.01
Bankruptcy Court	Recitals
Confirmation Order	Recitals
Contributed Assets	2.03
CVV	3.07
CVV Termination Date	8.01
CVV Trustees	3.07(a)
Damages	5.03(a)
Debtors	Recitals
Debtors-in-Possession	Recitals
Declaration	Recitals
Definitive CVV Certificate	6.03(b)
Delaware Trustee	3.03(a)
Global CVV Certificate	6.03(b)
Indemnification Advances	5.03(c)
Institutional Trustee	3.04
List of Holders	3.14
Paying Agent	6.02
Plan	Recitals
Professionals	3.11(e)
Registrar	6.02
Relevant Trustee	3.05(a)
Successor Delaware trustee	3.05(b)
Successor Entity	2.08(b)(i)
Successor Institutional Trustee	305(b)
Successor Interests	2.08(b)(i)(B)
Transfer Agent	6.02

#### ARTICLE II

# Creation of the Trust

Section 2.01 <u>Name</u>. The trust continued hereby is named "Adelphia Recovery Trust," as such name may be modified from time to time by the CVV Trustees following written notice to the CVV Holders. The Adelphia Recovery Trust's activities may be conducted under the name of the Adelphia Recovery Trust or any other name deemed advisable by the CVV Trustees. The Trustees are hereby authorized to file a restated Certificate of Trust on behalf of the Adelphia Recovery Trust with the Secretary of State of the State of Delaware in accordance with Section 3810(a) of the Statutory Trust Act.

Section 2.02 <u>Office</u>. The address of the principal office of the Adelphia Recovery Trust on the date of execution of this Declaration is: 919 North Market Street, 17th Floor, P.O. Box 8705, Wilmington, DE 19899-8705.

On ten Business Days' written notice to the CVV Holders, the Institutional Trustee may designate another principal office at the instruction of the CVV Trustees.

Section 2.03 <u>Contribution of CVV Assets to Be Held in Trust</u>. Pursuant to the authority conveyed to the Debtors by the Plan and the Confirmation Order, the Debtors or the Plan Administrator, as applicable, acting on behalf of the CVV Holders, have absolutely and irrevocably granted, assigned, transfered, conveyed and delivered, without representation, warranty or recourse, and with no reversionary interest in grantors, to the Trustees, and their successors and assigns, to be held in trust pursuant to the terms of the Plan, the Confirmation Order and this Declaration, all right, title and interest in and to the Contributed Assets described below.

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# (a) The "Contributed Assets" consist of:

(i) the Litigation Prosecution Fund;

(ii) all right, title and interest of the Debtors and their respective estates in and to any and all of the Debtors' Causes of Action subject to, and to the extent set forth in, Section 9.2 of the Plan;

- (iii) all Privileges relating to the Causes of Action listed in clause (ii) above; and
- (iv) such additional assets as may be transferred to the Adelphia Recovery Trust from time to time pursuant to the Plan.

#### Section 2.04 Declaration of Trust.

(a) The Trustees hereby accept such rights and properties assigned and transferred to them and the trust imposed upon them pursuant to this Declaration, the Plan and the laws of the State of Delaware on behalf of, and for the benefit of, and in accordance with the terms hereof, agree to administer and manage the Adelphia Recovery Trust, with respect to the CVV Trustees to retain and enforce the Causes of Action included in the Contributed Assets for the benefit of the CVV Holders under Section 1123(b)(3)(B) of the Bankruptcy Code and to hold the Trust Assets in trust for the sole benefit of the CVV Holders.

(b) The Trustees, on behalf of the Adelphia Recovery Trust, hereby acknowledge and agree that, subject to the obligation of the Plan Administrator under the Plan Administration Agreement (the "<u>Plan Administrator</u>") or such other agreement to perform administrative functions for the Adelphia Recovery Trust at the CVV Trustees' reasonable request, the Adelphia Recovery Trust shall be obligated to pay the costs and expenses from and after the Effective Date of establishing the Adelphia Recovery Trust and of prosecuting the Causes of Action included in the Contributed Assets (the "Assumed Liabilities"), which shall be payable solely from the applicable Trust Assets.

Section 2.05 <u>Purpose and Powers of the Adelphia Recovery Trust</u>. The Adelphia Recovery Trust is being established to implement Article IX of the Plan. The exclusive purposes of the Adelphia Recovery Trust are, and the Adelphia Recovery Trust shall have the power and authority, (1) to hold the Trust Assets and manage the Assumed Liabilities, (2) to resolve the Causes of Action included in the Contributed Assets, (3) upon receipt of payments in respect of the Causes of Action included in the Contributed Assets, (4) to issue, cancel and re-issue the CVV Certificates, (5) to liquidate the Trust Assets otherwise, (6) to request that the Plan Administrator perform certain functions with respect to the Adelphia Recovery Trust, (7) to oversee and monitor the Plan Administrator to the extent provided and subject to the purposes of the Plan Administrator's duties as set forth in the Plan and the Plan Administrator Agreement, and (8) to engage in such other activities, including entering into agreements, as are described in or required by the terms of this Declaration or as necessary, suitable or convenient to accomplish the

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foregoing, in the case of (1)-(6) and (8) with a view to maximizing the Trust Assets on behalf of, and for the benefit of, the CVV Holders. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Statutory Trust Act, the Trustees shall not at any time, on behalf of the Adelphia Recovery Trust or the CVV Holders, engage in the conduct of a trade or business, and shall not take any actions hereunder except as are reasonably necessary and incidental to the achievement of the foregoing purposes. In pursuing the foregoing purposes, the CVV Trustees will make diligent and continual efforts to resolve the Causes of Action included in the Contributed Assets, to dispose of other assets of the Adelphia Recovery Trust, to make timely distributions and not to prolong unduly the duration of the Adelphia Recovery Trust.

Section 2.06 <u>Title to Trust Assets</u>. Legal title to the Trust Assets shall be vested in the name of the Adelphia Recovery Trust. No CVV Holder, and no widower, widow, heir or devisee of any individual who may become a CVV Holder and no bankruptcy trustee, receiver or similar person of any CVV Holder shall have legal title to, or any right, statutory or otherwise (including any right of dower, homestead or inheritance, or of partition, as applicable) in, any Trust Asset; the sole interest of the CVV Holders in the Adelphia Recovery Trust and the Trust Assets shall be the rights and benefits given to such Persons under the Plan, the Confirmation Order and this Declaration.

Section 2.07 <u>Intention of Parties</u>. The parties hereto intend for the Adelphia Recovery Trust to be treated as a liquidating trust as described in Treasury Regulations Section 301.7701-4(d) and, as such, it is not intended to be an association taxable as a corporation or as a joint venture, partnership or other entity or form other than a liquidating trust. Unless the IRS or a court of competent jurisdiction requires a different treatment, the parties hereto hereby agree that the Adelphia Recovery Trust shall be treated as a "grantor trust" for United States federal income tax purposes.

Section 2.08 Mergers.

(a) The Adelphia Recovery Trust may not consolidate, amalgamate, merge with or into, or be replaced by, or convey, transfer, pledge or lease its properties and assets substantially as an entirety to any Person, except (i) as described in paragraph (b) of this <u>Section 2.08</u>, or (ii) in a liquidation of the Adelphia Recovery Trust in accordance with this Declaration.

(b) The Adelphia Recovery Trust may, with the consent of a majority of the CVV Trustees and without the consent of the Institutional Trustee, the Delaware Trustee or the CVV Holders, consolidate, amalgamate, merge with or into, or be replaced by a trust organized as such under the laws of any state of the United States; provided that:

(i) if the Adelphia Recovery Trust is not the survivor, such successor entity (the "Successor Entity") both:

(A) expressly assumes all of the obligations of the Adelphia Recovery Trust under the Confirmation Order, this Declaration and the Plan; and

(B) substitutes for the CVV Interests other securities having substantially the same terms as the CVV Interests (the "Successor Interests");

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(ii) Reserved;

(iii) such merger, consolidation, amalgamation or replacement does not result in any material alteration of the Trust Assets or adversely affect the rights, preferences and privileges of the CVV Holders (including any Successor Interests) in any material respect (other than with respect to any dilution of such CVV Holders' interests in the Successor Entity);

(iv) such Successor Entity solely has purposes that are substantially identical to those of the Adelphia Recovery Trust;

(v) prior to such merger, consolidation, amalgamation or replacement the Adelphia Recovery Trust has received an opinion of nationally recognized outside counsel to the Adelphia Recovery Trust experienced in such matters to the effect that:

(A) such merger, consolidation, amalgamation or replacement does not and will not adversely affect the rights, preferences and privileges of the CVV Holders (including any Successor Interests) in any material respect (other than with respect to any dilution of the CVV Holders' interest in the Successor Entity); and

(B) such merger, consolidation, amalgamation or replacement does not and will not cause the Adelphia Recovery Trust (or the Successor Entity) to fail to be classified as a grantor trust for United States federal income tax purposes;

(vi) without the unanimous consent of the CVV Trustees, such merger, consolidation, amalgamation or replacement shall not result in any material change to the rights of the CVV Trustees, including, without limitation, their rights to indemnification, exculpation and compensation set forth in this Declaration and under Delaware law; and

(vii) prior to such merger, consolidation, amalgamation or replacement, the Institutional Trustee shall have received an opinion of counsel to the effect that all conditions precedent of this paragraph (b) to such transaction have been satisfied.

(c) Any merger or consolidation of the Adelphia Recovery Trust shall be accomplished in accordance with Section 3815 of the Statutory Trust Act. Pursuant to Section 3815(f) of the Statutory Trust Act, in the case of a consolidation, amalgamation, or merger of the Adelphia Recovery Trust with or into, or the replacement by, a trust organized as such under the laws of any state of the United States, subject to the requirements described in <u>Section 2.08(b)</u> above, the agreement of merger or consolidation may effect any amendment to this Declaration, or effect the adoption of a new governing instrument of the Adelphia Recovery Trust if it is the surviving or resulting business trust in the merger or consolidation. Such amendment or new governing instrument shall be effective at the effective time or date of the merger or consolidation.

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#### ARTICLE III

#### The Trustees

Section 3.01 <u>Authority</u>. Except as specifically provided in this Declaration, the Institutional Trustee and the CVV Trustees shall have exclusive and complete authority to carry out the purposes of the Adelphia Recovery Trust. An action taken by a Trustee in accordance with its powers shall constitute the act of and serve to bind the Adelphia Recovery Trust, it being understood that except as provided expressly herein the CVV Trustees may so act on behalf of the Adelphia Recovery Trust only upon the vote or consent (such consent to be evidenced by a writing executed contemporaneously with or promptly following any oral consent) of a majority of the CVV Trustees. In dealing with the Trustees acting on behalf of the Adelphia Recovery Trust, no Person shall be required to inquire into the authority of the Trustees to bind the Adelphia Recovery Trust. Persons dealing with the Adelphia Recovery Trust are entitled to rely conclusively on the power and authority of the Trustees as set forth in this Declaration.

Section 3.02 <u>Number of Trustees</u>. There shall be one Delaware Trustee if required by <u>Section 3.03</u>; the Institutional Trustee may also serve as Delaware Trustee if it meets the applicable requirements, in which case <u>Section 3.03</u> shall have no application to such entity in its capacity as Institutional Trustee. There shall be one Institutional Trustee as required by <u>Section 3.04</u>. There shall be five initial CVV Trustees, subject to change as provided in <u>Section 3.07</u>, which CVV Trustees shall be in addition to the Delaware Trustee and the Institutional Trustee.

#### Section 3.03 Delaware Trustee.

(a) If required by the Statutory Trust Act, one Trustee (the "Delaware Trustee") shall be:

(i) a natural person who is a resident of the State of Delaware; or

(ii) if not a natural person, an entity which has its principal place of business in the State of Delaware,

and, in either case, otherwise meets the requirements of applicable law, including Section 3807 of the Statutory Trust Act.

(b) The Delaware Trustee shall be either a natural person who is at least 21 years of age or a legal entity that shall act through one or more Authorized Officers.

(c) The initial Delaware Trustee shall be The Bank of New York (Delaware).

(d) Notwithstanding any other provision of this Declaration, the Delaware Trustee shall not be entitled to exercise any powers, nor shall the Delaware Trustee have any of the duties and responsibilities, of any of the Trustees set forth in this Declaration. Except as set forth in this <u>Section 3.03</u>, the Delaware Trustee shall be a Trustee for the sole and limited purpose of fulfilling the requirements of Section 3807 of the Statutory Trust Act.

(e) In no event shall the Delaware Trustee be liable to any person for the acts or omissions of the Adelphia Recovery Trust or the other Trustees (except for the Delaware Trustee's obligation to meet the requirements of Section 3807 of the Statutory Trust Act).

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Section 3.04 Institutional Trustee; Eligibility.

(a) There shall at all times be one Trustee which shall act as Institutional Trustee, which Trustee shall:

(i) not be an Affiliate of the Debtors;

(ii) not offer or provide credit or credit enhancement to the Adelphia Recovery Trust; and

(iii) be a corporation or banking association organized and doing business under the laws of the United States of America or any State or Territory thereof or of the District of Columbia, authorized under such laws to exercise corporate trust powers, having a combined capital and surplus of at least 50 million U.S. dollars (\$50,000,000), and subject to supervision or examination by federal, state, territorial or District of Columbia authority. If such corporation or banking association publishes reports of condition at least annually, pursuant to law or to the requirements of the supervising or examining authority referred to above, then for the purposes of this Section 3.04(a)(iii), the combined capital and surplus of such corporation or banking association shall be deemed to be its combined capital and surplus as set forth in its most recent report of condition so published.

(b) If at any time the Institutional Trustee shall cease to be eligible to so act under <u>Section 3.04(a)</u>, the Institutional Trustee shall immediately resign in the manner and with the effect set forth in <u>Section 3.05(a)</u>.

(c) The initial Institutional Trustee shall be The Bank of New York.

(d) The Institutional Trustee shall continue to serve as a Trustee until either:

(i) the Adelphia Recovery Trust has been completely liquidated and all of its assets shall have been distributed to the CVV Holders pursuant to the terms hereof and, if applicable, of the CVV Certificates; or

(ii) a Successor Institutional Trustee has been appointed and has accepted that appointment in accordance with Section 3.05.

Section 3.05 Appointment, Removal and Resignation of the Institutional and Delaware Trustees.

(a) No resignation or removal of the Institutional or Delaware Trustee (each, a "<u>Relevant Trustee</u>") and no appointment of a successor Relevant Trustee pursuant to this Article shall become effective until the acceptance of appointment by the successor Relevant Trustee in accordance with the applicable requirements of this <u>Section 3.05</u>.

(b) Subject to the immediately preceding paragraph, a Relevant Trustee may resign at any time by giving written notice thereof to the other Trustees. Upon the resignation of the Relevant Trustee, the CVV Trustees shall appoint a successor (the "Successor")

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Institutional Trustee" or the "Successor Delaware Trustee," as applicable) who shall execute an instrument of acceptance as described in Section 3.05(e) below. If the instrument of acceptance by the successor Relevant Trustee required by this Section 3.05 shall not have been delivered to the Relevant Trustee within 30 days after the giving of such notice of resignation, the Relevant Trustee may petition, at the expense of the Adelphia Recovery Trust, any court of competent jurisdiction for the appointment of a successor Relevant Trustee. Such court may thereupon, after prescribing such notice, if any, as it may deem proper, appoint a Relevant Trustee. The resigning Relevant Trustee shall have no liability for the selection of such successor pursuant to this Section 3.05.

