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If  $m, n > 0$  and  $x \geq 0$  then:

$$e^{mx} + e^{n[x]} + e^{n\{x\}} \geq 3 + (m+n)x$$

*Solution by Rousen Pirgulyev - Azerbaijan.*

Using  $e^x \geq 1 + x$  for all  $x \geq 0$  and  $x = [x] + \{x\}$ , we have:

$$LHS \geq mx + n[x] + n\{x\} + 1 + 1 + 1 = 3 + mx + n \overbrace{([x] + \{x\})}^x = 3 + (m+n)x$$

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