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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading ALEXANDER STANFORD J Issuer Symbol WEINGARTEN REALTY (Check all applicable) INVESTORS /TX/ [WRI] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction _X__ Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title _ Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) 2600 CITADEL PLAZA DR, #300 11/04/2008 **CHAIRMAN** (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

HOUSTON, TX 77008-

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned								
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities AdorDisposed of (Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4 and)	d (A) or	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		7. Nature of Ind Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	11/04/2008	11/04/2008	P	85.7143	A	\$ 20.395	2,622,757.2143	D		
Common Stock	11/04/2008	11/04/2008	P	600	A	\$ 20.4	2,623,357.2143	D		
Common Stock	11/04/2008	11/04/2008	P	385.7143	A	\$ 20.405	2,623,742.9286	D		
Common Stock	11/04/2008	11/04/2008	P	1,414.2857	A	\$ 20.41	2,625,157.2143	D		
Common Stock	11/04/2008	11/04/2008	P	42.8571	A	\$ 20.4125	2,625,200.0714	D		
	11/04/2008	11/04/2008	P	428.5714	A	\$ 20.413	2,625,628.6428	D		

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Common Stock									
Common Stock	11/04/2008	11/04/2008	P	85.7143	A	\$ 20.415	2,625,714.3571	D	
Common Stock	11/04/2008	11/04/2008	P	1,928.5714	A	\$ 20.42	2,627,642.9285	D	
Common Stock	11/04/2008	11/04/2008	P	85.7143	A	\$ 20.425	2,627,728.6428	D	
Common Stock	11/04/2008	11/04/2008	P	171.4286	A	\$ 20.435	2,627,900.0714	D	
Common Stock	11/04/2008	11/04/2008	P	1,928.5714	A	\$ 20.44	2,629,828.6428	D	
Common Stock	11/04/2008	11/04/2008	P	42.8571	A	\$ 20.45	2,629,871.4999	D	
Common Stock	11/04/2008	11/04/2008	P	42.8571	A	\$ 20.455	2,629,914.357	D	
Common Stock	11/04/2008	11/04/2008	P	85.7143	A	\$ 20.46	2,630,000.0713	D	
Common Stock	11/04/2008	11/04/2008	P	171.4286	A	\$ 20.47	2,630,171.4999	D	
Common Stock	11/04/2008	11/04/2008	P	42.8571	A	\$ 20.475	2,630,214.357	D	
Common Stock	11/04/2008	11/04/2008	P	257.1429	A	\$ 20.48	2,630,471.4999	D	
Common Stock	11/04/2008	11/04/2008	P	42.8571	A	\$ 20.485	2,630,514.357	D	
Common Stock	11/04/2008	11/04/2008	P	7,157.1429	A	\$ 20.5	2,637,671.4999	D	
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or		ate	7. Title Amour Underl Securit (Instr.:	nt of ying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo
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				of (D) (Instr. 3,						(Instr
				4, and 5)						
					Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of		
			Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
ALEXANDER STANFORD J 2600 CITADEL PLAZA DR #300 HOUSTON, TX 77008-	X		CHAIRMAN				

Signatures

STANFORDJALEXANDER

11/06/2008

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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