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Creating the Top Net Lease REIT
Acquisition of
The Monthly Dividend Company
®
NYSE: O

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Additional Information and Where to Find It

Participants in Solicitation

Introductory Notes

In connection with the proposed merger, the Company and Realty have filed a definitive proxy statement with the SEC on December 6, 2012 and commenced mailing the definitive proxy statement and a form of proxy to the stockholders of the Company. BEFORE MAKING ANY VOTING DECISION, INVESTORS ARE URGED TO READ THE DEFINITIVE

PROXY STATEMENT REGARDING THE PROPOSED MERGER CAREFULLY AND IN ITS ENTIRETY BECAUSE THE PROXY STATEMENT CONTAINS IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT THE PROPOSED MERGER. Investors will be able to obtain, without charge, a copy of the definitive proxy statement and other relevant documents filed with the SEC from the SEC's website at <http://www.sec.gov>. Copies of the documents filed by the Company with the SEC are also available free of charge on the Company's website at <http://ir.arctreit.com>, and copies of the documents filed by Realty with the SEC are available free of charge on Realty's website at <http://www.realtyincome.com>.

The Company, Realty and their respective directors and executive officers may be deemed to be participants in the solicitation of proxies from the Company's and Realty's stockholders in respect of the proposed merger. Information regarding the Company's directors and executive officers can be found in the Company's definitive proxy statement filed with the SEC on May 21, 2012. Information regarding Realty's directors and executive officers can be found in Realty's definitive proxy statement filed with the SEC on March 30, 2012. Stockholders may obtain additional information regarding the interests of the Company and its directors and executive officers in the proposed merger, which may be different than those of the Company's stockholders generally, by reading the definitive proxy statement filed in connection with the proposed merger with the SEC on December 6, 2012 and other relevant documents regarding the proposed merger filed with the SEC. These documents are available free of charge on the SEC's website and from the Company or Realty, as applicable, using the sources indicated above.

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Forward-Looking Statements

Information set forth herein (including information included or incorporated by reference herein) contains forward-looking statements

(as defined in Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended), which reflect the Company's and Realty's expectations regarding future events. The forward-looking statements involve a number of risks, uncertainties and other factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from those contained in the forward-

looking statements. Such forward-looking statements include, but are not limited to whether and when the transactions contemplated by the merger agreement will be consummated, the new combined company's plans, market and other expectations, objectives, intentions and other statements that are not historical facts.

The following additional factors, among others, could cause actual results to differ from those set forth in the forward-looking statements: the ability to obtain regulatory approvals for the transaction and the approval of the merger agreement by the stockholders of both parties; unexpected costs or unexpected liabilities that may arise from the transaction, whether or not consummated; the inability to retain key personnel; continuation or deterioration of current market conditions; future regulatory or legislative actions that could adversely affect the companies; and the business plans of the customers of the respective parties. Additional factors that may affect future results are contained in the Company's and Realty's filings with the SEC, which are available at the SEC's website at www.sec.gov. The Company and Realty disclaim any obligation to update and revise statements contained in these materials based on new information or otherwise.

Introductory Notes (Continued)

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A Compelling Transaction for ARCT's Stockholders
Premium
Valuation:
Realty
Income
is

valuing
ARCT's
assets
at
a
significantly
higher
price and lower cap rate than ARCT's cost basis, which represents the lowest cap rate of
similar
net
lease
REIT
transactions
1

5.9% cash cap rate / 6.1% GAAP cap rate vs. 8.2% weighted average cap rate basis

Cap
rate
is
significantly
lower
than
similar
transactions,
which
range
from
7.1%
-
8.25%
1

15.7x forward EBITDA multiple represents second highest amongst similar REIT
transactions
2
Ideal
Strategic
Buyer:
Realty
Income
represents
the
ideal
strategic
buyer
given
their
business
focus,

size
and
scale,
investment
grade
balance
sheet

/
cost
of
capital
and
share
liquidity

No
Inquiries
Received:
Since
announcement
of
the
transaction,

no
third
party
has
approached ARCT or its advisors with an alternative transaction or with a request for
information despite low break fee of ~1.7% of transaction value

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(1)

See page 11 for similar transaction cap rates.

(2)

See page 12 for similar transaction forward EBITDA multiples.

