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FIFTH THIRD FUNDS  
 COMBINED STATEMENT OF ADDITIONAL INFORMATION  
 DATED NOVEMBER 29, 2007

This Combined Statement of Additional Information (the "SAI") relates to the Prospectuses of the following portfolios (the "Funds") of Fifth Third Funds (the "Trust") dated November 29, 2007:

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Fifth Third Small Cap Growth Fund	Fifth Third International Equity Fund
Fifth Third Mid Cap Growth Fund	Fifth Third High Yield Bond Fund
Fifth Third Quality Growth Fund	Fifth Third Total Return Bond Fund (formerly Fifth Third Bond Fund)
Fifth Third Structured Large Cap Plus Fund	Fifth Third Short Term Bond Fund
Fifth Third Equity Index Fund	Fifth Third Municipal Bond Fund
Fifth Third Balanced Fund(1)	Fifth Third Intermediate Municipal Bond Fund
Fifth Third Micro Cap Value Fund	Fifth Third Ohio Municipal Bond Fund
Fifth Third Small Cap Value Fund	Fifth Third Michigan Municipal Bond Fund
Fifth Third All Cap Value Fund (formerly Fifth Third Multi Cap Value Fund)	Fifth Third Prime Money Market Fund
Fifth Third Disciplined Large Cap Value Fund	Fifth Third Institutional Money Market Fund
Fifth Third LifeModel Aggressive FundSM	Fifth Third Institutional Government Money Market Fund
Fifth Third LifeModel Moderately Aggressive FundSM	Fifth Third U.S. Treasury Money Market Fund
Fifth Third LifeModel Moderate FundSM	Fifth Third Michigan Municipal Money Market Fund
Fifth Third LifeModel Moderately Conservative FundSM	Fifth Third Municipal Money Market Fund
Fifth Third LifeModel Conservative FundSM	Fifth Third Ohio Tax Exempt Money Market Fund(2)
Fifth Third Strategic Income Fund	
Fifth Third Dividend Growth Fund	

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This SAI, which has been filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC"), provides supplementary information pertaining to all classes of shares representing interests in each of the investment portfolios listed above (each a "Fund"). This SAI is not a prospectus, and should be read only in conjunction with the relevant prospectus for the Funds (each a "Prospectus"). Each Prospectus is dated November 29, 2007. The financial statements for the Funds including the notes thereto, dated July 31, 2007, are incorporated by reference into this SAI from the annual reports of the Funds. To receive a copy of any Prospectus, you may write the Trust at Fifth Third Funds, 38 Fountain Square Plaza, Cincinnati, Ohio 45263 or call toll-free (800) 282-5706.

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- 1 The Fifth Third Balanced Fund is closed to new investment.
  - 2 The Fifth Third Ohio Tax Exempt Money Market Fund has not commenced investment operations.

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GENERAL INFORMATION ABOUT THE TRUST

The Trust was established as a Massachusetts business trust under a Declaration of Trust dated September 15, 1988. The Trust's Declaration of Trust permits the Trust to offer separate series of shares of beneficial interest representing interests in separate portfolios of securities, and it permits the Trust to offer separate classes of each such series. This Statement of Additional Information relates to the following funds (each, a "Fund" and collectively, the "Funds"):

THE "EQUITY FUNDS:"

- Fifth Third Small Cap Growth Fund ("Small Cap Growth Fund")
- Fifth Third Mid Cap Growth Fund ("Mid Cap Growth Fund")
- Fifth Third Quality Growth Fund ("Quality Growth Fund")
- Fifth Third Structured Large Cap Plus Fund (formerly Fifth Third Large Cap Core Fund) ("Structured Large Cap Plus Fund")
- Fifth Third Equity Index Fund ("Equity Index Fund")
- Fifth Third Balanced Fund ("Balanced Fund")
- Fifth Third Micro Cap Value Fund ("Micro Cap Value Fund")
- Fifth Third Small Cap Value Fund ("Small Cap Value Fund")
- Fifth Third All Cap Value Fund (formerly Fifth Third Multi Cap Value Fund) ("All Cap Value Fund")
- Fifth Third Disciplined Large Cap Value Fund ("Disciplined Large Cap Value Fund")
- Fifth Third Strategic Income Fund ("Strategic Income Fund")
- Fifth Third Dividend Growth Fund ("Dividend Growth Fund")

Fifth Third International Equity Fund ("International Equity Fund")

THE "ASSET ALLOCATION FUNDS:"

Fifth Third LifeModel Conservative FundSM ("LifeModel Conservative FundSM")
Fifth Third LifeModel Moderately Conservative FundSM ("LifeModel Moderately Conservative FundSM")
Fifth Third LifeModel Moderate FundSM ("LifeModel Moderate FundSM")
Fifth Third LifeModel Moderately Aggressive FundSM ("LifeModel Moderately Aggressive FundSM")
Fifth Third LifeModel Aggressive FundSM ("LifeModel Aggressive FundSM")

THE "BOND FUNDS:"

Fifth Third High Yield Bond Fund ("High Yield Bond Fund")
Fifth Third Total Return Bond Fund (formerly Fifth Third Bond Fund) ("Total Return Bond Fund")
Fifth Third Short Term Bond Fund ("Short Term Bond Fund")

THE "MUNICIPAL BOND FUNDS:"

Fifth Third Municipal Bond Fund ("Municipal Bond Fund")
Fifth Third Intermediate Municipal Bond Fund ("Intermediate Municipal Bond Fund")
Fifth Third Ohio Municipal Bond Fund ("Ohio Municipal Bond Fund")
Fifth Third Michigan Municipal Bond Fund ("Michigan Municipal Bond Fund")

THE "MONEY MARKET FUNDS:"

Fifth Third Prime Money Market Fund ("Prime Money Market Fund")
Fifth Third Institutional Money Market Fund ("Institutional Money Market Fund")

Fifth Third Institutional Government Money Market Fund ("Institutional Government Money Market Fund")
Fifth Third U.S. Treasury Money Market Fund ("U.S. Treasury Money Market Fund")
Fifth Third Michigan Municipal Money Market Fund ("Michigan Municipal Money Market Fund")
Fifth Third Municipal Money Market Fund ("Municipal Money Market Fund")
Fifth Third Ohio Tax Exempt Money Market Fund ("Ohio Tax Exempt Money Market Fund")

The Trust offers shares of the following Funds and shares of the following classes of each Fund:

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Table with 8 columns: Fund Name, INSTITUTIONAL, CLASS A, CLASS B\*\*, CLASS C, SELECT, PREFERRED, TRUST. Rows include Small Cap Growth Fund, Mid Cap Growth Fund, Quality Growth Fund, Structured Large Cap Plus Fund, Equity Index Fund, Balanced Fund^, Micro Cap Value Fund, Small Cap Value Fund, All Cap Value Fund, Disciplined Large Cap Value Fund, LifeModel Aggressive FundSM, LifeModel Moderately Aggressive FundSM, and LifeModel Moderate FundSM.

LifeModel Moderately Conservative FundSM	X	X	X	X			
LifeModel Conservative FundSM	X	X	X	X			
Strategic Income Fund	X	X	X	X			
Dividend Growth Fund	X	X	X	X			
International Equity Fund	X	X	X	X			
High Yield Bond Fund	X	X	X	X			
Total Return Bond Fund	X	X	X	X			
Short Term Bond Fund	X	X		X			
Municipal Bond Fund	X	X	X	X			
Intermediate Municipal Bond Fund	X	X	X*	X			
Ohio Municipal Bond Fund	X	X	X	X			
Michigan Municipal Bond Fund	X	X	X	X			
Prime Money Market Fund	X	X	X	X			
Institutional Money Market Fund	X				X	X	X
Institutional Government Money Market Fund	X				X	X	X
U.S. Treasury Money Market Fund	X				X	X	X
Michigan Municipal Money Market Fund	X	X					
Municipal Money Market Fund	X	X			X	X	X
Ohio Tax Exempt Money Market Fund	X*	X*					

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^ The Balanced Fund is closed to new investment.

\* These shares are currently not available to the public.

\*\* Effective May 11, 2007, all Class B shares were closed to all purchases. Dividends may continue to be reinvested automatically without incurring a sales charge, and existing shareholders owning Class B shares may exchange to Class B shares of other Fifth Third Funds and may redeem shares as described in the Prospectus. Please contact Fifth Third Funds Shareholder Service at 1-800-282-5706 with any questions.

Each Fund is an "open-end" management investment company and, other than the Dividend Growth Fund, Ohio Municipal Bond Fund and Ohio Tax Exempt Money Market Fund, each is a "diversified" investment company, as those terms are defined in the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended (the "1940 Act"). Among other things, a diversified Fund must, with respect to 75% of its total

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assets, not invest more than 5% of its total assets in any one issuer. A non-diversified Fund, such as the Ohio Municipal Bond Fund, is any Fund other than a diversified Fund and is not subject to the foregoing restriction. However, non-diversified Funds will comply with similar diversification requirements of the Internal Revenue Code in order to be classified as a regulated investment company for federal income tax purposes. See "Tax Status, Qualification as a Regulated Investment Company" below.

Shares have no subscription or preemptive rights and only such conversion or exchange rights as the Board of Trustees ("Trustees") may grant in its discretion. When issued for payment as described in the Prospectuses and this Statement of Additional Information, the Fifth Third Funds' shares will be fully paid and non-assessable. In the event of a liquidation or dissolution of the Fifth Third Funds, shareholders of a Fund are entitled to receive the assets available for distribution belonging to that Fund, and a proportionate distribution, based upon the relative asset values of the respective Funds, of any general assets not belonging to any particular Fund which are available for distribution.

Shares of the Fifth Third Funds are entitled to one vote per share (with proportional voting for fractional shares) on such matters as shareholders are entitled to vote. Shareholders vote in the aggregate and not by series or class on all matters except (i) when required by the 1940 Act, shares shall be voted by individual series, (ii) when the Trustees have determined that a matter affects only the interests of a particular series or class, then only shareholders of such series or class shall be entitled to vote thereon, and (iii) only the holders of Class A, Class B, and Class C shares will be entitled to vote on matters submitted to shareholder vote with regard to the Distribution Plan applicable to such class. There will normally be no meetings of shareholders for the purposes of electing Trustees unless and until such time as less than a majority of the Trustees have been elected by the shareholders, at which time the Trustees then in office will call a shareholders' meeting for the election of Trustees.

As used in this Statement of Additional Information, a "vote of a majority of the outstanding shares" of the Fifth Third Funds or a particular Fund means the affirmative vote, at a meeting of shareholders duly called, of the lesser of (a) 67% or more of the votes of shareholders of the Fifth Third Funds or such Fund present at such meeting at which the holders of more than 50% of the votes attributable to the shareholders of record of the Fifth Third Funds or such Fund are represented in person or by proxy, or (b) more than 50% of the votes attributable to the outstanding shares of the Fifth Third Funds or such Fund.

For purposes of determining the presence of a quorum and counting votes on matters presented, shares represented by abstentions and "broker non-votes" will be counted as present, but not as votes cast, at the meeting. Under the 1940 Act, the affirmative vote necessary to approve a matter under consideration may be determined by reference to a percentage of votes present at the meeting, which would have the effect of treating abstentions and non-votes as if they were votes against the proposal.

The Fund's executive offices are located at 38 Fountain Square Plaza, Cincinnati, Ohio 45263. The Trustees are responsible for managing the business and affairs of the Trust.

All Funds are advised by Fifth Third Asset Management, Inc. ("FTAM" or the "Advisor"). Fifth Third Asset Management, Inc. is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Fifth Third Bank. Fifth Third Bank is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Fifth Third Financial Corporation, which is, in turn, a wholly-owned subsidiary of Fifth Third Bancorp. Fort Washington Investment Advisors, Inc. ("Fort Washington" or "Subadvisor") serves as investment sub-advisor to the High Yield Bond Fund.

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#### INVESTMENT OBJECTIVES AND POLICIES OF THE FUNDS

The Prospectuses state the investment objective of each Fund and discuss certain investment policies employed to achieve those objectives. The following discussion supplements the description of the Funds' investment policies in the prospectuses.

#### INVESTMENT OBJECTIVES

Each Fund's investment objective is fundamental and may not be changed without shareholder approval.

#### INVESTMENT LIMITATIONS - STOCK, BOND, AND ASSET ALLOCATION FUNDS

For purposes of this section, "Investment Limitations--Stock and Bond Funds, Asset Allocation Funds," the term "Funds" shall mean the Equity Funds, the Asset Allocation Funds, the Bond Funds and the Municipal Bond Funds, but not the Money Market Funds.

#### FUNDAMENTAL LIMITATIONS

Except as provided below, each Fund has adopted the following fundamental investment limitations. As fundamental investment limitations, they cannot be changed with respect to a Fund without approval of the holders of a majority of that Fund's outstanding shares.

ISSUING SENIOR SECURITIES AND BORROWING MONEY. None of the Funds will issue senior securities, except that a Fund may borrow money directly or through reverse repurchase agreements in amounts up to one-third of the value of its total assets, including the amount borrowed; and except to the extent that a Fund (with the exception of the Dividend Growth Fund, Intermediate Municipal

Bond Fund and Ohio Municipal Bond Fund) may enter into futures contracts, as applicable. The Funds (with the exception of the Structured Large Cap Plus Fund) will not borrow money or engage in reverse repurchase agreements for investment leverage, but rather as a temporary, extraordinary, or emergency measure or to facilitate management of the portfolio by enabling a Fund to meet redemption requests when the liquidation of portfolio securities is deemed to be inconvenient or disadvantageous. None of the Funds will purchase any securities while any borrowings in excess of 5% of its total assets are outstanding. Currently, none of the Funds intends to borrow money. None of the Funds consider a cash advance used to cover a short-term overdraft to be a borrowing.

**SELLING SHORT AND BUYING ON MARGIN.** None of the Funds (with the exception of the Structured Large Cap Plus Fund) will sell any securities short or purchase any securities on margin, but the Funds may obtain such short-term credits as are necessary for clearance of purchases and sales of securities. The deposit or payment by a Fund (with the exception of the Dividend Growth Fund, Intermediate Municipal Bond Fund and Ohio Municipal Bond Fund) of initial or variation margin in connection with futures contracts or related options transactions is not considered the purchase of a security on margin.

The Structured Large Cap Plus Fund may sell securities short or purchase securities on margin, and may obtain such short-term credits as are necessary for clearance of purchases and sales of securities. The deposit or payment by the Structured Large Cap Plus Fund of initial or variation margin in connection with futures contracts or related options transactions is not considered the purchase of a security on margin.

**PLEDGING ASSETS.** The Funds will not mortgage, pledge, or hypothecate any assets, except to secure permitted borrowings. In these cases, a Fund may pledge assets as necessary to secure such

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borrowings. For purposes of this limitation, where applicable, (a) the deposit of assets in escrow in connection with the writing of covered put or call options and the purchase of securities on a when-issued basis and (b) collateral arrangements with respect to: (i) the purchase and sale of stock options (and options on stock indices) and (ii) initial or variation margin for futures contracts, will not be deemed to be pledges of a Fund's assets.

**LENDING CASH OR SECURITIES.** The Funds will not lend any of their respective assets except that (i) cash may be lent to other Funds of the Trust, subject to applicable SEC limitations, and (ii) portfolio securities up to one-third of the value of a Fund's total assets may be lent to third parties. The preceding limitation shall not prevent a Fund from purchasing or holding U.S. government obligations, money market instruments, publicly or non-publicly issued municipal bonds, variable rate demand notes, bonds, debentures, notes, certificates of indebtedness, or other debt securities, entering into repurchase agreements, or engaging in other transactions where permitted by a Fund's investment objectives, policies and limitations or the Trust's Declaration of Trust.

**INVESTING IN COMMODITIES.** None of the Funds will purchase or sell commodities or commodity contracts except to the extent that the Funds (with the exception of the Dividend Growth Fund, Intermediate Municipal Bond Fund and Ohio Municipal Bond Fund) may engage in transactions involving financial futures contracts or options on financial futures contracts.

**INVESTING IN REAL ESTATE.** None of the Funds will purchase or sell real estate, including limited partnership interests, although each of the Funds may invest in securities of issuers whose business involves the purchase or sale of real estate or in securities which are secured by real estate or interests in real estate.

**DIVERSIFICATION OF INVESTMENTS.** Each of the Funds (except the Dividend Growth Fund and Ohio Municipal Bond Fund) may purchase securities of any issuer only when consistent with the maintenance of its status as a diversified company under the 1940 Act, or the rules or regulations thereunder, as such statute, rules or regulations may be amended from time to time.

Under the 1940 Act, and the rules, regulations and interpretations thereunder, a "diversified company," as to 75% of its total assets, may not purchase securities of any issuer (other than obligations of, or guaranteed by, the U.S. Government, its agencies or its instrumentalities) if, as a result, more than 5% of the value of its total assets would be invested in the securities of such issuer or more than 10% of the issuer's voting securities would be held by the fund.

The Dividend Growth Fund and Ohio Municipal Bond Fund, as non-diversified companies, are not so limited under the 1940 Act. However, in

order to qualify as a regulated investment company for tax purposes, each Fund may have no more than 25% of its total assets invested in the securities of any one issuer (other than securities of the U.S. government, its agencies or instrumentalities, or the shares of other regulated investment companies). In addition, with respect to 50% of its total assets, each Fund may not invest more than 5% of its total assets, determined at market or other fair value at the time of purchase, in the securities of any one issuer (other than securities issued by the U.S. government, its agencies or instrumentalities), or invest in more than 10% of the voting securities of any one issuer (other than securities issued by the U.S. government, its agencies or instrumentalities), determined at the time of purchase.

DEALING IN PUT AND CALL OPTIONS. The Micro Cap Value Fund, All Cap Value Fund, Strategic Income Fund, Dividend Growth Fund, Intermediate Municipal Bond Fund and Ohio Municipal Bond Fund will not buy or sell put options (with the exception of listed put options on financial futures

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contracts), call options (with the exception of listed call options or over-the-counter call options on futures contracts), straddles, spreads, or any combination of these.

CONCENTRATION OF INVESTMENTS. A Fund will not invest 25% or more of the value of its total assets in any one industry, except that each Fund may invest more than 25% of the value of its total assets in securities issued or guaranteed by the U.S. Government, its agencies, or instrumentalities and repurchase agreements collateralized by such securities. Regarding the Asset Allocation Funds, underlying Funds are not themselves considered to be included in an industry for purposes of the preceding limitation.

The Municipal Bond Fund, Intermediate Municipal Bond Fund, Ohio Municipal Bond Fund and Michigan Municipal Bond Fund will not purchase securities if, as a result of such purchase, 25% or more of the value of its respective total assets would be invested in any one industry or in industrial development bonds or other securities, the interest upon which is paid from revenues of similar types of projects. However, each of these Funds may invest as temporary investments more than 25% of the value of its total assets in cash or cash items, securities issued or guaranteed by the U.S. Government, its agencies or instrumentalities, or instruments secured by these money market instruments, i.e., repurchase agreements.

UNDERWRITING. A Fund will not underwrite any issue of securities, except as a Fund may be deemed to be an underwriter under the Securities Act of 1933 in connection with the sale of securities in accordance with its investment objectives, policies, and limitations.

SMALL CAP GROWTH FUND. The Fund intends to invest at least 65% of its total assets in equity securities of companies that the Advisor believes have above-average potential for growth in revenues, earnings, or assets.

#### NON-FUNDAMENTAL LIMITATIONS

Except as provided below, each Fund has adopted the following non-fundamental investment limitations. As non-fundamental investment limitations, they may be changed by the Trustees without shareholder approval.

INVESTING IN ILLIQUID SECURITIES. The Funds will not invest more than 15% of the value of their respective net assets in illiquid securities, including, as applicable, repurchase agreements providing for settlement more than seven days after notice, over-the-counter options, certain restricted securities determined by the Trustees not to be liquid, and non-negotiable time deposits with maturities over seven days.

INVESTING IN SECURITIES OF OTHER INVESTMENT COMPANIES. Each Fund may invest in shares of other investment companies, including shares of iShares(R). The Funds will limit their respective investments in other investment companies that are not part of the same group of investment companies to no more than 3% of the total outstanding voting stock of any investment company, no more than 5% of their respective total assets in any one investment company, and will invest no more than 10% of their respective total assets in investment companies in general. The Funds will purchase securities of closed-end investment companies only in open market transactions involving only customary broker's commissions. The Funds may invest without limitation in shares of money market funds. The preceding limitations do not apply if the securities are acquired in a merger, consolidation, reorganization, or acquisition of assets. The Asset Allocation Funds may invest all of their assets in investment companies that are part of the same group of investment companies.

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Investment companies include exchange-traded funds ("ETFs"). See the disclosure under the heading "Exchange-Traded Funds" below for more information on investments in ETFs. Pursuant to an SEC exemptive order issued to iShares(R), dated April 15, 2003, upon adherence to the conditions set forth in the order, the Funds may invest their respective net assets in iShares(R) in excess of the 3%, 5% and 10% limits described above.

It should be noted that investment companies incur certain expenses such as management fees and, therefore, any investment by a Fund in shares of another investment company would be subject to such expenses.

**INVESTING IN PUT OPTIONS.** The Micro Cap Value Fund, All Cap Value Fund, Strategic Income Fund and International Equity Fund will not purchase put options on securities or futures contracts, unless the securities or futures contracts are held in the Fund's portfolio or unless the Fund is entitled to them in deliverable form without further payment or after segregating cash in the amount of any further payment.

**WRITING COVERED CALL OPTIONS.** The International Equity Fund will not write call options on securities or futures contracts unless the securities or futures contracts are held in the Fund's portfolio or unless the Fund is entitled to them in deliverable form without further payment or after segregating cash in the amount of any further payment.

**MISCELLANEOUS.** Except with respect to a Fund's policy relating to borrowing money, if a percentage limitation is adhered to at the time of investment, a later increase or decrease in percentage resulting from any change in value or net assets will not result in a violation of such restriction. For purposes of its policies and limitations, the Trust considers certificates of deposit and demand and time deposits issued by a U.S. branch of a domestic bank or savings and loan having capital, surplus, and undivided profits in excess of \$100,000,000 at the time of investment to be "cash items."

#### INVESTMENT LIMITATIONS -- MONEY MARKET FUNDS

For purposes of this section, "Investment Limitations--Money Market Funds," the term "Funds" shall mean the Money Market Funds but not the Equity Funds, the Asset Allocation Funds, the Bond Funds or the Municipal Bond Funds.

#### FUNDAMENTAL LIMITATIONS

Except as otherwise provided below, each Fund has adopted the following fundamental investment limitations. As fundamental investment limitations, they cannot be changed with respect to a Fund without approval of the holders of a majority of that Fund's shares.

**SELLING SHORT AND BUYING ON MARGIN** None of the Funds will sell any securities short or purchase any securities on margin, but each may obtain such short-term credit as may be necessary for clearance of purchases and sales.

**ISSUING SENIOR SECURITIES AND BORROWING MONEY.** None of the Funds will issue senior securities, except that a Fund may borrow money directly or through reverse repurchase agreements as a temporary measure for extraordinary or emergency purposes or in an amount up to one-third of the value of its total assets, including the amount borrowed, in order to meet redemption requests without immediately selling portfolio instruments. Any direct borrowings need not be collateralized. None of the Funds considers the issuance of separate classes of shares to involve the issuance of "senior securities" within the meaning of this investment limitation.

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None of the Funds will purchase any securities while borrowings in excess of 5% of its total assets are outstanding. None of the Funds has any present intention to borrow money. None of the Funds consider a cash advance used to cover a short-term overdraft to be a borrowing.

**PLEDGING SECURITIES OR ASSETS.** The Prime Money Market Fund will not pledge securities. The Institutional Money Market Fund, Institutional Government Money Market Fund, U.S. Treasury Money Market Fund, Michigan Municipal Money Market Fund, Municipal Money Market Fund and Ohio Tax Exempt Money Market Fund will not mortgage, pledge, or hypothecate any assets except to secure permitted borrowings. In those cases, the Fund may pledge assets having a market value not exceeding the lesser of the dollar amounts borrowed or 10% of the value of total assets at the time of the pledge.

**INVESTING IN COMMODITIES, COMMODITY CONTRACTS, OR REAL ESTATE.** The Prime Money Market Fund will not invest in commodities, commodity contracts, or real estate, except that it may purchase money market instruments issued by companies that invest in real estate or sponsor such interests. The

Institutional Money Market Fund, Institutional Government Money Market Fund, Michigan Municipal Money Market Fund, Municipal Money Market Fund and Ohio Tax Exempt Money Market Fund will not purchase or sell commodities, commodity contracts, commodity futures contracts or real estate, including limited partnership interests, although the Municipal Money Market Fund may invest in the securities of issuers whose business involves the purchase or sale of real estate or in securities which are secured by real estate or interests in real estate.

**UNDERWRITING.** A Fund will not underwrite any issue of securities, except as a Fund may be deemed to be an underwriter under the Securities Act of 1933 in connection with the sale of securities in accordance with its investment objectives, policies, and limitations.

