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On July 2, 2001, James M. Seneff, Jr., Chairman of the Board of Directors and Chief Executive Officer of Commercial Net Lease Realty, Inc., Gary M. Ralston, President and Chief Operating Officer of Commercial Net Lease Realty, Inc., Kevin B. Habicht, Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer of Commercial Net Lease Realty, Inc. and others participated in a conference call regarding the announcement by Commercial Net Lease Realty, Inc. of the execution of an Agreement and Plan of Merger, dated as of July 1, 2001, by and between Commercial Net Lease Realty, Inc. and Captec Net Lease Realty, Inc. Following is a talking-points script that was relied upon for portions of the conference call. See below to find out where you can find additional information.

CRRR ACQUISITION STRATEGIC RATIONALE TALKING POINTS

- We view the acquisition of Captec as an opportunistic acquisition of attractively priced free-standing net lease assets.
- FFO ACCRETION -- We expect \$0.05 to \$0.07 FFO per share accretion next year as result of the transaction.
- LEVERAGE NEUTRAL -- The transaction has been structured to be essentially leverage neutral.
- EXPANSION OF EQUITY BASE -- The transaction allows us to issue equity at an attractive valuation, improves our liquidity, presence and visibility with investor and tenants.
- FRANCHISE VALUE -- The transaction positions Commercial Net Lease Realty as the leading net lease retail company.
- PORTFOLIO DIVERSIFICATION -- The combined portfolio increases our diversification:
 - By property -- 377 properties
 - By tenant -- 96 corporate tenants
 - Geographically 40 states
 - FL 17.4%
 - TX 16.6%
 - CA 8.7%
 - 26 lines of trade
 - Restaurants (SIC 58, Eating and Drinking Places)
 will comprise approximately 20%
 - A number of demographic trends favor continued restaurant industry

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growth - increase in the population of more affluent consumers, rise of dual-income households, and consumers' increased desire for convenience. These trends provide an attractive long-term demographic landscape for restaurant operators, particularly casual dining.

- 2001 restaurant sales are expected to increase about 5.2% (National Restaurant Association)
- We have a decade long track record of effectively managing restaurant properties and can access our affiliates for support if needed.

OTHER KEY POINTS:

- Accretive
- Leverage neutral

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- Consistent property and lease profile
- Additional diversification
- Significant imbedded property value compared to one-off sales in 1031 market
- CNLR has a long history with restaurant properties with no losses
- The transaction was structured as a fixed number of shares (to lock in accretion) as opposed to a fixed price.

Investors and security holders of both the Commercial Net Lease Realty, Inc. and Captec Net Lease Realty, Inc. are advised to read the proxy statement/prospectus regarding the business combination transaction referred to in the press release, when it becomes available, because it will contain important information. The proxy statement/prospectus will be filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission by both companies. Investors and security holders may obtain a free copy of the proxy statement/prospectus and other documents filed by the companies at the Securities and Exchange Commission's web site at http://www.sec.gov. The proxy statement/prospectus and such other documents may also be obtained from both companies by directing such requests to the companies. Captec Net Lease Realty, Inc. and its officers and directors may be deemed to be participants in the solicitation of proxies from stockholders of Captec Net Lease Realty, Inc. with respect to the proposed merger. Information regarding such officers and directors is included in Captec Net Lease Realty's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2000 filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission. This document is available free of charge at the Securities and Exchange Commission's web site at http://www.sec.gov and from Captec Net Lease Realty, Inc.