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A Compelling Transaction for ARCT's Stockholders
(Continued)
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Favorable

Analyst
Reaction:
The
transaction
has
been
reviewed
favorably
by
the
research analyst community

As part of the merger agreement, ARCT management agreed to reduce its total compensation and capped potential financial upside

Alignment

of

Interests:

Pro

forma

for

the

transaction,

ARCT

management

will

own

~\$45

million of equity in Realty Income, including over \$25 million of existing equity in ARCT

Future

Growth

Opportunities

and

Value

Creation:

Realty

Income s

experienced

management team has a successful track record of driving dividend growth and producing enhanced stockholder returns

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Transaction Summary

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Transaction Summary
Highly Compelling Offer Unanimously Approved by ARCT and Realty Income's Boards
As in the Best Interests of the Companies and Their Stockholders

Transaction Value:
Realty Income will acquire ARCT for approximately \$2.95 billion in a

100% stock transaction at a fixed exchange ratio of 0.2874 shares of Realty Income for each share of ARCT

Implied Price Per Share:

As of September 5, 2012, the day prior to the announcement date,

Realty

Income's

closing

price

implied

a

value

of

\$12.21

per

share

for

ARCT

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,

which was a 6.8%

premium to ARCT's average closing price for the 30 calendar days prior to announcement

Pro Forma Enterprise Value:

Combined

enterprise

value

is

\$11.4

2

billion, making Realty

Income

the

largest

net

lease

REIT

and

18

th

largest U.S. REIT

Ownership Structure:

ARCT stockholders will own approximately 25.6% of the combined

company's common stock

Approvals and Timing:

Transaction subject to approval of both companies' stockholders at special meetings scheduled for January 16, 2013

(1)

Implied price per share of \$12.21 based on 0.2874 exchange ratio applied to Realty Income's closing share price of \$42.48 on September 5, 2012.

(2)

As of September 5, 2012, one day prior to announcement date.

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Ownership of Realty Income, the Best Performing
Net Lease REIT Over the Past 40 Years

Merger will result in ARCT stockholders owning Realty Income, the best performing publicly
traded net lease REIT

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Realty Income has paid 508 consecutive monthly dividends since 1970 and has increased its monthly dividend 68 times since its listing on the New York Stock Exchange in 1994

Realty Income has increased its annualized dividend 102%, from \$0.90 per share in 1994 to \$1.82 per share today; upon the closing of the transaction the dividend is expected to increase another

7%
to
\$1.95
per
share
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Since
Realty
Income's
listing,
the
compounded
annual
return

to
stockholders

has
been
17.7%,

which is more than 670 bps higher than the Dow Jones Industrial Average, Standard & Poor's
500,

NASDAQ

and

FTSE

NAREIT

Index

for

the

same

time

period

2

(1)

Current annualized dividend based on December declared dividend of \$0.1514 per share. Projected dividend increase assumes a March 2013 close based on 2013E AFFO.

(2)

Compounded annual returns per Bloomberg from Realty Income's NYSE listing on October 18, 1994 through September 30, reinvestment of dividends, except for NASDAQ.

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Compelling Growth Potential to Drive Future
Stockholder Value

The combined company will be significantly larger and financially stronger than its competitors and will have one of the lowest cost of capital in a sector where low cost capital creates competitive advantage

The combined company's cost of capital advantage positions it to grow earnings while increasing dividends

The combined company's greater scale will facilitate the execution of large transactions through improved access to capital, further enhancing the company's ability to realize value in the relatively fragmented net lease real estate sector

As a Result of the Merger, ARCT Stockholders Stand to Benefit from Greater Risk Adjusted Returns Due to the Enhanced Stability and Diversity of the Combined Property Portfolio

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Transaction Value Represents a Significant
Premium to ARCT's Asset Cost

On
September
5,

2012,
the
offer
value
implied
a
weighted
average
capitalization
rate
for

ARCT's assets of 6.1%, or 5.9% based on current cash rents, significantly below the weighted average capitalization rate of 8.2% paid by ARCT for its assets

(1)
2012 YTD as of June 30, 2012 and includes only closed acquisitions.

(2)
Contract purchase price excluding acquisition related costs.

(3)
As reported, calculated as net operating income divided by purchase price.

Year
Acquisition Volume (\$ mm)

2
Weighted Average Cap Rate

3
2008
\$ 149
7.7%

2009
180
8.7%

2010
543
8.6%

2011
1,239
7.9%

2012 YTD
1
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8.5%

Total
\$ 2,124
8.2%

Proposed Acquisition
\$ 2,950
6.1%

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Cap Rate is the Lowest of Similar Public Net Lease
REIT Transactions

Implied Cap Rate

Source: Company filings, Wall Street Research and Investor Presentations

(1) Represents a 5.9% cash cap rate or 6.1% GAAP cap rate.

