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November 14, 2023

Subject: Adjusted W. P. Carey Inc. - Cash In Lieu Settlement Adjusted Option Symbol: WPC1

Adjusted W. P. Carey Inc. options were adjusted on November 2, 2023 (See OCC Information Memo #53454). The new deliverable became 1) 100 W. P. Carey Inc. (WPC) Common Shares, 2) 6 Net Lease Office Properties (NLOP) Common Shares, and 3) Cash in lieu of approximately 0.6667 fractional NLOP Common Shares. Only settlement of the cash portion of WPC1 options exercise/assignment activity was subject to delayed settlement.

OCC has been informed that a price of \$10.94004 per whole NLOP share will be used to determine the cash in lieu amount at a rate of 0.6667. Accordingly, the cash in lieu amount is:

0.6667 x \$10.94004 = \$7.29 per WPC1 Contract

Now that the exact cash in lieu amount has been determined, OCC will require Put exercisers and Call assignees, during the period of November 2, 2023 through November 14, 2023, to deliver the appropriate cash amount.

The cash in lieu of fractional share portion of the option deliverable remains fixed and does not vary with price changes of any security.

Terms of the WPC1 options are as follows:

New Deliverable Per Contract:	1) 100 W. P. Carey Inc. (WPC) Common Shares 2) 6 Net Lease Office Properties (NLOP) Common Shares 3) \$7.29 Cash
Strike Prices:	Unchanged
CUSIP:	WPC: 92936U109 NLOP: 64110Y108
Multiplier:	100 (i.e., a premium of 1.50 yields \$150)
<u>Settlement</u>	

The WPC and NLOP components of WPC1 exercise/assignment activity from November 2, 2023 through November 13, 2023, have settled through National Security Clearing Corporation (NSCC). The \$7.29 cash amount will be settled by OCC.

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The underlying price for WPC1 will be determined as follows:

WPC1 = WPC + 0.06 (NLOP) + 0.0729

For example, if WPC closes at 53.37 and NLOP closes at 15.60, the WPC1 price would be calculated as follows:

WPC1 = 53.37 + 0.06 (15.60) + 0.0729 = 54.38

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