(c) Subject to the approval of the Bankruptcy Court, the Institutional Trustee or the Delaware Trustee, or both of them, may be removed by a majority of the CVV Trustees. A Delaware Trustee who is a natural person may also be removed by a majority of the CVV Trustees if such Delaware Trustee becomes incompetent or incapacitated, and shall be deemed removed if such Delaware Trustee dies. If a Relevant Trustee shall be so removed, the CVV Trustees shall promptly appoint a successor Relevant Trustee or Trustees or Trustees shall comply with the applicable requirements of <u>Section 3.03</u> or <u>Section 3.04</u>, as the case may be. If no successor Relevant Trustee shall have been so appointed by the CVV Trustees and accepted appointment in the manner required by this <u>Section 3.05</u> within 30 days after delivery of notification of removal or after the Adelphia Recovery Trust receives notice of the Delaware Trustee's death, incompetence or incapacity, any CVV Holder who has been a holder of CVV Interests for at least six months may, on behalf of himself and all others similarly situated, or the Relevant Trustee being removed may, petition any court of competent jurisdiction for the appointment of a successor Relevant Trustee. All accrued fees and expenses of a Relevant Trustee that has been removed as a Trustee pursuant to this <u>Section 3.05</u> shall be paid to the Relevant Trustee within ten Business Days of removal.

(d) The CVV Trustees shall notify the Institutional Trustee of the appointment of a successor Relevant Trustee, whereupon the Institutional Trustee shall give notice of each appointment of a successor Relevant Trustee to all CVV Holders. Each notice shall include the name of the successor Relevant Trustee and the address of its Corporate Trust Office if it is the Institutional Trustee.

(e) In the case of the appointment hereunder of a successor Relevant Trustee, the retiring Relevant Trustee (except in the case of the death, incompetence or incapacity of a Delaware Trustee who is a natural person) and each successor Relevant Trustee shall execute and deliver an amendment hereto wherein each successor Relevant Trustee shall accept such appointment and which shall contain such provisions as shall be necessary or desirable to transfer and confirm to, and to vest in, each successor Relevant Trustee all the rights, powers and duties of the retiring Relevant Trustee with respect to the CVV Interests, the CVV Holders and the Adelphia Recovery Trust; upon the execution and delivery of such amendment the resignation or removal of the retiring Relevant Trustee shall become effective to the extent provided therein and each such successor Relevant Trustee, without any further act, deed or conveyance, shall become vested with all the rights, powers and duties of the retiring Relevant Trustee, such retiring Relevant Trustee shall duly assign, transfer and deliver to

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such successor Relevant Trustee all Trust Assets, all proceeds thereof and money held by such retiring Relevant Trustee hereunder with respect to the CVV Interests and the Adelphia Recovery Trust. In the case of the appointment of a successor Delaware Trustee, the Trustees shall file an amendment to the Certificate of Trust in accordance with Section 3810 of the Statutory Trust Act.

(f) No Relevant Trustee shall be liable for the acts or omissions to act of any successor Relevant Trustee validly appointed in accordance with the terms hereof.

(g) Any Person into which the Relevant Trustee, as the case may be, may be merged, amalgamated or converted or with which either may be consolidated, or any Person resulting from any merger, conversion or consolidation to which the Relevant Trustee shall be a party, or any Person succeeding to all or substantially all the corporate trust business of the Relevant Trustee shall be the successor of the Relevant Trustee hereunder, without the execution or filing of any paper or any further act on the part of any of the parties hereto; <u>provided</u> that such Person shall be otherwise qualified and eligible under this Article.

Section 3.06 <u>Vacancies Among Relevant Trustees; Effect of Vacancies</u>. The death, resignation, retirement, removal, bankruptcy, dissolution, liquidation, incompetence or incapacity to perform the duties of a Trustee shall not operate to dissolve, terminate or annul the Adelphia Recovery Trust. Whenever a vacancy in the Institutional Trustee or the Delaware Trustee shall occur, until such vacancy is filled by the appointment of a Trustee in accordance with <u>Section 3.05</u>, the Institutional Trustee or the Delaware Trustee (as the case may be) remaining in office shall have all the powers granted to both the Institutional Trustee and the Delaware Trustee and shall discharge all the duties imposed upon both the Institutional Trustee and the Delaware Trustee by this Declaration; <u>provided, however</u>, that the Institutional Trustee shall have the powers of the Delaware Trustee and shall discharge the duties imposed upon the Delaware Trustee is then able to fulfill the requirements of Section 3807 of the Statutory Trust Act.

#### Section 3.07 The CVV Trustees.

(a) There shall be at all times certain trustees (the "<u>CVV Trustees</u>") who shall be natural persons over the age of 21 years and who shall have the powers, duties and responsibilities of the CVV Trustees hereunder. The initial CVV Trustees shall be Bryan Bloom (appointed by Huff), Lee S. Hillman and Ralph J. Takala (appointed by the ACC Settling Parties), Dean A. Ziehl (appointed by Committee II), David P. Stowell (appointed by Committee II, Huff, and the ACC Settling Parties), and whose appointments were made in the manner set forth in the Plan. The Institutional Trustee shall be subject to oversight by the CVV Trustees.

(b) In compensation for his or her service as CVV Trustee, each CVV Trustee shall be entitled to the compensation set forth in <u>Schedule 1</u>. Upon appointment of a successor CVV Trustee by the remaining CVV Trustees pursuant to <u>Section 3.09</u>, such successor CVV Trustee shall receive compensation as determined by the other CVV Trustees (but in no event more than the highest fees or rate, or formula for fees payable to any other CVV Trustee).

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#### Section 3.08 Resignation or Removal of a CVV Trustee.

(a) Any CVV Trustee may resign as such by executing an instrument in writing and delivering that instrument, upon thirty (30) days' written notice, to the remaining CVV Trustee or Trustees, if any, and to the Institutional Trustee. In the event of the resignation of a CVV Trustee, such CVV Trustee shall promptly: (a) execute and deliver such documents, instruments and other writings as may be reasonably requested by the remaining CVV Trustees or CVV Trustee, or if there is no other CVV Trustee, the Institutional Trustee, to effect the termination of such CVV Trustee's capacity under this Declaration; (b) deliver to the remaining CVV Trustees or CVV Trustee, all assets, documents, instruments, records and other writings related to the Adelphia Recovery Trust as may be in the possession of such Trustee; and (c) otherwise assist and cooperate in effecting the assumption of such CVV Trustee's obligations and functions by his successor CVV Trustee.

(b) Any CVV Trustee shall be removed only by (i) the Person(s) who appointed such CVV Trustee, or (ii) Bankruptcy Court order made after such notice and a hearing as the Bankruptcy Court may direct. Any motion to remove a CVV Trustee shall be for cause shown and can only be brought by the Creditors Committee.

#### Section 3.09 Appointment of Successor CVV Trustees.

(a) Subject to <u>Section 3.10(b)</u>, there shall be no fewer than five CVV Trustees. Upon the death, resignation, removal or incompetency (determined by a court of competent jurisdiction) of a CVV Trustee, the applicable Person(s) who initially appointed such CVV Trustee shall have the authority to appoint a successor CVV Trustee in place of such CVV Trustee, <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that if such Person(s) do not make such appointment(s) within 40 days of such death, resignation, removal or determination of incompetency, a majority of the remaining CVV Trustees shall have the power to appoint a successor CVV Trustee or Trustees, as applicable. If a successor CVV Trustee has not been appointed within 60 days of such written notice required under <u>Section 3.09</u>, the remaining CVV Trustees may petition the Bankruptcy Court to appoint a successor CVV Trustees so that there are no remaining CVV Trustees, subject to the second sentence of this <u>Section 3.09(a)</u>, five CVV Trustees shall be appointed by the Bankruptcy Court upon the motion of the Delaware Trustee or Institutional Trustee.

Any appointment of a successor CVV Trustee hereunder shall specify the date on which such appointment shall be effective. Every successor CVV Trustee appointed hereunder shall execute, acknowledge and deliver to the remaining CVV Trustees (or, in the event there are no remaining CVV Trustees, the CVV Holders in accordance with the provisions of <u>Section 13.02(d)</u>) and to the Institutional Trustee an instrument accepting such appointment, and thereupon such successor CVV Trustee, without any further act, deed or conveyance, shall become vested with all the rights, powers and duties of a CVV Trustee. No successor CVV Trustee shall have any duty to investigate the administration of the Adelphia Recovery Trust or the management of the Trust Assets for any period prior to the effective date of such successor CVV Trustee's appointment, and no resigning CVV Trustee shall be required or permitted, prior to final termination of the Causes of Action included in the Contributed Assets (including any proceedings to collect any recovery due the CVV Trustees), to file any accounting proceeding.

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(b) The CVV Holders will have no right to vote to appoint, remove or replace the CVV Trustees, which rights are vested exclusively in the CVV Trustees and, solely to the extent set forth in <u>Section 3.09(a)</u> and <u>Section 3.08(b)</u>, the Bankruptcy Court.

#### Section 3.10 Meetings of the Trustees.

(a) Meetings of the Delaware Trustee, the Institutional Trustee and the CVV Trustees together may be held from time to time upon the request of the Delaware Trustee, Institutional Trustee or any CVV Trustee. Notice of any in-person meetings of the Trustees shall be hand delivered or otherwise delivered by the Trustee that has called such meeting to the other Trustees in writing (including by facsimile, with a hard copy by overnight mail) not less than five Business Days before such meeting. Notice of any telephonic meetings of such Trustees shall be delivered by the Trustee that has called such meeting to the other Trustees in writing (including by facsimile, with a hard copy by overnight mail) not less than two Business Days before a meeting. Notice shall contain a brief statement of the time, place and anticipated purposes of the meeting. The presence (whether in person or by telephone) of a Trustee at a meeting shall constitute a waiver of notice of such meeting except where such Trustee attends a meeting for the express purpose of objecting to the transaction of any activity on the ground that the meeting has not been lawfully called or convened. Any Trustee may also waive such notice of in-person or telephonic meetings in writing by delivering (including by facsimile, with a hard copy by overnight mail) such written waiver to all other Trustees. Unless provided otherwise in this Declaration and subject to <u>Section 3.05(c)</u> hereof, any action to be taken by the Institutional Trustee together with the CVV Trustees shall be taken with the approval of the Institutional Trustees.

(b) The CVV Trustees may adopt their own rules and procedures but, unless otherwise provided by this Declaration, may act only with the agreement of the majority of the CVV Trustees; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that if there are fewer than three CVV Trustees, any action taken by the unanimous consent of the two remaining CVV Trustees or by the sole remaining CVV Trustee prior to the appointment of a successor CVV Trustee pursuant to <u>Section 3.09</u>, shall be valid. The CVV Trustees may, in their discretion, delegate to one or more of the CVV Trustees or to the Plan Administrator the authority to act on behalf of the CVV Trustees as the CVV Trustees may determine appropriate.

# Section 3.11 Powers and Duties of the Trustees.

(a) Subject to Article IX of the Plan and any limitations set forth in <u>Section 2.05</u>, the CVV Trustees shall have the full power and authority to take all actions necessary or appropriate to fulfill the purpose of the Adelphia Recovery Trust, including, but not limited to, the retention of professionals and the appointment of officers or other agents, deemed by the CVV Trustees to be necessary or appropriate (i) to protect, maintain, liquidate to cash, and maximize the value of the transferred Causes of Action, whether by litigation, settlement or otherwise, (ii) to comply with the reporting requirements of the Exchange Act, if applicable, and (iii) to prepare and make available to the CVV Holders periodic reports regarding the results of the Adelphia Recovery Trust's operations.

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(b) The CVV Trustees shall, with the goal of maximizing the reasonably expected present value of the Recovery less the costs of the Causes of Action included in the Contributed Assets, including in such costs the Bank Lender Post-Effective Date Fee Claims, in an expeditious but orderly manner, liquidate and convert to cash the Trust Assets, administer any cash received in connection therewith, make timely distributions therefrom in accordance with the Plan and this Declaration and not unduly prolong the duration of the Adelphia Recovery Trust. The liquidation of the Adelphia Recovery Trust assets may be accomplished, in the CVV Trustees' reasonable business judgment, subject to the oversight of the Bankruptcy Court, through, <u>inter alia</u>, the prosecution, compromise, settlement, dismissal and/or abandonment of the Causes of Action that are Trust Assets. In furtherance of <u>Section 2.03(a)(ii)</u> of this Declaration and Section 9.2 of the Plan, the Trustees shall take such actions (if any) as are necessary or appropriate to perfect the rights of the Adelphia Recovery Trust as successor-in-interest to the Debtors to the Causes of Action that are Trust Assets (subject to the rights expressly retained by the Debtors under this Declaration and the Plan).

(c) The Institutional Trustee and the CVV Trustees shall have the authority to enter into all transactions and agreements determined by such Trustees to be appropriate in exercising the authority, express or implied, otherwise granted to such Trustees under this Declaration (in the case of the Institutional Trustee, as directed by the CVV Trustees), and to perform all acts in furtherance thereof (and all such transactions or agreements entered into or acts performed prior to the date hereof are hereby ratified and approved), including, without limitation, those set forth in the following subsections (d), (e) and (f).

(d) The Institutional Trustee and the Delaware Trustee shall be paid all reasonable and documented fees and expenses, including legal fees, relating to the performance of their duties under this Declaration. To the extent not paid, such fees and expenses shall be paid from the Trust Assets held under this Declaration.

(e) The CVV Trustees shall have the power and authority and are authorized to act on behalf of the Adelphia Recovery Trust with respect to the following matters and shall have such other powers and authority as provided in this Declaration, the Plan and the Confirmation Order:

(i) causing the Adelphia Recovery Trust in their sole discretion to retain such law firms, accounting firms, experts, advisors, consultants, investigators, appraisers, auctioneers or other professionals (collectively, the "<u>Professionals</u>") or other employees or agents as they may deem necessary, or the Plan Administrator, on reasonable terms and conditions of employment or retention, to aid in the performance of their responsibilities pursuant to the terms of this Declaration and the Plan including the prosecution of the Causes of Action included in the Contributed Assets and the liquidation and distribution of Trust Assets; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that in no event shall the Adelphia Recovery Trust hire any one or more employees to the extent any such hiring would result in the Adelphia Recovery Trust engaging in or conducting, or being deemed to engage in or conduct, a trade or business contrary to Section 2.05;

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(ii) causing the Adelphia Recovery Trust to pay from the Litigation Prosecution Fund or proceeds of the Causes of Action included in the Contributed Assets all costs and expenses incurred in connection with the prosecution of the Causes of Action included in the Contributed Assets and the administration of the Adelphia Recovery Trust, including (a) fees and expenses of Professionals, (b) out-of-pocket expenses of the Plan Administrator or Debtors related to their performing functions for the Adelphia Recovery Trust at the request of the CVV Trustees, (c) taxes, bank charges, filing and registration fees, postage, telephone, facsimile, copying and messenger costs and secretarial and administrative costs attendant to the administration and maintenance of the Adelphia Recovery Trust and the responsibilities of the Trustees hereunder, (d) the fees of the Trustees, (e) the reasonable out-of-pocket expenses of the CVV Trustees, (f) applicable insurance, including, but not limited to, directors and officers insurance, and (g) any Indemnification Advances;

(iii) the execution of any documents and taking of any other actions related to, or in connection with, the acceptance of the contribution of, and the liquidation of, the Trust Assets and the exercise of the CVV Trustees' powers granted herein and in the Plan;

(iv) protecting and enforcing the rights to the Trust Assets vested in the CVV Trustees and the Adelphia Recovery Trust by this Declaration by any method deemed appropriate including by judicial proceedings or pursuant to any applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, moratorium or similar law and general principles of equity;

(v) filing any and all tax returns with respect to the Adelphia Recovery Trust and paying taxes properly payable by the Adelphia Recovery Trust, if any, and making distributions to the CVV Holders net of such taxes and applicable withholdings;

(vi) in the event that the CVV Trustees determine that the CVV Holders or the Adelphia Recovery Trust may, will or have become subject to adverse tax consequences, taking such actions that will, or are intended to, alleviate such adverse tax consequences;

(vii) the issuance, cancellation and re-issue of CVV Certificates issued in accordance with this Declaration;

(viii) making all necessary filings in accordance with any applicable law, statute or regulation, and, in consultation with counsel, seek any advice or determination that may be necessary or appropriate under such laws;

(ix) the execution and filing of all periodic and other forms, reports and other filings required under the Exchange Act, and compliance with all applicable federal and state securities laws;

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(xi) maintaining the value of the Trust Assets, <u>provided</u> that, the investment powers of the CVV Trustees shall be limited to those that are reasonably necessary to maintain the value of the assets held by the Adelphia Recovery Trust and to further the purposes of resolving the Causes of Action and distributing the proceeds to the CVV Holders, but otherwise such powers of investment shall be limited to demand and time deposits, such as short term certificate of deposits in banks or other savings institutions or "Government Securities" within the meaning of Section 3(a)(1)(C) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (the "Investment Company Act");

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(xii) to cause valuations of the property transferred to and held by the Adelphia Recovery Trust to be made, and such valuations shall be required to be used by the Adelphia Recovery Trust and by the CVV Holders for all United States federal income tax purposes.