5.9%

7.10
-8.25%
7.6%
7.5%
7.5%
7.4%
7.2%
0.0%
1.0%
2.0%
3.0%
4.0%
5.0%
6.0%
7.0%
8.0%
9.0%

American Realty
Capital Trust (1) /
Realty Income
(5-Sep-2012)
American Financial
Realty Trust /
Gramercy Capital Corp.
(5-Nov-2007)
Newkirk Realty Trust / Government Properties
Lexington Realty Trust
(23-Jul-2006)
Trust /
Record Realty Trust
(23-Oct-2006)
Trustreet Properties /
General Electric
Capital Corporation
(30-Oct-2006)
Spirit Finance
Corporation /
Investor Group led by
Macquarie Bank
(13-Mar-2007)
Capital Automotive
REIT /
DRA Advisors LLC
(6-Sep-2005)

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EBITDA Multiple at High End of Similar Public
Net Lease REIT Transactions
Implied
Forward
EBITDA
Multiple

(1)

Based on announced transaction value and forward consensus median EBITDA estimates.

(2)

EBITDA estimate of \$251.9 million as at 15-Mar-2007. As of the announcement date, the EBITDA estimate was \$174.0 million implying a transaction multiple of 20.1x.

Source: Company filings, DataStream, SNL Financial

15.7 x

18.4 x

14.1 x

13.9 x

13.8 x

13.2 x

8.0 x

0.0 x

2.0 x

4.0 x

6.0 x

8.0 x

10.0 x

12.0 x

14.0 x

16.0 x

18.0 x

20.0 x

American Realty

Capital Trust /

Realty Income

(5-Sep-2012)

American Financial

Realty Trust /

Gramercy Capital Corp.

(5-Nov-2007)

Government Properties

Trust /

Record Realty Trust

(23-Oct-2006)

Spirit Finance

Corporation²

/

Investor Group led by

Macquarie Bank

(13-Mar-2007)

Trustreet Properties /

General Electric

Capital Corporation

(30-Oct-2006)

Capital Automotive

REIT /

DRA Advisors LLC

(6-Sep-2005)

Newkirk Realty Trust /
Lexington Realty Trust
(23-Jul-2006)

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Transaction Value Represents a Significant
Premium to ARCT's Historical Trading Levels

Implied offer value of \$12.21 per share of ARCT common stock represents a premium of:

23.5% to ARCT's volume-weighted average price on first day of trading of \$9.89

12.3%
to
the
average
closing
price
per
share
of
\$10.87
since
its
NASDAQ
listing
on
March 1, 2012 through announcement

6.8% to ARCT's 30-calendar-day average share price prior to announcement of \$11.43

2.1% to ARCT's closing price on the day prior to announcement of \$11.96

\$ 11.96

\$ 9.50

\$ 10.00

\$ 10.50

\$ 11.00

\$ 11.50

\$ 12.00

\$ 12.50

1-Mar-12

1-Apr-12

1-May-12

1-Jun-12

1-Jul-12

1-Aug-12

1-Sep-12

Implied Value¹

on 5-Sep-2012 = \$12.21

Average Since Listing²

(1-Mar-2012) = \$10.87

30-Calendar-Day Average Prior to 5-Sep-2012 = \$11.43

Source: Bloomberg

(1)

Implied value based on 0.2874 exchange ratio applied to Realty Income's closing share price of \$42.48 on September 5, 2012.

(2)

Average closing price per share from listing on March 1, 2012 until September 5, 2012.

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After a Comprehensive Strategic Review Process the
ARCT Board Concluded That the Realty Income
Offer Was in the Best Interests of Stockholders
Timeline
Process Details
May 2011

ARCT filed 8-K to announce it was evaluating strategic alternatives

Board hired Goldman, Sachs & Co. as financial advisor and Proskauer Rose LLP as external legal counsel

Early June 2011

to

September 2011

Over

40

parties

were

contacted

regarding

interest

in

engaging

in

a

potential

acquisition

of

ARCT

18 parties entered dataroom

6 parties submitted non-binding indications of interest

No proposal was above ARCT's initial public offering price of \$10.00 per share

Several proposals only related to the acquisition of a portion of ARCT's portfolio

June 29, 2011

Realty Income submitted a proposal to acquire ARCT's real estate portfolio as of May 31, 2011 (350 properties) with consideration in the form of cash, restricted and unrestricted common stock and convertible preferred stock

