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(To Prospectus dated September 30, 1996 and
Prospectus Supplement dated November 15, 1996)
                                $150,000,000
                        WEINGARTEN REALTY INVESTORS
                        MEDIUM-TERM NOTES, SERIES A
Principal amount:
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Paper Rate

Prime Rate

LIBOR

Stated Maturity: November 26, 2026

Applicable Exchange Rate (if any):

U.S. \$

Specified Currency:

U.S. \$1.00 = N/ATreasury Rate Issue price (as a percentage of CD Rate principal amount): Federal Funds Rate 100% Selling Agent's commission (%): 0.625% Other Purchasing Agent's discount Index Maturity: N/A or commission (%): Spread: N/A N/ANet proceeds to the Company (%): 99.375% Spread Multiplier: N/A Maximum Rate: N/A Settlement date (original issue date): November 26, 1996 Minimum Rate: N/A Redemption Commencement Initial Interest Rate: N/A Date (if any): N/A Interest Reset Date(s): N/A Interest Determination Date(s): Optional Repayment Date: November 26, 2006 Calculation Date(s): N/AInterest Payment Date (s): 3/15, 9/15 Regular Record Date(s): 3/1, 9/1

Redemption prices (if any): The Redemption Price shall initially be N/A % of the principal amount of such Notes to be redeemed.

If such Notes are denominated in other than U.S. dollars, the applicable Foreign Currency Supplement is attached hereto.

Additional terms: N/A

As of the date of this Pricing Supplement, the aggregate initial public offering price (or its equivalent in other currencies) of the Debt Securities (as defined in the Prospectus) which have been sold (including the Notes to which this Pricing Supplement relates) is \$19,000,000.

"N/A" as used herein means "Not Applicable." "A/S" as used herein means "As stated in the Prospectus Supplement referred to above."

DONALDSON, LUFKIN & amp; JENRETTE SECURITIES CORP.

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