(xiii) the taking of any action to cause the Adelphia Recovery Trust not to be deemed to be an Investment Company under the Investment Company Act;

(xiv) to the extent provided in this Declaration, the winding up of the affairs of and liquidation of the Adelphia Recovery Trust and the execution and filing of the certificate of cancellation with the Secretary of State of the State of Delaware; and

(xv) the taking of any other actions necessary or desirable to carry out any of the purposes of the Adelphia Recovery Trust, including, but not limited to, incurring indebtedness to carry out the functions of the Adelphia Recovery Trust.

(xvi) To oversee and monitor the Plan Administrator to the extent provided in the Plan and the Plan Administrator Agreement.

(f) The Institutional Trustee shall have the power, duty and authority and is hereby authorized to act on behalf of the Adelphia Recovery Trust with respect to the following matters:

(i) the authentication of the CVV Certificates in accordance with <u>Section 6.01(b)</u>;

(ii) the distribution through the Paying Agent of the CVV Distributions and other amounts owed to the CVV Holders in respect of the CVV Certificates in accordance with the terms of this Declaration;

(iii) the execution and delivery of letters or documents to, or instruments with, the Depositary relating to the CVV Certificates;

(iv) the taking of all actions that may be necessary or appropriate for the preservation and the continuation of the Adelphia Recovery Trust's valid existence, rights, franchises and privileges as a statutory trust under the laws of the State of Delaware and, to the extent specifically directed in written notice(s) provided to it by the CVV Trustees, of each other jurisdiction in which such existence is necessary, to protect the limited liability of the CVV Holders or to enable the Adelphia Recovery Trust to effect the Adelphia Recovery Trust purposes as described in <u>Section 2.05</u>;

(v) the taking of all actions and performance of such duties as may be specifically required of the Institutional Trustee pursuant to the terms of the CVV Certificates; and

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(vi) the taking of any action incidental to the foregoing as the Institutional Trustee may from time to time determine to be necessary or advisable to give effect to the terms of this Declaration for the benefit of the CVV Holders (without consideration of the effect of any such action on any particular CVV Holder).

(g) The Institutional Trustee shall undertake to perform only such duties as are specifically set forth in this Declaration and no implied covenants shall be read into this Declaration against the Institutional Trustee. The Institutional Trustee shall have the power and authority to act on behalf of the Adelphia Recovery Trust with respect to any of the duties, liabilities, powers or the authority of the CVV Trustees set forth in <u>Section 3.11(c)</u> herein but shall not have a duty to do any such act unless specifically requested to do so in writing by the CVV Trustees, and shall then be fully protected in acting pursuant to such written request; and in the event of a conflict between the action of the CVV Trustees and the action of the Institutional Trustee, the action of the CVV Trustees shall prevail.

(h) The Trustees are authorized and directed to conduct the affairs of the Adelphia Recovery Trust and to operate the Adelphia Recovery Trust so that the Adelphia Recovery Trust will not fail to be classified as a liquidating trust as described in Treasury Regulations Section 301-7701-4(d) and as a grantor trust for United States federal income tax purposes. In this connection, the Trustees are authorized to take any action, not inconsistent with applicable laws, the Certificate of Trust or this Declaration, as amended from time to time, that the Institutional Trustee or the CVV Trustees, as the case may be, determine in their discretion to be necessary or desirable for such purpose, even if such action adversely affects the interests of the CVV Holders. The CVV Trustees may retain counsel (which may be counsel to the Adelphia Recovery Trust) and outside advisors that they reasonably believe to be experts with respect to the foregoing tax matters, and the Trustees shall be deemed to have satisfied the provisions of this <u>Section 3.11</u> (<u>h</u>) by employing such expert(s) for such purpose and by following the advice of such experts in connection with the foregoing, and the Trustees shall not be liable for any actions taken or not taken at the direction of such expert(s).

(i) The CVV Trustees may consult with counsel (which counsel may be counsel to the Adelphia Recovery Trust), outside consultants, advisors and other Persons as to matters the CVV Trustees reasonably believe are within such other Person's professional or expert competence, and the advice of such Persons shall be full and complete authorization and protection in respect of any action taken, suffered or omitted by them hereunder in good faith reliance on such advise. All oral or written communications between any such counsel on the one hand, and the Debtors, the Adelphia Recovery Trust, any Trustee any of their Affiliates, or any successor entity or any Affiliate of any successor entity, on the other hand, will be protected by the attorney-client privilege and/or the attorney work product doctrine, and no such communication will result in the waiver of any applicable claim of confidentiality or privilege.

(j) Any Trustee may also be a CVV Holder or an officer, director, employee or Affiliate of a CVV Holder, and will have all the rights of such a CVV Holder to the same extent as if such Trustee were not a Trustee.

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(k) The CVV Trustees are authorized to delegate their powers, rights and functions to the Plan Administrator, including, but not limited to, bookkeeping, accounting, financial reporting and other administrative functions of the Adelphia Recovery Trust pursuant to the Plan Administrator Agreement or such other agreement entered into on behalf of the Debtors or the Plan Administrator, as applicable, and the Adelphia Recovery Trust.

(1) If and to the extent required to qualify and maintain qualification as a liquidating trust as described in Treasury Regulation Section 301.7701-4(d), the CVV Trustees will not take any action to cause the Adelphia Recovery Trust to be treated as a publicly traded partnership within the meaning of Section 7704 of the Tax Code, including any action to cause the CVV Interests, or any of them, to be traded on an established securities market or to be readily tradable on a secondary market or the substantial equivalent thereof.

#### Section 3.12 Certain Duties and Responsibilities of the Trustees.

(a) The duties and responsibilities of the Trustees shall be as provided by this Declaration and the Statutory Trust Act. Notwithstanding the foregoing, no provision of this Declaration shall require any Trustee to expend or risk such Trustee's own funds or otherwise incur any financial liability in the performance of any of such Trustee's duties hereunder, or in the exercise of any of such Trustee's rights or powers. Whether or not therein expressly so provided, every provision of this Declaration relating to the conduct or affecting the liability of or affording protection to the Trustees shall be subject to the provisions of this Article. To the extent that, at law or in equity, a Trustee has duties and liabilities relating to the Adelphia Recovery Trust, to the CVV Holders, to holders of Claims or Equity Interests pursuant to the Plan, or as otherwise set forth in the Plan Administrator Agreement, such Trustee shall not be liable to the Adelphia Recovery Trust or to any CVV Holder for such Trustee's good faith reliance on the provisions of this Declaration.

(b) All CVV Distributions made by the Institutional Trustee or a Paying Agent in respect of the CVV Interests shall be made only after all reasonable and documented fees and expenses of the Delaware Trustee and the Institutional Trustee have been paid and only from (i) payments received by the Adelphia Recovery Trust from the resolution of Causes of Action so as to enable the Institutional Trustee or a Paying Agent to make payments in accordance with the terms hereof and (ii) proceeds from the liquidation of other assets of the Adelphia Recovery Trust upon the winding up of the Adelphia Recovery Trust. Each CVV Holder, by its acceptance of a CVV Interest, agrees that it will look solely to the CVV Distributions to the extent legally available for distribution to it as herein provided and that the Trustees are not personally liable to such CVV Holder for any amount distributable in respect of any CVV Certificate or for any other liability in respect of any CVV Certificate.

(c) The Institutional Trustee, based on its capacity as such, shall have no liability to any other Trust Indemnified Persons, based on their capacity as such, unless it shall be established that any decision or action of the Institutional Trustee was undertaken in bad faith, in a grossly negligent manner, or as a result of willful misconduct. No provision of this Declaration shall be construed to relieve the Institutional Trustee from liability with respect to matters that are within the authority of the Institutional Trustee under this Declaration for its own bad faith, gross negligence or willful misconduct, except that:

(i) the Institutional Trustee shall not be liable for any error or judgment made in good faith by an Authorized Officer of the Institutional Trustee, unless it shall be proved that the Institutional Trustee was grossly negligent in ascertaining the pertinent facts or acted in bad faith or engaged in willful misconduct;

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(ii) the Institutional Trustee shall not be liable with respect to any action taken or omitted to be taken by it in good faith in accordance with the direction of the CVV Trustees relating to the time, method and place of conducting any proceeding for any remedy available to the Institutional Trustee, or exercising any power conferred upon the Institutional Trustee under this Declaration;

(iii) the Institutional Trustee's sole duty with respect to the custody, safekeeping and physical preservation of CVV Distributions shall be to deal with such property in a similar manner as the Institutional Trustee deals with similar property for its own account, subject to the provisions regarding protections and limitations on liability afforded to the Institutional Trustee under this Declaration; and

(iv) the Institutional Trustee shall not be liable for any interest on any money received by it except as it may otherwise agree in writing with the CVV Trustees; and money held by the Institutional Trustee need not be segregated from other funds held by it except to the extent otherwise required by law.

#### Section 3.13 Certain Rights of the Institutional Trustee. Subject to the provisions of Section 3.12:

(a) the Institutional Trustee may conclusively rely and shall fully be protected in acting or refraining from acting in good faith upon any resolution, opinion of counsel, certificate, written representation of a CVV Holder, transferee or CVV Trustee, certificate of auditors or any other certificate, statement, instrument, opinion, report, notice, request, direction, consent, order, approval, CVV Certificate, bond, debenture, note, other evidence of indebtedness or other paper or document believed by it to be genuine and to have been signed, sent or presented by the proper party or parties;

(b) if (i) in performing its duties under this Declaration, the Institutional Trustee is required to decide between alternative courses of action, or (ii) in construing any of the provisions of this Declaration, the Institutional Trustee finds the same ambiguous or inconsistent with any other provisions contained herein, or (iii) the Institutional Trustee is unsure of the application of any provision of this Declaration, then, except as to any matter as to which the CVV Trustees have directed the Institutional Trustee, the Institutional Trustee shall take such action, or refrain from taking such action, as the Institutional Trustee in its sole discretion shall deem advisable and in the best interests of the CVV Holders or the Adelphia Recovery Trust, as applicable, in which event the Institutional Trustee shall have no liability except for its own bad faith, gross negligence or willful misconduct as more fully described in <u>Section 3.12(c)</u> herein;

(c) Reserved;

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(d) the Institutional Trustee may consult with counsel and the advice of such counsel shall be full and complete authorization and protection in respect of any action taken, suffered or omitted by it hereunder in good faith and in reliance thereon and in accordance with such advice; the Institutional Trustee shall have the right at any time to seek instructions concerning the administration of this Declaration from the Bankruptcy Court. All oral or written communications between any such counsel on the one hand, and Adelphia Recovery Trust, any Trustee, any of their affiliates, or any successor entity or any affiliate of any successor entity, on the other hand, will be protected by the attorney-client privilege and/or the attorney work product doctrine, and no such communication will result in the waiver of any applicable claim of confidentiality or privilege;

#### (e) Reserved;

(f) the Institutional Trustee shall not be required to make any investigation into the facts or matters stated in any resolution, certificate, statement, instrument, opinion, report, notice, request, consent, order, approval, CVV Certificate, bond, debenture, note or other evidence of indebtedness or other paper or document, unless requested in writing to do so by the CVV Trustees, but the Institutional Trustee may make such further inquiry or investigation into such facts or matters as it may see fit;

(g) except as otherwise expressly provided in this Declaration, the Institutional Trustee shall not be under any obligation to take any action that is discretionary under the provisions of this Declaration;

(h) any action taken by the Institutional Trustee or its agents authorized by this Declaration to be taken by the Institutional Trustee shall bind the Adelphia Recovery Trust and the CVV Holders, and the signature of the Institutional Trustee or its agents alone shall be sufficient and effective to perform any such action and no third party shall be required to inquire as to the authority of the Institutional Trustee to so act or as to its compliance with any of the terms and provisions of this Declaration, both of which shall be conclusively evidenced by the Institutional Trustee's or its agent's taking such action;

(i) no provision of this Declaration shall be deemed to impose any duty or obligation on the Institutional Trustee to perform any act or acts or exercise any right, power, duty or obligation conferred or imposed on it, in any jurisdiction in which it shall be illegal, or in which the Institutional Trustee shall be unqualified or incompetent in accordance with applicable law, to perform any such act or acts, or to exercise any such right, power, duty or obligation. No permissive power or authority available to the Institutional Trustee shall be construed to be a duty;

(j) whenever in the administration of the provisions of this Declaration the Institutional Trustee shall deem it necessary or desirable that a matter be proved or established prior to taking or suffering any action to be taken hereunder, such matter (unless other evidence in respect thereof be herein specifically prescribed) may, in the absence of gross negligence or bad faith on the part of the Institutional Trustee, be deemed to be conclusively proved and established by an Officer's Certificate delivered to the Institutional Trustee, as more fully described in <u>Section 3.12(c)</u> herein, shall be full warrant to the Institutional Trustee for any action taken, suffered or omitted by it under the provisions of this Declaration upon the faith thereof;

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(k) in no event shall the Institutional Trustee be liable for the selection of investments for funds permitted to be invested hereunder or for investment losses thereon, and the Institutional Trustee shall have no liability in respect of losses incurred as a result of the liquidation of any investment prior to its stated maturity or the failure of the CVV Trustees to provide timely written investment direction with respect to funds permitted to be invested hereunder; and

(1) the Institutional Trustee may execute any of its powers hereunder or perform any duties hereunder either directly or by or through agents, attorneys, custodians or nominees appointed with due care.