Complex offer inadequate and difficult to value

Burdened stockholders with liquidity constraints

February 21, 2012

Realty Income submitted a new non-binding indicative proposal, at a price of \$10.25 per share, composed of a fixed exchange ratio of 0.168 and \$4.10 per share in cash

March 1, 2012

ARCT internalized its management services and listed on the NASDAQ

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Transaction Results From Comprehensive
Strategic Review Process (Continued)
Timeline
Process Details
Early August 2012

In August 2012, Realty Income contacted ARCT to indicate interest in revisiting a possible strategic transaction with ARCT

August 16, 2012

Realty Income proposed an exchange ratio of 0.2841 for 100% stock consideration that was rejected by ARCT as being insufficient

August 17, 2012

The exchange ratio was negotiated upward to 0.2874

August 2012

to

Early September 2012

ARCT's board of directors met several times to review Realty Income's proposals and discuss the merger agreement

The independent directors also met several times to discuss various aspects of the proposed merger

September 5, 2012

Realty Income's board of directors unanimously approved the transaction

September 6, 2012

ARCT's board of directors unanimously approved the transaction

Transaction was announced before market open through a joint press release issued by ARCT and Realty Income

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Transaction Has Been Reviewed Favorably By the
Research Analyst Community

In our view, O's deal for ARCT is an attractive one as it has the lowest capital costs in the public markets and we don't see better offers being out there for the enterprise.

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J.P.
Morgan
research
report,
3Q
a
Penny
Shy
of
Our
Estimate
on
Lighter
Revenue;
Deal
Volume
as
Expected

-
October 25, 2012

Points for Solid Execution: Sure, commercial real estate values have gone up since ARCT bought most of its properties. But they have appreciated at the same pace as, say, the typical strip center owned by the REITs in our coverage universe, then the weighted average cap rate at today's values would be about 7.3%. The giant gap between that figure and the 5.9% cap rate ARCT management is selling the company for suggests great execution by them on behalf of their shareholders.

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Green
Street
Advisors
research
report,
A
Rare
Non-Traded
REIT
Success
Story

-
September
11,
2012

In all, through both a major acquisition like ARCT and the consistent level of acquisition activity on a quarterly basis, Realty Income is poised for substantial growth in our view.

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RBC Capital Markets research report, 3Q Earnings Review: Operations, Acqs Strong; Raising 12/13 Est, Introducing
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-
October
29,

2012

For ARCT shareholders, the benefits include a decline in cost of and a greater access to capital, overhead savings, and partnering with the best in class management team with a track record of producing attractive shareholder returns and dividend growth.

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JMP
Securities
research
report,
Merger
Overshadows
3Q
Report;
Maintain
MP
-
November
2,
2012

For shareholders in American Realty Capital Trust, yesterday's announcement will be greeted with justifiable smiles and applause; especially given the negative news that has been flowing from the non-traded REIT space over the past year or so. Bottom line: AR Capital's and ARCT management's interests were aligned with those of rank-and-file investors, and ARCT definitely did the right thing.

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REIT
Wrap
publication
-
September
7,
2012

(1)
Permission for quotation was neither sought nor obtained.

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1
1
1
1

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Overview of Realty Income

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Overview of Realty Income

Realty Income (NYSE: O) is an \$8.7 billion commercial real estate company with a Baa1/BBB/BBB+ (Moody's/S&P/Fitch) credit rating

Founded in 1969 to provide monthly dividends to stockholders through the ownership of

net lease real estate

508 consecutive monthly dividends with 68 dividend increases since NYSE listing in 1994

Monthly dividends supported by cash flow from long-term leases

Over 2,750 properties under long-term leases to commercial and retail tenants

Significant growth since NYSE listing in 1994

Total capitalization increased from \$402 million to \$8.7 billion

Properties owned increased from 630 to 2,838

Property square footage increased from 4.1 million to 34.3 million

Tenant industries increased from 5 to 44

Share price increased from \$8.00 to \$40.17

Dividend per share increased from \$0.90 per share to \$1.95 per share, pro forma for this transaction

Note: Capitalization and share price as of December 5, 2012.