**LENDING CASH OR SECURITIES.** The Funds will not lend any of their respective assets except portfolio securities up to one-third of the value of total assets except that (i) cash may be lent to other Funds of the Trust subject to applicable SEC limitations and (ii) portfolio securities of the Funds (other than the U.S. Treasury Money Market Fund) may be lent to third parties. This shall not prevent a Fund from purchasing or holding U.S. government obligations, money market instruments, publicly or non-publicly issued municipal bonds, variable rate demand notes, bonds, debentures, notes, certificates of indebtedness, or other debt securities, entering into repurchase agreements, or engaging in other transactions where permitted by a Fund's investment objectives, policies and limitations or the Trust's Declaration of Trust.

**ACQUIRING VOTING SECURITIES.** The Prime Money Market Fund, Institutional Money Market Fund, Institutional Government Money Market Fund and Michigan Municipal Money Market Fund will not acquire the voting securities of any issuer for the purpose of exercising control or management.

The Municipal Money Market Fund will not acquire more than 10% of the outstanding voting securities of any one issuer. For purposes of this limitation, non-governmental users of facilities financed by industrial development or pollution control revenue bonds and banks issuing letters of credit or comparable guarantees supporting variable rate demand municipal securities are considered to be issuers.

**DIVERSIFICATION OF INVESTMENTS.** Each of the Funds (except the Ohio Tax Exempt Money Market Fund) may purchase securities of any issuer only when consistent with the maintenance of its status as a diversified company under the 1940 Act, or the rules or regulations thereunder, as such statute, rules or regulations may be amended from time to time.

Under the 1940 Act, and the rules, regulations and interpretations thereunder, a "diversified company," as to 75% of its total assets, may not purchase securities of any issuer (other than obligations

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of, or guaranteed by, the U.S. Government, its agencies or its instrumentalities) if, as a result, more than 5% of the value of its total assets would be invested in the securities of such issuer or more than 10% of the issuer's voting securities would be held by the fund.

The Ohio Tax Exempt Money Market Fund, as a non-diversified company, is not so limited under the 1940 Act. However, in order to qualify as a regulated investment company for tax purposes, the Fund may have no more than 25% of its total assets invested in the securities of any one issuer (other than securities of the U.S. government, its agencies or instrumentalities, or the shares of other regulated investment companies). In addition, with respect to 50% of its total assets, the Fund may not invest more than 5% of its total assets, determined at market or other fair value at the time of purchase, in the securities of any one issuer (other than securities issued by the U.S. government, its agencies or instrumentalities), or invest in more than 10% of the voting securities of any one issuer (other than securities issued by the U.S. government, its agencies or instrumentalities), determined at the time of purchase.

**CONCENTRATION OF INVESTMENTS.** Each of the Prime Money Market Fund, Institutional Money Market Fund and Institutional Government Money Market Fund will not invest more than 25% of the value of its total assets in any one industry except commercial paper of finance companies. However, the Prime Money Market Fund reserves the right to invest more than 25% of its total assets in domestic bank instruments (such as time and demand deposits and certificates of deposit), U.S. government obligations or instruments secured by these money market instruments, such as repurchase agreements. The Prime Money Market Fund will not invest more than 25% of its total assets in instruments of foreign banks.

Each of the Michigan Municipal Money Market Fund, Municipal Money

Market Fund and Ohio Tax Exempt Money Market Fund will not purchase securities if, as a result of such purchase, 25% or more of the value of its total assets would be invested in any one industry or in industrial development bonds or other securities, the interest upon which is paid from revenues of similar types of projects; provided that, this limitation shall not apply to securities issued or guaranteed by the U.S. government, its agencies or instrumentalities.

DEALING IN PUT AND CALLS. The Money Market Funds will not buy or sell puts, calls, straddles, spreads, or any combination of these.

OHIO TAX EXEMPT MONEY MARKET FUND. The Fifth Third Ohio Tax Exempt Money Market Fund, under normal circumstances, invests at least 80% of its assets in Ohio municipal securities, the income from which is exempt from federal income tax, other than the alternative minimum tax, and the personal income tax imposed by the State of Ohio and Ohio municipalities.

#### NON-FUNDAMENTAL LIMITATIONS

Except as otherwise provided below, each Fund has adopted the following non-fundamental investment limitations. As non-fundamental investment limitations, they may be changed by the Trustees without shareholder approval.

INVESTING IN SECURITIES OF OTHER INVESTMENT COMPANIES. The Funds will limit their respective investments in other investment companies (other than the Fifth Third Money Market Funds) to no more than 3% of the total outstanding voting stock of any investment company. The Funds will purchase securities of closed-end investment companies only in open market transactions involving only customary broker's commissions. The preceding limitations do not apply if the securities are acquired in a merger, consolidation, reorganization, or acquisition of assets. The Funds may invest in shares of money market funds without limitation.

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It should be noted that investment companies incur certain expenses such as management fees and, therefore, any investment by a Fund in shares of another investment company would be subject to such expenses.

INVESTING IN ILLIQUID SECURITIES. None of the Funds will invest more than 10% of the value of its net assets in illiquid securities, including, as applicable, repurchase agreements providing for settlement more than seven days after notice, over-the-counter options, certain restricted securities determined by the Trustees not to be liquid, and non-negotiable time deposits with maturities over seven days.

MISCELLANEOUS. Except with respect to a Fund's policy relating to borrowing money, if a percentage limitation is adhered to at the time of investment, a later increase or decrease in percentage resulting from any change in value or net assets will not result in a violation of such restriction. For purposes of its policies and limitations, the Trust considers certificates of deposit and demand and time deposits issued by a U.S. branch of a domestic bank or savings and loan having capital, surplus, and undivided profits in excess of \$100,000,000 at the time of investment to be "cash items."

#### ADDITIONAL RISKS AND INFORMATION CONCERNING CERTAIN INVESTMENT TECHNIQUES

The Funds may invest in a variety of securities and may employ a number of investment techniques. The types of investments a Fund uses and some of the risks posed by such investments are described below. Not all Funds may use each type of investment technique. For example, a Fund's fundamental investment limitation may prohibit a Fund from using a specific investment technique or instrument. Please consult each Fund's prospectus for additional details regarding these and other permissible investments.

#### TYPES OF INVESTMENTS

BANK INSTRUMENTS. Each Fund may invest in the instruments of banks and savings and loans whose deposits are insured by the Bank Insurance Fund or the Savings Association Insurance Fund, both of which are administered by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation. Such instruments include certificates of deposit, demand and time deposits, savings shares, and bankers' acceptances. These instruments are not necessarily guaranteed by those organizations.

In addition to domestic bank obligations such as certificates of deposit, demand and time deposits, and bankers' acceptances, the Funds may invest in: (a) Eurodollar Certificates of Deposit issued by foreign branches of

U.S. or foreign banks; (b) Eurodollar Time Deposits, which are U.S. dollar-denominated deposits in foreign branches of U.S. or foreign banks; and (c) Yankee Certificates of Deposit, which are U.S. dollar-denominated certificates of deposit issued by U.S. branches of foreign banks and held in the United States; provided such investment is in agreement with the Fund's investment objective and policies.

CASH. From time to time, such as when suitable securities are not available, the Funds may retain a portion of their assets in cash. Any portion of a Fund's assets retained in cash may reduce the Fund's return and, in the case of Bond Funds and Money Market Funds, the Fund's yield.

BEAR FUNDS. The Funds may invest in bear funds. Bear funds are designed to allow investors to speculate on anticipated decreases in the S&P 500(R) Index or to hedge an existing portfolio of securities or mutual fund shares.

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Due to the nature of bear funds, investors could experience substantial losses during sustained periods of rising equity prices. This is the opposite result expected of investing in a traditional equity mutual fund in a generally rising stock market. Bear funds employ certain investment techniques, including engaging in short sales and in certain transactions in stock index futures contracts, options on stock index futures contracts, and options on securities and stock indexes. Under these techniques, bear funds will generally incur a loss if the price of the underlying security or index increases between the date of the employment of the technique and the date on which the fund terminates the position. Bear funds will generally realize a gain if the underlying security or index declines in price between those dates. The amount of any gain or loss on an investment technique may be affected by any premium or amounts in lieu of dividends or interest that the funds pay or receive as the result of the transaction.

CLOSED-END INVESTMENT FUNDS. The Funds may invest in closed-end investment companies. The shares of closed-end investment companies will generally be exchange-traded and are not redeemable. Closed-end fund shares often trade at a substantial discount (or premium) from their net asset value. Therefore, there can be no assurance that a share of a closed-end fund, when sold, will be sold at a price that approximates its net asset value.

The Funds may also invest in closed-end investment companies in transactions not involving a public offering. These shares will be "restricted securities" and a Fund may be required to hold such shares until the closed-end fund's termination unless redeemed earlier. Shares may not be sold, transferred, assigned, pledged, or otherwise disposed of without registration under applicable federal or state securities laws or pursuant to an exemption from registration (in which case the shareholder will, at the option of the closed-end fund, be required to provide the closed-end fund with a legal opinion, in form and substance satisfactory to the closed-end fund, that registration is not required). Accordingly, an investor must be willing to bear the economic risk of investment in the shares until shares are redeemed or the closed-end fund is liquidated. No sale, transfer, assignment, pledge, or other disposition, whether voluntary or involuntary, of the shares may be made except by registration by the transfer agent on the closed-end fund's books. Each transferee will be required to execute an instrument agreeing to be bound by these restrictions and to execute such other instruments or certifications as are reasonably required by the closed-end fund. A transfer of the shares owned by a shareholder will not relieve the shareholder of any unfulfilled subscription obligation. Consent of the closed-end fund is required prior to the assumption of the transferee's Subscription Agreement by another party. The closed-end fund may withhold consent to such an assumption at its absolute discretion.

EXCHANGE-TRADED FUNDS (ETFs). The Funds (except for the Money Market Funds) may invest in shares of various ETFs, including exchange-traded index and bond funds and ETFs listed on U.S. and foreign exchanges. ETFs seek to track the performance of various securities indices. Shares of ETFs have many of the same risks as direct investments in common stocks or bonds. In addition, their market value is expected to rise and fall as the value of the underlying index or bonds rises and falls. The market value of their shares may differ from the net asset value of the particular fund. A Fund will bear its ratable share of the ETF's expenses, including its advisory and administration fees. At the same time, a Fund will continue to pay its own investment management fees and other expenses. As a result, a Fund will absorb duplicate levels of fees with respect to investments in ETFs.

Because most ETFs are investment companies, absent exemptive relief, investment in most such funds generally would be limited under applicable federal statutory provisions. Those provisions restrict a fund's investment in the shares of another investment company that is not part of the same group of investment companies to up to 5% of its assets (which may represent no more than 3% of the securities of such other investment company) and limit aggregate investments in all investment companies to 10% of its assets. Pursuant to an

dated April 15, 2003, upon adherence to the conditions set forth in the order, the Funds may invest their respective total assets in excess of the 3%, 5% and 10% limits described above.

iShares(R) is a registered investment company unaffiliated with the Funds that offers several series, each of which seeks to replicate the performance of a stock market index or a group of stock markets in a particular geographic area. Thus, investment in iShares(R) offers, among other things, an efficient means to achieve diversification to a particular industry that would otherwise only be possible through a series of transactions and numerous holdings. Although similar diversification benefits may be achieved through an investment in another investment company, exchange-traded funds generally offer greater liquidity and lower expenses. Because an exchange-traded fund charges its own fees and expenses, fund shareholders will indirectly bear these costs. The Funds will also incur brokerage commissions and related charges when purchasing shares in an exchange-traded fund in secondary market transactions. Unlike typical investment company shares, which are valued once daily, shares in an exchange-traded fund may be purchased or sold on a listed securities exchange throughout the trading day at market prices that are generally close to net asset value.

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COLLATERALIZED LOAN OBLIGATIONS ("CLOS"). A CLO is a type of asset-backed security that is an obligation of a trust typically collateralized by pools of loans, which may include domestic and foreign senior secured and unsecured loans and subordinate corporate loans, including loans that may be rated below investment grade, or equivalent unrated loans. The cash flows from the trust are split into two or more portions, called tranches, which vary in risk and yield. The riskier portion is the residual, or "equity," tranche, which bears some or all of the risk of default by the loans in the trust, and therefore protects the other more senior tranches from default in all but the most severe circumstances. Since it is partially protected from defaults, a senior tranche of a CLO trust typically has higher ratings and lower yields than its underlying securities, and can be rated investment grade. Despite the protection provided by the equity tranche, senior CLO tranches can experience substantial losses due to actual defaults, increased sensitivity to defaults due to collateral default, the total loss of the equity tranche due to losses in the collateral, market anticipation of defaults, fraud by the trust, and the illiquidity of CLO securities.

The risks of an investment in a CLO largely depend on the type of underlying collateral securities and the tranche in which the Fund invests. Typically, CLOs are privately offered and sold, and thus are not registered under the securities laws. As a result, a Fund may characterize its investments in CLOs as illiquid, unless an active dealer market for a particular CLO allows the CLO to be purchased and sold in Rule 144A transactions. CLOs are subject to the typical risks associated with debt instruments discussed elsewhere in prospectus and in this statement of Additional Information (i.e., interest rate risk and credit risk). Additional risks of CLOs include (i) the possibility that distributions from collateral securities will be insufficient to make interest or other payments, (ii) a decline in the quality of the collateral, and (iii) the possibility that a fund may invest in a subordinate tranche of a CLO. In addition, due to the complex nature of a CLO, an investment in a CLO may not perform as expected. An investment in a CLO also is subject to the risk that the issuer and the investors may interpret the terms of the instrument differently, giving rise to disputes.

COMMERCIAL PAPER AND OTHER SHORT-TERM OBLIGATIONS. The Funds may invest in commercial paper (including variable amount master demand notes), which consists of short-term unsecured promissory notes issued by U.S. corporations, partnerships, trusts or other entities in order to finance short-term credit needs, and non-convertible debt securities (e.g., bonds and debentures) with no more than 397 days remaining to maturity at the date of purchase. Certain notes may have floating or variable rates. Variable and floating rate notes with a demand notice period exceeding seven days will be subject

to the Funds' restrictions on illiquid investments unless, in the judgment of the Advisor or Subadvisor, as applicable, and subject to the direction of the Board of Trustees, such note is liquid.

CONVERTIBLE SECURITIES. The Funds may invest in convertible securities. Convertible securities include fixed-income securities that may be exchanged or converted into a predetermined number of shares of the issuer's underlying common stock at the option of the holder during a specified period. Convertible securities may take the form of convertible preferred stock, convertible bonds or debentures, units consisting of "usable" bonds and warrants or a combination of the features of several of these securities. The investment characteristics of each convertible security vary widely, which allows convertible securities to be employed for a variety of investment strategies.

A Fund will exchange or convert the convertible securities held in its portfolio into shares of the underlying common stock when, in the opinion of the Advisor or Subadvisor, as applicable, the investment characteristics of the underlying common shares will assist the Fund in achieving its investment objectives. Otherwise, the Fund may hold or trade convertible securities.

In selecting convertible securities for a Fund, the Advisor or Subadvisor, as applicable, evaluates the investment characteristics of the convertible security as a fixed income instrument and the investment potential of the underlying equity security for capital appreciation. In evaluating these characteristics with respect to a particular convertible security, the Advisor or Subadvisor, as applicable, considers numerous factors, including the economic and political outlook, the value of the security relative to other investment alternatives, trends in the determinants of the issuer's profits, and the issuer's management capability and practices.

DERIVATIVES. Each Fund may, but is not required to, use derivative instruments for hedging, risk management purposes, as a substitute for direct investment in securities or other assets, or as part of its investment strategies. Generally, derivatives are financial contracts whose value depend upon, or are derived from, the value of an underlying asset, reference rate, or index, and may relate to stocks, bonds, interest rates, currencies or currency exchange rates, commodities, and related indexes. Examples of derivative instruments include option contracts, futures contracts, options on futures contracts, and swap agreements (including, but not limited to, credit default swaps). A description of these and other derivative instruments that the Funds may use are described further below.

The use of derivative instruments may involve risks different from, or potentially greater than, the risks associated with investing directly in securities and other more traditional assets. In particular, the use of derivative instruments exposes a Fund to the risk that the counterparty to an over-the-counter ("OTC") derivatives contract will be unable or unwilling to make timely settlement payments or otherwise to honor its obligations. If the counterparty defaults, the Fund will have contractual remedies, but there is no assurance that the counterparty will meet its contractual obligations or that, in the event of default, the Fund will succeed in enforcing its contractual rights.

Derivative instruments are subject to other risks. For example, since the value of derivatives is calculated and derived from the value of other assets, instruments or references, there is a risk that they will be improperly valued. Derivatives also are subject to the risk that changes in their value may not correlate perfectly with the assets, rates, or indices they are designed to hedge or closely track.

CUSTODY RECEIPTS. The Funds may invest in custody receipts that represent corporate debt securities. Custody receipts, such as Lehman Brothers TRAINS and Morgan Stanley TRACERS, are derivative products which, in the aggregate, evidence direct ownership in a pool of securities. Typically, a sponsor will deposit a pool of securities with a custodian in exchange for custody receipts evidencing those securities. Generally the sponsor will then sell those custody receipts in negotiated transactions at

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varying prices that are determined at the time of sale. Each custody receipt evidences the individual securities in the pool, and the holder of a custody receipt generally will have all the rights and privileges of owners of those securities. Each holder of a custody receipt will be treated as directly purchasing its pro rata share of the securities in the pool, for an amount equal to the amount that such holder paid for its custody receipt. If a custody receipt is sold, a holder will be treated as having directly disposed of its pro rata share of the securities evidenced by the custody receipt. Additionally, the holder of a custody receipt may withdraw the securities represented by a custody receipt subject to certain conditions.

Custody receipts are generally subject to the same risks as those securities evidenced by the receipts which, in the case of the Funds, are corporate debt securities. Additionally, custody receipts may be less liquid

than the underlying securities if the sponsor fails to maintain a trading market.

**FUTURES AND OPTIONS TRANSACTIONS.** The Funds may engage in futures and options transactions to create investment exposure or to hedge to the extent consistent with their investment objectives and policies.

As a means of reducing fluctuations in the net asset value of their shares, the Funds may attempt to hedge all or a portion of their portfolios through the purchase of put options on portfolio securities and put options on financial futures contracts for portfolio securities. The Funds may attempt to create investment exposure or to hedge all or a portion of their portfolios by buying and selling financial futures contracts and writing call options on futures contracts. The Funds may also write covered call options on portfolio securities to attempt to increase current income.

The Funds will maintain their positions in securities, options, and segregated cash subject to puts and calls until the options are exercised, closed, or have expired. An option position may be closed out over-the-counter or on an exchange which provides a secondary market for options of the same series.

**FUTURES CONTRACTS.** A futures contract is a firm commitment by the seller, who agrees to make delivery of the specific type of security called for in the contract ("going short"), and the buyer, who agrees to take delivery of the security ("going long") at a certain time in the future.

A securities index futures contract is an agreement pursuant to which two parties agree to take or make delivery of an amount of cash equal to the difference between the value of the index at the close of the last trading day of the contract and the price at which the index was originally written. No physical delivery of the underlying securities in the index is made. Financial futures contracts call for the delivery of particular debt instruments issued or guaranteed by the U.S. Treasury or by specified agencies or instrumentalities of the U.S. government at a certain time in the future.

The purpose of the acquisition or sale of a futures contract by a Fund may be to protect it from fluctuations in the value of securities caused by unanticipated changes in interest rates or stock prices without necessarily buying or selling securities. For example, in the fixed income securities market, price moves inversely to interest rates. A rise in rates means a drop in price. Conversely, a drop in rates means a rise in price. In order to hedge its holdings of fixed income securities against a rise in market interest rates, a Fund could enter into contracts to "go short" to protect itself against the possibility that the prices of its fixed income securities may decline during the Fund's anticipated holding period. The Fund would "go long" to hedge against a decline in market interest rates. Each Fund intends to comply with guidelines of eligibility for exclusion from the definition of the term "commodity pool operator" adopted by the CFTC and the National Futures Association, which regulate trading in the futures markets.

The International Equity Fund may invest in securities index futures contracts when the Advisor believes such investment is more efficient, liquid or cost-effective than investing directly in the securities underlying the index.

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**STOCK INDEX OPTIONS.** The Funds may purchase put options on stock indices listed on national securities exchanges or traded in the over-the-counter market. A stock index fluctuates with changes in the market values of the stocks included in the index.

The effectiveness of purchasing stock index options will depend upon the extent to which price movements in the Funds' portfolios correlate with price movements of the stock index selected. Because the value of an index option depends upon movements in the level of the index rather than the price of a particular stock, whether the Funds will realize a gain or loss from the purchase of options on an index depends upon movements in the level of stock prices in the stock market generally or, in the case of certain indices, in an industry or market segment, rather than movements in the price of a particular stock. Accordingly, successful use by the Funds of options on stock indices will be subject to the ability of the Advisor or Subadviser, as applicable, to predict correctly movements in the direction of the stock market generally or of a particular industry. This requires different skills and techniques than predicting changes in the price of individual stocks.

**PUT OPTIONS ON FINANCIAL FUTURES CONTRACTS.** The Funds may purchase listed put options on financial futures contracts. The Funds will use these options only to protect portfolio securities against decreases in value

resulting from market factors such as an anticipated increase in interest rates, to create investment exposure, or when such investment is more efficient, liquid or cost-effective than investing directly in the futures contract or the underlying securities or when such futures contracts or securities are unavailable for investment upon favorable terms.

Unlike entering directly into a futures contract, which requires the purchaser to buy a financial instrument on a set date at a specified price, the purchase of a put option on a futures contract entitles (but does not obligate) its purchaser to decide on or before a future date whether to assume a short position at the specified price. Generally, if the hedged portfolio securities decrease in value during the term of an option, the related futures contracts will also decrease in value and the option will increase in value. In such an event, a Fund will normally close out its option by selling an identical option. If the hedge is successful, the proceeds received by a Fund upon the sale of the second option will be large enough to offset both the premium paid by a Fund for the original option plus the realized decrease in value of the hedged securities.

Alternatively, a Fund may exercise its put option to close out the position. To do so, it would simultaneously enter into a futures contract of the type underlying the option (for a price less than the strike price of the option) and exercise the option. A Fund would then deliver the futures contract in return for payment of the strike price. If a Fund neither closes out nor exercises an option, the option will expire on the date provided in the option contract, and only the premium paid for the contract will be lost.

A Fund may write listed put options on financial futures contracts to hedge its portfolio or when such investment is more efficient, liquid or cost-effective than investing directly in the futures contract or the underlying securities or when such futures contracts or securities are unavailable for investment upon favorable terms. When the Fund writes a put option on a futures contract, it receives a premium for undertaking the obligation to assume a long futures position (buying a futures contract) at a fixed price at any time during the life of the option.

CALL OPTIONS ON FINANCIAL FUTURES CONTRACTS. The Funds may write listed call options or over-the-counter call options on futures contracts, to hedge their portfolios against an increase in market interest rates, to create investment exposure, or when such investment is more efficient, liquid or cost-effective than investing directly in the futures contract or the underlying securities or when such futures contracts or securities are unavailable for investment upon favorable terms. When a Fund writes a call option on a futures contract, it is undertaking the obligation of assuming a short futures position (selling a

futures contract) at the fixed strike price at any time during the life of the option if the option is exercised. As market interest rates rise and cause the price of futures to decrease, a Fund's obligation under a call option on a future (to sell a futures contract) costs less to fulfill, causing the value of a Fund's call option position to increase. In other words, as the underlying future's price goes down below the strike price, the buyer of the option has no reason to exercise the call, so that a Fund keeps the premium received for the option. This premium can help substantially offset the drop in value of a Fund's portfolio securities.

Prior to the expiration of a call written by a Fund, or exercise of it by the buyer, a Fund may close out the option by buying an identical option. If the hedge is successful, the cost of the second option will be less than the premium received by a Fund for the initial option. The net premium income of a Fund will then substantially offset the realized decrease in value of the hedged securities.

A Fund may buy listed call options on financial futures contracts to hedge its portfolio. When the Fund purchases a call option on a futures contract, it is purchasing the right (not the obligation) to assume a long futures position (buy a futures contract) at a fixed price at any time during the life of the option.

Limitation on Open Futures Positions. No Fund will maintain open positions in futures contracts it has sold or options it has written on futures contracts if, in the aggregate, the value of the open positions (marked to market) exceeds the current market value of its securities portfolio plus or minus the unrealized gain or loss on those open positions, adjusted for the correlation of volatility between the securities or securities index underlying the futures contract and the futures contracts. If a Fund exceeds this limitation at any time, it will take prompt action to close out a sufficient number of open contracts to bring its open futures and options positions within this limitation.

"Margin" in Futures Transactions. Unlike the purchase or sale of a



security, the Funds do not pay or receive money upon the purchase or sale of a futures contract. Rather, the Funds are required to deposit an amount of "initial margin" in cash, securities or U.S. Treasury bills with its custodian (or the broker, if legally permitted). The nature of initial margin in futures transactions is different from that of margin in securities transactions in that a futures contract's initial margin does not involve the borrowing by a Fund to finance the transactions. Initial margin is in the nature of a performance bond or good faith deposit on the contract which is returned to a Fund upon termination of the futures contract, assuming all contractual obligations have been satisfied.

A futures contract held by a Fund is valued daily at the official settlement price of the exchange on which it is traded. Each day a Fund pays or receives cash, called "variation margin", equal to the daily change in value of the futures contract. This process is known as "marking to market." Variation margin does not represent a borrowing or loan by a Fund but is instead settlement between a Fund and the broker of the amount one would owe the other if the futures contract expired. In computing its daily net asset value, a Fund will mark to market its open futures positions. The Funds are also required to deposit and maintain margin when they write call options on futures contracts.

