

# Generic Extensions of Models of ZFC

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The proofs of this lemma in [B2] and [FFS] are different. We present still another proof of this lemma.

Independently J.L. Krivine found similar proof of a weaker result.

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## Corollary 9







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