#### Section 3.14 Lists of CVV Holders.

(a) As promptly as reasonably practicable following the Effective Date, the CVV Trustees shall provide to the Institutional Trustee a list (the "<u>List of Holders</u>"), in such form as the Institutional Trustee may reasonably require, of the names and addresses of the CVV Holders as of the Effective Date;

(b) the Paying Agent, if other than the Institutional Trustee, shall provide to the Institutional Trustee a List of Holders upon the request of the Institutional Trustee; and

(c) except as provided in (a) and (b) above, the Institutional Trustee and the Paying Agent shall not be required to provide a List of Holders to any party other than as directed by the CVV Trustees; and

(d) the Institutional Trustee shall preserve, in as current a form as is reasonably practicable, all information contained in any List of Holders given to it or which it receives in its capacity as Paying Agent (if acting in such capacity), <u>provided</u> that the Institutional Trustee may destroy any List of Holders previously given to it on receipt of a new List of Holders.

#### Section 3.15 Reserved.

Section 3.16 <u>Not Responsible for Recitals or Issuance of CVV Certificates</u>. The recitals contained in this Declaration and the CVV Certificates shall be taken as the statements of the Adelphia Recovery Trust, and the Trustees do not assume any responsibility for their correctness. The Trustees make no representations as to the value or condition of the Trust Assets or any part thereof. Except as otherwise specifically provided herein, the Trustees make no representations as to the validity or sufficiency of this Declaration or the CVV Certificates.

Section 3.17 <u>Filings With the Commission</u>. At any time that the Adelphia Recovery Trust is subject to the reporting obligations of the Exchange Act, the CVV Trustees shall, on behalf of the Adelphia Recovery Trust, cause to be prepared, executed and filed all reports and documents required to be filed with the Commission, including, without limitation, quarterly reports on Form 10-Q and an annual report on Form 10-K. Unless otherwise required

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by the Commission, such reports will contain only an overview of the status of the Designated Litigation and disclosure of the amounts that have been expended for the relevant period and any contingent or incurred but unpaid expenses (including compensation deferred by the CVV Trustees) that the Adelphia Recovery Trust will be obligated to pay in the future. The CVV Trustees shall also, on behalf of the Adelphia Recovery Trust, cause to be prepared, executed and filed with the Commission, reports on Form 8-K upon the occurrence of a material judicial or arbitral decision in the Causes of Action included in the Trust Assets or in the event of any agreement to settle the Causes of Action included in the Trust Assets.

#### ARTICLE IV

#### CVV Distributions

#### Section 4.01 CVV Distributions to CVV Holders.

(a) The Adelphia Recovery Trust will make CVV Distributions (if any) to the CVV Holders annually to the extent provided in Section 9.4(f) of the Plan and from time to time at the direction of the CVV Trustees. On each applicable payment date specified by the CVV Trustees pursuant to <u>Section 4.02</u>, <u>provided</u> that the Institutional Trustee has received notice no later than five (5) Business Days prior to such date of (i) such date and the amount of the CVV Distribution from the CVV Trustees and (ii) the applicable account name, number and other applicable information from the Paying Agent, the Institutional Trustee shall transfer such CVV Distribution to such account of the Paying Agent, and the Paying Agent shall promptly make the applicable payments to the CVV Holders.

(b) The Adelphia Recovery Trust will make CVV Distributions net of any professional fees, costs or expenses (including, without limitation, any taxes) incurred or reserved by the CVV Trustees in connection with administering, litigating or otherwise resolving the Causes of Action owned by the Adelphia Recovery Trust, including, without limitation, net of all expenses and obligations hereunder other than any obligation to make CVV Distributions.

(c) No CVV Distribution shall be required to be made hereunder to any CVV Holder unless such holder is to receive in such distribution at least \$25.00 per CVV Certificate or unless such distribution is the final distribution to such holder pursuant to the Plan and this Declaration. Any such distribution not made in accordance with the provisions of this <u>Section 4.01(c)</u> shall be retained by the Institutional Trustee and shall be held in trust for the relevant CVV Holder until the date the next distribution is scheduled to be made to such CVV Holder.

(d) <u>Priority</u>. Any CVV Distributions shall be paid to the CVV Holders in accordance with the other terms hereof and the priority and liquidation preferences of the CVV Interests as set forth in Section 9.3 of the Plan.

Section 4.02 <u>Timing of Payments</u>. The Adelphia Recovery Trust will make payments of amounts as contemplated by <u>Section 4.01</u> to the CVV Holders as of record dates determined by the CVV Trustees. Payment will be made on payment dates, which will also be set by the CVV Trustees; <u>provided that</u> the Adelphia Recovery Trust is required to distribute at least annually to the CVV Holders its net income and all net proceeds from the sale or other

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disposition of assets held by the Adelphia Recovery Trust, other than an amount of net income or proceeds reasonably necessary to maintain the value of the Trust Assets or to meet claims and contingent liabilities. The CVV Trustees shall promptly notify the Institutional Trustee and the Paying Agent in writing of any such dates.

Section 4.03 <u>Expenses</u>. The CVV Trustees on behalf of the Adelphia Recovery Trust shall have the right to draw on the funds of the Adelphia Recovery Trust for the purpose of funding any expenses of the Adelphia Recovery Trust, including fees and expenses of the Institutional Trustee and the Delaware Trustee, administration expenses, taxes, expenses of the Causes of Action included in the Contributed Assets, compensation, fees and expenses of the Trustees, amounts paid as indemnity to any Trust Indemnified Persons, premiums for insurance (including, but not limited to, directors and officers insurance) for the CVV Trustees, and fees and expenses of attorneys, consultants and other experts retained by, or at the direction of, the CVV Trustees.

#### ARTICLE V

#### Standard of Conduct, Indemnification and Exculpation

#### Section 5.01 Limitation on Liability of the Trustees and CVV Holders.

(a) Except as expressly set forth in this Declaration, the Trustees and CVV Holders shall not be:

(i) personally liable for the payment of any amounts to the CVV Holders, or holders of Claims or Equity Interests under the Plan, which payments shall be made solely from the Trust Assets, if any, or

(ii) required to pay to the Adelphia Recovery Trust or to any CVV Holder or holders of Claims or Equity Interests under the Plan, any deficit upon dissolution of the Adelphia Recovery Trust or otherwise.

(b) Pursuant to ss. 3803(a) of the Statutory Trust Act, the CVV Holders shall be entitled to the same limitation of personal liability extended to stockholders of private corporations for profit organized under the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware.

#### Section 5.02 Exculpation.

(a) To the fullest extent permitted by law, no Trust Indemnified Person shall be liable, responsible or accountable in damages or otherwise to the Adelphia Recovery Trust, any Trust Indemnified Person, any holder of Claims or Equity Interests under the Plan, or any CVV Holder for any loss, damage or claim incurred by reason of any act or omission performed or omitted by such Trust Indemnified Person, including, but not limited to, any loss, damage or claim incurred as a result of the prosecution or settlement of the Causes of Action included in the Contributed Assets or the enforcement of any determinations, judgments or orders made with respect thereto, including but not limited to any decision, determination or approval by the CVV Trustees regarding the prosecution, disposition, settlement, resolution or liquidation of any such Cause of Action, <u>except that</u> (i) the CVV Trustees (or any subset thereof,

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as applicable) shall be liable for any such loss, damage or claim incurred by reason of any act or omission performed or omitted by them, if it shall be established in a final judicial determination by clear and convincing evidence that any such act or omission of the CVV Trustees (or any subset thereof, as applicable) was undertaken with deliberate intent to injure the CVV Holders or with reckless disregard for the best interests of such CVV Holders and, in any event, any liability will be limited to actual, proximate, quantifiable damages, and (ii) the Institutional Trustee or the Delaware Trustee shall be liable for any such loss, damage or claim incurred by reason of the Institutional Trustee's or Delaware Trustee's (as the case may be) gross negligence, willful misconduct or bad faith with respect to such acts or omissions as more fully described in <u>Section 3.12(c)</u> herein, <u>provided</u> that nothing in this <u>Section 5.02</u> is intended to limit the CVV Trustees' right to insurance obtained by the Adelphia Recovery Trust and the proceeds of such insurance.

(a) A Trust Indemnified Person shall be fully protected in relying in good faith upon the records of the Adelphia Recovery Trust and upon such information, opinions, reports or statements presented to the Adelphia Recovery Trust by any Person as to matters the Trust Indemnified Person reasonably believes are within such other Person's professional or expert competence and, if selected by such Trust Indemnified Person, has been selected by such Trust Indemnified Person with reasonable care by or on behalf of the Adelphia Recovery Trust, including information, opinions, reports or statements as to the value and amount of the assets, liabilities, profits, losses, or any other facts pertinent to the existence and amount of assets from which payment to CVV Holders might properly be paid.

#### Section 5.03 Indemnification.5

(a) The Adelphia Recovery Trust shall indemnify, to the fullest extent permitted by law, any Trust Indemnified Person in connection with any threatened, pending or completed action, suit, proceeding or claim, whether civil, criminal, administrative or investigative, arising out of or relating to the Adelphia Recovery Trust, the CVV Interests, the issuance or distribution of the CVV Certificates, the Causes of Action included in the Contributed Assets, including, but not limited to, in connection with the prosecution or settlement of such Causes of Action or the enforcement of any determination, judgment or order with respect thereto, including, but not limited to any decision, determination or approval by the CVV Trustees regarding the prosecution, disposition, settlement, resolution or liquidation of any such Cause of Action, or any acts or omissions of the Adelphia Recovery Trust, or actions taken by the CVV Trustees in their capacity or purportedly in their capacity as Trustees, against any and all losses, liabilities, damages, judgments, demands, suits, claims, assessments, charges, fines, penalties and other costs and expenses, including attorneys' fees and expenses and other fees and expenses associated with the defense of a claim or incurred by such Trust Indemnified Person in obtaining indemnification under this Declaration, whether or not in a formal proceeding (collectively, "Damages").

(b) Notwithstanding the preceding paragraph (a), no indemnification shall apply (i) in the case of the indemnification of the CVV Trustees, if it is established in a final judicial determination by clear and convincing evidence that such Damages arose as the result of acts or omissions of the CVV Trustees with deliberate intent to injure the CVV Holders or with reckless disregard for the best interests of such CVV Holders, or (ii) in the case of the indemnification of the Delaware Trustee or the Institutional Trustee, if it

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is established in a final judicial determination that such Damages arose because of such Trustee's gross negligence, willful misconduct or bad faith subject to <u>Section 3.12(c)</u> herein. The termination of any action, suit or proceeding by judgment, order, settlement, conviction, or upon a plea of nolo contendere or its equivalent, shall not, of itself, create a presumption that (i) the CVV Trustees acted or decided with deliberate intent to injure the CVV Holders or with reckless disregard for the best interests of such CVV Holders or (ii) the Delaware Trustee or Institutional Trustee was grossly negligent or engaged in willful misconduct or acted in bad faith.

(c) To the fullest extent permitted by law, expenses (including attorneys' fees and expenses) incurred by a Trust Indemnified Person in defending a civil, criminal, administrative or investigative action, suit, proceeding or claim referred to in <u>Section 5.03(a)</u> shall be paid by the Adelphia Recovery Trust in advance (the "<u>Indemnification Advances</u>") of the final disposition of such action, suit, proceeding or claim promptly upon receipt of an undertaking (without bond or security) by or on behalf of such Trust Indemnified Person to repay such amount if it shall ultimately be determined that he is not entitled to be indemnified by the Adelphia Recovery Trust as authorized in this <u>Section 5.03</u>.

(d) All rights to indemnification under this <u>Section 5.03</u> shall be deemed to be provided by a contract between the Adelphia Recovery Trust and each Person that constitutes a Trust Indemnified Person at any time while this <u>Section 5.03</u> is in effect. Any repeal or modification of this <u>Section 5.03</u> shall not affect any rights or obligations then existing.

(e) The Adelphia Recovery Trust shall purchase and maintain insurance to cover its indemnification obligations and any other liabilities of the CVV Trustees, including a tail insurance policy to provide insurance coverage for the CVV Trustees with same policy terms for 6 years following the termination of the CVV. The Adelphia Recovery Trust is authorized to use amounts from the Litigation Prosecution Fund (or amounts from other sources of Adelphia Recovery Trust) to pay for such insurance. Such insurance shall not limit the Adelphia Recovery Trust's obligation to indemnify the CVV Trustees as set forth herein.

(f) For purposes of this <u>Section 5.03</u>, references to "Adelphia Recovery Trust" shall include, in addition to the resulting or surviving entity, any constituent entity (including any constituent of a constituent) absorbed in a consolidation or merger involving the Adelphia Recovery Trust, so that any Person who is or was a director, trustee, officer, agent or employee of such constituent entity, or any Affiliate, partner, employee, representative, or agent of any of them, or is or was serving at the request of such constituent entity, shall stand in the same position under the provisions of this <u>Section 5.03</u> with respect to the resulting or surviving entity as he would have with respect to such constituent entity if its separate existence had continued.

(g) The indemnification and advancement of expenses provided by, or granted pursuant to, this <u>Section 5.03</u> shall continue as to a Person who has ceased to be a Trust Indemnified Person and shall inure to the benefit of the heirs, executors and administrators of such a Person.

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(h) To the extent the Plan Administrator, its affiliates and agents or any of their respective officers, directors and employees (the "<u>PA Indemnified Persons</u>"), perform any duties or functions for the Adelphia Recovery Trust at the request of the CVV Trustees in accordance with this Declaration, the Plan, or the Plan Administrator Agreement and at the request of, the CVV Trustees, the PA Indemnified Persons shall be indemnified by the Adelphia Recovery Trust in accordance with the Plan Administrator Agreement. Anything contained in this Declaration to the contrary notwithstanding, the PA Indemnified Persons shall constitute third party beneficiaries of the provisions of this clause (h).

In addition to the foregoing, the Adelphia Recovery Trust shall indemnify and hold harmless, to the fullest extent permitted by law and in accordance with Section 13.1(b) of the Plan, the directors, managers, employees and professionals of the Debtors in connection with (and advance the costs of defense in defending against) any threatened, pending or completed action, suit or proceeding, whether civil, criminal, administrative or investigative, arising out of or relating to the actions taken or omitted to be taken by the Plan Administrator in performing the Pre-Effective Date PA Duties.

#### ARTICLE VI

#### Issuance and Distribution of CVV Certificates

#### Section 6.01 General Provisions Regarding CVV Certificates.

(a) On the terms and subject to the conditions of this Declaration, in accordance with the terms of the Plan and the Confirmation Order, on the Effective Date or a date that is as soon as reasonably practicable after the Effective Date, the Adelphia Recovery Trust shall issue CVV Certificates substantially in the form of Exhibit A in the series and amounts, and to the recipients that are specified in the Plan; provided, however, that the Adelphia Recovery Trust shall (i) only issue CVV Certificates to the Holders of CVV Tradable Interests, and (ii) shall not issue CVV Certificates to any Person other than such Persons as are specified in the Plan and their permitted transferees. On such date, the Adelphia Recovery Trust will deliver, or cause to be delivered to the Depositary, one or more Global CVV Certificates evidencing the CVV Tradable Interests.

(i) Each series of the CVV Tradable Interests may, at the discretion of the CVV Trustees, be further subdivided or consolidated into smaller or larger number of units. Each unit within a series will represent the right to receive a pro rata portion of all distributions with respect to such series, and shall be subject to such other terms and conditions as may be specified by the CVV Trustees that are not inconsistent with the Plan, the Confirmation Order or this Declaration.