**PURCHASING PUT OPTIONS ON PORTFOLIO SECURITIES.** The Funds may purchase put options on portfolio securities to protect against price movements in particular securities in their respective portfolios. A put option gives a Fund, in return for a premium, the right to sell the underlying security to the writer (seller) at a specified price during the term of the option.

**WRITING COVERED CALL OPTIONS ON PORTFOLIO SECURITIES.** The Funds may also write covered call options to generate income. As the writer of a call option, a Fund has the obligation, upon exercise of the option during the option period, to deliver the underlying security upon payment of the exercise price. A Fund may sell call options either on securities held in its portfolio or on securities which it has the right to

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obtain without payment of further consideration (or securities for which it has segregated cash in the amount of any additional consideration).

**OVER-THE-COUNTER OPTIONS.** The Funds may purchase and write over-the-counter options on portfolio securities in negotiated transactions with the buyers or writers of the options for those options on portfolio securities held by a Fund and not traded on an exchange.

**STRUCTURED INVESTMENTS.** Structured investments are derivatives in the form of a unit or units representing an undivided interest(s) in assets held in a trust that is not an investment company as defined in the 1940 Act. A trust unit pays a return based on the total return of securities and other investments held by the trust and the trust may enter into one or more swaps to achieve its objective. For example, a trust may purchase a basket of securities and agree to exchange the return generated by those securities for the return generated by another basket or index of securities. The Funds will purchase structured investments in trusts that engage in such swaps only where the counterparties are approved by the Advisor or Subadviser, as applicable, in accordance with credit-risk guidelines established by the Board of Trustees.

**STRUCTURED NOTES.** The Funds may invest in structured notes. Structured notes are derivatives where the amount of principal repayment and/or interest payments is based upon the movement of one or more factors. These factors include, but are not limited to, currency exchange rates, interest rates (such as the prime lending rate and LIBOR) and stock indices such as the S&P 500 Index (TM). In some cases, the impact of the movements of these factors may increase or decrease through the use of multipliers or deflators. The use of structured notes allows the Fund to tailor its investments to the specific risks and returns the Advisor and Subadviser, as applicable, wishes to accept while reducing or avoiding certain other risks.

**SWAP AGREEMENTS.** The Funds may enter into equity index or interest rate swap agreements for purposes of attempting to gain exposure to the stocks making up an index of securities in a market without actually purchasing those stocks, or to hedge a position. Swap agreements are two-party contracts entered into primarily by institutional investors for periods ranging from a day to more than one-year. In a standard "swap" transaction, two parties agree to exchange the returns (or differentials in rates of return) earned or realized on particular predetermined investments or instruments. The gross returns to be exchanged or "swapped" between the parties are calculated with respect to a "notional amount," i.e., the return on or increase in value of a particular dollar amount invested in a "basket" of securities representing a particular index. Forms of swap agreements include interest rate caps, under which, in return for a premium, one party agrees to make payments to the other to the extent that interest rates fall below a specified level, or "floor;" and interest rate dollars, under which a party sells a cap and purchases a floor or vice versa in an attempt to protect itself against interest rate movements exceeding given

minimum or maximum levels. A credit default swap is a specific kind of counterparty agreement designed to transfer the third party credit risk between parties. One party in the swap is a lender and faces credit risk from a third party and the counterparty in the credit default swap agrees to insure this risk in exchange for regular periodic payments (essentially an insurance premium). If the third party defaults, the party providing insurance will have to purchase from the insured party the defaulted asset.

Most swap agreements entered into by the Funds calculate the obligations of the parties to the agreement on a "net basis." Consequently, a Fund's current obligations (or rights) under a swap agreement will generally be equal only to the net amount to be paid or received under the agreement based on the relative values of the positions held by each party to the agreement (the "net amount").

A Fund's current obligations under a swap agreement will be accrued daily (offset against any amounts owing to the Fund) and any accrued but unpaid net amounts owed to a swap counterparty will be

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covered by segregating assets determined to be liquid. Obligations under swap agreements so covered will not be construed to be "senior securities" for purposes of a Fund's investment restriction concerning senior securities. Because they are two party contracts and because they may have terms of greater than seven days, swap agreements may be considered to be illiquid for the Fund's illiquid investment limitations. A Fund will not enter into any swap agreement unless the Advisor/Subadviser believes that the other party to the transaction is creditworthy. A Fund bears the risk of loss of the amount expected to be received under a swap agreement in the event of the default or bankruptcy of a swap agreement counterparty.

Each Fund may enter into swap agreements to invest in a market without owning or taking physical custody of securities in circumstances in which direct investment is restricted for legal reasons or is otherwise impracticable. The counterparty to any swap agreement will typically be a bank, investment banking firm or broker/dealer. The counterparty will generally agree to pay the Fund the amount, if any, by which the notional amount of the swap agreement would have increased in value had it been invested in the particular stocks, plus the dividends that would have been received on those stocks. The Fund will agree to pay to the counterparty a floating rate of interest on the notional amount of the swap agreement plus the amount, if any, by which the notional amount would have decreased in value had it been invested in such stocks. Therefore, the return to the Fund on any swap agreement should be the gain or loss on the notional amount plus dividends on the stocks less the interest paid by the Fund on the notional amount.

Swap agreements are typically settled on a net basis, which means that the two payment streams are netted out, with the Fund receiving or paying, as the case may be, only the net amount of the two payments. Payments may be made at the conclusion of a swap agreement or periodically during its term. Swap agreements do not involve the delivery of securities or other underlying assets. Accordingly, the risk of loss with respect to swap agreements is limited to the net amount of payments that a Fund is contractually obligated to make. If the other party to a swap agreement defaults, a Fund's risk of loss consists of the net amount of payments that such Fund is contractually entitled to receive, if any. The net amount of the excess, if any of a Fund's obligations over its entitlements with respect to each equity swap will be accrued on a daily basis and an amount of cash or liquid assets, having an aggregate net asset value at least equal to such accrued excess will be maintained in a segregated account by a Fund's custodian. In as much as these transactions are entered into for hedging purposes or are offset by segregated cash of liquid assets, as permitted by applicable law, the Funds and the Advisor or Subadviser believe that these transactions do not constitute senior securities under the 1940 Act and, accordingly, will not treat them as being subject to a Fund's borrowing restrictions.

The swap market has grown substantially in recent years with a large number of banks and investment banking firms acting both as principals and as agents utilizing standardized swap documentation. As a result, the swap market has become relatively liquid in comparison with the markets for other similar instruments, which are traded in the over-the-counter market. The Advisor or Subadviser, as applicable, under the supervision of the Board of Trustees, is responsible for determining and monitoring liquidity of a particular Fund's transactions in swap agreements.

The use of equity swaps is a highly specialized activity, which involves investment techniques and risks different from those associated with ordinary portfolio securities transactions.

COLLATERALIZED MORTGAGE OBLIGATIONS ("CMOS"). The Funds may invest in CMOs. Privately issued CMOs generally represent an ownership interest in a pool of federal agency mortgage pass-through securities such as those issued by the Government National Mortgage Association, Federal National Mortgage Association or Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation. The terms and characteristics of the mortgage instruments may vary among pass-through mortgage loan pools.

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The market for such CMOs has expanded considerably since its inception. The size of the primary issuance market and the active participation in the secondary market by securities dealers and other investors make government-related pools highly liquid.

Certain debt securities such as, but not limited to, mortgage-related securities, CMOs, asset backed securities (ABSs) and securitized loan receivables, as well as securities subject to prepayment of principal prior to the stated maturity date, are expected to be repaid prior to their stated maturity dates. As a result, the effective maturity of these securities is expected to be shorter than the stated maturity. For purposes of compliance with stated maturity policies and calculation of the Bond Fund's weighted average maturity, the effective maturity of such securities will be used.

ADJUSTABLE RATE MORTGAGE SECURITIES ("ARMS"). The Funds may invest in ARMS. Generally, adjustable rate mortgages have a specified maturity date and amortize principal over their life. In periods of declining interest rates there is a reasonable likelihood that ARMS will experience increased rates of prepayment of principal. However, the major difference between ARMS and fixed-rate mortgage securities is that the interest rate can and does change in accordance with movements in a particular, pre-specified, published interest rate index. There are two main categories of indices: those based on U.S. Treasury obligations and those derived from a calculated measure, such as a cost of funds index or a moving average of mortgage rates. The amount of interest on an adjustable rate mortgage is calculated by adding a specified amount to the applicable index, subject to limitations on the maximum and minimum interest that is charged during the life of the mortgage or to maximum and minimum changes to that interest rate during a given period.

The underlying mortgages which collateralize the ARMS will frequently have caps and floors which limit the maximum amount by which the loan rate to the residential borrower may change up or down (1) per reset or adjustment interval and (2) over the life of the loan. Some residential mortgage loans restrict periodic adjustments by limiting changes in the borrower's monthly principal and interest payments rather than limiting interest rate changes. These payment caps may result in negative amortization. The value of mortgage-related securities in which a Fund invests may be affected if market interest rates rise or fall faster and farther than the allowable caps or floors on the underlying residential mortgage loans. Additionally, even though the interest rates on the underlying residential mortgages are adjustable, amortization and prepayments may occur, thereby causing the effective maturities of the mortgage-related securities in which the Fund invests to be shorter than the maturities stated in the underlying mortgages.

FOREIGN CURRENCY TRANSACTIONS. The Funds may engage in foreign currency transactions. In addition, the Strategic Income Fund, the Total Return Bond Fund and the Short-Term Bond Fund may invest in foreign government debt.

Currency Risks. The exchange rates between the U.S. dollar and foreign currencies are a function of such factors as supply and demand in the currency exchange markets, international balances of payments, governmental intervention, speculation and other economic and political conditions. Although the Funds value their assets daily in U.S. dollars, they may not convert their holdings of foreign currencies to U.S. dollars daily. The Funds may incur conversion costs when they convert their holdings to another currency. Foreign exchange dealers may realize a profit on the difference between the price at which the Funds buy and sell currencies.

The Funds may engage in foreign currency exchange transactions in connection with their portfolio investments. The Funds will conduct their foreign currency exchange transactions either on a spot (i.e., cash) basis at the spot rate prevailing in the foreign currency exchange market or through forward contracts to purchase or sell foreign currencies.

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FORWARD FOREIGN CURRENCY EXCHANGE CONTRACTS. The Funds may enter into forward foreign currency exchange contracts in order to protect against a possible loss resulting from an adverse change in the relationship between the

U.S. dollar and a foreign currency involved in an underlying transaction. However, forward foreign currency exchange contracts may limit potential gains which could result from a positive change in such currency relationships. Each of the Advisor or Subadviser, as applicable, believes that it is important to have the flexibility to enter into forward foreign currency exchange contracts whenever it determines that it is in each of the Funds' best interest to do so. The Funds may also enter into forward foreign currency exchange contracts to gain exposure to currencies underlying various securities or financial instruments held in the respective Fund.

In addition, the Funds may be permitted to engage in cross-hedging. Cross-hedging involves the use of forward contracts to shift currency exposure from one non-U.S. Dollar currency to another non-U.S. Dollar currency. An example would be where, the Fund were overweight securities denominated in Sterling and the portfolio manager wished to bring that segment's currency weighting back within the parameters of the index. In this case, the portfolio manager would sell Sterling and buy the Euro using forward contracts. Cross-hedging will only be done relative to an established index and will not exceed 50% of a Fund's net assets.

Currency hedging may also be accomplished through "proxy hedging," which is defined as entering into a position in one currency to hedge investments denominated in another currency, where two currencies are economically linked or otherwise correlated.

**FOREIGN CURRENCY OPTIONS.** The Funds may engage in foreign currency options, and the funds in which they invest may purchase funds that engage in foreign currency options. A foreign currency option provides the option buyer with the right to buy or sell a stated amount of foreign currency at the exercise price on a specified date or during the option period. The owner of a call option has the right, but not the obligation, to buy the currency. Conversely, the owner of a put option has the right, but not the obligation, to sell the currency.

When the option is exercised, the seller (i.e., writer) of the option is obligated to fulfill the terms of the sold option. However, either the seller or the buyer may, in the secondary market, close its position during the option period at any time prior to expiration. A call option on foreign currency generally rises in value if the underlying currency appreciates in value, and a put option on foreign currency generally rises in value if the underlying currency depreciates in value. Although purchasing a foreign currency option can protect the Funds against an adverse movement in the value of a foreign currency, the option will not limit the movement in the value of such currency. For example, if a Fund were holding securities denominated in a foreign currency that was appreciating and had purchased a foreign currency put to hedge against a decline in the value of the currency, it would not have to exercise its put option. Likewise, if a Fund were to enter into a contract to purchase a security denominated in foreign currency and, in conjunction with that purchase, were to purchase a foreign currency call option to hedge against a rise in value of the currency, and if the value of the currency instead depreciated between the date of purchase and the settlement date, it would not have to exercise its call. Instead, it could acquire in the spot market the amount of foreign currency needed for settlement.

**Special Risks Associated with Foreign Currency Options.** Buyers and sellers of foreign currency options are subject to the same risks that apply to options generally. In addition, there are certain additional risks associated with foreign currency options. The markets in foreign currency options are relatively new, and a Fund's ability to establish and close out positions on such options is subject to the maintenance of a liquid secondary market. Although the Funds will not purchase or write such options unless and until, in the opinion of the Advisor or Subadviser, as applicable, the market for them has

developed sufficiently to ensure that the risks in connection with such options are not greater than the risks in connection with the underlying currency, there can be no assurance that a liquid secondary market will exist for a particular option at any specific time. In addition, options on foreign currencies are affected by all of those factors that influence foreign exchange rates and investments generally.

The value of a foreign currency option depends upon the value of the underlying currency relative to the U.S. dollar. As a result, the price of the option position may vary with changes in the value of either or both currencies and may have no relationship to the investment merits of a foreign security. Because foreign currency transactions occurring in the interbank market involve substantially larger amounts than those that may be involved in the use of foreign currency options, investors may be disadvantaged by having to deal in an odd lot market (generally consisting of transactions of less than \$1 million)

for the underlying foreign currencies at prices that are less favorable than for round lots.

There is no systematic reporting of last sale information for foreign currencies or any regulatory requirement that quotations available through dealers or other market sources be firm or revised on a timely basis. Available quotation information is generally representative of very large transactions in the interbank market and thus may not reflect relatively smaller transactions (i.e., less than \$1 million) where rates may be less favorable. The interbank market in foreign currencies is a global, around-the-clock market. To the extent that the U.S. option markets are closed while the markets for the underlying currencies remain open, significant price and rate movements may take place in the underlying markets that cannot be reflected in the options markets until they reopen.

**FOREIGN CURRENCY FUTURES TRANSACTIONS.** By using foreign currency futures contracts and options on such contracts, the Funds may be able to achieve many of the same objectives as they would through the use of forward foreign currency exchange contracts. The Funds may be able to achieve these objectives possibly more effectively and at a lower cost by using futures transactions instead of forward foreign currency exchange contracts.

**Special Risks Associated with Foreign Currency Futures Contracts and Related Options.** Buyers and sellers of foreign currency futures contracts are subject to the same risks that apply to the use of futures generally. In addition, there are risks associated with foreign currency futures contracts and their use as a hedging device similar to those associated with options on currencies, as described above.

Options on foreign currency futures contracts may involve certain additional risks. Trading options on foreign currency futures contracts is relatively new. The ability to establish and close out positions on such options is subject to the maintenance of a liquid secondary market. To reduce this risk, the Funds will not purchase or write options on foreign currency futures contracts unless and until, in the opinion of the Advisor or Subadviser, as applicable, the market for such options has developed sufficiently that the risks in connection with such options are not greater than the risks in connection with transactions in the underlying foreign currency futures contracts. Compared to the purchase or sale of foreign currency futures contracts, the purchase of call or put options on futures contracts involves less potential risk to the Funds because the maximum amount at risk is the premium paid for the option (plus transaction costs). However, there may be circumstances when the purchase of a call or put option on a futures contract would result in a loss, such as when there is no movement in the price of the underlying currency or futures contract.

**GUARANTEED INVESTMENT CONTRACTS.** The Funds may make limited investments in guaranteed investment contracts ("GICs") issued by highly rated U.S. insurance companies. Under a GIC, the Fund gives cash to an insurance company which credits the Fund with the amount given plus interest based on a certain index, which interest is guaranteed to be not less than a certain minimum rate. A GIC is normally a general obligation of the issuing insurance company and not a separate account. The purchase price paid

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for a GIC becomes part of the general assets of the insurance company, and the contract is paid from the insurance company's general assets. The Funds will only purchase GICs from insurance companies which, at the time of purchase, have total assets of \$1 billion or more and meet quality and credit standards established by the Advisor pursuant to guidelines approved by the Board of Trustees. Generally, GICs are not assignable or transferable without the permission of the issuing insurance companies, and an active secondary market in GICs does not currently exist. Therefore, GICs will normally be considered illiquid investments, and will be subject to a Fund's limitation on illiquid investments.

**LENDING OF PORTFOLIO SECURITIES.** The Funds may lend portfolio securities. The collateral received when a Fund lends portfolio securities must be valued daily and, should the market value of the loaned securities increase, the borrower must furnish additional collateral to the Fund. During the time portfolio securities are on loan, the borrower pays the Fund any dividends or interest paid on such securities. Loans are subject to termination at the option of a Fund or the borrower. A Fund may pay reasonable administrative and custodial fees in connection with a loan and may pay a negotiated portion of the interest earned on the cash or equivalent collateral to the borrower or placing broker. A Fund would not have the right to vote securities on loan, but would terminate the loan and regain the right to vote if that were considered important with respect to the investment.

**LOAN PARTICIPATION NOTES.** The Funds may purchase loan participation

notes. A loan participation note represents participation in a corporate loan of a commercial bank with a remaining maturity of one year or less. Such loans must be to corporations in whose obligations the Funds may invest. Any participation purchased by a Fund must be issued by a bank in the United States with total assets exceeding \$1 billion. Because the issuing bank does not guarantee the participation in any way, the participation is subject to the credit risks generally associated with the underlying corporate borrower. In addition, because it may be necessary under the terms of the loan participation for a Fund to assert through the issuing bank such rights as may exist against the corporate borrower if the underlying corporate borrower fails to pay principal and interest when due, a Fund may be subject to delays, expenses and risks that are greater than those that would have been involved if the Fund had purchased a direct obligation of such borrower. Moreover, under the terms of the loan participation a Fund may be regarded as a creditor of the issuing bank (rather than the underlying corporate borrower), so that the Fund may also be subject to the risk that the issuing bank may become insolvent. The secondary market, if any, for loan participations is extremely limited and any such participation purchased by a Fund may be regarded as illiquid.

**LOWER-RATED AND UNRATED SECURITIES.** The Funds may invest in higher yielding (and, therefore, higher risk), lower-rated fixed-income securities, including investment-grade securities, junk bonds and unrated securities. Securities rated in the fourth highest category by S&P or Moody's, BBB and Baa, respectively, although considered investment grade, may possess speculative characteristics, and changes in economic or other conditions are more likely to impair the ability of issuers of these securities to make interest and principal payments than with respect to issuers of higher grade bonds.

Generally, medium or lower-rated securities and unrated securities of comparable quality, sometimes referred to as "junk bonds," offer a higher current yield than is offered by higher rated securities, but also (i) will likely have some quality and protective characteristics that, in the judgment of the rating organizations, are outweighed by large uncertainties or major risk exposures to adverse conditions and (ii) are predominantly speculative with respect to the issuer's capacity to pay interest and repay principal in accordance with the terms of the obligation. The yield of junk bonds will fluctuate over time.

**Special Risks Associated with Lower-Rated And Unrated Securities.** The market values of certain of these securities also tend to be more sensitive to individual corporate developments and changes in

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economic conditions than higher quality bonds. In addition, medium and lower-rated securities and comparable unrated securities generally present a higher degree of credit risk. The risk of loss due to default by these issuers is significantly greater because medium and lower-rated securities and unrated securities of comparable quality generally are unsecured and frequently are subordinated to the prior payment of senior indebtedness. Since the risk of default is higher for lower-rated debt securities, the Advisor's or Subadviser's research and credit analysis are an especially important part of managing securities of this type held by a Fund. In light of these risks, the Advisor or Subadviser, in evaluating the creditworthiness of an issue, whether rated or unrated, will take various factors into consideration, which may include, as applicable, the issuer's financial resources, its sensitivity to economic conditions and trends, the operating history of and the community support for the facility financed by the issue, the ability of the issuer's management and regulatory matters.

In addition, the market value of securities in lower-rated categories is more volatile than that of higher quality securities, and the markets in which medium and lower-rated or unrated securities are traded are more limited than those in which higher rated securities are traded. The existence of limited markets may make it more difficult for a Fund to obtain accurate market quotations for purposes of valuing its portfolio and calculating its net asset value. Moreover, the lack of a liquid trading market may restrict the availability of securities for a Fund to purchase and may also have the effect of limiting the ability of the Fund to sell securities at their fair value either to meet redemption requests or to respond to changes in the economy or the financial markets.

Lower-rated debt obligations also present risks based on payment expectations. If an issuer calls the obligation for redemption, a Fund may have to replace the security with a lower yielding security, resulting in a decreased return for shareholders. Also, as the principal value of bonds moves inversely with movements in interest rates, in the event of rising interest rates the value of the securities held by the Funds may decline relatively proportionately more than a portfolio consisting of higher rated securities. If a Fund experiences unexpected net redemptions, it may be forced to sell its higher rated bonds, resulting in a decline in the overall credit quality of the

securities held by the Fund and increasing the exposure of the Fund to the risks of lower-rated securities.

Subsequent to its purchase by a Fund, a security may cease to be rated or its rating may be reduced below the minimum required for purchase by that Fund. Neither event will require sale of the security by the Fund, but the Advisor or Subadviser will consider this event in its determination of whether the Fund should continue to hold the security.

The market for lower-rated debt securities may be thinner and less active than that for higher rated debt securities, which can adversely affect the prices at which the former are sold. If market quotations are not available, lower-rated debt securities will be valued in accordance with procedures established by the Board of Trustees, including the use of outside pricing services. Judgment plays a greater role in valuing high yield corporate debt securities than is the case for securities for which more external sources for quotations and last sale information is available. Adverse publicity and changing investor perception may affect the ability of outside pricing services to value lower-rated debt securities and the ability to dispose of these securities.

A Fund may choose, at its expense or in conjunction with others, to pursue litigation or otherwise exercise its rights as a security holder to seek to protect the interest of security holders if it determines this to be in the best interest of the Fund.

In considering investments for the Strategic Income Fund and High Yield Bond Fund, the Advisor and Subadviser, respectively, will attempt to identify those issuers of high yielding debt securities whose financial condition is adequate to meet future obligations, has improved or is expected to

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improve in the future. The Advisor's or Subadviser's analysis will focus on relative values based on such factors as interest or dividend coverage, asset coverage, earnings prospects and the experience and managerial strength of the issuer.

**MONEY MARKET INSTRUMENTS.** The Funds may invest in money market instruments, which are high quality, short-term fixed income securities that adhere to the guidelines (i.e., liquidity, maturity and credit quality) set forth by Securities and Exchange Commission Rule 2a-7 under the 1940 Act, which governs the allowable investments purchased by money market funds.

**MUNICIPAL LEASES.** The Funds may purchase municipal securities in the form of participation interests which represent undivided proportional interests in lease payments by a governmental or non-profit entity. The lease payments and other rights under the lease provide for and secure the payments on the certificates. Lease obligations may be limited by municipal charter or the nature of the appropriation for the lease. In particular, lease obligations may be subject to periodic appropriation. If the entity does not appropriate funds for future lease payments, the entity cannot be compelled to make such payments. Furthermore, a lease may provide that the certificate trustee cannot accelerate lease obligations upon default. The trustee would only be able to enforce lease payments as they become due. In the event of a default or failure of appropriation, it is unlikely that the trustee would be able to obtain an acceptable substitute source of payment. In determining the liquidity of municipal lease securities, the Advisor, under the authority delegated by the Trustees, will base its determination on the following factors: (a) whether the lease can be terminated by the lessee; (b) the potential recovery, if any, from a sale of the leased property upon termination of the lease; (c) the lessee's general credit strength (e.g., its debt, administrative, economic and financial characteristics and, prospects); (d) the likelihood that the lessee will discontinue appropriating funding for the leased property because the property is no longer deemed essential to its operations (e.g., the potential for an "event of nonappropriation"); and (e) any credit enhancement or legal recourse provided upon an event of nonappropriation or other termination of the lease.

**MUNICIPAL SECURITIES.** The Funds may invest in municipal securities of any state which have the characteristics set forth in the prospectus of that Fund. Examples of municipal securities are (a) governmental lease certificates of participation issued by state or municipal authorities where payment is secured by installment payments for equipment, buildings, or other facilities being leased by the state or municipality; (b) municipal notes; (c) serial bonds; (d) tax anticipation notes sold to finance working capital needs of municipalities in anticipation of receiving taxes at a later date; (e) bond anticipation notes sold in anticipation of the issuance of long-term bonds in

the future; (f) pre-refunded municipal bonds whose timely payment of interest and principal is ensured by an escrow of U.S. government obligations; and (g) general obligation bonds.