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Realty Income's Long-Term Goals

Moderate FFO growth

Moderate dividend growth

Maintain a conservative business strategy that does not take excessive risk in the pursuit of objectives

Maintain a conservative financial position for stockholders

Realty Income Delivers Consistent Earnings and Dividend Growth
Using Conservative Operating and Balance Sheet Strategies

Debt:

Maximum 20 -
35%

Preferred:

Maximum 10 -
15%

Interest Coverage Ratio:

3.0x or above

Fixed Charge Ratio:

2.5x or above

Solid dividend coverage

Payout Ratio:

At or below 85%

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Proven Track Record of Consistent Dividend
Growth

Realty Income has a consistent track record of generating dividend growth over its 18 years
as a public company

Realty
Income
has
increased
its
dividend
68
times
since
its
1994
NYSE
listing
and
has
had 508 consecutive monthly dividends

The
dividend
has
increased
every
year
since
the
listing
1

Source: Bloomberg

(1)
Annualized dividend amount reflects the December declared dividend rate per share multiplied by twelve.

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Realty Income Has Achieved Outsized Returns
Relative to Major Indices Including the S&P 500
Compounded Annual Return

Source: Bloomberg.

Note:

(1)

Calculated as the difference between closing stock price as of period end, less the closing stock price as of previous period.

(2)

Per NAREIT website and Factset. Includes reinvestment of dividends.

(3)

Price only index, does not include dividends. Source: Factset.

All of these compounded average annual total return rates are calculated in the same manner: from Realty Income's NYSE listing on October 18, 1994 through September 30, 2012 and assuming reinvestment of dividends, except for NASDAQ. Past performance does not guarantee future performance. Realty Income presents this data only for informational purposes and makes no representation about its future performance or how it will compare in performance to other indices in the future.

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Combined Company Highlights

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Superior Asset Portfolio

Achieves greater economies of scale than standalone ARCT and Realty Income by leveraging Realty Income's operating platform over a larger portfolio

Creates the largest public triple net lease company by over two times; well-positioned as a

premier consolidator in the net lease sector

ARCT Current

Realty Income Current

Combined Company

Meaningfully Increases Size &
Scale

1

506 Properties

15.7 mm Square Feet

~\$2.8 billion

Total Capitalization

2,838 Properties

34.3 mm Square Feet

~\$8.7 billion

Total Capitalization

3,344 Properties

50.0 mm Square Feet

~\$11.6 billion

Total Capitalization

Increased Industry

Diversification

26 Tenant Industries

44 Tenant Industries

48 Tenant Industries

Decreased Top 15 Tenant

Concentration

2

63%

47%

41%

(1)

Total capitalization based on closing share prices as of December 5, 2012.

(2)

Based on average annual base rent.

Allows ARCT stockholders to exchange their shares for those of Realty Income, with a broader, more diverse asset portfolio, on a tax free basis

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Consolidation Opportunity

Estimated \$1.5 to \$2.0 trillion of U.S. real estate is held by corporate owners / users

Highly fragmented market without a dominant

type of investor

Sector is underpenetrated by public companies

Limited competition from investors due to
constricted bank lending market

Increased transaction volume signifies more
inventory from sellers to transact

Source: Public filings and Real Capital Analytics. Represents total market value of real estate owned by O, NNN, EPR,
ARCT, LXP, SIR, GTY and LSE.

Fragmented Net Lease Market Provides Ample Opportunity for Realty Income to
Continue to Grow

Estimated Ownership Profile

TTM Transaction Volume (\$ in billions)

Realty

Income

Can

Drive

Higher

Earnings

and

Earnings

Growth

than

Any

of

its

Public

Comparables

Due to Significant Cost of Capital Advantage

Publicly

Owned

(<5%)

(1)

Not

Publicly

Owned

(>95%)

\$39.3

\$9.3

\$21.3

Aug. 2007

Sep. 2009

Mar. 2012

25

Size is a Competitive Advantage and Drives Value

Source: Bloomberg

(1)

Average total return of the top 20 largest REITs by equity market capitalization at the end of each year, per NAREIT.

Total Return

The Largest REITs Consistently Outperform The Broader REIT Market

Average annual outperformance of 4.5%

5.7%

39.8%

36.8%

15.7%

42.8%

(13.6)%

(21.3)%

31.6%

29.6%

10.8%

16.9%

3.6%

36.7%

31.5%

12.1%

35.9%

(16.8)%

(38.0)%

28.6%

28.5%

8.7%

14.9%

2002

2003

2004

2005

2006

2009

2010

2011

2012

Top 20 Largest REITs¹

MSCI U.S. REIT Index

2007

2008

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Combined Company Increased Size and Scale

