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**Date:** October 12, 2023

**Subject:** W. P. Carey Inc. – Distribution  
Option Symbol: WPC  
New Symbol: WPC1  
Date: 11/02/2023

**Contract Adjustment**

**Effective Date:** November 2, 2023

**Option Symbol:** WPC changes to WPC1

**Strike Prices:** No Change

**Number of Contracts:** No Change

**Multiplier:** 100 (e.g., a premium of 1.50 yields \$150; a strike of 54 yields \$5,400.00)

**New Deliverable Per Contract:**

- 1) 100 W. P. Carey Inc. (WPC) Common Shares
- 2) 6 (New) Net Lease Office Properties (NLOP) Common Shares
- 3) Cash in lieu of approximately 0.6667 fractional NLOP Common Shares

Note: Once determined, the cash in lieu of fractional share portion of the option deliverable will remain fixed and will not vary with price changes of any security.

**Settlement Allocation:**

WPC: TBD  
NLOP: TBD

**CUSIPs:**

WPC: 92936U109  
NLOP: 64110Y108

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## **Pricing**

Until the cash in lieu amount is determined, the underlying price for WPC1 will be determined as follows:

$$\text{WPC1} = \text{WPC} + 0.066667 (\text{NLOP})$$

## **Delayed Settlement**

The WPC and NLOP components of the WPC1 deliverable will settle through National Securities Clearing Corporation (NSCC). OCC will delay settlement of the cash portion of the WPC1 deliverable until the cash in lieu of fractional NLOP Common Shares is determined. Upon determination of the cash in lieu amount, OCC will require Put exercisers and Call assignees to deliver the appropriate cash amount.

## **Background**

W. P. Carey Inc. (WPC) has announced a distribution of (New) Net Lease Office Properties (NLOP) Common Shares. The distribution ratio is approximately 0.066667 of an NLOP share for each WPC share held. The record date is October 19, 2023; the payable date is November 1, 2023. The NYSE has set November 2, 2023, as the ex-distribution date for this distribution. Cash will be paid in lieu of fractional NLOP shares.

Net Lease Office Properties Common Shares will begin trading on a when issued basis on October 27, 2023 on the NYSE under the trading symbol "NLOP WI".

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