**VARIABLE RATE MUNICIPAL SECURITIES.** The Funds may invest in variable rate municipal securities. Variable interest rates generally reduce changes in the market value of municipal securities from their original purchase prices. Accordingly, as interest rates decrease or increase, the potential for capital appreciation or depreciation is less for variable rate municipal securities than for fixed income obligations. Many municipal securities with variable interest rates purchased by the Funds are subject to repayment of principal (usually within seven days) on the Funds' demand. The terms of these variable-rate demand instruments require payment of principal and accrued interest from the issuer of the municipal obligations, the issuer of the participation interests, or a guarantor of either issuer.

**PARTICIPATION INTERESTS.** The Funds may invest in participation interests. Participation interests include the underlying securities and any related guaranty, letter of credit, or collateralization arrangement which a Fund would be allowed to invest in directly. The financial institutions from which the Funds may purchase participation interests frequently provide or secure from another financial

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institution irrevocable letters of credit or guarantees and give these Funds the right to demand payment of the principal amounts of the participation interests plus accrued interest on short notice (usually within seven days).

**REAL ESTATE INVESTMENT TRUSTS.** The Funds (other than the Municipal Bond and Money Market Funds) may invest in real estate investment trusts ("REITs"), which are pooled investment vehicles investing primarily in income producing real estate or real estate loans or interest. The Funds' investments in REITs are subject to the same risks as direct investments in real estate. Real estate values rise and fall in response to many factors, including local, regional and national economic conditions, the demand for rental property, and interest rates. When economic growth is slowing, demand for property decreases and prices may fall. Rising interest rates, which drive up mortgage and financing costs, can inhibit construction, purchases, and sales of property. Property values could decrease because of overbuilding, extended vacancies, increase in property taxes and operating expenses, zoning laws, environmental regulations, clean-up of and liability for environmental hazards, uninsured casualty or condemnation losses, or a general decline in neighborhood values. The Fund's investment may decline in response to declines in property values or other adverse changes to the real estate market. In addition, REITs may have limited financial resources, may trade less frequently and in limited volume and may be more volatile than other securities.

**REPURCHASE AGREEMENTS.** A Fund may enter into repurchase agreements. A repurchase agreement is an agreement whereby a fund takes possession of securities from another party in exchange for cash and agrees to sell the security back to the party at a specified time and price. To the extent that the original seller does not repurchase the securities from a Fund, a Fund could receive less than the repurchase price on any sale of such securities. In the event that such a defaulting seller filed for bankruptcy or became insolvent, disposition of such securities by a Fund might be delayed pending court action. A Fund will only enter into repurchase agreements with banks and other recognized financial institutions such as broker/dealers which are deemed by the Advisor or Subadviser, as applicable, to be creditworthy pursuant to guidelines established by the Trustees.

**RESTRICTED AND ILLIQUID SECURITIES.** A Fund may invest in securities issued in reliance on the exemption from registration afforded by Section 4(2) of the Securities Act of 1933. Section 4(2) securities are restricted as to disposition under the federal securities laws and are generally sold to institutional investors, such as the Funds, who agree that they are purchasing such securities for investment purposes and not with a view to public distributions. Any resale by the purchaser must be in an exempt transaction. Section 4(2) securities are normally resold to other institutional investors like the Funds through or with the assistance of the issuer or investment dealers who make a market in such securities, thus providing liquidity. (The Funds believe that Section 4(2) securities and possibly certain other restricted securities which meet the criteria for liquidity established by the Trustees are quite liquid.) The Funds intend, therefore, to treat the restricted securities which meet the criteria for liquidity established by the Trustees, including Section 4(2) securities, as determined by the Advisor or Subadviser, as applicable, as liquid and not subject to the investment limitation applicable to illiquid securities.

The ability of the Trustees to determine the liquidity of certain restricted securities is permitted under the Securities and Exchange Commission



("SEC") staff position set forth in the adopting release for Rule 144A under the Securities Act of 1933 (the "Rule"). The Rule is a non-exclusive safe harbor for certain secondary market transactions involving securities subject to restrictions on resale under federal securities laws. The Rule provides an exemption from registration for resales of otherwise restricted securities to qualified institutional buyers. The Rule was expected to further enhance the liquidity of the secondary market for securities eligible for resale under the Rule. The Funds believe that the SEC staff has left the question of determining the liquidity of all restricted securities to the Trustees. The Trustees consider the following criteria in determining the liquidity of certain restricted securities: the frequency of

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trades and quotes for the security; the number of dealers willing to purchase or sell the security and the number of other potential buyers; dealer undertakings to make a market in the security; and the nature of the security and the nature of the marketplace trades.

REVERSE REPURCHASE AGREEMENTS. Except as provided above, the Funds may also enter into reverse repurchase agreements. These transactions are similar to borrowing cash. In a reverse repurchase agreement, a Fund transfers possession of a portfolio instrument to another person, such as a financial institution, broker, or dealer, in return for a percentage of the instrument's market value in cash and agrees that on a stipulated date in the future it will repurchase the portfolio instrument by remitting the original consideration plus interest at an agreed upon rate. The use of reverse repurchase agreements may enable a Fund to avoid selling portfolio instruments at a time when a sale may be deemed to be disadvantageous, but the ability to enter into reverse repurchase agreements does not ensure that a Fund will be able to avoid selling portfolio instruments at a disadvantageous time.

When effecting reverse repurchase agreements, liquid assets of a Fund, in a dollar amount sufficient to make payment for the obligations to be purchased, are segregated on a Fund's records at the trade date. These securities are marked to market daily and maintained until the transaction is settled.

STAND-BY COMMITMENTS. The Funds may enter into stand-by commitments with respect to municipal obligations held by them. Under a stand-by commitment, a dealer agrees to purchase at a Fund's option a specified municipal obligation at its amortized cost value to the Fund plus accrued interest, if any. Stand-by commitments may be exercisable by a Fund at any time before the maturity of the underlying municipal obligations and may be sold, transferred or assigned only with the instruments involved.

The Funds expect that stand-by commitments will generally be available without the payment of any direct or indirect consideration. However, if necessary or advisable, the Funds may pay for a stand-by commitment either separately in cash or by paying a higher price for municipal obligations which are acquired subject to the commitment (thus reducing the yield to maturity otherwise available for the same securities).

The Funds intend to enter into stand-by commitments only with dealers, banks and broker-dealers which, in the Advisor's opinion, present minimal credit risks. The Funds will acquire stand-by commitments solely to facilitate portfolio liquidity and do not intend to exercise their rights thereunder for trading purposes. Stand-by commitments will be valued at zero in determining net asset value of a Fund. Accordingly, where a Fund pays directly or indirectly for a stand-by commitment, its cost will be reflected as unrealized depreciation for the period during which the commitment is held by the Fund and will be reflected in realized gain or loss when the commitment is exercised or expires.

STRIPPED OBLIGATIONS. The Funds may purchase U.S. Treasury Obligations and their unmatured interest coupons that have been separated ("stripped") by their holder, typically a custodian bank or other institution. These "stripped" U.S. Treasury obligations are offered under the Separate Trading of Registered Interest and Principal Securities ("STRIPS") program or Coupon Under Bank-Entry Safekeeping ("CUBES") program. The Funds may also purchase other stripped securities issued directly by agencies or instrumentalities of the U.S. government. STRIPS and CUBES represent either future interest or principal payments and are direct obligations of the U.S. government that clear through the Federal Reserve System. These participations, which may be issued by the U.S. government (or a U.S. government agency or instrumentality) or by private issuers such as banks and other institutions, are issued at a discount to their face value, and may, with respect to the Bond Funds, include stripped mortgage-backed securities ("SMBS"). Stripped securities, particularly SMBS, may exhibit greater price volatility than ordinary debt securities because of the manner in which their principal and interest are

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returned to investors. The Funds also may purchase U.S. dollar-denominated stripped securities that evidence ownership in the future interest payments or principal payments on obligations of foreign governments.

SMBS are usually structured with two or more classes that receive different proportions of the interest and principal distributions from a pool of mortgage-backed obligations. A common type of SMBS will have one class receiving all of the interest, while the other class receives all of the principal. However, in some cases, one class will receive some of the interest and most of the principal while the other class will receive most of the interest and the remainder of the principal. If the underlying obligations experience greater than anticipated prepayments of principal, a Fund may fail to fully recoup its initial investment. The market value of the class consisting entirely of principal payments can be extremely volatile in response to changes in interest rates. The yields on a class of SMBS that receives all or most of the interest are generally higher than prevailing market yields on other mortgage-backed obligations because their cash flow patterns are also volatile and there is a greater risk that the initial investment will not be fully recouped.

SMBS which are not issued by the U.S. government (or a U.S. government agency or instrumentality) are considered illiquid. SMBS issued by the U.S. government (or a U.S. government agency or instrumentality) may be considered liquid under guidelines established by the Trust's Board of Trustees if they can be disposed of promptly in the ordinary course of business at a value reasonably close to that used in the calculation of a Fund's per share net asset value.

Within the past several years, the Treasury Department has facilitated transfers of ownership of stripped securities by accounting separately for the beneficial ownership of particular interest coupon and principal payments on Treasury securities through the Federal Reserve book-entry record-keeping system and the STRIPS program. Under the STRIPS program, the Funds will be able to have their beneficial ownership of stripped securities recorded directly in the book-entry record-keeping system in lieu of having to hold certificates or other evidences of ownership of the underlying U.S. Treasury securities.

In addition, the Funds may acquire other U.S. government obligations and their unmatured interest coupons that have been stripped by their holder. Having separated the interest coupons from the underlying principal of the U.S. government obligations, the holder will resell the stripped securities in custodial receipt programs with a number of different names, including "Treasury Income Growth Receipts" ("TIGRs") and "Certificate of Accrual on Treasury Securities" ("CATS"). The stripped coupons are sold separately from the underlying principal, which is usually sold at a deep discount because the buyer receives only the right to receive a future fixed payment on the security and does not receive any rights to periodic interest (cash) payments. The underlying U.S. Treasury bonds and notes themselves are held in book-entry form at the Federal Reserve Bank or, in the case of bearer securities (i.e., unregistered securities which are ostensibly owned by the bearer or holder), in trust on behalf of the owners. Counsel to the underwriters of these certificates or other evidences of ownership of U.S. Treasury securities have stated that, in their opinion, purchasers of the stripped securities most likely will be deemed the beneficial holders of the underlying U.S. Government obligations for federal tax purposes. The Trust is unaware of any binding legislative, judicial or administrative authority on this issue. The staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission believes that participations in TIGRs, CATS and other similar trusts are not U.S. Government securities.

Although a "stripped" security may not pay interest to holders prior to maturity, federal income tax regulations require a Fund to recognize as interest income a portion of the security's discount each year. This income must then be distributed to shareholders along with other income earned by the Fund. To the extent that any shareholders in a Fund elect to receive their dividends in cash rather than reinvest such dividends in additional Fund shares, cash to make these distributions will have to be provided from

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the assets of the Fund or other sources such as proceeds of sales of Fund shares and/or sales of portfolio securities. In such cases, the Fund will not be able to purchase additional income producing securities with cash used to make such distributions and its current income may ultimately be reduced as a result.

TRUST PREFERRED SECURITIES. Trust preferred securities are issued by a special purpose trust subsidiary backed by subordinated debt of the corporate parent. Trust preferred securities currently permit the issuing entity to treat the interest payments as a tax-deductible cost. These securities, which have no voting rights, have a final stated maturity date and a fixed schedule for periodic payments. In addition, these securities have provisions which afford preference over common and preferred stock upon liquidation, although the securities are subordinated to other, more senior debt securities of the same issuer. The issuers of these securities have the right to defer interest payments for a period of up to five years, although interest continues to accrue

cumulatively. The deferral of payments may not exceed the stated maturity date of the securities themselves. The non-payment of deferred interest at the end of the permissible period will be treated as an event of default. At the present time, the Internal Revenue Service treats capital securities as debt.

**U.S. GOVERNMENT OBLIGATIONS.** The types of U.S. government obligations in which the Funds may invest include debt securities issued or guaranteed as to principal and interest by the U.S. Treasury and obligations issued by U.S. Government-sponsored enterprises ("GSEs"), which may be agencies or instrumentalities of the U.S. Government, the securities of which are not guaranteed as to principal and interest by the U.S. Treasury. U.S. Government securities that are guaranteed and insured by the full faith and credit of the U.S. Treasury include U.S. Treasury securities and securities issued by the Government National Mortgage Association (Ginnie Mae) and the Small Business Administration (SBA). U.S. Government securities issued by GSEs that are neither guaranteed or insured by the full faith and credit of the U.S. Treasury but which have the ability to borrow from the Treasury include Federal Home Loan Bank (FHLB), Student Loan Marketing Association (Sallie-Mae), Tennessee Valley Authority (TVA), Federal National Mortgage Association (Fannie Mae) and Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation (Freddie Mac). Federal Farm Credit Bank (FFCB) is a GSE that issues securities that are neither guaranteed nor insured by the full faith and credit of the U.S. Treasury and which has no ability to borrow from the Treasury. While there are different degrees of credit quality, all U.S. Government securities and securities issued by GSEs generally are considered highly credit worthy. The Student Loan Marketing Association can also issue debt as a corporation, which is not considered a U.S. Government obligation.

**VARIABLE RATE U.S. GOVERNMENT SECURITIES.** Some of the short-term U.S. government securities that the Funds may purchase carry variable interest rates. These securities have a rate of interest subject to adjustment at least annually. This adjusted interest rate is ordinarily tied to some objective standard, such as the 91-day U.S. Treasury bill rate. Variable interest rates will reduce the changes in the market value of such securities from their original purchase prices. Accordingly, the potential for capital appreciation or capital depreciation should not be greater than the potential for capital appreciation or capital depreciation of fixed interest rate U.S. government securities having maturities equal to the interest rate adjustment dates of the variable rate U.S. government securities.

**OVERSEAS PRIVATE INVESTMENT CORPORATION CERTIFICATES.** The Funds may invest in Certificates of Participation issued by the Overseas Private Investment Corporation ("OPIC"). OPIC is a U.S. Government agency that sells political risk insurance and loans to help U.S. businesses invest and compete in over 140 emerging markets and developing nations worldwide. OPIC provides medium to long-term loans and guaranties to projects involving significant equity or management participation. OPIC can lend up to \$250 million per project on either a project finance or a corporate finance basis in countries where conventional institutions are often unable or unwilling to lend on such a basis. OPIC issues Certificates of Participation to finance projects undertaken by U.S. companies. These certificates are guaranteed by OPIC and backed by the full faith and credit of the U.S. Government.

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**WARRANTS.** The Funds may invest in warrants. Warrants are basically options to purchase common stock at a specific price (usually at a premium above the market value of the optioned common stock at issuance) valid for a specific period of time. Warrants may have a life ranging from less than a year to twenty years or may be perpetual. However, most warrants have expiration dates after which they are worthless. In addition, if the market price of the common stock does not exceed the warrant's exercise price during the life of the warrant, the warrant will expire as worthless. Warrants have no voting rights, pay no dividends, and have no rights with respect to the assets of the corporation issuing them. The percentage increase or decrease in the market price of the warrant may tend to be greater than the percentage increase or decrease in the market price of the optioned common stock.

**WHEN-ISSUED AND DELAYED DELIVERY TRANSACTIONS.** A Fund may enter into when-issued and delayed delivery transactions. These transactions are made to secure what is considered to be an advantageous price or yield for a Fund. No fees or other expenses, other than normal transaction costs, are incurred. However, liquid assets of a Fund sufficient to make payment for the securities to be purchased are segregated on the Fund's records at the trade date. These assets are marked-to-market daily and are maintained until the transaction has been settled. The Funds do not intend to engage in when-issued and delayed delivery transactions to an extent that would cause the segregation of more than 25% of the total value of their assets.

**TEMPORARY AND DEFENSIVE INVESTMENTS.** A Fund (other than the Money Market Funds) may hold up to 100% of its assets in cash, short-term debt securities or other short-term instruments for temporary defensive purposes. Each of the Short Term Bond Fund, Municipal Bond Fund, Intermediate Municipal

Bond Fund, Ohio Municipal Bond Fund and Michigan Municipal Bond Fund may shorten their dollar-weighted average maturity below its normal range if such action is deemed appropriate by the Advisor. The Michigan Municipal Bond Fund may invest in municipal bonds the income on which is exempt from federal income tax but not exempt from Michigan personal income taxes. The Michigan Municipal Money Market Fund may invest in short-term taxable money market obligations. The Money Market Funds may hold up to 100% of their assets in cash. A Fund will adopt a temporary defensive position when, in the opinion of the Advisor or Subadviser, as applicable, such a position is more likely to provide protection against adverse market conditions than adherence to the Fund's other investment policies. The types of short-term instruments in which the Funds may invest for such purposes include short-term money market securities, such as repurchase agreements, and securities issued or guaranteed by the U.S. government or its agencies or instrumentalities, certificates of deposit, time deposits and bankers' acceptances of certain qualified financial institutions and corporate commercial paper, which at the time of purchase are rated at least within the "A" major rating category by Standard & Poor's ("S&P") or the "Prime" major rating category by Moody's Investors Service, Inc. ("Moody's"), or, if not rated, issued by companies having an outstanding long-term unsecured debt issue rated at least within the "A" category by S&P or Moody's.

PORTFOLIO TURNOVER. The Funds will not attempt to set or meet portfolio turnover rates since any turnover would be incidental to transactions undertaken in an attempt to achieve the Funds' investment objectives. The portfolio turnover rates for the Funds except the Money Market Funds for fiscal years ended July 31, 2007 and July 31, 2006 were as follows:

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	FISCAL YEAR ENDED JULY 31, 2007	FISCAL YEAR ENDED JULY 31, 2006
Small Cap Growth Fund	90%	67%
Mid Cap Growth Fund	55%	69%
Quality Growth Fund	98%	108%

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	FISCAL YEAR ENDED JULY 31, 2007	FISCAL YEAR ENDED JULY 31, 2006
Structured Large Cap Plus Fund(1)	141%	126%
Equity Index Fund	4%	6%
Balanced Fund(2)	59%	191%
Micro Cap Value Fund	72%	42%
Small Cap Value Fund	46%	99%
All Cap Value Fund	23%	40%
Disciplined Large Cap Value Fund	49%	57%
LifeModel Aggressive FundSM	14%	14%
LifeModel Moderately Aggressive FundSM	20%	19%
LifeModel Moderate FundSM	18%	30%
LifeModel Moderately Conservative FundSM	30%	22%
LifeModel Conservative FundSM	24%	15%
Strategic Income Fund	18%	8%
Dividend Growth Fund(3)	68%	147%
International Equity Fund	20%	23%
High Yield Bond Fund	42%	41%
Total Return Bond Fund(4)	65%	352%
Short Term Bond Fund	75%	53%
Municipal Bond Fund	27%	87%

Intermediate Municipal Bond Fund	37%	60%
Ohio Municipal Bond Fund	12%	25%
Michigan Municipal Bond Fund	28%	12%

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- 1 The quantitative management process employed by the Structured Large Cap Plus Fund tends to result in slightly higher turnover rates than some fundamentally managed portfolios.
- 2 The Balanced Fund experienced an increase in portfolio turnover during the fiscal year ended July 31, 2006 as a result of its transition to an active core strategy in January 2006, which required a restructuring of the Fund's equity positions.
- 3 The Dividend Growth Fund experienced an increase in portfolio turnover for the fiscal year ended July 31, 2006 due to a shift in the Fund's principal investment strategy and change in name, effective August 1, 2005.
- 4 The Total Return Bond Fund was subject to increased portfolio turnover rate for the fiscal year ended July 31, 2006 due to mortgage-backed positions rolled monthly into the to-be-announced (TBA) market.

INVESTMENT RISKS (MICHIGAN MUNICIPAL MONEY MARKET FUND AND MICHIGAN MUNICIPAL BOND FUND)

The State of Michigan's economy is principally dependent on manufacturing (particularly automobiles, office equipment and other durable goods), tourism and agriculture and historically has been highly cyclical. It remains highly cyclical despite a gradually diversifying economy.

The economy of Michigan continues to be significantly weaker than that of the nation as a whole. The decline in Michigan wage and salary employment from its peak in early 2000 has been three times more severe than the national decline from its peak. The unemployment rate in the State as of mid-2007 was an estimated 7.2%. However, in calendar year 2006, personal income in Michigan is estimated to have grown 3.5% on a year to year basis.

The overall decline in the State's economy, exacerbated by Michigan's dependence upon manufacturing, and particularly automobile manufacturing, had the effect of requiring the State to make significant adjustments in expenditures and to seek additional revenue sources. This process continued throughout the period 2001 through mid-2007. Among other means of supporting expenditures for State programs, the State's Counter-Cyclical Budget and Economic Stabilization Fund, a reserve fund designed

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for times of economic decline, which exceeded \$1.2 billion as of September 30, 2000, has been substantially expended.

Among the budget uncertainties facing the State during the next several years are whether the school finance reform package presently in force will provide adequate revenues to fund Kindergarten through Twelfth Grade education in the future, whether international economic and business conditions will continue to adversely affect Michigan's economy, particularly automobile production, and the uncertainties presented by proposed changes in Federal aid policies for state and local governments.

The State Constitution limits the amount of total State revenues that can be raised from taxes and certain other sources. State revenues (excluding federal aid and revenues for payment of principal and interest on general obligation bonds) in any fiscal year are limited to a fixed percentage of State personal income in the prior calendar year or average of the prior three calendar years, whichever is greater, and this fixed percentage equals the percentage of the 1978-79 fiscal year state government revenues to total calendar 1977 State personal income (which was 9.49%).

If in any fiscal year revenues exceed the revenue limitation by 1% or more, the entire amount of such excess must be rebated in the following fiscal year's personal income tax or other State source. Any excess of less than 1% may be transferred to the State's Counter-Cyclical Budget and Economic Stabilization Fund. The State may raise taxes in excess of the limit for emergencies when deemed necessary by the Governor and two-thirds of the members of each house of the Legislature.

The State Constitution also provides that the proportion of State spending paid to all units of local government to total State spending may not

be reduced below the proportion in effect in the 1978-79 fiscal year.

The State Constitution also requires the State to finance any new or expanded activity of local governments mandated by State law. Any expenditures required by this provision would be counted as State spending for local units of government for the purpose of determining compliance with the provision cited above.

The State Constitution limits State general obligation debt to (i) short-term debt for State operating purposes, (ii) short and long-term for the purpose of making loans to school districts, and (iii) long-term debt for voter-approved purposes.

Short-term debt for operating purposes is limited to an amount not in excess of 15% of undedicated revenue received during the preceding fiscal year and must be issued only to meet obligations incurred pursuant to appropriation and repaid during the fiscal year in which incurred. Such debt does not require voter approval.

The amount of debt incurred by the State for the purpose of making loans to school districts is recommended by the State Treasurer, who certifies the amounts necessary for loans to school districts. The bonds may be issued in whatever amount required without voter approval. All other general obligation bonds issued by the State must be approved as to amount, purpose and method of repayment by a two-thirds vote of each house of the Legislature and by a majority vote of the public at a general election. There is no limitation as to number or size of such general obligation issues.

There are also various State authorities and special purpose agencies created by the State which issue bonds secured by specific revenues. Such debt is not a general obligation of the State.

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The State has issued and outstanding general obligation full faith and credit bonds for Water Resources, Environmental Protection Program, Recreation Program and School Loan purposes. As of September 30, 2006, the State had approximately \$1.8 billion of general obligation bonds outstanding.

The State may issue notes or bonds without voter approval for the purposes of making loans to school districts. The proceeds of such notes or bonds are deposited in the School Bond Loan Fund maintained by the State Treasurer and used to make loans to school districts for payment of debt on qualified general obligation bonds issued by local school districts.

As of mid-2007, the ratings on State of Michigan general obligation bonds were "Aa3" by Moody's and "AA-" by S&P. There is no assurance that such ratings will continue for any period of time or that such ratings will not be revised or withdrawn. Because all or most of the Michigan Municipal Obligations are revenue or general obligations of local governments or authorities, rather than general obligations of the State of Michigan itself, ratings on such Michigan Municipal Obligations may be different from those given to the State of Michigan.

The State is a party to various legal proceedings seeking damages or injunctive or other relief. In addition to routine litigation, certain of these proceedings could, if unfavorably resolved from the point of view of the State, substantially affect State programs or finances. These lawsuits involved programs generally in the areas of corrections, tax collection, commerce, and proceedings involving other budgetary reductions to school districts and governmental units, and court funding. The ultimate disposition of these proceedings was not determinable as of mid-2007.

The State Constitution limits the extent to which municipalities or political subdivisions may levy taxes upon real and personal property through a process that regulates assessments.

In 1994, Michigan voters approved a comprehensive property tax and school finance reform measure commonly known as Proposal A. Under Proposal A, as approved and implemented, effective May 1, 1994, the State's sales and use tax increased from 4% to 6%, the State's income tax decreased from 4.6% to 4.4% (since reduced to 3.9%), and other new or increased taxes were imposed, including those on tobacco products and real estate transfers. In addition, beginning in 1994, a new State property tax of 6 mills began to be imposed on all real and personal property subject to the general property tax. All local school boards are authorized, with voter approval, to levy up to the lesser of 18 mills or the number of mills levied in 1993 for school operating purposes on non-homestead property and non-qualified agricultural property.