(ii) Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained herein, in lieu of issuing CVV Certificates, the Institutional Trustee may maintain a register of CVV Holders entitled to CVV Interests and mail to each such holder a statement indicating such CVV Holders' entitlement to a CVV Interest. A CVV Holder may request that any entitlement to a CVV Tradable Interest be evidenced by a CVV Certificate.

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(b) The CVV Certificates issued on the Effective Date shall be signed on behalf of the Adelphia Recovery Trust by any two of the CVV Trustees. Such signature shall be the facsimile or manual signature of such CVV Trustees. In case any CVV Trustee who shall have signed any of the CVV Certificates shall cease to be a CVV Trustee before the CVV Certificates so signed shall be delivered by the Adelphia Recovery Trust, such CVV Certificates nevertheless may be delivered as though the person who signed such CVV Certificates had not ceased to be a CVV Trustee; and any CVV Certificate may be signed on behalf of the Adelphia Recovery Trust, such DVV Certificates of such CVV Certificate, shall be a CVV Trustee of the Adelphia Recovery Trust, although at the date of the execution and delivery of this Declaration any such person was not a CVV Trustee. A CVV Certificate shall not be valid until authenticated by the manual signature of a Responsible Officer of the Institutional Trustee or the Authenticating Agent. Such signature shall be conclusive evidence that the CVV Certificate has been authenticated under this Declaration. Upon written order of the Adelphia Recovery Trust signed by any two of the CVV Trustees, the Institutional Trustee shall authenticate the CVV Certificates for original issue. The Institutional Trustee may appoint an authenticating agent (the "Authenticating Agent") acceptable to the CVV Trustees to authenticate the CVV Certificates.

(c) Upon issuance of the CVV Certificates as provided in this Declaration, the CVV Certificates so issued shall be deemed to be validly issued, fully paid and non-assessable.

(d) Every Person, by virtue of having become a CVV Holder in accordance with the terms of this Declaration, shall be deemed to have expressly assented and agreed to the terms of, and shall be bound by, this Declaration.

Section 6.02 Paying Agent, Transfer Agent and Registrar. The Adelphia Recovery Trust shall maintain in the city of Wilmington, Delaware, an office or agency where the CVV Certificates may be presented for payment (the "Paying Agent"), and an office or agency where CVV Certificates may be presented for registration of transfer (the "Transfer Agent"). The Adelphia Recovery Trust shall keep or cause to be kept at such office or agency a register for the purpose of registering CVV Certificates and transfers and exchanges of CVV Certificates, such register to be held by a registrar (the "Registrar"). The CVV Trustees may appoint the Paying Agent, the Registrar, and the Transfer Agent and may appoint one or more additional Paying Agents or one or more co-Registrars, or one or more co-Transfer Agents in such other locations as they shall determine. The term "Paying Agent" includes any additional paying agent, the term "Registrar" includes any additional registrar or co Registrar and the term "Transfer Agent" includes any additional registrar or co Registrar and the term "Transfer Agent" includes any additional or co-Transfer Agent. The CVV Trustees may change any Paying Agent without prior notice to any CVV Holder. The CVV Trustees shall notify the Institutional Trustee of the name and address of any Paying Agent, Transfer Agent and Registrar for the CVV Certificates. The Institutional Trustee or any of its Affiliates may act as Paying Agent, Transfer Agent or Registrar.

Section 6.03 <u>Form and Dating</u>. The CVV Certificates shall be substantially in the form of <u>Exhibit A</u>, which is hereby incorporated in and expressly made a part of this Declaration. CVV Certificates may be typed, printed, lithographed or engraved or may be produced in any other manner as is reasonably acceptable to the CVV Trustees as conclusively

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evidenced by the execution thereof. The CVV Certificates may have letters, numbers, notations or other marks of identification or designation and such legends or endorsements required by law, agreements to which the Adelphia Recovery Trust is subject, if any, or usage (<u>provided</u> that any such notation, legend or endorsement is in a form acceptable to the CVV Trustees). The CVV Trustees shall furnish any such legend not contained in <u>Exhibit A</u> to the Institutional Trustee in writing. Each CVV Certificate shall be dated the date of its authentication. The form of CVV Certificate set forth in <u>Exhibit A</u> is part of the terms of this Declaration and to the extent applicable, the Institutional Trustee, the Delaware Trustee and the CVV Trustees, by their execution and delivery of this Declaration, expressly agree to such terms and provisions and to be bound thereby. The Adelphia Recovery Trust, in issuing the CVV Certificates may use "CUSIP" numbers (if then generally in use), and, if so, the Institutional Trustee shall indicate the "CUSIP" numbers of the CVV Certificates in notices of redemption and related materials as a convenience to CVV Holders; <u>provided</u> that any such notice may state that no representation is made as to the correctness of such numbers either as printed on the CVV Certificates or as contained in any notice of redemption and related materials.

(a) <u>Definitive and Global CVV Certificates</u>. CVV Certificates shall be issued by the CVV Trustees in the form of one or more permanent global CVV Certificates in definitive, fully registered form without distribution coupons with the appropriate global legends (each, a "<u>Global CVV Certificate</u>") or, if required pursuant to the terms hereof, in the form of individual certificates in definitive, fully registered form without distribution coupons (each, a "<u>Definitive CVV Certificate</u>"). The number of CVV Certificates represented by the Global CVV Certificate may from time to time be increased or decreased by adjustments made on the records of the Institutional Trustee and the Depositary or its nominee as hereinafter provided.

(b) <u>Book-Entry Provisions</u>. This <u>Section 6.03(b)</u> shall apply only to the Global CVV Certificates. If Global CVV Certificates are issued as provided in <u>Section 6.03(a)</u>, the Adelphia Recovery Trust shall execute and the Institutional Trustee or the Authenticating Agent shall, in accordance with this <u>Section 6.03</u>, authenticate and deliver initially one or more Global CVV Certificates that (a) shall be registered in the name of Cede & Co. or other nominee of the Depositary and (b) shall be delivered by the Institutional Trustee to such Depositary or pursuant to the Depositary's instructions or held by the Institutional Trustee as custodian for the Depositary. Clearing Agency Participants shall have no rights under this Declaration with respect to any Global CVV Certificates held on their behalf by the Depositary or by the Institutional Trustee as the custodian of the Depositary or under such Global CVV Certificates, and the Depositary may be treated by the Adelphia Recovery Trust, the Institutional Trustee and any officer, director, employee, or agent of the Adelphia Recovery Trust or the Institutional Trustee as the absolute owner of such Global CVV Certificates for all purposes whatsoever. Notwithstanding the foregoing, nothing herein shall prevent the Adelphia Recovery Trust, the Institutional Trustee or any agent of the Adelphia Recovery Trust or the Institutional Trustee from giving effect to any written certification, proxy or other authorization furnished by the Depositary or impair, as between the Depositary and the Clearing Agency Participants, the operation of customary practices of such Depositary governing the exercise of the rights of a holder of a beneficial interest in any Global CVV Certificates.

(c) <u>Definitive CVV Certificates</u>. Any Person with a beneficial interest in a Global CVV Certificate may exchange such interest for Definitive CVV Certificates.

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Section 6.04 <u>Mutilated</u>, <u>Destroyed</u>, <u>Lost or Stolen Certificates</u>. If: (a) any mutilated CVV Certificates should be surrendered to the Registrar shall receive evidence to its satisfaction of the destruction, loss or theft of any CVV Certificate; and there shall be delivered to the Institutional Trustee, the Registrar and the CVV Trustees such security or indemnity as may be required by them to keep each of them harmless; then, in the absence of notice that such CVV Certificate shall have been acquired by a protected purchaser, the CVV Trustees on behalf of the Adelphia Recovery Trust shall execute and the Institutional Trustee or the Authenticating Agent shall authenticate and deliver, in exchange for or in lieu of any such mutilated, destroyed, lost or stolen CVV Certificate, a new CVV Certificate of like denomination. In connection with the issuance of any new CVV Certificate under this Section 6.04, the Registrar or the Institutional Trustee may require the payment of a sum sufficient to cover any tax or other governmental charge that may be imposed in connection therewith. Any duplicate CVV Certificate issued pursuant to this Section shall constitute conclusive evidence of an ownership interest in the relevant CVV Certificates, as if originally issued, whether or not the lost, stolen or destroyed CVV Certificate shall be found at any time.

Section 6.05 <u>Temporary CVV Certificates</u>. Until definitive CVV Certificates are ready for delivery, the CVV Trustees may prepare and the Institutional Trustee or the Authenticating Agent shall authenticate temporary CVV Certificates. Temporary CVV Certificates shall be substantially in the form of definitive CVV Certificates but may have variations that the CVV Trustees consider appropriate for temporary CVV Certificates. Without unreasonable delay, the CVV Trustees shall prepare and the Institutional Trustee or the Authenticate definitive CVV Certificates in exchange for temporary CVV Certificates, whereupon such temporary CVV Certificates shall be cancelled and be of no further force or effect.

Section 6.06 <u>Redemption and Cancellation</u>. The CVV Trustees at any time may deliver CVV Certificates to the Institutional Trustee for cancellation. The Registrar shall forward to the Institutional Trustee any CVV Certificates surrendered to it for registration of transfer, redemption or payment. The Institutional Trustee shall promptly cancel all CVV Certificates surrendered for registration of transfer, payment, replacement or cancellation and shall destroy such canceled CVV Certificates in accordance with its customary practices and procedures. The Institutional Trustee may not issue new CVV Certificates to replace CVV Certificates that have been paid in full or that have been delivered to the Institutional Trustee for cancellation.

#### ARTICLE VII

#### Transfer of Interests

#### Section 7.01 General.

(a) Where CVV Certificates are presented by or on behalf of a CVV Holder to the Registrar or a co-registrar with a request to register a transfer or to exchange them for an equivalent amount of CVV Certificates represented by different certificates, the Registrar shall register the transfer or make the exchange if its requirements for such transactions are met. To permit registrations of transfer and exchanges, at least two of the CVV Trustees shall execute and the Institutional Trustee shall authenticate CVV Certificates at the Registrar's request.

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(b) CVV Certificates may only be transferred by a CVV Holder, in whole or in part, in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth in this Declaration and in the terms of the CVV Certificates. Any transfer or purported transfer of any CVV Certificate not made in accordance with this Declaration shall be null and void and will be deemed to be of no legal effect whatsoever and any such transferee shall be deemed not to be the holder of such CVV Certificates for any purpose, including but not limited to the receipt of the CVV Distributions and such transferee shall be deemed to have no interest whatsoever in such CVV Certificates.

(c) The Registrar shall provide for the registration of CVV Certificates and of transfers of CVV Certificates, which will be effected without charge but only upon payment (with such indemnity as the Registrar may require) in respect of any tax or other governmental charges that may be imposed in relation to it. Upon surrender for registration of transfer of any CVV Certificates, the Registrar shall cause one or more new CVV Certificates to be issued in the name of the designated transferee or transferees. Every CVV Certificate surrendered for registration of transfer shall be accompanied by a written instrument of transfer in form satisfactory to the Registrar duly executed by the CVV Holder or such CVV Holder's attorney duly authorized in writing. Each CVV Certificate surrendered for registration of transfer shall be canceled by the Institutional Trustee pursuant to <u>Section 6.06</u>. A transferee of a CVV Certificate issued in the name of such transferee and otherwise executed and authenticated as provided herein. By acceptance of a CVV Certificate, each transferee shall be deemed to have agreed to be bound by this Declaration.

#### Section 7.02 Transfer Procedures.

(a) <u>Transfer and Exchange of Definitive CVV Certificates</u>. When Definitive CVV Certificates are presented to the Registrar (x) to register the transfer of such Definitive CVV Certificates, or (y) to exchange such Definitive CVV Certificates for an equivalent amount of Definitive CVV Certificates, the Registrar shall register the transfer or make the exchange as requested if its reasonable requirements for such transaction are met; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that the Definitive CVV Certificates surrendered for registration of transfer or exchange shall be duly endorsed or accompanied by a written instrument of transfer in form reasonably satisfactory to the Adelphia Recovery Trust and the Registrar, duly executed by the CVV Holder thereof or his attorney duly authorized in writing.

(b) <u>Restrictions on Transfer of a Definitive CVV Certificate for a Beneficial Interest in a Global CVV Certificate</u>. A Definitive CVV Certificate may not be exchanged for a beneficial interest in a Global CVV Certificate except upon satisfaction of the requirements set forth below. Upon receipt by the Institutional Trustee of a Definitive CVV Certificate, duly endorsed or accompanied by appropriate instruments of transfer, together with written instructions directing the Institutional Trustee to make, or to direct the Depositary to make, an adjustment on its books and records with respect to a Global CVV Certificate to reflect an increase in the number of the CVV Certificates represented by the Global CVV Certificate, then the Institutional Trustee shall cancel such Definitive CVV Certificate and cause, or direct the Depositary to cause, the aggregate number of CVV Certificates represented by the Global

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CVV Certificate to be increased accordingly. If no Global CVV Certificates are then outstanding, the CVV Trustees shall execute and the Institutional Trustee or the Authenticating Agent shall authenticate, an appropriate number of Global CVV Certificates.

(c) <u>Transfer and Exchange of Global CVV Certificates</u>. The transfer and exchange of Global CVV Certificates or beneficial interests therein shall be effected through the Depositary, in accordance with this Declaration and the procedures of the Depositary therefor. Notwithstanding any other provisions of this Declaration, a Global CVV Certificate may not be transferred as a whole or in part except by the Depositary to a nominee of the Depositary or another nominee of the Depositary or by the Depositary or any such nominee to a successor Depositary or a nominee of such successor Depositary.

#### Section 7.03 Transfer of a Beneficial Interest in a Global CVV Certificate for a Definitive CVV Certificate.

(a) Any Person having a beneficial interest in a Global CVV Certificate may upon request, and if accompanied by the information specified below, exchange such beneficial interest for a Definitive CVV Certificate, representing the same number of CVV Certificates. Upon receipt by the Institutional Trustee from the Depositary or its nominee on behalf of any Person having a beneficial interest in a Global CVV Certificate of written instructions or such other form of instructions as is customary for the Depositary or the Person designated by the Depositary as having such a beneficial interest in such Global CVV Certificate, then the Institutional Trustee shall cause, in accordance with the standing instructions and procedures of the Depositary, the aggregate amount of the Global CVV Certificate to be reduced on its books and records and, following such reduction, the CVV Trustees shall execute and the Institutional Trustee or the Authenticating Agent shall authenticate, an appropriate Definitive CVV Certificates.

(b) Definitive CVV Certificate issued in exchange for a beneficial interest in a Global CVV Certificate pursuant to this <u>Section 7.03(b)</u> shall be registered in such names and in such authorized denominations as the Depositary, pursuant to instructions from Clearing Agency Participants or indirect participants or otherwise, shall instruct the Institutional Trustee. The Institutional Trustee shall deliver such CVV Certificates to the Persons in whose names such CVV Certificates are so registered in accordance with the instructions of the Depositary.

#### (c) Definitive CVV Certificates If No Depositary. If at any time:

(i) the Depositary notifies the Institutional Trustee and the CVV Trustees that the Depositary is unwilling or unable to continue as Depositary for the Global CVV Certificates and a successor Depositary for the Global CVV Certificates is not appointed by the CVV Trustees within 90 days after delivery of such notice; or

(ii) the CVV Trustees notify the Institutional Trustee in writing to issue Definitive CVV Certificates under this Declaration, then two of the CVV Trustees shall execute, and the Institutional Trustee or Authenticating Agent, upon receipt of a written order of the Adelphia Recovery Trust signed by two of the CVV Trustees requesting the authentication and delivery of Definitive CVV

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Certificates to the Persons designated by the CVV Trustees, shall authenticate and deliver Definitive CVV Certificates, in an aggregate amount equal to the amount of Global CVV Certificates, in exchange for such Global CVV Certificates.

