The lessor agrees to pay all taxes upon the land and buildings and improvements thereon and further agrees to keep the buildings and improvements in good condition and repair during the term of this lease or extension thereof at lessor's own expense. If the lessor should fail to make said repairs upon notice to lessor that said repairs are necessary, then the lessee may cause same to be made. Should the lessor at any time default in the payment of any taxes, lien, mortgage, or other charge against the premises, then the lessee may, at its option, pay any or all of such sum in default and be subrogated to the rights of the lienholder to the extent of said payments thereon. Any payments made by the lessee for the foregoing reasons may be applied on the rental due or to become due under the terms of this lease. The lessee shall pay the taxes on its property and equipment on the leased premises.

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It is understood and agreed that if by reason of any law, ordinance, or regulation of properly constituted authority, or by injunction, or by any eminent domain proceeding, lessee is prevented from using all or any part of the property herein leased as a service station for the sale and storage of gasoline and petroleum products, or if the use of the premises for the purposes herein permitted shall be in any manner restricted, or should any governmental authority refuse at any time during the term or extension of this lease to grant such permits as may be necessary for the installation of reasonable equipment and operation of said premises for the permissible purposes hereunder, the lessee may, at its option, surrender and cancel this lease, remove its improvements and equipment from said property, and be relieved from the payment of rent or any other obligation as of the date of such surrender.