Proposal A shifted significant portions of the cost of local school operations from local school districts to the State and raised additional State revenues to fund these additional State expenses. These additional revenues will be included within the State's constitutional revenue limitations and impact the

State's ability to raise additional revenues in the future.

Additional revenue sources and expenditure reductions have been the subject of continuing discussion between the Governor and the Legislature since 2006. The Michigan Single Business Tax statute was repealed in 2006, effective December 31, 2007. It had been replaced by a new statute which creates the Michigan Business Tax, a complex combination of a gross receipts tax and a net income tax on business activity on and after January 1, 2008.

Even with the revenue to be provided by the new Michigan Business Tax, the State still faces a budget deficit for the fiscal year beginning October 1, 2007 in the range of \$1.5 billion to \$1.8 billion. The manner of correction of this imbalance through a combination of new sources of increased revenue

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and additional expenditures reductions had not been determined as of early autumn, 2007, although an increase in the personal income tax rate from the present 3.9% is likely to be a portion of the solution.

#### INVESTMENT RISKS (OHIO MUNICIPAL BOND FUND AND OHIO TAX EXEMPT MONEY MARKET FUND)

The State of Ohio is a leading industrial state and exporter of manufactured goods. During the past two decades, both the number and percentage of manufacturing jobs, particularly in durable goods, has declined. Job growth in the state has been primarily in business services and distribution sectors. Ohio's economy is concentrated in automobile production and equipment, steel, rubber products and household appliances. Because Ohio and certain local governments have large exposure to these industries, trends in these industries, over the long term, may affect the demographic and financial position of Ohio and its local governments. To the degree that Ohio local governments are exposed to domestic manufacturers that fail to make competitive adjustments, employment rates and disposable income of Ohio residents may deteriorate, possibly leading to population declines and the erosion of local government tax bases.

In addition to the economic trends above, the political climate in various local governments may contribute to the decisions of various businesses and individuals to relocate outside of Ohio. A locality's political climate in particular may affect its own credit standing. For Ohio and its underlying local governments, adjustment of credit ratings by the ratings agencies may affect the ability to issue securities and thereby affect the supply of issuances meeting the Fund's standards for investment.

Ohio ended its fiscal year 2007 with a General Revenue Fund balance of \$215,534,000. Ohio has also maintained a "rainy day" fund, the Budget Stabilization Fund, which had a balance of \$1,012,289,000 as of the end of fiscal year 2007.

Litigation, similar to that in other states, has been pending in Ohio courts since 1991 questioning the constitutionality of Ohio's system of school funding and compliance with the state constitutional requirement that Ohio provide a "thorough and efficient system of common schools." On December 11, 2002, the Ohio Supreme Court, in a 4-3 decision, concluded (as it had in 1997 and 2000) that the State had not complied with that requirement and directed the General Assembly "to enact a school-funding scheme that is thorough and efficient." At this time, it is not possible to predict the response of the General Assembly to this decision or whether any such response will be subject to further litigation. Several bills have been introduced in the General Assembly to address school funding, but the outcomes of these bills are uncertain. School funding poses significant but manageable challenges to the overall fiscal stability of Ohio.

Ohio has established procedures for fiscal emergencies under which financial planning and supervision commissions are established to monitor the fiscal affairs of financially troubled local governments. The original municipal fiscal emergency law was enacted in 1979 as a response to a financial crisis in the city of Cleveland. Since that time, financial planning and supervision commissions have aided 45 Ohio local governments declared in fiscal emergency. As of July 2007, sixteen remain under stewardship. Under this law, a local government is required to develop a financial plan to eliminate deficits and cure any defaults. In 1996, the fiscal emergency protection law was extended to Ohio counties and townships and the "fiscal watch" status was created to provide early warning to faltering local governments approaching emergency status. As of July 2007, five local governments were under fiscal watch.

Ohio has established procedures for financial planning and supervision of school districts declared to be in fiscal caution, fiscal watch or fiscal emergency. As of June 30, 2006, out of approximately 600 school districts in Ohio, thirteen school districts were under fiscal watch, and ten were

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under fiscal emergency. The foregoing discussion only highlights some of the significant financial trends and problems affecting Ohio and its underlying local governments.

FIFTH THIRD FUNDS MANAGEMENT

The Funds are managed under the direction of the Board of Trustees. Subject to the provisions of the Declaration of Trust, By-laws and Massachusetts law, the Trustees have all powers necessary and desirable to carry out this responsibility, including the election and removal of Trust officers.

TRUSTEES AND OFFICERS

The Trustees and officers of the Trust, their ages, the positions they hold with the Trust, their terms of office and lengths of time served, a description of their principal occupations during the past five years, the number of portfolios in the fund complex that each Trustee oversees and any other directorships held by the Trustee are listed in the two tables immediately following. The business address, unless otherwise noted, of the persons listed below is 38 Fountain Square Plaza, Cincinnati, Ohio 45263.

INDEPENDENT TRUSTEES

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NAME AND AGE	POSITION HELD WITH THE TRUST	TERM OF OFFICE AND LENGTH OF TIME SERVED	PRINCIPAL OCCUPATION(S) DURING THE PAST 5 YEARS	NUMBER OF PORTFOLIOS IN FUND COMPLEX OVERSEEN BY TRUSTEE	OTHER DIRECTORSHIPS HELD BY TRUSTEE
Edward Burke Carey Age: 62	Chairman-Board of Trustees	Indefinite, January 1989-Present	President, Carey Realty Investments, Inc. (commercial real estate), 1990-Present.	32	Canisius College-Trustee.
David J. Durham Age: 62	Trustee	Indefinite, June 2001-Present	Chairman of the Board, President and Chief Executive Officer of Clipper Products, Inc., (importer and wholesale distributor), September 1997-Present.	32	Chairman of the Board of Norris Products Corporation, a wholesale distributor, 2005-Present.
David J. Gruber Age: 44	Trustee	Indefinite, December 2003-Present	President, DJG Financial Consulting (accounting and finance consultant), June 2007-Present. Project Professional, Resources Global Professionals (accounting and finance consultant), December 2004-May 2007. CFO, Ohio Arts & Sports Facilities Commission (state funding oversight agency), March 2003-December 2004. Finance Director, Ohio Expositions Commission (state fair and expo center), April 1996-March 2003.	32	None
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NAME AND AGE	POSITION HELD WITH THE TRUST	TERM OF OFFICE AND LENGTH OF TIME SERVED	PRINCIPAL OCCUPATION(S) DURING THE PAST 5 YEARS	NUMBER OF PORTFOLIOS IN FUND COMPLEX OVERSEEN BY TRUSTEE	OTHER DIRECTORSHIPS HELD BY TRUSTEE
J. Joseph Hale Jr. Age: 58	Trustee	Indefinite, March 2001-Present	EVP and Managing Director, DHR International (executive recruiter), April 2007-Present. Consultant, Duke Energy, April 2006-March 2007. President, Cinergy Foundation (manager of corporate contributions of certain Duke Energy entities), November 2001-Present.	32	Trustee for Hanover College, National Underground Freedom Center, the Cincinnati Zoo, the Ohio Arts Council, the Cincinnati Parks Foundation and Playhouse in the



John E. Jaymont Age: 62	Trustee	Indefinite, October 2001- Present	Business Development Director, PIANKO (printing industry association), Feb. 2002- Present. Business Management Consultant, April 2000-February 2002.	32	Printing Industries of America: Web Offset Assoc., Director; Master Printers of America, Director.
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## OFFICERS

NAME AND AGE	POSITION(S) HELD WITH THE FUNDS	TERM OF OFFICE AND LENGTH OF TIME SERVED	PRINCIPAL OCCUPATION(S) DURING THE PAST 5 YEARS
E. Keith Wirtz Age: 47	President	Indefinite, April 2007-Present	President, Fifth Third Asset Management, Inc. 2003-Present, Managing Partner, Paladin Investment Associates, LLC, 2000-2003.
Matthew A. Ebersbach Age: 37	Vice President	Indefinite, March 2006-Present	Vice President of Fifth Third Bank since 2006; Assistant Vice President of Fifth Third Bank from 2001 to 2005.
Richard B. Ille Age: 43	Vice President	Indefinite, April 2007-Present	Managing Director, Products and Marketing, Fifth Third Asset Management, Inc., 2001-Present.
James A. Mautino Age: 39	Anti-Money Laundering and Chief Compliance Officer	Indefinite, February 2007-Present	Vice President and Chief Compliance Officer, Fifth Third Asset Management, Inc. August 2005-Present, Director of Risk and Compliance, State Street Bank and Trust Company, October 1995-July 2005.
Christopher Bell Age: 37	Treasurer	Indefinite, April 2007-Present	Chief Operating Officer, Fifth Third Asset Management, Inc. , 2005-Present, Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer, Investment Advisors Division, Fifth Third Bank 1998-2005.
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NAME AND AGE	POSITION(S) HELD WITH THE FUNDS	TERM OF OFFICE AND LENGTH OF TIME SERVED	PRINCIPAL OCCUPATION(S) DURING THE PAST 5 YEARS
Matthew A. Swendiman Age: 34	Secretary	Indefinite, April 2007-Present	Assistant Vice President and Counsel of Fifth Third Bank, March 2006 to Present. Attorney, Kirkpatrick & Lockhart Nicholson Graham, LLP, May 2005-March 2006. Counsel, The Phoenix Companies, Inc., July 2002-April 2005.
Christopher Roetzer(1) Age: 44	Assistant Treasurer	Indefinite, June 2007-Present	Vice President, State Street Bank and Trust Company (a Massachusetts trust company) from 2004 to Present. Vice President, Assistant Treasurer and Principal Accounting Officer, IDEX Mutual Funds, AEGON/Transamerica Series Fund, Inc.; various AEGON USA affiliates, 1986-2003.
Tracy Kaufman(1) Age: 49	Assistant Treasurer	Indefinite, June 2007-Present	Officer, State Street Bank and Trust Company (a Massachusetts trust company) from 1986 to Present.
Francine S. Hayes(1) Age: 39	Assistant Secretary	Indefinite, June 2007-Present	Vice President and Counsel, State Street Bank and Trust Company (a Massachusetts trust company) from 2004 to Present; and Assistant Vice President and Counsel, State Street Bank and Trust Company, from 2001 to 2004.

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(1) The business address for Mr. Roetzer, Ms. Kaufman and Ms. Hayes is State Street Bank and Trust Company, One Lincoln Street, Boston, MA 02111.

For interested Officers, positions held with affiliated persons of the Trust are listed in the following table:

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NAME	POSITIONS HELD WITH AFFILIATED PERSONS OF THE FUNDS
E. Keith Wirtz	Fifth Third Asset Management, Inc., President
Matthew A. Ebersbach	Fifth Third Asset Management, Vice President
Richard B. Ille	Fifth Third Asset Management, Inc., Managing Director
Matthew A. Swendiman	Fifth Third Bank, Assistant Vice President
James A. Mautino	Fifth Third Asset Management, Inc., Vice President and Chief Compliance Officer
Christopher Bell	Fifth Third Bank, Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

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COMMITTEES OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES

AUDIT COMMITTEE. The purposes of the Audit Committee are to oversee the Trust's accounting and financial reporting policies and practices; to oversee the quality and objectivity of the Trust's financial statements and the independent audit thereof; to consider the selection of an independent registered public accounting firm for the Trust and the scope of the audit; and to act as a liaison between the Trust's independent auditors and the full Board of Trustees. Messrs. Hale, Durham, Jaymont, and Gruber serve on this Committee. For the fiscal year ended July 31, 2007, there were four meetings of the Audit Committee.

NOMINATIONS COMMITTEE. The purpose of the Nominations Committee is to recommend qualified candidates to the Board of Trustees in the event that a position is vacated or created. Messrs. Hale, Durham, Jaymont and Gruber serve on this committee. The Committee will consider nominees recommended by shareholders. Recommendations should be submitted to the Nominations Committee in

care of the Fifth Third Funds, 38 Fountain Square Plaza, Cincinnati, Ohio 45263. During the fiscal year ended July 31, 2007, the Nominations Committee did not meet.

COMPLIANCE COMMITTEE. The purpose of the Compliance Committee is to review, analyze and investigate compliance matters of the Trust identified by the Board to the Committee. The Committee's function is strictly one of oversight. Generally, the full Board, rather than this Committee, will exercise direct oversight with respect to the Trust's compliance matters. Messrs. Hale and Gruber serve on this committee. During the fiscal year ended July 31, 2007, the Compliance Committee met seven times.

SPECIAL PROXY VOTING COMMITTEE. The purpose of the Special Proxy Voting Committee is to consider and determine how to vote on behalf of the Trust with respect to specific votes referred by the Trust's investment adviser. Messrs. Hale, Durham, Jaymont, and Gruber serve on this Committee. During the fiscal year ended July 31, 2007, the Special Proxy Voting Committee met one time.

TRUSTEES' SECURITIES OWNERSHIP

For each Trustee, the following table discloses the dollar range of equity securities beneficially owned by the Trustee in the Fund and, on an aggregate basis, in any registered investment companies overseen by the Trustee within the Fund's family of investment companies as of December 31, 2006:

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NAME OF TRUSTEE	DOLLAR RANGE OF EQUITY SECURITIES IN THE FUNDS	AGGREGATE DOLLAR RANGE OF EQUITY SECURITIES IN ALL REGISTERED INVESTMENT COMPANIES OVERSEEN BY TRUSTEE IN FAMILY OF INVESTMENT COMPANIES
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Edward Burke Carey	Mid Cap Growth Fund: \$10,001-50,000 Quality Growth Fund: >\$100,000 Equity Index Fund: \$10,001-50,000 Balanced Fund: \$10,001-50,000 Small Cap Value Fund: \$1-10,000 Dividend Growth Fund: \$10,001-50,000 Prime Money Market Fund: >\$100,000 Government Money Market Fund: >\$100,000* Disciplined Large Cap Value Fund: \$1-10,000	>\$100,000
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J. Joseph Hale, Jr.	LifeModel Aggressive FundSM: \$1-10,000	\$1-10,000
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David J. Durham	Prime Money Market Fund: \$1-10,000 Mid Cap Growth Fund: \$10,001-50,000 Quality Growth Fund: \$10,001-50,000 All Cap Value Fund: \$10,001-50,000 Technology Fund: \$10,001-50,000** LifeModel Moderate FundSM: \$10,001-50,000 LifeModel Moderately Aggressive FundSM: \$10,001-50,000	>\$100,000
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John E. Jaymont	Small Cap Growth Fund: \$1-10,000 Quality Growth Fund: \$1-10,000 International Equity Fund: \$1-10,000 Dividend Growth Fund: \$1-10,000	\$1-10,000
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NAME OF TRUSTEE	DOLLAR RANGE OF EQUITY SECURITIES IN THE FUNDS	AGGREGATE DOLLAR RANGE OF EQUITY SECURITIES IN ALL REGISTERED INVESTMENT COMPANIES OVERSEEN BY TRUSTEE IN FAMILY OF INVESTMENT COMPANIES
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David J. Gruber	LifeModel Moderately Aggressive FundSM: \$10,001-50,000 Technology Fund: \$1-10,000** Ohio Municipal Bond Fund: \$1-10,000 Prime Money Market Fund: \$1-10,000 All Cap Value Fund: \$1-10,000 Dividend Growth Fund: \$1-10,000 International Equity Fund: \$1-10,000 Disciplined Large Cap Value Fund: \$1-10,000	\$10,001-50,000
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\* On November 19, 2007 the Government Money Market Fund was acquired by the Prime Money Market Fund.

\*\* On November 19, 2007 the Technology Fund was acquired by the Mid Cap Growth Fund.

As of December 31, 2006, none of the independent Trustees or their immediate family members owned beneficially the securities of an investment adviser or principal underwriter of the Trust, or a person (other than a registered investment company) directly or indirectly controlling, controlled by, or under common control with an investment adviser or principal underwriter of the Trust.

As of November 19, 2007, the Officers and Trustees owned less than 1% of any class of any Fund.

#### TRUSTEES COMPENSATION

Trustees, who are not interested persons of the Trust receive from the Trust, receive an annual retainer of \$32,500 for service on the Board. Each Independent Trustee receives a fee of \$7,500 for each regular quarterly Board meeting attended in person and \$3,750 for each special meeting held by

telephone. Each Independent Trustee also receives a fee of \$3,750 for attendance by telephone at any meeting of the Board other than a regular quarterly meeting. Trustees are reimbursed for any out-of-pocket expenses relating to attendance at such meetings. The Chairperson receives an annual retainer of \$37,500, in addition to any other fees received.

Each Audit Committee member receives an annual retainer of \$3,125 and a fee of \$1,000 for each Audit Committee meeting attended in person. The Chairperson of the Audit Committee receives an annual retainer of \$10,000, in addition to any other fees received.

Each Compliance Committee member receives an annual retainer of \$5,500. The Compliance Committee fees are paid only in years in which a Compliance Committee meeting takes place. The

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Chairperson of the Compliance Committee receives an additional retainer of \$2,000, in addition to any other fees received.

Each Nominations Committee member receives a fee of \$500 for each Nominations Committee meeting attended in person.

The following table summarizes the compensation, including committee fees, paid to the Trustees of the Trust for the fiscal year ended July 31, 2007.

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NAME OF PERSON, POSITION	AGGREGATE COMPENSATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JULY 31, 2007*	PENSION OR RETIREMENT BENEFITS ACCRUED AS PART OF FUND EXPENSES FISCAL YEAR ENDING JULY 31, 2007	ESTIMATE ANNUAL BENEFITS UPON RETIREMENT FISCAL YEAR ENDING JULY 31, 2007	TOTAL COMPENSATION FROM FUNDS AND FUND COMPLEX PAID TO TRUSTEES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JULY 31, 2007
Edward Burke Carey, Trustee	\$155,102.50	None	None	\$155,102.50
J. Joseph Hale, Jr., Trustee	\$115,906.49	None	None	\$115,906.49
David J. Durham, Trustee	\$101,122.68	None	None	\$101,122.68
John E. Jaymont, Trustee	\$112,415.72	None	None	\$112,415.72
David J. Gruber, Trustee	\$111,416.95	None	None	\$111,416.95

\*excludes reimbursement of travel and other out-of-pocket expenses.

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BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

The following table indicates the name, address, and percentage of ownership of each person who owns of record or is known by the Trust to own beneficially 5% or more of any Class of a Fund's outstanding shares as of November 19, 2007.

As of November 19, 2007, Fifth Third Bank held of record, as agent or trustee for its customers, more than 25% of the outstanding shares of all the Funds. As a result, Fifth Third Bank may be deemed to have control of one or more of these Funds and may be able to affect the outcome of matters presented for a vote of the shareholders of the Funds. Other shareholders of record with more than 25% of the outstanding shares of the Funds are believed to be held only as nominee. An asterisk (\*) below indicates a shareholder of record, not a beneficial owner.

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FUND/CLASS	PERCENT OF THE CLASS TOTAL ASSETS HELD BY THE SHAREHOLDER
BALANCED FUND - CLASS C	8.25%

NFS LLC FEBO  
 NFS FMTC IRA  
 FBO Janet A. Herbst  
 13126 Westbank Drive  
 Millersport, OH 43046-9716

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 BALANCED FUND - CLASS C 5.15%\*  
 Counsel Trust FBO  
 Theobald Management Inc. 401K Plan  
 1251 Waterfront Pl STE 525  
 Pittsburgh, PA 15222-4228  
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 PERCENT OF THE CLASS TOTAL  
 ASSETS HELD BY THE  
 SHAREHOLDER  
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 FUND/CLASS  
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BALANCED FUND - CLASS C 5.01%  
 NFS LLC FEBO  
 NFS FMTC IRA  
 FBO Joann R. Wilson  
 1994 Havenswood Place  
 Blacklick, OH 43004-8509  
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BALANCED FUND - INSTITUTIONAL 53.12%\*  
 Fifth Third Bank  
 Trust Operations  
 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2  
 Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001  
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BALANCED FUND - INSTITUTIONAL 11.64%\*  
 Fifth Third Bank  
 Trust Operations  
 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2  
 Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001  
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BALANCED FUND - INSTITUTIONAL 33.84%\*  
 Fifth Third Bank Trustee  
 FBO Various FASCORP Record Kept Plans  
 8515 E. Orchard Rd 2T2  
 Greenwood Village, CO 80111-5002  
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DISCIPLINED LARGE CAP FUND - CLASS A 10.34%\*  
 Fifth Third Bank Trustee  
 FBO Various FASCORP Record Kept Plans  
 8515 E. Orchard Rd 2T2  
 Greenwood Village, CO 80111-5002  
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DISCIPLINED LARGE CAP FUND - CLASS A 13.04%\*  
 NFS LLC FEBO  
 First Mercantile-Premier Trust FIFT  
 First Mercantile Trust CO TTEE  
 Attn Funds Mgmt  
 57 Germantown Ct  
 Cordova, TN 38018-7273  
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DISCIPLINED LARGE CAP FUND - CLASS C 22.60%\*  
 Merrill Lynch Pierce Fenner & Smith  
 For the Sole Benefit of its Customers  
 4800 Deer Lake Drive East  
 Jacksonville, FL 32246-6484  
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DISCIPLINED LARGE CAP FUND - CLASS C 11.95%  
 NFS LLC FEBO  
 Robert E. Gill  
 9500 Cunningham  
 Cincinnati, OH 45243-1620  
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DISCIPLINED LARGE CAP FUND - INSTITUTIONAL 44.07%\*  
 Fifth Third Bank  
 Trust Operations  
 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2  
 Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001  
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FUND/CLASS	PERCENT OF THE CLASS TOTAL ASSETS HELD BY THE SHAREHOLDER
DISCIPLINED LARGE CAP FUND - INSTITUTIONAL Fifth Third Bank Trustee FBO Various FASCORP Record Kept Plans 8515 E. Orchard Rd 2T2 Greenwood Village, CO 80111-5002	14.27%*
DISCIPLINED LARGE CAP FUND - INSTITUTIONAL Fifth Third Bank Trust Operations 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2 Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001	11.47%*
DISCIPLINED LARGE CAP FUND - INSTITUTIONAL Fifth Third LifeModel Moderate FundsM 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090BD Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001	6.45%*
DISCIPLINED LARGE CAP FUND - INSTITUTIONAL Fifth Third LifeModel Moderately Aggressive FundsM 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090BD Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001	5.90%*
DIVIDEND GROWTH FUND - CLASS B NFS LLC FEBO Gerald W. Miller Thomasine B. Miller 2165 Cablecar Ct Cincinnati, OH 45244-4101	20.14%
DIVIDEND GROWTH FUND - CLASS B NFS LLC FEBO Lynda A. King 451 Highway Avenue Covington, KY 41016-1688	7.10%
DIVIDEND GROWTH FUND - CLASS B NFS LLC FEBO NFS FMTC IRA FBO Judy A. Bobo PO Box 2428 Pensacola, FL 32513-2428	5.86%
DIVIDEND GROWTH FUND - CLASS B NFS LLC FEBO Robert B. Eslinger 473 N Ardmore Apt 2B Villa Park, IL 60181-1783	5.60%
DIVIDEND GROWTH FUND - CLASS B Pershing LLC PO Box 2052 Jersey City, NJ 07303-2052	5.21%*
DIVIDEND GROWTH FUND - CLASS B NFS LLC FEBO NFS FMTC IRA FBO Kimberly S. Lange 116 Renaissance Woods Ct Xenia, OH 45385-8705	5.07%

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FUND/CLASS	PERCENT OF THE CLASS TOTAL ASSETS HELD BY THE SHAREHOLDER
DIVIDEND GROWTH FUND - CLASS C NFS LLC FEBO Kenneth Wiedwald Lynda J. Wiedwald 371 Armour Rd Avon Lake, OH 44012-2564	13.13%
DIVIDEND GROWTH FUND - CLASS C NFS LLC FEBO	6.78%

Robert Joseph Blum III  
 Roberta Ann Blum  
 4795 Chapel Ridge Dr  
 Cincinnati, OH 45223-1274

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 DIVIDEND GROWTH FUND - CLASS C 6.56%  
 NFS LLC FEBO  
 NFS FMTC IRA  
 FBO Edward J. Troyan  
 409 Whittlesey Dr  
 Tallmadge, OH 44278-1678  
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DIVIDEND GROWTH FUND - CLASS C 5.77%  
 NFS LLC FEBO  
 NFS FMTC IRA  
 FBO Patricia Ann Landrum  
 8281 Manning Rd  
 Germantown, OH 45327-9389  
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DIVIDEND GROWTH FUND - CLASS C 5.20%  
 NFS LLC FEBO  
 NFS FMTC IRA  
 FBO Susan E. Orlich  
 3201 E 38 St  
 Des Moines, IA 50317-3921  
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DIVIDEND GROWTH FUND - INSTITUTIONAL 74.35%\*  
 Fifth Third Bank  
 Trust Operations  
 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2  
 Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001  
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DIVIDEND GROWTH FUND - INSTITUTIONAL 9.63%\*  
 Fifth Third Bank  
 Trust Operations  
 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2  
 Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001  
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EQUITY INDEX FUND - CLASS A 42.18%\*  
 NFS LLC FEBO  
 First Mercantile-Premier Trust FIFT  
 First Mercantile Trust CO TTEE  
 Attn Funds Mgmt  
 57 Germantown Ct  
 Cordova, TN 38018-7273  
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EQUITY INDEX FUND - CLASS A 21.56%\*  
 Fifth Third Bank Trustee  
 FBO Various FASCORP Record Kept Plans  
 8515 E. Orchard Rd 2T2  
 Greenwood Village, CO 80111-5002  
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FUND/CLASS	PERCENT OF THE CLASS TOTAL ASSETS HELD BY THE SHAREHOLDER
----- EQUITY INDEX FUND - CLASS C NFS LLC FEBO NFS FMTC IRA FBO Marc Manly 9200 Old Indian Hill Rd Cincinnati, OH 45243-3438 -----	10.97%
----- EQUITY INDEX FUND - CLASS C NFS LLC FEBO SEM Haven 5840 Beechnut Dr Cincinnati, OH 45230-5122 -----	7.66%
----- EQUITY INDEX FUND - CLASS C NFS LLC FEBO Margaret A. Kilburg TTEE Margaret A. Kilburg Revoc Trust 758 Exmoor Oaks Drive Highland Park, IL 60035-1806 -----	6.60%
----- EQUITY INDEX FUND - CLASS C	5.95%*