Largest public triple net lease company by
over two times

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th
largest public U.S. REIT

Cost of capital, operational and economies
of scale advantages

Increased float and liquidity

Pro forma real estate revenue to be
approximately 35% higher

Realty Income positioned as the premier
consolidator in the net lease sector

Realty Income's acquisition volume
through 3Q 2012 far exceeds that of
ARCT's

Total Market Capitalization

Annual Rental Revenues

Equity Value

Total Debt + Preferred

7,205

5,361

3,831

1,893

2,161

1,860

4,352

3,305

1,473

2,037

1,696

\$11,556

\$8,665

\$5,304

\$3,930

\$3,857

\$2,820

O (PF)

O

NNN

LXP

EPR

ARCT

\$681

\$505

\$335

\$332

\$256

\$176

O (PF)
O
NNN
LXP
EPR
ARCT
959

Realty Income has acquired properties at the rate of approximately \$80 million per month while ARCT has acquired approximately \$5 million per month

Note: \$ in millions. Stock price as of December 5, 2012 used to calculate Total Market Capitalization. Rental revenues and debt plus preferred per 3Q 2012 Company filings.

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Improved Credit Profile and Access to Capital

Lower
cost
of
debt

capital
resulting
from
larger
size,
access
to
multiple
forms
of
capital,
and
Realty
Income's
investment
grade
credit
rating

Well positioned to benefit from external acquisition growth strategy compared to substantially all competitors with higher capital

In a worsening fiscal environment ARCT's current sub-investment grade credit rating could put the Company at a disadvantage in
capital markets compared to combined company

Standalone ARCT is much more exposed to increases in interest rates than combined company

ARCT
Realty Income
Commentary
Unsecured Debt
No
Yes

Issued
unsecured
debt
with
coupons
as
low
as
2.0%
(6
year
notes)
and
3.25%
(10
year
notes)

1

Preferred Equity

No

Yes

Issued preferred equity with dividends ranging from 6.625% to 6.750%

Public Common Equity

No

Yes

Successful track record of follow-on equity offerings

Credit Ratings

Ba2/BB

Baa1/BBB/BBB+

ARCT stockholders will immediately benefit from current IG rating

Secured Debt as % of Total

Debt

~54%

~5%

More flexible capital structure with increase in unencumbered asset base

Floating Rate Exposure²

~46%

~1%

Less reliance on floating rate bank debt or secured mortgage debt

Weighted Average Debt

Tenor

4.1 years

7.6 years

Longer weighted average debt maturity

ARCT

Stockholders

Gain

Materially

Improved

Access

To

Capital

and

Benefit

From

Realty Income's Track Record as an Investment Grade Issuer

(1)

3.25% coupon was in the top 5 lowest issuances for 10-year note issuances for in the REIT space for 2011-2012 YTD .

(2)

Floating rate exposure calculated as floating rate debt as a percentage of total debt outstanding. Realty Income's

\$1.0 billion revolver currently has \$0 drawn, subsequent to 3Q 2012. ARCT's floating rate debt includes a revolver and term

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ARCT's Long Term Balance Sheet Goals Met Immediately

ARCT Balance Sheet Goal:

ARCT's long term balance sheet goal is to reduce levels of secured and floating rate debt and increase weighted average debt maturity in pursuit of an investment grade corporate credit rating

ARCT Balance Sheet Risks:

On a standalone basis, ARCT's goal to reduce the use of floating rate debt and increase debt duration in order to improve its Ba2/BB credit ratings is subject to significant timing and execution risks

Impact on ARCT of Interest Rate Increase:

The table below illustrates how ARCT's standalone AFFO per share, and ability to cover its current dividend (payout ratio), could be negatively affected by potential increases in interest rates¹

Realty Income's Balance Sheet Advantage:

Realty Income's debt is primarily fixed rate and long term and its investment grade balance sheet and proven access to the unsecured bond markets allow immediate recapitalization of ARCT's variable rate debt on highly favorable terms

Combined Balance Sheet Benefits:

Pro forma for the transaction, the combined company will be rated Baa1/BBB/BBB+ and will enjoy a much longer weighted average debt maturity than ARCT standalone (7.8 years vs. 4.1 years), further solidifying the viability of distributable cash flows and dividends

Access to Realty Income's Long-Term, Fixed-Rate Debt Meets All of ARCT's Balance Sheet Goals Immediately, Significantly Reducing ARCT's Floating Rate Interest Exposure and Debt Recapitalization Risk

Illustrative

Interest Rate Increase
in Floating Rate Debt

Illustrative

Annual Interest

Expense Increase²

(\$ in millions)

Illustrative

Annual Decrease in

AFFO Per Share³ (\$)