(iii) <u>Cancellation or Adjustment of a Global CVV Certificate</u>. At such time as all beneficial interests in a Global CVV Certificate have either been exchanged for Definitive CVV Certificates to the extent permitted by this Declaration or redeemed, repurchased or canceled in accordance with the terms of this Declaration, such Global CVV Certificate shall be returned to the Depositary for cancellation or retained and canceled by the Institutional Trustee. At any time prior to such cancellation, if any beneficial interest in a Global CVV Certificate is exchanged for Definitive CVV Certificates, CVV Certificates represented by such Global CVV Certificate shall be reduced and an adjustment shall be made on the books and records of the Institutional Trustee (if it is then the custodian for such Global CVV Certificate) with respect to such Global CVV Certificate, by the Institutional Trustee to reflect such reduction.

(d) Obligations with Respect to Transfers and Exchanges of CVV Certificate.

(i) To permit registrations of transfers and exchanges, any two of the CVV Trustees shall execute and the Institutional Trustee or Authenticating Agent shall authenticate Definitive CVV Certificates and Global CVV Certificates at the Registrar's or Depository's request, as applicable.

(ii) Registrations of transfers or exchanges will be effected without charge, but only upon payment (with such indemnity as the Institutional Trustee or the Registrar may require) in respect of any tax or other governmental charge that may be imposed in relation to it.

(iii) All CVV Certificates issued upon any registration of transfer or exchange pursuant to the terms of this Declaration shall evidence the same security and shall be entitled to the same benefits under this Declaration as the CVV Certificates surrendered upon such registration of transfer or exchange.

Section 7.04 <u>Deemed CVV Certificate Holders</u>. The Adelphia Recovery Trust, the CVV Trustees, the Trustees, the Paying Agent, the Transfer Agent or the Registrar may treat the Person in whose name any CVV Certificate shall be registered on the books and records of the Adelphia Recovery Trust as of the applicable record date as the sole holder of such CVV Certificate (and of the undivided beneficial interest in the assets of the Adelphia Recovery Trust represented by such CVV Certificate) for purposes of receiving payment of the CVV Distributions and for all other purposes whatsoever and, accordingly, shall not be bound to recognize any equitable or other claim to or interest in such CVV Certificate or in the rights represented by such Certificate on the part of any other Person, whether or not the Adelphia Recovery Trust, the CVV Trustees, the Trustees, the Paying Agent, the Transfer Agent or the Registrar shall have actual or other notice thereof.

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With respect to Global CVV Certificates issued by the Adelphia Recovery Trust: (i) the Trustees may deal with the Depositary as the authorized representative of the beneficial owners of CVV Interests; (ii) the rights of the holders of beneficial interests in the Adelphia Recovery Trust shall be exercised only through the Depositary and shall be limited to those established by law and agreement between such holders of beneficial interests and the Depositary and/or direct participants of the Depositary; (iii) the Depositary will make book-entry transfers among the direct participants of the Depositary and will receive and transmit distributions on the CVV Certificates to such direct participants; and (iv) the direct participants of the Depositary shall have no rights under this Declaration under or with respect to any of the CVV Certificates held on their behalf by the Depositary, and the Depositary may be treated by the Trustees and their respective agents, employees, officers and directors as the absolute owner of the CVV Certificates for all purposes whatsoever.

Section 7.05 <u>Notices to Depositary</u>. Whenever a notice or other communication to the CVV Holders is required under this Declaration, unless and until Definitive CVV Certificates shall have been issued to the beneficial owners of CVV Certificates pursuant to this Declaration the Trustees shall give all such notices and communications specified herein to be given to the CVV Holders to the Depositary, and shall have no notice obligations to the beneficial owners of CVV Certificates.

Section 7.06 <u>Appointment of Successor Depositary</u>. If any Depositary elects to discontinue its services as securities depositary with respect to the CVV Certificates, the CVV Trustees, in their sole discretion, shall appoint a successor Depositary with respect to such CVV Certificates.

#### ARTICLE VIII

#### Tax Matters

#### Section 8.01 Income Tax Status.

(a) Unless the IRS or a court of competent jurisdiction requires a different treatment, for all federal income tax purposes, (e.g., Tax Code Sections 61(a)(12), 483, 1001, 1012 and 1274), (i) the Debtors shall be deemed to have transferred the Trust Assets to the CVV Holders (in proportion to the fair market value of the CVV Interests received by each) and thereupon the CVV Holders shall be deemed to have transferred the Trust Assets to the Adelphia Recovery Trust, and (ii) the Adelphia Recovery Trust shall be treated as a grantor trust and the CVV Holders of Disputed Claims and Equity Interests, those CVV Interests will be deemed transferred to the CVV DOF. The CVV DOF and not the holders of Disputed Claims and Equity Interests will be treated as the owner of the CVV Interests reserved for Disputed Claims. The CVV Trustees are authorized to take any reasonable action that may be necessary or appropriate to minimize any potential tax liability of the CVV Holders arising out of the operations of the Adelphia Recovery Trust.

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(b) The taxable income or loss of the Adelphia Recovery Trust shall be allocated to CVV Holders in accordance with Section 9.6 of the Plan such that each item of income, gain, loss, expense and other tax items will be allocated to those CVV Holders that would be entitled to receive such items if they constituted cash distributions or reductions therefrom and such CVV Holders shall be responsible for the payment of any and all taxes on a current basis that result from such allocations, whether or not any amounts are immediately distributed to such CVV Holders. Notwithstanding <u>Section 8.01(b)</u> above, the CVV Trustees may adopt such other methods of allocating the Trust's taxable income or loss for federal and applicable state and local income tax returns as it deems reasonable, appropriate, lawful and necessary to ensure that all allocations are consistent with the Plan and CVV Holders' economic interests in the Trust Assets.

Section 8.02 <u>Tax Returns and Reports</u>. In accordance with Treasury Regulations Section 1.671-4(a), the CVV Trustees shall cause to be prepared and filed, at the cost and expense of the Adelphia Recovery Trust, an annual information tax return (Form 1041) with the Internal Revenue Service, with a schedule attached showing the items of income, deduction, and credit attributable to the Adelphia Recovery Trust and detailing the allocation of such items of income, deduction, and credit attributable to the Form 1041 instructions for grantor trusts. A schedule containing the information needed by CVV Holders to file their tax returns will be delivered as soon as practicable to each CVV Holder. The CVV Trustees shall be responsible for filing all federal, state and local tax returns for the Adelphia Recovery Trust and shall pay any taxes shown as due thereon.

The CVV Trustees shall value, or cause to be valued, as required by the Plan, the Trust Assets and notify the CVV Holders in writing of such valuations. The Trust Assets shall be valued consistently by the CVV Trustees and the CVV Holders for all federal income tax purposes.

Section 8.03 Tax <u>Identification Number</u>; <u>Withholding</u>. The CVV Trustees may require any CVV Holder or other distributee to furnish to the CVV Trustees its tax identification number as assigned by the IRS and the CVV Trustees may condition any distribution to any CVV Holder or other distributee upon receipt of such identification number. If any such CVV Holder or other distributee fails to supply a tax identification number to the CVV Trustees within ninety (90) days of the initial request by the CVV Trustees, all payments to such CVV Holder shall be subject to backup withholding tax in accordance with the Tax Code. All payments to CVV Holders shall also be subject to any other withholdings required by federal, state or local tax laws. The CVV Trustees shall be authorized to take all actions necessary to comply with such withholding requirements. Each CVV Holder shall have the sole and exclusive responsibility for the payment of any tax obligation imposed by any governmental unit relating to the CVV Interests and any distribution with respect to such CVV Interests.

Section 8.04 <u>Fiscal and Tax Year</u>. The fiscal year and taxable year of the Adelphia Recovery Trust shall, unless otherwise required by the Tax Code, be the calendar year.

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#### ARTICLE IX

#### Term and Termination

Section 9.01 <u>Term</u>. The Adelphia Recovery Trust shall dissolve upon the earlier of (i) the distribution of all of its assets to CVV Holders, and (ii) the fifth anniversary of the creation of the Adelphia Recovery Trust, provided that, if warranted by the facts and circumstances involved in resolving the Causes of Action, upon application to, and subject to the approval of, the Bankruptcy Court upon a finding that such extension is necessary for the purposes of resolving such Causes of Action and distributing the proceeds to CVV Holders, the term of the Adelphia Recovery Trust may be extended by the CVV Trustees for a specified, finite term, but each such extension is subject to the approval of the Bankruptcy Court within six (6) months of the beginning of each such extension (the "<u>CVV Dissolution Date</u>"). Notwithstanding anything to the contrary, in no event shall the CVV Trustees unduly prolong the duration of the Adelphia Recovery Trust, and the CVV Trustees shall at all times endeavor to prosecute, direct, settle or compromise expeditiously the Causes of Action included in the Contributed Assets, so as to distribute the proceeds distributable hereunder to the CVV Holders and terminate the Adelphia Recovery Trust as soon as practicable in accordance with this Declaration. Upon the CVV Dissolution Date, any such Cause of Action which has not been prosecuted, settled, compromised or adjudicated by the Adelphia Recovery Trust will be extinguished, and no CVV Holder shall have any rights or interest therein.

Section 9.02 No Termination by CVV Holders. The Adelphia Recovery Trust may not be terminated by the CVV Holders.

Section 9.03 <u>Winding Up and Termination</u>. After the dissolution of the Adelphia Recovery Trust as provided in <u>Section 9.01</u> of this Declaration and solely for the purpose of liquidating and winding up the affairs of the Adelphia Recovery Trust, the CVV Trustees shall continue to act as CVV Trustees until their duties hereunder and the Plan have been fully performed and the Adelphia Recovery Trust has been dissolved. The Institutional Trustee shall, upon the dissolution of the Adelphia Recovery Trust, wind up the affairs of the Adelphia Recovery Trust in accordance with Section 3808(e) of the Statutory Trust Act and distribute all CVV Distributions as provided in Article IV hereof. Upon completion of the winding up, the Institutional Trustee shall file a Certificate of Cancellation with the Delaware Secretary of State, thereby terminating the Adelphia Recovery Trust.

#### ARTICLE X

#### Holders of CVV Certificates

Section 10.01 Limitations on Rights of CVV Holders. The CVV Holders by accepting the CVV Certificates acknowledge that:

(a) the CVV Holders, in their capacities as CVV Holders, are not stockholders of the Adelphia Recovery Trust or any successor of it and will have no rights to dividends, liquidation preferences or other distributions other than the payments described in <u>Article IV</u>, and will have no voting rights except as expressly described herein;

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(b) the CVV Certificates are not savings accounts or deposits and are not insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation;

(c) the CVV Holders have no rights with respect to, or interest in, (i) the Causes of Action included in the Contributed Assets, (ii) the Debtors (or any successor thereto), or (iii) any amount received by the Debtors with respect to the Causes of Action included in the Contributed Assets, including any judgment or settlement proceeds;

(d) the CVV Holders have no rights to direct the Institutional Trustee or the Delaware Trustee other than as set forth in <u>Section 10.02(a)</u> herein;

(e) nothing in this Declaration shall be construed to create any partnership or joint venture;

(f) (i) the Causes of Action included in the Contributed Assets are solely assets of the Adelphia Recovery Trust, (ii) the Causes of Action included in the Contributed Assets shall be conducted on behalf of the CVV Holders solely in accordance with the instructions of the CVV Trustees pursuant to this Declaration, (iii) the CVV Trustees shall have the sole and exclusive right to take (or not take) actions relating to such Causes of Action as contemplated by this Declaration and may, among other things, dismiss, settle or cease prosecuting such Causes of Action at any time without obtaining any cash or other recovery, or upon obtaining any such cash or other recovery as the CVV Trustees may determine, (iv) the CVV Trustees have the sole and exclusive right to take or not take other actions contemplated by this Declaration on behalf of the CVV Holders relating to such Causes of Action (including, without limitation, any decision with respect to the incurrence of expenses); and

(g) any liability of the Trustees is limited to the extent set forth in this Declaration.

#### Section 10.02 Limitations on Suits by CVV Holders.

(a) To the fullest extent permitted by law, no CVV Holder shall have any right by virtue or by availing itself of any provision of this Declaration to institute any action or proceeding (other than a suit by such CVV Holder for nonpayment of amounts due and owing hereunder with respect to such CVV Holder's CVV Certificates following a payment of CVV Distributions by the Adelphia Recovery Trust) at law or in equity or in bankruptcy or otherwise upon or under or with respect to this Declaration, or for the appointment of any trustee, receiver, liquidator, custodian or other similar official or for any other remedy hereunder, unless such CVV Holder previously shall have given to the Institutional Trustee written notice of default and of the continuance thereof as herein before provided, and unless also the Requisite CVV Holders shall have made written request upon the Institutional Trustee to institute such action or proceeding in its own name as Trustee hereunder and shall have offered to the Institutional Trustee such reasonable indemnity as it may require against the costs, expenses and liabilities to be incurred therein or thereby and the Institutional Trustee for 60 days after its receipt of such notice, request and offer of indemnity shall have failed to institute any such action or proceeding; it being understood and intended, and being expressly covenanted by every CVV Holder with every other CVV Holder and the Institutional Trustee, that no one or more CVV Holders shall have any right in any manner whatever by virtue or by availing itself or



themselves of any provision of this Declaration to effect, disturb or prejudice the rights of any other such CVV Holder, or to obtain or seek to obtain priority over or preference to any other such CVV Holder or to enforce any right under this Declaration, except in the manner herein provided and for the ratable and common benefit of all CVV Holders. For the protection and enforcement of the provisions of this Section, each and every CVV Holder and the Institutional Trustee shall be entitled to such relief as can be given either at law or in equity.

(b) Any proceeding by CVV Holders shall be instituted only in accordance with the following procedures:

(i) The prospective plaintiff(s) shall deliver to the Institutional Trustee (which shall promptly deliver a copy thereof to the CVV Trustees) a printed or typewritten statement not more than 10 pages in length containing (i) the name(s) and address(es) of the prospective plaintiff(s), (ii) a statement of the nature and amount of each plaintiff's interest in the CVV Certificates, and (iii) a description of the nature and grounds of the claims to be asserted and the relief or remedy sought.

(ii) The Institutional Trustee shall promptly notify the prospective plaintiff(s) of the number of copies needed for distribution to CVV Holders and the postage, printing and administrative costs for preparing and mailing the statement of the prospective plaintiff(s), a response by the CVV Trustees, as applicable, which shall not exceed 10 pages in length, a consent form described below and a return envelope. Upon receipt of a certified check for such postage, printing and administrative costs, the Institutional Trustee shall promptly mail these materials to the CVV Holders. Sixty days after mailing, the responses received shall be open to inspection by the prospective plaintiff(s) or any CVV Holder at reasonable times during business hours at the office of the Adelphia Recovery Trust designated for such purposes.

(iii) The mailing to CVV Holders shall include a consent form reading substantially as follows:

"In response to the Adelphia Recovery Trust mailing dated

I HEREBY CONSENT TO SUCH SUIT.