Counsel Trust Co  
 FBO Prestige Audio Visual 401K Plan  
 The Times Building  
 1251 Waterfront Pl STE 525  
 Pittsburgh, PA 15222-4228

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 EQUITY INDEX FUND - INSTITUTIONAL 77.40%\*  
 Fifth Third Bank Trustee  
 FBO Various FASCORP Record Kept Plans  
 8515 E. Orchard Rd 2T2  
 Greenwood Village, CO 80111-5002  
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EQUITY INDEX FUND - INSTITUTIONAL 10.06%\*  
 Fifth Third Bank  
 Trust Operations  
 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2  
 Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001  
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EQUITY INDEX FUND - INSTITUTIONAL 9.71%\*  
 Fifth Third Bank  
 Trust Operations  
 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2  
 Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001  
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EQUITY INDEX FUND - PREFERRED 56.14%\*  
 Fifth Third Bank Trustee  
 FBO Various FASCORP Record Kept Plans  
 8515 E. Orchard Rd 2T2  
 Greenwood Village, CO 80111-5002  
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EQUITY INDEX FUND - PREFERRED 38.91%\*  
 Fifth Third Bank  
 Trust Operations  
 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2  
 Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001  
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FUND/CLASS	PERCENT OF THE CLASS TOTAL ASSETS HELD BY THE SHAREHOLDER
EQUITY INDEX FUND - SELECT Fifth Third Bank Trustee FBO Various FASCORP Record Kept Plans 8515 E. Orchard Rd 2T2 Greenwood Village, CO 80111-5002 -----	60.43%*
EQUITY INDEX FUND - SELECT Fifth Third Bank Trust Operations 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2 Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001 -----	24.08%*
EQUITY INDEX FUND - SELECT Fifth Third Bank Trust Operations 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2 Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001 -----	15.49%*
EQUITY INDEX FUND - TRUST Fifth Third Bank Trust Operations 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2 Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001 -----	76.60%*
EQUITY INDEX FUND - TRUST Fifth Third Bank Trust Operations 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2 Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001 -----	19.13%*
HIGH YIELD BOND FUND - CLASS A Fifth Third Funds Attn Scott Snowden 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090R8 Cincinnati, OH 45202-3191 -----	5.66%
HIGH YIELD BOND FUND - CLASS A -----	5.61%



NFS LLC FEBO  
 George M. David  
 757 Compton Road  
 Cincinnati, OH 45231-5056

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 HIGH YIELD BOND FUND - CLASS A 5.87%  
 NFS LLC FEBO  
 NFS FMTC IRA  
 FBO Nancy A. Boden  
 2918 Branch Lick Road  
 California, KY 41007-9274  
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 HIGH YIELD BOND FUND - CLASS A 23.06%  
 NFS LLC FEBO  
 Mr. Paul B. Williams  
 Paul B. Williams  
 802 South 16th St  
 Chesterton, IN 46304-2820  
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FUND/CLASS	PERCENT OF THE CLASS TOTAL ASSETS HELD BY THE SHAREHOLDER
----- HIGH YIELD BOND FUND - CLASS A NFS LLC FEBO NFS FMTC Rollover IRA FBO John A. McElligott 10490 Rangeline Rd Berrien Springs, MI 49103-9203 -----	7.09%
----- HIGH YIELD BOND FUND - CLASS A NFS LLC FEBO NFS FMTC IRA FBO Janice K. Macbrair 8437 Gamma Court Cincinnati, OH 45231-6019 -----	25.05%
----- HIGH YIELD BOND FUND - CLASS A NFS LLC FEBO NFS FMTC SEP IRA FBO Sandra L. Widders 7249 Rosegate Pl Dublin, OH 43017-2142 -----	6.41%
----- HIGH YIELD BOND FUND - CLASS A NFS LLC FEBO NFS FTMC Rollover IRA FBO Donna L. Schmidt 49w523 Hinckley Rd Big Rock, IL 60511-9320 -----	6.33%
----- HIGH YIELD BOND FUND - CLASS A NFS LLC FEBO Orma G. Vanderkooi TTEE Orma G. Vanderkooi Family LIV TR 500 Michigan Ave Holland, MI 49423-4740 -----	55.39%
----- HIGH YIELD BOND FUND - CLASS B Fifth Third Funds Attn Scott Snowden 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090R8 Cincinnati, OH 45202-3191 -----	8.90%*
----- HIGH YIELD BOND FUND - CLASS B NFS LLC FEBO NFS FMTC IRA FBO Barbara A. Beyer 7214 Bellowind Court Reynoldsburg, OH 43068-6020 -----	27.35%
----- HIGH YIELD BOND FUND - CLASS B NFS LLC FEBO NFS FMTC IRA FBO Chester Kosakowski 6535 Highland Drive -----	21.33%

FUND/CLASS	PERCENT OF THE CLASS TOTAL ASSETS HELD BY THE SHAREHOLDER
HIGH YIELD BOND FUND - CLASS B NFS LLC FEBO NFS FTMC IRA FBO Dandridge S. Tomalin 6235 Chagrin River Rd Chagrin Falls, OH 44022-3337	28.21%
HIGH YIELD BOND FUND - CLASS C Fifth Third Funds Attn Scott Snowden 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090R8 Cincinnati, OH 45202-3191	7.47%*
HIGH YIELD BOND FUND - CLASS C Merrill Lynch Pierce Fenner & Smith For the Sole Benefit of its Customers 4800 Deer Lake Drive East Jacksonville, FL 32246-6484	8.24%*
HIGH YIELD BOND FUND - CLASS C NFS LLC FEBO John S. Gregor John S. Gregor 4809 N Ozanam Ave Norridge, IL 60706-3201	12.38%
HIGH YIELD BOND FUND - CLASS C NFS LLC FEBO NFS FMTC SEP IRA FBO Kirk R. Hunter 9 Jamestown Dr Michigan City, IN 46360-1979	11.61%
HIGH YIELD BOND FUND - INSTITUTIONAL Fifth Third Bank Trust Operations 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2 Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001	5.81%*
HIGH YIELD BOND FUND - INSTITUTIONAL Fifth Third Bank Trust Operations 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2 Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001	38.65%*
HIGH YIELD BOND FUND - INSTITUTIONAL Fifth Third LifeModel Moderately Aggressive FundSM 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090BD Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001	15.46%*
HIGH YIELD BOND FUND - INSTITUTIONAL Fifth Third LifeModel Moderately Conservative FundSM 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090BD Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001	5.85%*
HIGH YIELD BOND FUND - INSTITUTIONAL Fifth Third LifeModel Moderate FundSM 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090BD Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001	29.62%*

FUND/CLASS	PERCENT OF THE CLASS TOTAL ASSETS HELD BY THE SHAREHOLDER
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INSTITUTIONAL GOVERNMENT MONEY MARKET FUND - INSTITUTIONAL Fifth Third Bank Trust Operations 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2 Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001	72.08%*
INSTITUTIONAL GOVERNMENT MONEY MARKET FUND - INSTITUTIONAL National Financial Services LLC For the exclusive benefit of our Customers Attn Mutual Funds Dept 5th Floor 200 Liberty St 1 World Financial Ct New York, NY 10281	19.13%*
INSTITUTIONAL GOVERNMENT MONEY MARKET FUND - INSTITUTIONAL Mellon Financial Markets LLC FBO United Health Corp One Mellon Center Suite 0475 Pittsburgh, PA 15258-0001	6.63%*
INSTITUTIONAL GOVERNMENT MONEY MARKET FUND - PREFERRED Fifth Third Bank Trust Operations 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2 Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001	5.44%*
INSTITUTIONAL GOVERNMENT MONEY MARKET FUND - PREFERRED National Financial Services LLC For the exclusive benefit of our Customers Attn Mutual Funds Dept 5th Floor 200 Liberty St 1 World Financial Ct New York, NY 10281	68.03%*
INSTITUTIONAL GOVERNMENT MONEY MARKET FUND - PREFERRED Bank of New York Hare & Co Attn STIF/Master Note 111 Sanders Creek Pkwy East Syracuse, NY 13057-1381	26.54%*
INSTITUTIONAL GOVERNMENT MONEY MARKET FUND - SELECT Fifth Third Bank Trust Operations 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2 Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001	32.95%*

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FUND/CLASS	PERCENT OF THE CLASS TOTAL ASSETS HELD BY THE SHAREHOLDER
INSTITUTIONAL GOVERNMENT MONEY MARKET FUND - SELECT National Financial Services LLC For the exclusive benefit of our Customers Attn Mutual Funds Dept 5th Floor 200 Liberty St 1 World Financial Ct New York, NY 10281	67.05%*
INSTITUTIONAL GOVERNMENT MONEY MARKET FUND - TRUST Fifth Third Bank Trust Operations 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2 Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001	88.23%*
INSTITUTIONAL GOVERNMENT MONEY MARKET FUND - TRUST National Financial Services LLC For the exclusive benefit of our Customers Attn Mutual Funds Dept 5th Floor 200 Liberty St 1 World Financial Ct New York, NY 10281	11.77%*
INSTITUTIONAL MONEY MARKET FUND - INSTITUTIONAL	42.67%*

Fifth Third Bank  
 Trust Operations  
 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2  
 Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001

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 INSTITUTIONAL MONEY MARKET FUND - INSTITUTIONAL 7.35%\*  
 Sprint Corporation  
 2003 Edmund Halley Drive  
 Attn Seth Milans  
 Reston, VA 20191-3436  
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INSTITUTIONAL MONEY MARKET FUND - INSTITUTIONAL 30.27%\*  
 National Financial Services LLC  
 For the exclusive benefit of our Customers  
 Attn Mutual Funds Dept 5th Floor  
 200 Liberty St  
 1 World Financial Ct  
 New York, NY 10281  
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INSTITUTIONAL MONEY MARKET FUND - PREFERRED 23.52%\*  
 Fifth Third Bank  
 Trust Operations  
 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2  
 Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001  
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INSTITUTIONAL MONEY MARKET FUND - SELECT 26.43%\*  
 Fifth Third Bank  
 Trust Operations  
 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2  
 Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001  
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 PERCENT OF THE CLASS TOTAL  
 ASSETS HELD BY THE  
 SHAREHOLDER  
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FUND/CLASS  
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 INSTITUTIONAL MONEY MARKET FUND - SELECT 73.57%\*  
 National Financial Services LLC  
 For the exclusive benefit of our Customers  
 Attn Mutual Funds Dept 5th Floor  
 200 Liberty St  
 1 World Financial Ct  
 New York, NY 10281  
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INSTITUTIONAL MONEY MARKET FUND - SELECT 76.48%\*  
 National Financial Services LLC  
 For the exclusive benefit of our Customers  
 Attn Mutual Funds Dept 5th Floor  
 200 Liberty St  
 1 World Financial Ct  
 New York, NY 10281  
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INSTITUTIONAL MONEY MARKET FUND - SELECT 13.52%\*  
 National Financial Services LLC  
 For the exclusive benefit of our Customers  
 Attn Mutual Funds Dept 5th Floor  
 200 Liberty St  
 1 World Financial Ct  
 New York, NY 10281  
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INSTITUTIONAL MONEY MARKET FUND - TRUST 86.48%\*  
 Fifth Third Bank  
 Trust Operations  
 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2  
 Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001  
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INTERMEDIATE MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS A 8.01%  
 Edward W. Bottum Sr.  
 TRST Edward and Gladys Bottum Trust  
 9357 Spencer Rd  
 Brighton, MI 48114-7550  
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INTERMEDIATE MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS A 12.73%  
 NFS LLC FEBO  
 L Duanne O'Neal  
 Helen T. O'Neal  
 1225 Country Club Road  
 Martinsville, IN 46151-7510  
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INTERMEDIATE MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS A NFS LLC FEBO Betty J. Krey 1350 Florence Path The Villages, FL 32162-7738	13.44%
INTERMEDIATE MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS A NFS LLC FEBO Macatawa Bank DBA Zeel Co PO Box 3119 Holland, MI 49422-3119	8.32%

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FUND/CLASS	PERCENT OF THE CLASS TOTAL ASSETS HELD BY THE SHAREHOLDER
INTERMEDIATE MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS B NFS LLC FEBO Robert C. Hartung TTEE Robert C. Hartung Living REVOC TR 9205 Parkwood Ct Fort Myers, FL 33908-2829	8.92%
INTERMEDIATE MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS B NFS LLC FEBO John Herbst TOD Janet Mae Herbst 1321 Yellowwood Drive Columbus, OH 43229-4414	8.96%
INTERMEDIATE MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS B NFS LLC FEBO Gladys M. Harrison TOD Sharon Kay Sherry TOD James Michael Harrison 303 Driftwood Dr Greenville, OH 45331-2883	16.04%
INTERMEDIATE MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS B NFS LLC FEBO Jerry V. Friedley 1915 Gladstone Drive Ft Wayne, IN 46816-3733	40.29%
INTERMEDIATE MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS C NFS LLC FEBO Patricia A. Parks Patricia A. Parks 9720 Brandt Oak Lawn, IL 60453-3027	19.99%
INTERMEDIATE MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS C NFS LLC FEBO Margaret E. OShaughnessy 5383 Steinmeier Dr N Indianapolis, IN 46220-3969	34.73%
INTERMEDIATE MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS C NFS LLC FEBO Ann Greis TTEE Greis Family TR TR 2948 Tabor Oaks Ln Lexington, KY 40502-2898	10.62%
INTERMEDIATE MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS C NFS LLC FEBO Aurora C. Raneses TTEE Aurora C. Raneses REVOC TR 8445 Old Plank Rd Grand Blanc, MI 48439-2011	10.44%

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FUND/CLASS	PERCENT OF THE CLASS TOTAL ASSETS HELD BY THE SHAREHOLDER
INTERMEDIATE MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS C NFS LLC FEBO Robert D. Hemeyer Carol Ann Hemeyer 4878 Emerald Ln Brunswick, OH 44212-1172	5.31%
INTERMEDIATE MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS C NFS LLC FEBO Judith M. Lanning David F. Lanning 127 Reo Dr Chillicothe, OH 45601-9467	11.63%
INTERMEDIATE MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - INSTITUTIONAL Fifth Third Bank Trust Operations 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2 Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001	98.22%*
INTERNATIONAL EQUITY FUND - CLASS A NFS LLC FEBO First Mercantile - Premier TR FIFT First Mercantile Trust CO TTEE Attn Funds Mgmt 57 Germantown Ct Cordova, TN 38018-7273	41.60%*
INTERNATIONAL EQUITY FUND - INSTITUTIONAL Fifth Third Bank Trust Operations 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2 Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001	12.96%*
INTERNATIONAL EQUITY FUND - INSTITUTIONAL Fifth Third Bank Trust Operations 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2 Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001	39.42%*
INTERNATIONAL EQUITY FUND - INSTITUTIONAL Fifth Third LifeModel Aggressive FundSM 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090BD Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001	7.23%*
INTERNATIONAL EQUITY FUND - INSTITUTIONAL Fifth Third LifeModel Moderate FundSM 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090BD Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001	10.42%*
INTERNATIONAL EQUITY FUND - INSTITUTIONAL Fifth Third Bank Trustee FBO Various FASCORP Record Kept Plans 8515 E. Orchard Rd 2T2 Greenwood Village, CO 80111-5002	16.89%*
INTERNATIONAL EQUITY FUND - INSTITUTIONAL Fifth Third LifeModel Moderately Aggressive FundSM 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090BD Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001	9.59%*

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FUND/CLASS	PERCENT OF THE CLASS TOTAL ASSETS HELD BY THE SHAREHOLDER
LIFEMODEL AGGRESSIVE FUNDMSM - CLASS A Fifth Third Bank Trustee FBO Various FASCORP Record Kept Plans 8515 E. Orchard Rd 2T2 Greenwood Village, CO 80111-5002	6.32%*
LIFEMODEL AGGRESSIVE FUNDMSM - CLASS A	37.15%*

NFS LLC FEBO Premier Trust  
 FMT 5th 3rd Life M First Mercantile Trust TTEE 57  
 Germantown Ct  
 Cordova, TN 38018-7273

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 LIFEMODEL AGGRESSIVE FUNDSM - CLASS C 7.68%  
 NFS LLC FEBO  
 NFS FMTC IRA  
 FBO Sarah D. Taylor  
 819 Birney Land  
 Cincinnati, OH 45230-3716  
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LIFEMODEL AGGRESSIVE FUNDSM - INSTITUTIONAL 8.49%\*  
 Fifth Third Bank  
 Trust Operations  
 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2  
 Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001  
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LIFEMODEL AGGRESSIVE FUNDSM - INSTITUTIONAL 84.30%\*  
 Fifth Third Bank Trustee  
 FBO Various FASCORP Record Kept Plans  
 8515 E. Orchard Rd 2T2  
 Greenwood Village, CO 80111-5002  
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LIFEMODEL CONSERVATIVE FUNDSM - CLASS C 5.03%\*  
 Merrill Lynch Pierce Fenner & Smith  
 For the sole benefit of its customers  
 4800 Dear Lake Drive East  
 Jacksonville, FL 32246-6484  
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LIFEMODEL CONSERVATIVE FUNDSM - CLASS C 6.48%  
 NFS LLC FEBO  
 Ehsan Ul Haq MD  
 Naseem S. Haq MD MD  
 9765 Buckhorn Drive  
 Frisco, TX 75034-1320  
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LIFEMODEL CONSERVATIVE FUNDSM - CLASS C 9.68%  
 NFS LLC FEBO  
 Henry Lumber Co Inc. Pft Sharing Pl Tr  
 Attn Jack S. Henry President  
 395 Quarry Street  
 Marion, OH 43302-3101  
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FUND/CLASS	PERCENT OF THE CLASS TOTAL ASSETS HELD BY THE SHAREHOLDER
LIFEMODEL CONSERVATIVE FUNDSM - CLASS A NFS LLC FEBO Premier Trust FMT 5th 3rd Life M First Mercantile Trust TTEE 57 Germantown Ct Cordova, TN 38018-7273	49.88%*
LIFEMODEL CONSERVATIVE FUNDSM - INSTITUTIONAL Fifth Third Bank Trustee FBO Various FASCORP Record Kept Plans 8515 E. Orchard Rd 2T2 Greenwood Village, CO 80111-5002	91.71%*
LIFEMODEL MODERATE CONSERVATIVE FUNDSM - INSTITUTIONAL Fifth Third Bank Trust Operations 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2 Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001	9.53%*
LIFEMODEL MODERATE CONSERVATIVE FUNDSM - INSTITUTIONAL Fifth Third Bank Trust Operations 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2 Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001	6.88%*

LIFEMODEL MODERATE CONSERVATIVE FUNDSM - 31.46%\*

CLASS A  
NFS LLC FEBO Premier Trust  
FMT 5th 3rd Life M First Mercantile Trust TTEE 57  
Germantown Ct  
Cordova, TN 38018-7273

LIFEMODEL MODERATE CONSERVATIVE FUNDSM - 5.79%

CLASS C  
NFS LLC FEBO  
Louis A. Volpe  
Catherine A. Volpe  
101 McColloch Drive  
Wheeling, WV 26003-8007

LIFEMODEL MODERATE CONSERVATIVE FUNDSM - CLASS A 6.19%\*

Fifth Third Bank Trustee  
FBO Various FASCORP Record Kept Plans  
8515 E. Orchard Rd 2T2  
Greenwood Village, CO 80111-5002

LIFEMODEL MODERATE CONSERVATIVE FUNDSM - INSTITUTIONAL 70.10%\*

Fifth Third Bank Trustee  
FBO Various FASCORP Record Kept Plans  
8515 E. Orchard Rd 2T2  
Greenwood Village, CO 80111-5002

PERCENT OF THE CLASS TOTAL  
ASSETS HELD BY THE  
SHAREHOLDER

FUND/CLASS

LIFEMODEL MODERATE CONSERVATIVE FUNDSM - INSTITUTIONAL 13.40%\*

NFS LLC FEBO  
Premier Trust  
First Mercantile Trust CO  
Spectrum Clearing Account  
57 Germantown Ct  
Cordova, TN 38018-42743

LIFEMODEL MODERATE CONSERVATIVE FUNDSM - INSTITUTIONAL 13.40%\*

NFS LLC FEBO  
Premier Trust  
First Mercantile Trust CO  
Spectrum Clearing Account  
57 Germantown Ct  
Cordova, TN 38018-42743

LIFEMODEL MODERATE FUNDSM - 30.88%\*

CLASS A  
NFS LLC FEBO Premier Trust  
FMT 5th 3rd Life M First Mercantile Trust TTEE 57  
Germantown Ct  
Cordova, TN 38018-7273

LIFEMODEL MODERATE FUNDSM - CLASS A 6.24%\*

Fifth Third Bank Trustee  
FBO Various FASCORP Record Kept Plans  
8515 E. Orchard Rd 2T2  
Greenwood Village, CO 80111-5002

LIFEMODEL MODERATE FUNDSM - INSTITUTIONAL 94.81%\*

Fifth Third Bank Trustee  
FBO Various FASCORP Record Kept Plans  
8515 E. Orchard Rd 2T2  
Greenwood Village, CO 80111-5002

LIFEMODEL MODERATELY AGGRESSIVE FUNDSM - 22.65%\*

CLASS A  
NFS LLC FEBO Premier Trust  
FMT 5th 3rd Life M First Mercantile Trust TTEE 57  
Germantown Ct  
Cordova, TN 38018-7273

LIFEMODEL MODERATELY AGGRESSIVE FUNDSM - 6.30%

CLASS C  
NFS LLC FEBO  
Richard P. Stopper



FUND/CLASS	PERCENT OF THE CLASS TOTAL ASSETS HELD BY THE SHAREHOLDER
LIFEMODEL MODERATELY AGGRESSIVE FUNDSM - INSTITUTIONAL Fifth Third Bank Trust Operations 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2 Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001	7.02%*
LIFEMODEL MODERATELY AGGRESSIVE FUNDSM - INSTITUTIONAL Fifth Third Bank Trustee FBO Various FASCORP Record Kept Plans 8515 E. Orchard Rd 2T2 Greenwood Village, CO 80111-5002	5.91%*
LIFEMODEL MODERATELY AGGRESSIVE FUNDSM - INSTITUTIONAL Fifth Third Bank Trustee FBO Various FASCORP Record Kept Plans 8515 E. Orchard Rd 2T2 Greenwood Village, CO 80111-5002	79.68%*
LIFEMODEL MODERATELY AGGRESSIVE FUNDSM - INSTITUTIONAL NFS LLC FEBO Premier Trust First Mercantile Trust CO Spectrum Clearing Account 57 Germantown Ct Cordova, TN 38018-42743	7.22%*
MICHIGAN MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS A NFS LLC FEBO Betty Jean Thomas 3608 Cook Valley Blvd SE Grand Rapids, MI 49546-8324	21.04%
MICHIGAN MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS A NFS LLC FEBO Richard E. Thomas 2350 Forrest Rd Winter Park, FL 32789-6029	21.04%
MICHIGAN MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS A NFS LLC FEBO The Northern Trust Company PO Box 92956 Chicago, IL 60675-0001	14.54%*
MICHIGAN MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS A NFS LLC FEBO Judith Ann Lacks 901 San Lucia SE Grand Rapids, MI 49546-3454	5.02%
MICHIGAN MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS A NFS LLC FEBO The Northern Trust Company PO Box 92956 Chicago, IL 60675-0001	4.84%*

FUND/CLASS	PERCENT OF THE CLASS TOTAL ASSETS HELD BY THE SHAREHOLDER
MICHIGAN MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS B	19.98%

NFS LLC FEBO  
 Sophia Bradley TTEE  
 William E. Bradley TR  
 4700 S Ski View Circle  
 Cedar, MI 49621-8871

