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$\noexpand \langle token \rangle$

This command tells TEX to suppress expansion of $\langle token \rangle$ if $\langle token \rangle$ is a control sequence that can be expanded. If $\langle token \rangle$ can't be expanded, e.g., it's a letter, TEX acts as though the \noexpand wasn't there and processes $\langle token \rangle$ normally. In other words the expansion of '\noexpand $\langle token \rangle$ ' is simply $\langle token \rangle$ no matter what $\langle token \rangle$ happens to be.

Example:

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\def\bunny{rabbit}
\edef\magic{Pull the \noexpand\bunny\ out of the hat! }
% Without \noexpand, \bunny would always be replaced
% by 'rabbit'
\let\oldbunny=\bunny \def\bunny{lagomorph} \magic
\let\bunny=\oldbunny \magic

produces:
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Pull the lagomorph out of the hat! Pull the rabbit out of the hat!