\_\_\_\_ I DO NOT CONSENT TO SUCH SUIT.

Signature

Printed or Typed Name of CVV Holder

Date:

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"If this response is not returned by \_\_\_\_\_, you will be considered as not consenting to such suit."

#### ARTICLE XI

#### Representations of Institutional Trustee and Delaware Trustee

Section 11.01 Representations and Warranties of the Institutional Trustee. The entity that acts as initial Institutional Trustee represents and warrants to the Adelphia Recovery Trust at the date of this Declaration, and each entity that acts as a Successor Institutional Trustee represents and warrants to the Adelphia Recovery Trust at the time of such entity's acceptance of its appointment as Successor Institutional Trustee, that:

(i) the entity is a corporation or banking association with trust powers, duly organized, validly existing and in good standing under the laws of the United States or a State thereof with power and authority to execute and deliver, and to carry out and perform its obligations under the terms of, this Declaration;

(ii) the execution, delivery and performance by the entity of this Declaration has been duly authorized by all necessary corporate action on the part of the Institutional Trustee. This Declaration has been duly executed and delivered by the entity, and it constitutes a legal, valid and binding obligation of the entity, enforceable against it in accordance with its terms, subject to applicable bankruptcy, reorganization, moratorium, insolvency, and other similar laws affecting creditors' rights generally and to general principles of equity (regardless of whether considered in a proceeding in equity or at law); and

(iii) the execution, delivery and performance of this Declaration by the entity does not conflict with or constitute a breach of the charter or by-laws of the entity.

Section 11.02 Representations and Warranties of the Delaware Trustee. The Trustee that acts as initial Delaware Trustee represents and warrants to the Adelphia Recovery Trust at the date of this Declaration, and each Successor Delaware Trustee represents and warrants to the Adelphia Recovery Trust at the time of the Successor Delaware Trustee's acceptance of its appointment as Delaware Trustee, that:

(i) the Delaware Trustee, if other than an individual, is duly organized, validly existing and in good standing under the laws of the State of Delaware, with power and authority to execute and deliver, and to carry out and perform its obligations under the terms of, this Declaration:

(ii) the Delaware Trustee has been authorized to perform its obligations under the Certificate of Trust and this Declaration. This Declaration under Delaware law constitutes a legal, valid and binding obligation of the Delaware Trustee, enforceable against it in accordance with its terms, subject to applicable bankruptcy, reorganization, moratorium, insolvency, and other similar laws affecting creditors' rights generally and to general principles of equity (regardless of whether considered in a proceeding in equity or at law); and

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(iii) the Delaware Trustee is a natural person who is a resident of the State of Delaware or, if not a natural person, an entity which has its principal place of business in the State of Delaware and, in either case, a Person that satisfies for the Adelphia Recovery Trust the requirements of Section 3807 of the Statutory Trust Act.

#### ARTICLE XII

#### Amendments and Meetings

Section 12.01 Amendments.

(a) Except as otherwise provided in this Declaration, this Declaration may only be amended by a written instrument approved and executed by:

(i) the Institutional Trustee;

(ii) the CVV Trustees, acting by majority vote; and

(iii) if the amendment affects the rights, powers, duties, obligations or immunities of the Delaware Trustee, the Delaware Trustee.

(b) Notwithstanding any other provision of this <u>Article XII</u>, no amendment shall be made, and any such purported amendment shall be void and ineffective, unless the Institutional Trustee shall have first received an Officers' Certificate from the Adelphia Recovery Trust that such amendment is permitted by, and consistent with, the terms of this Declaration (including the terms of the CVV Certificates).

(c) Except as provided in <u>Section 12.01(d)</u>, (e) or (f), no amendment shall be made, and any such purported amendment shall be void and ineffective unless, at the request of the CVV Trustees, acting by majority vote, there shall have been obtained (i) the consent of the Requisite CVV Holders to such amendment, or (ii) the approval of the Bankruptcy Court after a motion (the "<u>Trustees</u>" <u>Motion</u>") seeking such amendment for cause, with notice to the Requisite CVV Holders. The Requisite CVV Holders shall be the only parties with standing to object to the Trustees' Motion.

(d) In addition to and notwithstanding any other provision in this Declaration, without the consent of each affected CVV Holder, this Declaration may not be amended to (i) discriminate among CVV Holders in a manner not contemplated by the Plan, or (ii) restrict the right of a CVV Holder to institute suit for the enforcement of any payment that is due and owing hereunder and remains unpaid despite payment to other CVV Holders from the same CVV Distribution.

(e) <u>Section 2.04(a)</u>, <u>Section 4.01(d)</u> and this <u>Section 12.01</u> shall not be amended without the consent of all of the CVV Holders affected thereby.

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(f) Subject to <u>Section 12.01(b)</u>, this Declaration may be amended by the Institutional Trustee and the CVV Trustees without the consent of the CVV Holders:

(i) to cure any ambiguity;

(ii) to correct or supplement any provision in this Declaration that may be defective or inconsistent with any other provision of this Declaration;

(iii) to add to the covenants, restrictions or obligations of the CVV Trustees or to alter the allocation of duties between the CVV Trustees and the Institutional Trustee;

(iv) to modify, eliminate or add to any provision of this Declaration to such extent as may be necessary to ensure that the Adelphia Recovery Trust (A) will be classified for United States federal income tax purposes at all times as a grantor trust,
(B) will not be required to register as an Investment Company under the Investment Company Act (including, without limitation, to conform to any change in any applicable rule under the Investment Company Act or written change in interpretation or application thereof by any legislative body, court, government agency or regulatory authority), (C) is able to issue additional CVV Certificates, or (D) complies with the applicable requirements of the United States Securities and Exchange Commission;

<u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that no such modification, elimination or addition referred to in clauses (i), (ii), (iii) or (iv) shall materially and adversely affect the powers, preferences or special rights of CVV Holders or cause the Adelphia Recovery Trust to fail to continue to be classified as a grantor trust for purposes of United States federal income taxation.

(g) The Institutional Trustee may, but shall have no obligation to, execute any amendment which materially adversely affects its rights, powers, immunities or indemnities.

Section 12.02 Meetings of Holders of CVV Certificates; Action by Written Consent.

(a) Meetings of the CVV Holders may be called at any time by the CVV Trustees to consider and act on any matter on which CVV Holders are entitled to act under the terms of this Declaration or the terms of the CVV Certificates.

(b) Except to the extent otherwise provided in the terms of the CVV Certificates, the following provisions shall apply to meetings of CVV Holders:

(i) notice of any such meeting (with a copy to the Institutional Trustee) shall be given to all the CVV Holders having a right to vote thereat at least 20 days and not more than 60 days before the date of such meeting. Whenever a vote, consent or approval of the CVV Holders is permitted or required under this Declaration, such vote, consent or approval may be given at a meeting of the CVV Holders. Any action that may be taken at a meeting of the CVV Holders may be taken without a meeting if a consent in writing setting forth the action so taken is signed by the CVV Holders owning not less than the minimum amount of CVV Certificates that would be necessary to authorize or take such action at a meeting at which all CVV Holders having a right to vote thereon

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were present and voting. Prompt notice of the taking of action without a meeting shall be given to the CVV Holders entitled to vote who have not consented in writing. The CVV Trustees may specify that any written ballot submitted to the CVV Holders for the purpose of taking any action without a meeting shall be returned to the Adelphia Recovery Trust within the time specified by the CVV Trustees;

(ii) each CVV Holder may authorize any Person to act for it by proxy on all matters in which a CVV Holder is entitled to participate, including waiving notice of any meeting, or voting or participating at a meeting. No proxy shall be valid after the expiration of 11 months from the date thereof unless otherwise provided in the proxy. Every proxy shall be revocable at the pleasure of the CVV Holder executing it. Except as otherwise provided herein, all matters relating to the giving, voting or validity of proxies shall be governed by the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware relating to proxies, and judicial interpretations thereunder, as if the Adelphia Recovery Trust were a Delaware corporation and the CVV Holders were stockholders of a Delaware corporation; each meeting of the CVV Holders shall be conducted by the CVV Trustees or by such other Person that the CVV Trustees may designate; and

(iii) unless the Statutory Trust Act, this Declaration or the terms of the CVV Certificates otherwise provide, the CVV Trustees, in their sole discretion, shall establish all other provisions relating to meetings of CVV Holders, including notice of the time, place or purpose of any meeting at which any matter is to be voted on by any CVV Holders, waiver of any such notice, action by consent without a meeting, the establishment of a record date, quorum requirements, voting in person or by proxy or any other matter with respect to the exercise of any such right to vote.

#### ARTICLE XIII

#### Miscellaneous

Section 13.01 Governing Law; Jurisdiction.

(a) This Declaration shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Delaware and U.S. bankruptcy laws, as applicable, without giving effect to any contrary result otherwise required under applicable choice or conflict of law rules.

(b) The parties and all CVV Holders by accepting their CVV Certificates agree that the Bankruptcy Court shall have continuing jurisdiction over the Adelphia Recovery Trust, the Delaware Trustee, the Institutional Trustee, the CVV Trustees and the Trust Assets, including, without limitation, jurisdiction to determine all disputes regarding the administration and activities of the Adelphia Recovery Trust, the Delaware Trustee, the Institutional Trustees, the provisions of this Declaration and any modifications to this Declaration. The CVV Trustees shall have the power and authority to bring any action in the Bankruptcy Court to prosecute the Causes of Action included in the Contributed Assets as provided in <u>Section 2.03</u> herein. Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, the CVV Trustees may commence and prosecute any of the claims comprising such Causes of Action in any state or federal court or other tribunal where venue and jurisdiction is otherwise proper.

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Section 13.02 <u>Notices</u>. Any notice or other communication required or permitted to be made under this Declaration shall be in writing and shall be deemed to have been sufficiently given, for all purposes, (i) at the time delivered by hand, (ii) when receipt is confirmed if delivered personally or by telex, facsimile or other telegraphic means or (iii) five (5) Business Days after being deposited in the mail (postage prepaid), if sent by registered United States mail, return receipt requested, postage prepaid:

(a) if given to the CVV Trustees, in care of the CVV Trustees and the Institutional Trustee at the addresses set forth below (or such other address as the CVV Trustees may give notice of to the Holders of the CVV Certificates):

919 North Market Street, 17th Floor P.O. Box 8705 Wilmington, DE 19899-8705 Facsimile: (302) 652-4400 Attention: Dean A. Ziehl, Esq., Chairman

with a copy to:

Jenner & Block LLP One IBM Plaza Chicago, IL 60611-2661 Facsimile: (312) 527-0484 Attention: William D. Heinz, Esq. Deirdre E. Connell, Esq.

(b) if given to the Delaware Trustee, at the mailing address set forth below (or such other address as the Delaware Trustee may give notice of to the Holders of the CVV Certificates):

The Bank of New York (Delaware) 100 White Clay Center, Route 273 P.O. Box 6995 Newark, DE 19711 Facsimile: (302) 453-4400 Attention: Corporate Trust Administration

(c) if given to the Institutional Trustee, at the mailing address set forth below (or such other address as the Institutional Trustee may give notice of to the Holders of the CVV Certificates).

The Bank of New York 101 Barclay Street – Floor 8W New York, NY 10286 Facsimile: (212) 815-5707 Attention: Corporate Trust Administration (d) if to any CVV Holder, to the last known business or residential address of such CVV Holder, as the case may be, reflected in the List of Holders; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that any notice that is required to be delivered to all CVV Holders may be disseminated in accordance with the provisions of Rule 101(e) of the Regulation FD promulgated by the Commission, in fulfillment of the such notice requirement;

(e) if to the Debtors, to

Adelphia Communications Corporation 5619 DTC Parkway Greenwood Village, CO 80111 Facsimile: (303) 268-6485 Attention: Plan Administrator

Section 13.03 <u>Headings</u>. The headings contained in this Declaration are solely for convenience of reference and shall not affect the meaning or interpretation of this Declaration or of any term or provision hereof.

Section 13.04 <u>Plan</u>. The terms of this Declaration are intended to supplement the terms provided by the Plan and the Confirmation Order. However, to the extent that the terms of the Plan or the Confirmation Order are inconsistent with the terms set forth in this Declaration with respect to the Adelphia Recovery Trust, then the Plan or the Confirmation Order, as applicable, shall govern.

Section 13.05 <u>Meanings of Other Terms</u>. Except where the context otherwise requires, words importing the masculine gender include the feminine and the neuter, if appropriate, and words importing the singular number include the plural number and vice versa. All references herein to Articles, Sections and other subdivisions, unless referring specifically to the Plan or provisions of the Bankruptcy Code, Bankruptcy Rules or other law, statute or regulation, refer to the corresponding Articles, Sections and other subdivisions of this Declaration, and the words "herein," "hereof and "hereunder" and words of similar import refer to this Declaration as a whole and not to any particular Article, Section or subdivision of this Declaration.

Section 13.06 <u>Counterparts</u>. This Declaration may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original, but such counterparts shall together constitute but one and the same instrument.

Section 13.07 <u>Investment Company Act</u>. The Adelphia Recovery Trust is organized as a liquidating entity in the process of liquidation, and therefore should not be considered, and the Adelphia Recovery Trust does not and will not hold itself out as, an "investment company" or any entity "controlled" by an "investment company", as such terms are defined in the Investment Company Act.

Section 13.08 <u>Parties in Interest</u>. Except as expressly provided herein with respect to the Trust Indemnified Parties, this Declaration shall not confer any rights or remedies upon any person or entity other than the parties hereto and their respective permitted successors and assigns.

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Section 13.09 Entire Agreement. This Declaration, the Plan and the Confirmation Order together constitute the entire agreement among the parties hereto with respect to the subject matter hereof, supersede and are in full substitution for any and all prior agreements and understandings among them relating to such subject matter, and no party shall be liable or bound to the other party hereto in any manner with respect to such subject matter by any warranties, representations, indemnities, covenants, or agreements except as specifically set forth herein. The Exhibits and Schedules to this Declaration are hereby incorporated and made a part hereof and are an integral part of this Declaration.

Section 13.10 <u>Construction</u>. The language used in this Declaration will be deemed to be the language chosen by the parties to express their mutual intent, and no rule of strict construction will be applied against any party. Any references to any federal, state, local or foreign statute or law will also refer to all rules and regulations promulgated thereunder, unless the context requires otherwise. Unless the context otherwise requires: (a) a term has the meaning assigned to it by this Declaration; (b) including means "including but not limited to"; (c) "or" is disjunctive but not exclusive; (d) words in the singular include the plural, and in the plural include the singular; (e) provisions apply to successive events and transactions; and (f) "\$" means the currency of the United States of America.

Section 13.11 <u>Severability</u>. In the event that any one or more of the provisions contained in this Declaration or in any other instrument referred to herein, shall, for any reason, be held to be invalid, illegal or unenforceable in any respect, then to the maximum extent permitted by law, such invalidity, illegality or unenforceability shall not affect any other provision of this Declaration or any other such instrument. Furthermore, in lieu of any such invalid or unenforceable term or provision, the parties hereto intend that there shall be added as a part of this Declaration a provision as similar in terms to such invalid or unenforceable provision as may be possible and be valid and enforceable.

[Signature Page Follows]

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this Declaration or caused this Declaration to be duly executed by their respective officers or authorized representatives, effective as of the date first above written.

## ADELPHIA COMMUNICATIONS

CORPORATION, acting on behalf of the CVV Holders pursuant to the Plan

By: Quest Turnaround Advisors, L.L.C., Plan Administrator

By:

Name:	
Title:	

Subsidiary Debtors-In-Possession, acting on behalf of the CVV Holders pursuant to the Plan

By: Quest Turnaround Advisors, L.L.C., Plan Administrator

By:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_ Title:

The Bank of New York (Delaware), as Delaware Trustee

By:

The Bank of New York, as Institutional Trustee

By:

#### By:\_\_\_\_\_

Name:	Bryan Bloom
Title:	CVV Trustee

By:\_\_\_\_\_

Name:	Lee S. Hillman
Title:	CVV Trustee

By: Name: David P. Stowell Title: CVV Trustee

By: Name: Ralph J. Takala Title: CVV Trustee

By:\_\_\_\_\_ Name: Dean A. Ziehl Title: CVV Trustee

### **CVV TRUSTEE COMPENSATION**

The compensation for the CVV Trustees will be determined by a separate agreement among the Creditors Committee and the CVV Trustees, and such agreement shall be deemed to be fully incorporated herein.

EXHIBIT A

#### FORM OF CVV CERTIFICATE

#### [FORM OF FACE OF CERTIFICATE]

[The following two paragraphs apply only to Certificates in global form.]

IUNLESS THIS CERTIFICATE IS PRESENTED BY AN AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OF THE DEPOSITORY TRUST COMPANY, A NEW YORK CORPORATION ("DTC"), NEW YORK, NEW YORK, TO THE ADELPHIA RECOVERY TRUST OR ITS AGENT FOR REGISTRATION OF TRANSFER, EXCHANGE OR PAYMENT, AND ANY CERTIFICATE ISSUED IS REGISTERED IN THE NAME OF CEDE & CO. OR SUCH OTHER NAME AS IS REOUIRED BY AN AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OF DTC (AND ANY PAYMENT IS MADE TO CEDE & CO., OR TO SUCH OTHER ENTITY AS IS REQUESTED BY AN AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OF DTC) ANY TRANSFER, PLEDGE OR OTHER USE HEREOF FOR VALUE OR OTHERWISE BY OR TO ANY PERSON IS WRONGFUL INASMUCH AS THE REGISTERED OWNER HEREOF, CEDE & CO., HAS AN INTEREST HEREIN.]

[TRANSFERS OF THIS GLOBAL SECURITY SHALL BE LIMITED TO TRANSFERS IN WHOLE, BUT NOT IN PART, TO NOMINEES OF DTC OR TO A SUCCESSOR THEREOF OR SUCH SUCCESSOR'S NOMINEE AND TRANSFERS OF PORTIONS OF THIS GLOBAL SECURITY SHALL BE LIMITED TO TRANSFERS MADE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE RESTRICTIONS SET FORTH IN THE DECLARATION REFERRED TO BELOW.]

CVV INTEREST

CERTIFICATE NUMBER 1

NUMBER OF UNITS

CUSIP NO: [

#### CERTIFICATE EVIDENCING UNDIVIDED BENEFICIAL INTERESTS IN THE ASSETS OF THE ADELPHIA RECOVERY TRUST

THE ADELPHIA RECOVERY TRUST, a statutory trust created under the laws of the State of Delaware and formerly known as the Adelphia Contingent Value Vehicle (the "Adelphia Recovery Trust"), hereby certifies that (the "CVV Holder") is the registered owner of units of the Adelphia Recovery Trust representing undivided beneficial interests in the assets of the Adelphia Recovery Trust, designated the Contingent Value Vehicle Certificates (the "CVV Certificates"). Subject to the Declaration (as defined below), the CVV Certificates are transferable on the books and records of the Adelphia Recovery Trust, in person or by a duly authorized attorney, upon surrender of this Certificate duly endorsed and in proper form for transfer. The CVV Certificates represented hereby are issued pursuant to the designation, rights, privileges, restrictions, preferences and other terms and provisions of, and shall in all respects be subject to, the provisions of the Amended and Restated Declaration of Trust for Adelphia Recovery Trust dated as of February 13, 2007, among Adelphia Communications Corporation and all of its affiliated Debtors-in-Possession acting on behalf of the CVV Holders, the CVV Trustees, the Delaware Trustee and the Institutional Trustee (the "Declaration"). Capitalized terms used herein but not defined shall have the meaning given them in the Declaration. The Institutional Trustee will provide a copy of the Declaration to the CVV Holders without charge upon written request to the Adelphia Recovery Trust at its principal place of business.

Upon receipt of this CVV Certificate, the CVV Holder is bound by the Declaration and is entitled to the benefits thereunder. This CVV Certificate is governed by, and construed in accordance with, the laws of the State of Delaware, without regard to principles of conflict of laws.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Adelphia Recovery Trust has duly executed this CVV Certificate.

#### ADELPHIA RECOVERY TRUST

By:

Name: Title: CVV Trustee

By:

Name: Title: CVV Trustee

### CERTIFICATE OF AUTHENTICATION

This is one of the CVV Certificates referred to in the within-mentioned Declaration.

The Bank of New York, as the Institutional Trustee

By:\_\_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_

#### [FORM OF REVERSE OF CERTIFICATE]

Distributions (if any) payable on each CVV Certificate (the "CVV Distributions") will be payable from time to time by the Adelphia Recovery Trust net of any professionals fees, costs or expenses (including, without limitation, any taxes) incurred by the Institutional Trustee and the Delaware Trustee, or incurred or reserved by the CVV Trustees in connection with administering, litigating or otherwise resolving the Causes of Action in accordance with the priority and liquidation preferences of the CVV Interests as set forth in Section 9.3 of the Plan.

To the fullest extent permitted by law, no Trust Indemnified Person (as defined in the Declaration) shall be liable, responsible or accountable in damages or otherwise to the Adelphia Recovery Trust or any other Trust Indemnified Person, holder of Claim or Equity Interest under the Plan or any CVV Holder for any loss, damage or claim incurred by reason of any act or omission performed or omitted by such Trust Indemnified Person, except that (i) the CVV Trustees shall be liable for any such loss, damage or claim incurred by reason of any act or omission performed or omitted by them, except as otherwise excluded in the Declaration, if it shall be established in a final and nonappealable judicial determination by clear and convincing evidence that any such act or omission of the CVV Trustees (or any subset thereof, as applicable) was undertaken with deliberate intent to injure the CVV Holders or with reckless disregard for the best interests of such CVV Holders and, in any event, any liability will be limited to actual, proximate, quantifiable damages and the CVV Trustees right to insurance obtained by the Adelphia Recovery Trust and the proceeds of such insurance is unaffected, and (ii) the Institutional Trustee or the Delaware Trustee shall be liable for any such loss, damage or claim incurred by reason of the Institutional Trustee's or Delaware Trustee's (as the case may be) gross negligence, willful misconduct or bad faith with respect to such acts or omissions, except as otherwise excluded in the Declaration.

To the fullest extent permitted by law, no Trust Indemnified Person, shall have any liability to the Adelphia Recovery Trust, the CVV Trustees or the CVV Holders. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, to the fullest extent permitted by law, none of the CVV Holders (in their capacity as CVV Holders), the Trustees or the Adelphia Recovery Trust shall have the right to enforce, institute or maintain a suit, action or proceeding against a Trust Indemnified Person relating to the formation of the Adelphia Recovery Trust, the distribution of the CVV Certificates, the Causes of Action that are Trust Assets or actions of the Trustees in their capacity (or purportedly in their capacity) as Trustees.

The CVV Holders will have no voting rights (except in the limited circumstance set forth in the Declaration), no liquidation preference and no rights to dividends or distributions other than their the CVV Distributions, plus any other Trust Assets.

## THE CVV CERTIFICATES ARE NOT SAVINGS ACCOUNTS OR DEPOSITS AND ARE NOT INSURED BY THE FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION.

Each CVV Holder acknowledges that: (i) the Debtors' Causes of Action included in the Trust Assets are solely an asset of the Adelphia Recovery Trust and its successors, (ii) the prosecution of the Debtors' Causes of Action that are Trust Assets shall be conducted by and on behalf of the

Adelphia Recovery Trust and its successors solely in accordance with the instructions of the CVV Trustees pursuant to the Declaration, (iii) the CVV Trustees shall have the sole and exclusive right to direct the Adelphia Recovery Trust and its successors to take (or not take) actions relating to the Debtors' Causes of Action that are Trust Assets as contemplated by the Declaration and may, among other things, instruct the Adelphia Recovery Trust and its successors to dismiss, settle or cease prosecuting the Debtors' Causes of Action that are Trust Assets at any time without obtaining any cash or other recovery, or upon obtaining any such cash or other recovery as the CVV Trustees may determine, (iv) the CVV Trustees have the sole and exclusive right to take or not take other actions contemplated by the Declaration relating to the Debtors' Causes of Action that are Trust Assets (including, without limitation, any decision with respect to the incurrence of expenses) and (v) the CVV Holders have limited rights to direct the Institutional Trustee or the Delaware Trustee as set forth in the Declaration.

Nothing in the Declaration or this CVV Certificate shall be construed to create any partnership or joint venture between the Adelphia Recovery Trust and the CVV Holders.

#### Adelphia Recovery Trust

July 2, 2008

Jessica Plowgian Attorney-Adviser Division of Corporation Finance Securities and Exchange Commission 100 F. Street, N.E. Washington, D.C. 20549

#### RE: Adelphia Recovery Trust Form 10 Staff Comments

#### Dear Ms. Plowgian:

cc:

Adelphia Recovery Trust (the "Trust") acknowledges, in connection with responding to the Securities and Exchange Commission's (the "Commission") comment letter dated May 20, 2008 with respect to the Trust's filing on Form 10, that

- the Trust is responsible for the adequacy and accuracy of the disclosure in the filings;
- Commission staff comments or changes to disclosure in response to staff comments do not foreclose the Commission from taking any action with respect to the filings; and
- the Trust may not assert staff comments as a defense in any proceeding initiated by the Commission or any person under the federal securities laws of the United States.

If you or others have any questions or would like more information, please do not hesitate to contact Ralph J. Takala, at (860) 668-9728, CVV Trustee of the Trust, or William L. Tolbert, Jr. at (202) 639-6038 or Thomas R. Failor at (312) 840-7414, Jenner & Block LLP, counsel to the Trust.

Sincerely,

/s/ Ralph J. Takala

Ralph J. Takala CVV Trustee

Larry Spirgel Assistant Director Securities and Exchange Commission 100 F. Street, N.E. Washington, D.C. 20549

William L. Tolbert, Jr. Jenner & Block LLP Suite 900 1099 New York Avenue, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20001-4412 July 2, 2008

Securities and Exchange Commission 100 F. Street, N.E. Washington, D.C. 20549

Attention: Jessica Plowgian Attorney-Adviser Division of Corporation Finance

Dear Ms. Plowgian:

William L. Tolbert, Jr. Tel 202 639-6038 Fax 202 661-4986 wtolbert@jenner.com

Adelphia Recovery Trust, a Delaware statutory trust (the "Trust"), filed a Form 10 (the "Form 10") with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "Commission") on April 30, 2008, in compliance with Section 12(g) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended. This letter, which is being submitted on behalf of the Trust, responds to your letter dated May 20, 2008, relating to comments of the staff of the Commission (the "Staff") in connection with the above-referenced submission.

In connection with the amendment filing to the Form 10, the Trust will be including financial statements for the first quarter of 2008. In addition, the Trust will be filing the Second Amended and Restated Declaration of Trust, which was executed on June 4, 2008 in connection with Bankruptcy Court's approval of the Trust's motion to amend the Declaration.

The responses to the Staff's comments are numbered to relate to the corresponding comments in the above-referenced letter. We have included hand marked pages reflecting the revisions to the Form 10 described in the responses below.

1. In your risk factor "Potential conflicts of interest exist among the classes of Interests" on page seven you state that the separate classes of interests could give rise to conflicting interests. Please expand your disclosure regarding this risk to address the nature of the different interests and ways in which such conflicts may occur.

The Trust has expanded the relevant disclosure on page seven of the Form 10 to address the Staff's comment.

2. Revise your disclosures with respect to Mr. Takala to disclose his business experience during the last five years. See Item 401(e) of Regulation S-K.

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The Trust has expanded the relevant disclosure on page 14 of the Form 10 to address the Staff's comment.

## 3. Please revise the table on page 14 to reflect the tabular format and information required by Item 402(c) of Regulation S-K.

The Trust believes that the table on page 14 of the Form 10 should be governed by Item 402(k) of Regulation S-K, as opposed to Item 402(c), because the CVV Trustees act in a capacity more analogous to directors than executive officers.

In addition, the Trust believes that all information required by Item 402(k) was provided in the Form 10. The only compensation paid to, or earned by, the CVV Trustees in 2007 was "fees earned or paid in cash." The Trust has provided this information in the column under the same heading pursuant to Item 402(k)(2)(ii). Because no other compensation was paid to, or earned by, the CVV Trustees in 2007, all other columns (columns (c)-(g) in the table set forth in Item 402(k)) have been omitted pursuant to Item 402(a)(5) of Regulation S-K, which states that a "column may be omitted if there has been no compensation awarded to, earned by, or paid to any of the named [trustees] required to be reported in that ... column in any fiscal year covered by that table."

# 4. Revise to include a description of the pending motion with the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of New York seeking approval of an amendment to the ART's Declaration in connection with the private letter ruling from the Internal Revenue Service.

The Trust has included the relevant description on page 20 of the Form 10 to address the Staff's comment.

5. Please revise to include the approximate number of holders of each series of Interests of the registrant as of the latest practicable date.

The Trust has expanded the relevant disclosure on page 21 of the Form 10 to address the Staff's comment.

6. We note your reliance on Section 1145 of the Bankruptcy Code. Please include the other disclosure required by Item 701 of Regulation S-K.

The Trust has expanded the relevant disclosure on page 21 of the Form 10 to address the Staff's comment.

7. We note your statement on page 25 that the Holders do not have any voting rights "except in connection with certain amendments to the Declaration and except for limited rights in connection with the appointment of a successor Institutional Trustee or Delaware Trustee." Please explain in your response the voting rights

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#### Holders have with respect to appointment of successor Institutional or Delaware Trustees.

The Holders have limited rights if an Institutional or Delaware Trustee is removed and a successor Trustee is not appointed and accepts such appointment within 30 days of the removal of the former Trustee. Any Holder who has owned an Interest for at least six months may petition any court of competent jurisdiction to appoint a successor Trustee. The court will then appoint a successor Trustee of its choice to fill the vacancy. Because the Holders' right to petition a court for appointment of a successor Institutional or Successor Trustee does not constitute a voting right, the Trust prefers to delete the reference to voting rights in connection with the appointment of a successor Institutional or Delaware Trustee unless the Staff objects.

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We sincerely appreciate your timely consideration of these matters in connection with your review of the Form 10. The Trust believes that it has been fully responsive to the comments of the Staff relating to the Form 10.

If you or others have any questions or would like more information, please do not hesitate to contact William L. Tolbert, Jr. at (202) 639-6038, or Thomas Failor at (312) 840-7414, Jenner & Block LLP, counsel to Adelphia Recovery Trust.

Very truly yours,

<u>/s/ William L. Tolbert, Jr.</u> William L. Tolbert, Jr.

cc: Larry Spirgel Assistant Director Securities and Exchange Commission 100 F. Street, N.E. Washington, D.C. 20549

> Ralph J. Takala CVV Trustee Adelphia Recovery Trust 25 Fox Mead Suffield, CT 06078