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 MICHIGAN MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS B 11.09%  
 NFS LLC FEBO  
 Silvo Dalzot  
 Donna Dalzot  
 17905 Poplar St  
 Riverview, MI 48193-7647  
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MICHIGAN MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS B 10.10%  
 NFS LLC FEBO  
 Rose D. Ploe  
 Claire E. Huetter  
 21290 Dunham Street  
 Clinton Township, MI 48036-1000  
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MICHIGAN MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS B 9.05%  
 NFS LLC FEBO  
 Nancy D. Wright  
 7377 Day Forrest Rd  
 Empire, MI 49630-9457  
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MICHIGAN MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS B 6.90%  
 NFS LLC FEBO  
 John S. Morgan  
 1565 W Norton Ave  
 Muskegon, MI 49441-4322  
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MICHIGAN MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS B 5.84%  
 Raymond James & Assoc Inc.  
 FBO Lee Mildred  
 880 Carillon Pkwy  
 St. Petersburg, FL 33716-1100  
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MICHIGAN MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS C 35.76%  
 NFS LLC FEBO  
 Doris Balmer  
 100 E Dansville Rd  
 Dansville, MI 48819-9712  
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MICHIGAN MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS C 13.64%  
 NFS LLC FEBO  
 Hazel Rose  
 1436 W Holt Rd  
 Mason, MI 48854-9467  
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MICHIGAN MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS C 10.67%  
 NFS LLC FEBO  
 Janet Alice Fricano TTEE  
 Janet Alice Fricano TR  
 8960 100th St SE  
 Alto, MI 49302-9220  
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FUND/CLASS	PERCENT OF THE CLASS TOTAL ASSETS HELD BY THE SHAREHOLDER
----- MICHIGAN MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS C NFS LLC FEBO Marjorie C. Clemetsen TTEE Marjorie C. Clemetsen TR 557 Collingwood Dr East Lansing, MI 48823-3213 -----	8.44%
----- MICHIGAN MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS C NFS LLC FEBO Monica M. Smith TOD Kent C. Smith 811 East Exchange St Owosso, MI 48867-3213 -----	7.59%
----- MICHIGAN MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS C NFS LLC FEBO	7.41%

Russell Dentico  
 18380 Parke Lane  
 Grosse Ile, MI 48138-1036

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 MICHIGAN MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS C 7.19%  
 NFS LLC FEBO  
 Robert J. Dykstra  
 Phyllis J. Dykstra  
 14786 James St  
 Holland, MI 49424-6302  
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MICHIGAN MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS C 7.13%  
 NFS LLC FEBO  
 Barbara E. Soet  
 James R. Soet  
 360 Taos Ave NE  
 Ada, MI 49301-8322  
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MICHIGAN MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - INSTITUTIONAL 98.00%\*  
 Fifth Third Bank  
 Trust Operations  
 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2  
 Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001  
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MICHIGAN MUNICIPAL MONEY MARKET FUND - CLASS A 98.31%\*  
 National Financial Services LLC  
 For the exclusive benefit of our Customers  
 Attn Mutual Funds Dept 5th Floor  
 200 Liberty St  
 1 World Financial Ct  
 New York, NY 10281  
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MICHIGAN MUNICIPAL MONEY MARKET FUND - INSTITUTIONAL 74.28%\*  
 Fifth Third Bank  
 Trust Operations  
 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2  
 Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001  
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FUND/CLASS	PERCENT OF THE CLASS TOTAL ASSETS HELD BY THE SHAREHOLDER
----- MICHIGAN MUNICIPAL MONEY MARKET FUND - INSTITUTIONAL National Financial Services LLC For the exclusive benefit of our Customers Attn Mutual Funds Dept 5th Floor 200 Liberty St 1 World Financial Ct New York, NY 10281 -----	25.72%*
----- MICRO CAP VALUE FUND - CLASS A NFS LLC FEBO First Mercantile Trust Attn Funds Mgmt 57 Germantown Ct Cordova, TN 38018-7273 -----	15.39%*
----- MICRO CAP VALUE FUND - CLASS A Pershing LLC PO Box 2052 Jersey City, NJ 07303-2052 -----	8.56%*
----- MICRO CAP VALUE FUND - CLASS A Merrill Lynch Pierce Fenner & Smith For the Sole Benefit of its Customers 4800 Deer Lake Drive East Jacksonville, FL 32246-6484 -----	5.98%*
----- MICRO CAP VALUE FUND - INSTITUTIONAL Fifth Third Bank Trust Operations 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2 Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001 -----	24.96%*
----- MICRO CAP VALUE FUND - INSTITUTIONAL Fifth Third Bank Trustee FBO Various FASCORP Record Kept Plans -----	24.76%*

8515 E. Orchard Rd 2T2  
Greenwood Village, CO 80111-5002

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MICRO CAP VALUE FUND - INSTITUTIONAL 15.56%\*  
Fifth Third Bank  
Trust Operations  
38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2  
Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001  
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MICRO CAP VALUE FUND - INSTITUTIONAL 8.91%\*  
Saxon and Co  
PO Box 7780-1888  
Philadelphia, PA 19182-0001  
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MICRO CAP VALUE FUND - INSTITUTIONAL 5.69%\*  
NFS LLC FEBO  
Huntington Bank  
7 Easton Oval  
Columbus, OH 43219-6010  
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FUND/CLASS PERCENT OF THE CLASS TOTAL  
ASSETS HELD BY THE  
SHAREHOLDER  
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MID CAP GROWTH FUND - CLASS A 26.55%\*  
NFS LLC FEBO  
First Mercantile Trust CO  
Premier Trust  
Attn Funds Mgmt  
57 Germantown Ct  
Cordova, TN 38018-7273  
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MID CAP GROWTH FUND - CLASS C 9.12%\*  
Counsel Trust FBO  
Theobald Management Inc. 401K Plan  
1251 Waterfront Pl Ste 525  
Pittsburgh, PA 15222-4228  
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MID CAP GROWTH FUND - INSTITUTIONAL 35.48%\*  
Fifth Third Bank  
Trust Operations  
38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2  
Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001  
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MID CAP GROWTH FUND - INSTITUTIONAL 25.33%\*  
Fifth Third Bank Trustee  
FBO Various FASCORP Record Kept Plans  
8515 E. Orchard Rd 2T2  
Greenwood Village, CO 80111-5002  
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MID CAP GROWTH FUND - INSTITUTIONAL 13.79%\*  
Fifth Third Bank  
Trust Operations  
38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2  
Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001  
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MID CAP GROWTH FUND - INSTITUTIONAL 8.36%\*  
Fifth Third LifeModel Moderate FundSM  
38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090BD  
Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001  
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MID CAP GROWTH FUND - INSTITUTIONAL 7.93%\*  
Fifth Third LifeModel Moderately Aggressive FundSM  
38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090BD  
Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001  
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MID CAP GROWTH FUND - INSTITUTIONAL 5.98%\*  
Fifth Third LifeModel Aggressive FundSM  
38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090BD  
Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001  
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MULTI CAP VALUE FUND - CLASS A 15.24%\*  
Merrill Lynch Pierce Fenner & Smith  
For the Sole Benefit of its Customers  
4800 Deer Lake Drive East  
Jacksonville, FL 32246-6484  
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MULTI CAP VALUE FUND - CLASS A 5.96%\*

NFS LLC FEBO  
First Mercantile-Premier Trust FIFT  
First Mercantile Trust CO TTEE  
Attn Funds Mgmt  
57 Germantown Ct  
Cordova, TN 38018-7273

FUND/CLASS	PERCENT OF THE CLASS TOTAL ASSETS HELD BY THE SHAREHOLDER
MULTI CAP VALUE FUND - CLASS C Merrill Lynch Pierce Fenner & Smith For the Sole Benefit of its Customers 4800 Deer Lake Drive East Jacksonville, FL 32246-6484	49.17%*
MULTI CAP VALUE FUND - INSTITUTIONAL Fifth Third Bank Trust Operations 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2 Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001	49.74%*
MULTI CAP VALUE FUND - INSTITUTIONAL Fifth Third Bank Trust Operations 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2 Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001	11.23%*
MULTI CAP VALUE FUND - INSTITUTIONAL Fifth Third LifeModel Moderate FundSM 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090BD Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001	9.47%*
MULTI CAP VALUE FUND - INSTITUTIONAL Fifth Third LifeModel Moderately Aggressive FundSM 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090BD Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001	8.47%*
MULTI CAP VALUE FUND - INSTITUTIONAL Fifth Third LifeModel Aggressive FundSM 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090BD Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001	6.60%*
MULTI CAP VALUE FUND - INSTITUTIONAL Fifth Third Bank Trustee FBO Various FASCORP Record Kept Plans 8515 E. Orchard Rd 2T2 Greenwood Village, CO 80111-5002	5.88%*
MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS A Edward W. Bottum Sr. Trst Edward and Gladys Bottum Trust 9357 Spencer Rd Brighton, MI 48114-7550	8.48%
MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS A NFS LLC FEBO Lesia Distasi TTEE Anthony Distasi Revoc Tr 1838 Rusticwoods Ln Cincinnati, OH 45255-2473	19.56%
MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS A NFS LLC FEBO Martin R. Fasel Revoc Tr Martin R. Fasel TTEE 7742 W Golf Dr Unit 1A Palos Heights, IL 60463-3065	5.67%

FUND/CLASS	PERCENT OF THE CLASS TOTAL ASSETS HELD BY THE SHAREHOLDER
MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS A NFS LLC FEBO William G. Steenken TTEE Shelly L. Steenken TR 3040 Herman Rd Hamilton, OH 45013-9533	12.63%
MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS A NFS LLC FEBO William G. Steenken TTEE William G. Steenken Jr. TR 3040 Herman Rd Hamilton, OH 45013-9533	11.38%
MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS B Charles Schwab & Co. Inc. Special Custody A/C FBO Customers Attn Mutual Funds 101 Montgomery Street San Francisco, CA 94104-4151	8.59%*
MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS B NFS LLC FEBO Harold G. White 1560 County Road 4 Bremen, AL 35033-5025	7.37%
MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS B NFS LLC FEBO David E. Lawson Doris Lawson TTEE The David Doris Lawson Rev Tr 14611 Minnich Rd Hoagland, IN 46745-9706	8.02%
MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS B NFS LLC FEBO Kathleen Keck GDN Robert C. Keck 5046 Race Rd Cincinnati, OH 45211-1718	11.48%
MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS B NFS LLC FEBO David A. White Rebecca Adkins-White 1560 County Road 4 Bremen, AL 35033-5025	11.94%
MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS B NFS LLC FEBO Virgil R. Guebard Bernadine M. Guebard 3646 Spruce Dr. Fort Wayne, IN 46809-2044	6.70%

FUND/CLASS	PERCENT OF THE CLASS TOTAL ASSETS HELD BY THE SHAREHOLDER
MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS B NFS LLC FEBO Jerry V. Friedley 1915 Gladstone Drive Ft. Wayne, IN 46816-3733	9.80%
MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS C NFS LLC FEBO Edward Heerema Jr. Ruth A. Heerema	31.63%

1395 104th St SW  
Bryon Center, MI 49315-9208

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MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS C 12.78%

NFS LLC FEBO  
Stephen Zeinnet GDN  
Angela Lynn Zeinner  
PO Box 110  
Hooven, OH 45033-0110  
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MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS C 52.88%

NFS LLC FEBO  
James Kotis  
TOD Georgia Kotis  
7415 W Oakton  
Niles, IL 60714-2923  
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MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - INSTITUTIONAL 79.76%\*

Fifth Third Bank  
Trust Operations  
38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2  
Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001  
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MUNICIPAL MONEY MARKET FUND - CLASS A 96.68%\*

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200 Liberty St  
1 World Financial Ct  
New York, NY 10281  
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MUNICIPAL MONEY MARKET FUND - INSTITUTIONAL 95.50%\*

Fifth Third Bank  
Trust Operations  
38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2  
Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001  
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MUNICIPAL MONEY MARKET FUND - PREFERRED 100.00%\*

Fifth Third Bank  
Trust Operations  
38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2  
Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001  
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MUNICIPAL MONEY MARKET FUND - SELECT 99.02%\*

Fifth Third Bank  
Trust Operations  
38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2  
Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001  
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PERCENT OF THE CLASS TOTAL  
ASSETS HELD BY THE  
SHAREHOLDER  
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FUND/CLASS

MUNICIPAL MONEY MARKET FUND - TRUST 90.20%\*

Fifth Third Bank  
Trust Operations  
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MUNICIPAL MONEY MARKET FUND - TRUST 9.80%\*

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Attn Mutual Funds Dept 5th Floor  
200 Liberty St  
1 World Financial Ct  
New York, NY 10281  
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OHIO MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS A 25.80%\*

NFS LLC FEBO  
Louise H. Ingalls Trust  
Mary G. Hobson  
36 E Fourth Street Suite 1100  
Cincinnati, OH 45202-3895  
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OHIO MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS A 20.94%

NFS LLC FEBO  
Louise H. Ingalls Trust

John T. Lawrence Jr.  
 36 E Fourth Street Suite 1100  
 Cincinnati, OH 45202-3895

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 OHIO MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS B 13.09%  
 NFS LLC FEBO  
 Ruth M. Hurlburt  
 TOD Xavier U Cincinnati Ohio  
 5856 Glenway Ave  
 Cincinnati, OH 45238-2007  
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OHIO MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS B 9.43%  
 NFS LLC FEBO  
 Letitia G. Giambrone  
 TOD Albert R Giambrone  
 TOD Barbara Blackstone  
 586 Woodview Dr  
 Dayton, OH 45419-3926  
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OHIO MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS B 6.86%  
 NFS LLC FEBO  
 Vera B. Metzger  
 TOD Diane Cantrell  
 3304 Evergreen Ridge Dr  
 Cincinnati, OH 45215-5721  
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OHIO MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS B 5.62%  
 NFS LLC FEBO  
 Blanche E. Parker  
 TOD Johnalee Tay  
 1812 Culver Ave  
 Kettering, OH 45420-2102  
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FUND/CLASS	PERCENT OF THE CLASS TOTAL ASSETS HELD BY THE SHAREHOLDER
OHIO MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS C NFS LLC FEBO Margaret J. Bunting 133 Golfview Drive Tiffin, OH 44883-9288	16.71%
OHIO MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS C NFS LLC FEBO Charles R. Newsome Betty J. Newsome TTEE The Newsome Family LTD PART 48300 N. Ridge Rd Amherst, OH 44001-9642	14.91%
OHIO MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS C NFS LLC FEBO Gina M. Szymkowiak 6877 Co Rd 2 Swanton, OH 43558-9536	7.85%
OHIO MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS C NFS LLC FEBO Barbara M. Miller 2525 Handasyde Ct Cincinnati, OH 45208-2719	7.51%
OHIO MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS C NFS LLC FEBO K. David Tritsch 800 Harrison Drive Columbus, OH 43204-3500	6.95%
OHIO MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - CLASS C NFS LLC FEBO ATS Machine Tool Co Inc. Attn Robert E. Dutko 7750 Division Drive Mentor, OH 44060-4860	5.71%
OHIO MUNICIPAL BOND FUND - INSTITUTIONAL	98.75%*



Fifth Third Bank  
 Trust Operations  
 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2  
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 PRIME MONEY MARKET FUND - CLASS A 97.24%\*  
 National Financial Services LLC  
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 Attn Mutual Funds Dept 5th Floor  
 200 Liberty St  
 1 World Financial Ct  
 New York, NY 10281  
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PRIME MONEY MARKET FUND - CLASS B 11.11%  
 NFS LLC FEBO  
 NFS FMTC IRA  
 FBO Sondra K. Risner  
 15471 Bent Tree Dr  
 Findlay, OH 45840-8685  
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FUND/CLASS	PERCENT OF THE CLASS TOTAL ASSETS HELD BY THE SHAREHOLDER
PRIME MONEY MARKET FUND - CLASS B NFS LLC FEBO NFS FMTC IRA FBO Vernon Perdue 146 N Main St Greenville, KY 42345-1557	5.01%
PRIME MONEY MARKET FUND - CLASS B NFS LLC FEBO NFS FMTC IRA FBO Donald W. Striker 1276 Clifty Falls Ct Valparaiso, IN 46385-6120	7.66%
PRIME MONEY MARKET FUND - CLASS B NFS LLC FEBO Michael A. Messer 1914 Passolt Saginaw, MI 48602-3255	7.05%
PRIME MONEY MARKET FUND - CLASS B NFS LLC FEBO NFS FMTC IRA FBO Robert Bell PO Box 750 Urbana, OH 43078-0750	8.17%
PRIME MONEY MARKET FUND - CLASS B NFS LLC FEBO NFS FMTC IRA FBO John Cambell 2236 Brookpark Dr Dayton, OH 45440-2615	5.61%
PRIME MONEY MARKET FUND - CLASS B NFS LLC FEBO NFS FMTC IRA FBO Ruth M. Kopko 5645 Birch Hollow Sylvania, OH 43560-4222	5.38%
PRIME MONEY MARKET FUND - CLASS C NFS LLC FEBO NFS FMTC IRA FBO Diana C. Ritterholz 2041 Laurel Lindale Rd New Richmond, OH 45157-9572	13.16%
PRIME MONEY MARKET FUND - CLASS C Counsel Trust FBO Geeaa of Evendale 401K Profit Sharing Plan Trust 1251 Waterfront Pl STE 525 Pittsburgh, PA 15222-4228	5.96%*

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 PRIME MONEY MARKET FUND - CLASS C 7.21%\*  
 Counsel Trust FBO  
 Power Associates Inc. 401K Retirements Savings Plan  
 1251 Waterfront Pl STE 525  
 Pittsburgh, PA 15222-4228  
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FUND/CLASS	PERCENT OF THE CLASS TOTAL ASSETS HELD BY THE SHAREHOLDER
PRIME MONEY MARKET FUND - CLASS C Counsel Trust FBO Blue Ash Auto Body Inc. 401K Plan 1251 Waterfront Pl STE 525 Pittsburgh, PA 15222-4228	5.29%*
PRIME MONEY MARKET FUND - INSTITUTIONAL Fifth Third Bank Trust Operations 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2 Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001	85.50%*
PRIME MONEY MARKET FUND - INSTITUTIONAL National Financial Services LLC For the exclusive benefit of our Customers Attn Mutual Funds Dept 5th Floor 200 Liberty St 1 World Financial Ct New York, NY 10281	5.81%*
PRIME MONEY MARKET FUND - INSTITUTIONAL Fifth Third Bank Trustee FBO Various FASCORP Record Kept Plans 8515 E. Orchard Rd 2T2 Greenwood Village, CO 80111-5002	7.84%*
QUALITY GROWTH FUND - CLASS A NFS LLC FEBO First Mercantile Premier Trust Attn Funds Management 57 Germantown Ct Cordova, TN 38018-7273	9.40%*
QUALITY GROWTH FUND - INSTITUTIONAL Fifth Third Bank Trust Operations 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2 Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001	32.22%*
QUALITY GROWTH FUND - INSTITUTIONAL Fifth Third Bank Trustee FBO Various FASCORP Record Kept Plans 8515 E. Orchard Rd 2t2 Greenwood Village, CO 80111-5002	22.21%*
QUALITY GROWTH FUND - INSTITUTIONAL Fifth Third LifeModel Moderate FundSM 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090BD Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001	10.99%*
QUALITY GROWTH FUND - INSTITUTIONAL Fifth Third LifeModel Moderately Aggressive FundSM 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090BD Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001	9.86%*

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FUND/CLASS	PERCENT OF THE CLASS TOTAL ASSETS HELD BY THE SHAREHOLDER
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QUALITY GROWTH FUND - INSTITUTIONAL Fifth Third Bank Trust Operations 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2 Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001	9.63%*
QUALITY GROWTH FUND - INSTITUTIONAL Fifth Third LifeModel Aggressive FundSM 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090BD Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001	7.90%*
SHORT TERM BOND FUND - CLASS A NFS LLC FEBO First Mercantile Premier Trust Attn Funds Management 57 Germantown Ct Cordova, TN 38018-7273	21.43%*
SHORT TERM BOND FUND - CLASS A NFS LLC FEBO RMC Mechanical CO LLC Attn William N. Neiheiser President 4975 Hamilton Ave. Cleveland, OH 44114-3906	7.07%*
SHORT TERM BOND FUND - CLASS A NFS LLC FEBO Michael Masters PO Box 502 Maumee, OH 45337-0502	6.28%
SHORT TERM BOND FUND - CLASS C Merrill Lynch Pierce Fenner & Smith For the Sole Benefit of its Customers 4800 Deer Lake Drive East Jacksonville, FL 32246-6484	40.51%*
SHORT TERM BOND FUND - CLASS C NFS LLC FEBO NFS FMTC IRA FBO Lynn P. Masterson 2334 Beaver Creek Westlake, OH 44145-4300`	13.58%
SHORT TERM BOND FUND - CLASS C NFS LLC FEBO Robin K. Turley Rodney Turley 5929 J Dance Rd Corydon, KY 42406-9542	7.46%
SHORT TERM BOND FUND - CLASS C NFS LLC FEBO NFS FMTC Rollover IRA FBO Stephen B. Takoeh 438 Meadowview Drive Sagamore Hills, OH 44067-4300	6.96%

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FUND/CLASS	PERCENT OF THE CLASS TOTAL ASSETS HELD BY THE SHAREHOLDER
SHORT TERM BOND FUND - CLASS C NFS LLC FEBO Audrey J. Taylor 29 Westminster Lane Kent, OH 44240-7293	5.49%
SHORT TERM BOND FUND - CLASS C NFS LLC FEBO W. Jeanne Conaghan 5422 Talltree Way West Chester OH 45069-1610	5.41%

SHORT TERM BOND FUND - CLASS C 5.03%

NFS LLC FEBO  
Judith M. Dugan  
Roy A. Dugan  
9520 SE 171st - Argyll St  
The Villages, FL 32162-1837

SHORT TERM BOND FUND - INSTITUTIONAL 42.69%\*

Fifth Third Bank  
Trust Operations  
38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2  
Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001

SHORT TERM BOND FUND - INSTITUTIONAL 5.55%\*

Fifth Third Bank  
Trust Operations  
38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2  
Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001

SHORT TERM BOND FUND - INSTITUTIONAL 23.59%\*

Fifth Third LifeModel Moderate FundSM  
38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090BD  
Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001

SHORT TERM BOND FUND - INSTITUTIONAL 8.79%\*

Fifth Third LifeModel Moderately Aggressive FundSM  
38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090BD  
Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001

SHORT TERM BOND FUND - INSTITUTIONAL 5.70%\*

Fifth Third LifeModel Moderately Conservative FundSM  
38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090BD  
Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001

SMALL CAP GROWTH FUND - CLASS A 30.67%\*

NFS LLC FEBO  
First Mercantile  
Premier Trust  
Attn Funds Management  
57 Germantown Ct  
Cordova, TN 38018-7273

PERCENT OF THE CLASS TOTAL  
ASSETS HELD BY THE  
SHAREHOLDER

FUND/CLASS

SMALL CAP GROWTH FUND - CLASS B 19.27%

NFS LLC FEBO  
NFS/FMTC IRA  
FBO Donald Strejeck  
6668 Cosimo Ln  
Pickerington, OH 43147-7709

SMALL CAP GROWTH FUND - CLASS B 15.18%\*

E Trade Clearing LLC  
IRA Custodian  
PO Box 1542  
Merrifield, VA 22116-1542

SMALL CAP GROWTH FUND - CLASS B 9.87%

NFS LLC FEBO  
NFS/FMTC IRA  
FBO Tammy S. Vandermeulen  
2370 Randall Ave NW  
Grand Rapids, MI 49534-7559

SMALL CAP GROWTH FUND - CLASS B 6.07%

NFS LLC FEBO  
NFS/FMTC IRA  
FBO Joseph J. Sum  
111628 Swinford Lane  
Mokena, IL 60448

SMALL CAP VALUE FUND - CLASS A 9.60%\*

NFS LLC FEBO  
First Mercantile Trust  
First Mercantile Trust CO TTEE

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SMALL CAP VALUE FUND - CLASS C 24.11%  
NFS LLC FEBO  
The Daniel R. Unk Revocable Trust  
Daniel R. Unk TTEE  
287 Marian Lake Blvd  
Cuyahoga Falls, OH 44223-1123  
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SMALL CAP VALUE FUND - INSTITUTIONAL 28.18%\*  
Fifth Third Bank  
Trust Operations  
38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2  
Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001  
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SMALL CAP VALUE FUND - INSTITUTIONAL 24.09%\*  
Fifth Third Bank Trustee  
FBO Various FASCORP Record Kept Plans  
8515 E. Orchard Rd 2T2  
Greenwood Village, CO 80111-5002  
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SMALL CAP VALUE FUND - INSTITUTIONAL 19.13%\*  
Fifth Third Bank  
Trust Operations  
38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2  
Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001  
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FUND/CLASS	PERCENT OF THE CLASS TOTAL ASSETS HELD BY THE SHAREHOLDER
SMALL CAP VALUE FUND - INSTITUTIONAL Fifth Third LifeModel Moderate FundSM 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090BD Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001	9.95%*
SMALL CAP VALUE FUND - INSTITUTIONAL Fifth Third LifeModel Moderately Aggressive FundSM 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090BD Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001	8.99%*
SMALL CAP VALUE FUND - INSTITUTIONAL Fifth Third LifeModel Aggressive FundSM 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090BD Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001	6.78%*
STRATEGIC INCOME FUND - CLASS A Grupo Ferro Ranjer BPPR-Trust Division PO Box 362708 San Juan, Puerto Rico 00936-2708	10.62%*
STRATEGIC INCOME FUND - CLASS A NFS LLC FEBO Richard G. Truhlar Peggy A. Truhlar 40 W 121 Oak Ridge Road St. Charles, IL 60175-8437	5.60%
STRATEGIC INCOME FUND - CLASS B NFS LLC FEBO Hazel A. Lambert TTEE Hazel A. Lambert Trust 358 Delano Avenue Chillicothe, OH 45601-1529	5.74%
STRATEGIC INCOME FUND - INSTITUTIONAL Fifth Third Bank Trust Operations 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2 Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001	82.62%*
STRATEGIC INCOME FUND - INSTITUTIONAL Fifth Third Bank Trust Operations 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2	14.56%*

Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001

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STRUCTURED LARGE CAP PLUS FUND - CLASS A 13.03%\*  
NFS LLC FEBO  
First Mercantile Trust CO  
Premier Trust  
Attn Funds Mgmt  
57 Germantown Ct  
Cordova, TN 38018-7273  
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PERCENT OF THE CLASS TOTAL  
ASSETS HELD BY THE  
SHAREHOLDER  
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FUND/CLASS  
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STRUCTURED LARGE CAP PLUS FUND - CLASS B 5.16%  
NFS LLC FEBO  
NFS FMTC Rollover IRA  
FBO Margaret A. Moye  
3648 Sailer Road  
Mount Vernon, IN 47620-7131  
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STRUCTURED LARGE CAP PLUS FUND - CLASS C 72.26%\*  
Merrill Lynch Pierce Fenner & Smith  
For the Sole Benefit of its Customers  
4800 Deer Lake Drive East  
Jacksonville, FL 32246-6484  
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STRUCTURED LARGE CAP PLUS FUND - CLASS C 8.54%  
NFS LLC FEBO  
NFS FMTC IRA  
FBO Virginia Kay Peters  
1787 Arcadia Ave  
Obetz, OH 43207-4409  
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STRUCTURED LARGE CAP PLUS FUND - CLASS C 5.25%  
NFS LLC FEBO  
Guardian Inc  
John Shabunia  
18 West Michigan Avenue  
Battle Creek, MI 49017-3600  
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STRUCTURED LARGE CAP PLUS FUND - INSTITUTIONAL 25.23%\*  
Fifth Third LifeModel Moderate FundSM  
38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090BD  
Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001  
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STRUCTURED LARGE CAP PLUS FUND - INSTITUTIONAL 23.93%\*  
Fifth Third LifeModel Moderately Aggressive FundSM  
38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090BD  
Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001  
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STRUCTURED LARGE CAP PLUS FUND - INSTITUTIONAL 21.41%\*  
Fifth Third Bank  
Trust Operations  
38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2  
Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001  
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STRUCTURED LARGE CAP PLUS FUND - INSTITUTIONAL 17.57%\*  
Fifth Third LifeModel Aggressive FundSM  
38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090BD  
Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001  
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TOTAL RETURN BOND FUND - CLASS A 21.09%\*  
NFS LLC FEBO  
First Mercantile - Premier TR FIFT  
Premier Trust  
Attn Funds Mgmt  
57 Germantown Ct  
Cordova, TN 38018-7273  
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FUND/CLASS	PERCENT OF THE CLASS TOTAL ASSETS HELD BY THE SHAREHOLDER
TOTAL RETURN BOND FUND - CLASS C TrustLynx & Co Company L49 PO Box Denver, CO 80217-3736	7.79%*
TOTAL RETURN BOND FUND - CLASS C NFS LLC FEBO Gutherie B. Raines 401 10th Street Apr 906 Huntington, WV 25701-2228	28.93%
TOTAL RETURN BOND FUND - INSTITUTIONAL Fifth Third Bank Trust Operations 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2 Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001	43.38%*
TOTAL RETURN BOND FUND - INSTITUTIONAL Fifth Third Bank Trust Operations 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2 Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001	8.05%*
TOTAL RETURN BOND FUND - INSTITUTIONAL Fifth Third LifeModel Moderately Aggressive FundSM 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090BD Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001	8.37%*
TOTAL RETURN BOND FUND - INSTITUTIONAL Fifth Third LifeModel Moderately Conservative FundSM 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090BD Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001	5.39%*
TOTAL RETURN BOND FUND - INSTITUTIONAL Fifth Third LifeModel Moderate FundSM 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090BD Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001	22.82%*
TOTAL RETURN BOND FUND - INSTITUTIONAL Fifth Third Bank Trustee FBO Various FASCORP Record Kept Plans 8515 E. Orchard Rd 2T2 Greenwood Village, CO 80111-5002	6.15%*
U.S. TREASURY MONEY MARKET FUND - INSTITUTIONAL Fifth Third Bank Trust Operations 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2 Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001	78.98%*

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FUND/CLASS	PERCENT OF THE CLASS TOTAL ASSETS HELD BY THE SHAREHOLDER
U.S. TREASURY MONEY MARKET FUND - INSTITUTIONAL National Financial Services LLC For the exclusive benefit of our Customers Attn Mutual Funds Dept 5th Floor 200 Liberty St 1 World Financial Ct New York, NY 10281	11.12%*
U.S. TREASURY MONEY MARKET FUND - PREFERRED Fifth Third Bank Trust Operations 38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2 Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001	14.07%*
U.S. TREASURY MONEY MARKET FUND - PREFERRED National Financial Services LLC For the exclusive benefit of our Customers Attn Mutual Funds Dept 5th Floor	6.67%*

200 Liberty St  
1 World Financial Ct  
New York, NY 10281

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U.S. TREASURY MONEY MARKET FUND - PREFERRED	78.81%*
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Bank of New York  
Hare & Co  
Attn STIF/Master Note  
111 Sanders Creek Pkwy  
East Syracuse, NY 13057-1381

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U.S. TREASURY MONEY MARKET FUND - SELECT	100.00%*
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Fifth Third Bank  
Trust Operations  
38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2  
Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001

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U.S. TREASURY MONEY MARKET FUND - TRUST	99.78%*
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Fifth Third Bank  
Trust Operations  
38 Fountain Square Plaza MD 1090F2  
Cincinnati, OH 45263-0001

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#### TRUSTEE LIABILITY

The Trust's Declaration of Trust provides that the Trustees will not be liable for errors of judgment or mistakes of fact or law. However, the Trustees are not protected against any liability to which they would otherwise be subject by reason of willful misfeasance, bad faith, gross negligence, or reckless disregard of the duties involved in the conduct of their office.

#### ODES OF ETHICS

Each of the Trust, Fifth Third Asset Management, Inc., Fort Washington Investment Advisors, Inc. and ALPS Distributors, Inc. has adopted a code of ethics pursuant to Rule 17j-1 under the 1940 Act. Each code permits personnel subject to the code to invest in securities that may be purchased or held by the Funds.

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#### VOTING PROXIES ON FUND PORTFOLIO SECURITIES

The Board has delegated to the Advisor authority to vote proxies on the securities held in a Fund's portfolio. The Board has also approved the Advisor's policies and procedures for voting the proxies, which are described below.

##### Proxy Voting Procedures

The Advisor has engaged Institutional Shareholders Service (ISS) to administer the proxy voting policy. The Advisor's Investment Committee reviews and adopts annually the proxy voting recommendations contained in the ISS Proxy Voting Guidelines Summary. The Chief Investment Officer of the Advisor must approve any deviations from these guidelines.

With respect to any proxy vote made on behalf of the Trust that involves a material conflict of interest for the Advisor, the Advisor will refer such proxy vote to the Special Proxy Voting Committee. The Special Proxy Voting Committee is composed exclusively of the independent Trustees of the Board of Trustees of the Funds and will conduct its activities according to the Special Proxy Voting Committee Charter.

##### Proxy Voting Policies

On matters of corporate governance, generally ISS will vote for proposals to: require independent tabulation of proxies and/or confidential voting by shareholders; reorganize in another jurisdiction when the economic factors outweigh any neutral or negative governance changes; and, with respect to shareholder proposals, ask a company to submit its poison pill for shareholder ratification.

On matters of capital structure, generally ISS will vote: against proposals to authorize or issue shares that are senior in priority or voting rights to the securities being voted; for proposals to reduce the par value of common stock, and for proposals to implement a reverse stock split when the number of authorized shares will be proportionately reduced.



On matters relating to management compensation, generally ISS will vote: for stock incentive plans that provide a dollar-for-dollar cash for stock exchange; and against proposals that would permit retirement plans for nonemployee directors.

On matters relating to corporate transactions, ISS will vote proxies relating to proposed mergers, capital reorganizations, and similar transactions in accordance with the general policy, based upon its analysis of the proposed transaction. ISS will vote proxies in contested elections of directors in accordance with the general policy, based upon its analysis of the opposing slates and their respective proposed business strategies. Some transactions may also involve proposed changes to the company's corporate governance, capital structure or management compensation. ISS will vote on such changes based on its evaluation of the proposed transaction or contested election. In these circumstances, the Advisor may vote in a manner contrary to the general practice for similar proposals made outside the context of such a proposed transaction or change in the board. For example, if ISS decides to vote against a proposed transaction, it may vote for anti-takeover measures reasonably designed to prevent the transaction, even though ISS typically votes against such measures in other contexts.

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#### Information Regarding Proxy Votes

You may obtain information without charge about how a Fund voted proxies related to its portfolio securities during the 12 month period ended June 30, without charge, by visiting the Securities and Exchange Commission's Web site at [www.sec.gov](http://www.sec.gov) or the Funds' website at [www.fifththirdfunds.com](http://www.fifththirdfunds.com).

#### DISCLOSURE OF PORTFOLIO HOLDINGS

The Board of Trustees has adopted on behalf of the Funds policies and procedures relating to disclosure of the Funds' portfolio securities. These policies and procedures (the "Procedures") are designed to protect the confidentiality of the Funds' portfolio holdings information and to prevent the selective disclosure of such information. The Procedures may be modified at any time by the Trust's Chief Compliance Officer ("CCO"), provided that any material changes be reported to the Board of Trustees, and to the extent necessary, will be amended to conform to rules and regulations adopted by the SEC. No provision of the Procedures is intended to restrict or prevent the disclosure of portfolio holdings information that may be required by applicable law or requested by governmental authorities.

The Funds make their respective portfolio holdings information available on the Funds' website at [www.fifththirdfunds.com](http://www.fifththirdfunds.com) in the section "Annual Reports and Other Information". The Funds' website contains the complete schedule of each Fund's portfolio holdings as of the most recent month's end. This information is posted on the Funds' website no sooner than 15 days after each month's end, and will remain available on the website until at least the date on which the Funds' file a Form N-CSR or Form N-Q for the period that includes the date as of which the information is current. The posted schedules include information for each portfolio security (not including cash positions) held by each of the Funds as of the relevant month's end. In addition, the Fund's portfolio holdings are disclosed to the public, on a quarterly basis, on forms required to be filed with the SEC. The Fund's Form N-CSRs (with respect to each annual period and semi-annual period) and Form N-Qs (with respect to the first and third quarters of each of the Funds' fiscal years) are available on the SEC's website at [www.sec.gov](http://www.sec.gov). If a Fund's portfolio holdings information is disclosed to the public (either through a filing on the SEC's EDGAR website or otherwise) before the disclosure of the information on the Funds' website, such Fund may post such information on the Funds' website. Except as provided in the Procedures, the Funds' portfolio holdings may not be disclosed to third parties prior to posting on the website.

The Funds may, in certain cases, disclose to third parties its portfolio holdings which have not been made publicly available. Disclosure of non-public portfolio holdings to third parties may only be made if the CCO determines that such disclosure is in the best interests of the Funds' shareholders. In addition, the third party receiving the non-public portfolio holdings will be required to agree in writing to keep the information confidential and/or agree not to trade directly or indirectly based on the information. The restrictions and obligations described in this paragraph do not apply to non-public portfolio holdings provided to entities who provide on-going services to the Funds in connection with their day-to-day operations and management, including the Fund adviser and its affiliates, sub-advisers, and the Funds' custodian, sub-administration and accounting services provider, independent accounting firm, fund counsel, and proxy voting service provider.

Except as otherwise permitted by the Procedures, non-public portfolio holdings may not be disseminated for compensation or other consideration. A list

of all persons who receive non-public portfolio holdings will be available upon request to the CCO.

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The frequency with which the non-public portfolio holdings will be disclosed, as well as the lag time associated with such disclosure, will vary depending on such factors as the circumstances of the disclosure and the reason therefore.

The Funds have ongoing arrangements to disclose portfolio holdings to the following Service Providers:

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<S> NAME OF VENDOR	<C> TYPE OF SERVICE	<C> FREQUENCY	<C> LAG TIME
DDM Marketing and Communications	Marketing and communications	Weekly and Quarterly	One day
Standard & Poor's	Ratings agency	Weekly	One day
Moody's Investors Service	Ratings agency	Weekly	One day
Fitch Ratings Ltd	Ratings agency	Weekly	One day
FactSet	Portfolio analytics	Daily	N/A
Interactive Data Bond Edge	Portfolio analytics	Daily	N/A
Investor Tools -SMART/Perform	Portfolio analytics	Daily	N/A
Yield Book	Portfolio analytics	Daily	N/A
Advent Axys	Portfolio accounting	Daily	N/A
Able Noser	Trade cost analysis	Monthly	Five days
SG Constellation	Distribution services	Weekly	One day
Fifth Third Bank	Administrative support	Daily	N/A

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Exceptions to the Procedures may only be made if approved in writing by the CCO as being in or not opposed to the best interests of the respective Fund, and if the recipients are subject to a confidentiality agreement, as described above. Any exceptions must be reported to the Board of Trustees at its next regularly scheduled meeting.

The Advisor and Subadviser shall have primary responsibility for ensuring that each of the Funds' portfolio holdings information is only disclosed in accordance with the Procedures. As part of this responsibility, the Advisor and Subadviser, as applicable, must maintain such internal informational barriers as it believes are reasonably necessary for preventing the unauthorized disclosure of non-public portfolio holdings. The CCO is responsible for reviewing, at least annually, the Advisor's and Subadviser's policies, procedures and/or processes and for reporting to the Board of Trustees whether, in the CCO's view, these policies, procedures and/or processes are reasonably designed to comply with the Procedures.

If the CCO determines that the Advisor's, and/or Subadviser's policies, procedures and/or processes are not reasonably designed to comply with the Procedures, the CCO shall notify the Advisor and/or Subadviser of such deficiency and request that the advisor and/or sub-advisors indicate how it intends to address the deficiency. If the deficiency is not addressed to the CCO's satisfaction within a reasonable time after such notification (as determined by the CCO), then the CCO shall promptly notify the Board of Trustees of the deficiency and shall discuss with the Board possible responses.

#### INVESTMENT ADVISORY AND OTHER SERVICE ARRANGEMENTS

##### INVESTMENT ADVISOR AND SUBADVISER

Fifth Third Asset Management, Inc. serves as investment advisor to all Funds and provides investment advisory services through its Trust and Investment Division. FTAM is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Fifth Third Bank. Fifth Third Bank is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Fifth Third Financial Corporation, which, in turn, is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Fifth Third Bancorp.

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Fort Washington serves as investment subadviser to the High Yield Bond Fund.

No advisor shall be liable to the Trust, a Fund, or any shareholder of any of the Funds for any losses that may be sustained in the purchase, holding, or sale of any security or for anything done or omitted by it, except acts or omissions involving willful misfeasance, bad faith, gross negligence, or reckless disregard of the duties imposed upon it by its contract with the Trust.

Because of the internal controls maintained by FTAM to restrict the flow of non-public information, a Fund's investments are typically made without any knowledge of FTAM's or any affiliate's lending relationship with an issuer.

#### ADVISORY FEES

For advisory services, the Advisor receives annual investment advisory fees as described in the Prospectuses. The following shows gross investment advisory fees for the Funds and the amounts of fees waived by the Advisor for the fiscal years ended July 31, 2007, July 31, 2006, and July 31, 2005 (amounts in thousands).

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<S>	<C>	<C>	<C>	<C>	<C>	<C>
FUND NAME	YEAR ENDED JULY 31, 2007	FEES WAIVED/ REIMBURSED -2007*	YEAR ENDED JULY 31, 2006	FEES WAIVED/ REIMBURSED -2006	YEAR ENDED JULY 31, 2005	FEES WAIVED/ REIMBURSED -2005
Small Cap Growth Fund	\$1,058	\$ 18	\$1,268	\$ --	\$1,679	\$ --
Mid Cap Growth Fund	3,019	19	3,179	--	3,271	--
Quality Growth Fund	5,730	129	6,697	--	7,980	--
Structured Large Cap Plus Fund	1,559	233	1,324	--	796	--
Equity Index Fund	1,295	1,521	1,243	828	1,398	932
Balanced Fund	574	270	868	217	1,299	263
Micro Cap Value Fund	1,029	174	1,429	--	2,265	--
Small Cap Value Fund	1,171	61	1,222	--	1,250	--
All Cap Value Fund	3,593	99	3,389	--	3,647	--
Disciplined Large Cap Value Fund	5,262	22	4,849	--	5,276	--
LifeModel Aggressive FundSM	292	787	233	187	182	145
LifeModel Moderately Aggressive FundSM	521	1,354	472	378	396	317
LifeModel Moderate FundSM	799	1,903	728	583	730	584
LifeModel Moderately Conservative FundSM	157	477	157	125	160	128
LifeModel Conservative FundSM	82	307	86	69	89	71
Strategic Income Fund	1,602	405	1,581	--	1,717	--
Dividend Growth Fund	208	244	160	31	123	--
International Equity Fund	4,980	33	4,284	--	3,812	--
High Yield Bond Fund	459	264	249	--	--	--
Total Return Bond Fund	1,658	420	1,709	208	1,757	--
Short Term Bond Fund	1,321	419	1,502	215	2,387	--
Municipal Bond Fund	234	219	261	51	318	--
Intermediate Municipal Bond Fund	873	291	1,035	282	1,284	286
Ohio Municipal Bond Fund	600	68	689	--	846	--
Michigan Municipal Bond Fund	234	154	302	--	438	--
Prime Money Market Fund	4,653	431	5,163	--	5,915	--
Institutional Money Market Fund	7,330	6,632	5,458	4,093	4,707	3,530
Institutional Government Money						

Market Fund	2,910	2,929	2,506	1,879	2,415	1,812
U.S. Treasury Money Market Fund	4,545	3,915	4,753	3,565	5,828	4,371
Michigan Municipal Money Market Fund	784	129	716	--	747	--

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Municipal Money Market Fund	1,461	1,566	1,104	809	933	466
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\*The amounts include fee waivers and expense reimbursements by the Advisor pursuant to expense limitations in effect during the fiscal year.

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The Advisor received no investment advisory fees on behalf of the Ohio Tax-Exempt Money Market Fund, as the Fund has not commenced operations. The investment advisory fees of the Ohio Tax Exempt Money Market Fund are 0.40% of the Fund's net assets.

SUBADVISER AND SUBADVISORY FEES

HIGH YIELD BOND FUND. Fort Washington is the subadviser to the High Yield Bond Fund under the terms of a Sub-advisory Agreement between FTAM and Fort Washington. For its sub-advisory services, Fort Washington receives an annual sub-advisory fee paid by the Advisor of 0.40% of net assets for the initial \$50 million in assets and 0.30% of net assets for assets in excess of \$50 million. For its initial fiscal year ended July 31, 2006 and the fiscal year ended July 31, 2007, the Advisor paid Fort Washington, as Subadviser to the High Yield Bond Fund, fees of \$137,975 and \$246,711, respectively.

ADMINISTRATOR AND SUB-ADMINISTRATOR

Prior to November 21, 2006, Fifth Third Bank was the Trust's administrator. Effective November 21, 2006, Fifth Third Asset Management, Inc. (the "Administrator") became the Funds' administrator which generally assists in all aspects of the Trust's administration and operations including providing the Funds with certain administrative personnel and services necessary to operate the Funds. The Funds pay the Administrator administration fees at the annual rates set forth below which are computed daily and paid monthly based on average daily net assets of the Trust; the fees are prorated among the Funds based upon their relative average daily net assets. For certain Funds, the Administrator has voluntarily agreed to waive a portion of its net asset-based administration fee. In addition, a \$10,000 annual per class per Fund applies beyond the first four classes per Fund, and each Fund is subject to annual \$20,000 minimum fee.

ADMINISTRATION FEE	TRUST AVERAGE DAILY NET ASSETS
0.20%	Up to \$1 billion
0.18%	In excess of \$1 billion up to \$2 billion
0.17%	In excess of \$2 billion

Prior to June 1, 2007, BISYS Fund Services Ohio, Inc. was the Trust's sub-administrator. Effective June 1, 2007, State Street Bank and Trust Company, State Street Financial Center, One Lincoln Street, Boston, MA 02111 became the Funds' sub-administrator (the "Sub-Administrator"). The Sub-Administrator performs sub-administration services on behalf of each Fund for which it receives compensation from the Administrator.

The following shows the administration fees for Fifth Third Bank and the Administrator incurred by the Funds, and the amounts of those fees that were waived by Fifth Third Bank and/or the Administrator for the fiscal years ended July 31, 2007, July 31, 2006 and July 31, 2005 (amounts in thousands).

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FUND NAME	YEAR ENDED JULY 31, 2007	FEES WAIVED-2007	YEAR ENDED JULY 31, 2006	FEES WAIVED-2006	YEAR ENDED JULY 31, 2005	FEES WAIVED-2005
Small Cap Growth Fund	\$ 262	\$ --	\$ 327	\$ --	\$ 430	\$ --

FUND NAME	YEAR ENDED JULY 31, 2007	FEEES WAIVED- 2007	YEAR ENDED JULY 31, 2006	FEEES WAIVED-2006	YEAR ENDED JULY 31, 2005	FEEES WAIVED-2005
Mid Cap Growth Fund	654	--	705	--	727	--
Quality Growth Fund	1,240	48	1,473	--	1,761	--
Structured Large Cap Plus Fund	386	--	341	--	200	--
Equity Index Fund	748	281	762	269	861	303
Balanced Fund	124	--	199	--	295	--
Micro Cap Value Fund	178	--	261	--	407	--
Small Cap Value Fund	225	--	247	--	250	--
All Cap Value Fund	622	235	603	--	649	--
Disciplined Large Cap Value Fund	1,139	262	1,070	--	1,157	--
LifeModel Aggressive FundSM	337	--	282	--	212	--
LifeModel Moderately Aggressive FundSM	602	--	561	--	463	--
LifeModel Moderate FundSM	923	--	860	--	853	--
LifeModel Moderately Conservative FundSM	181	--	193	--	188	--
LifeModel Conservative FundSM	94	--	110	--	104	--
Strategic Income Fund	277	52	285	--	313	--
Dividend Growth Fund	45	--	45	--	27	--
International Equity Fund	862	--	760	--	679	--
High Yield Bond Fund*	114	--	69	--	N/A	N/A
Total Return Bond Fund	478	111	508	114	524	117
Short Term Bond Fund	457	--	525	--	838	--
Municipal Bond Fund	74	--	92	--	112	--
Intermediate Municipal Bond Fund	275	42	339	--	410	11
Ohio Municipal Bond Fund	189	87	229	100	270	123
Michigan Municipal Bond Fund	90	--	127	--	171	--
Prime Money Market Fund	2,014	930	2,271	1,033	2,602	1,183
Institutional Money Market Fund	3,173	1,282	2,390	955	2,061	824
Institutional Government Money Market Fund	1,260	327	1,096	282	1,058	272
U.S. Treasury Money Market Fund	1,968	1,136	2,078	1,188	2,557	1,457
Michigan Municipal Money Market Fund	339	127	313	116	327	--
Municipal Money Market Fund	506	117	398	88	335	75
Ohio Tax-Exempt Money Market Fund^	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

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\* No fees were paid on behalf of High Yield Bond Fund for the fiscal years ended July 31, 2005, as the Fund had not yet commenced operations.

^ No fees were paid on behalf of the Ohio Tax-Exempt Money Market Fund, as it has not commenced operations.

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FUND ACCOUNTANT AND SUB-ACCOUNTANT

Prior to November 21, 2006, Fifth Third Bank served as fund accountant for the Funds. Effective November 21, 2006, Fifth Third Asset Management, Inc. serves as fund accountant for the Funds (the "Fund Accountant"). Prior to May 14, 2007, BISYS Fund Services Ohio, Inc. served as the sub-fund accountant for the Funds. Effective May 14, 2007, State Street Bank and Trust Company serves as the sub-fund accountant for the Funds (the "Sub-Accountant"). The Sub-Accountant maintains the Trust's fund accounting records. The Funds pay the Fund Accountant accounting fees at the annual rates set forth below which are computed daily and paid monthly based on average daily net assets of each Fund, subject to a \$30,000 per Fund annual minimum, plus out-of-pocket expenses. In addition, a \$10,000 annual flat per class per fee per Fund applies beyond the initial class of shares.

ACCOUNTING FEE	FUND AVERAGE DAILY NET ASSETS
0.020%	Up to \$500 million
0.015%	\$500 million to \$1 billion
0.010%	In excess of \$1 billion

The following shows fund accounting fees incurred by the Funds for the last three fiscal years (amounts in thousands).

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FUND NAME	YEAR ENDED JULY 31, 2007	YEAR ENDED JULY 31, 2006	YEAR ENDED JULY 31, 2005
Small Cap Growth Fund	\$ 70	\$ 80	\$ 95
Mid Cap Growth Fund	113	122	127
Quality Growth Fund	168	192	225
Structured Large Cap Plus Fund	83	86	66
Equity Index Fund	153	162	189
Balanced Fund	70	82	91
Micro Cap Value Fund	70	76	92
Small Cap Value Fund	70	72	60
All Cap Value Fund	109	112	119
Disciplined Large Cap Value Fund	159	159	162
LifeModel Aggressive FundSM	77	73	61
LifeModel Moderately Aggressive FundSM	107	105	85
LifeModel Moderate FundSM	141	140	131
LifeModel Moderately Conservative FundSM	69	70	61
LifeModel Conservative FundSM	70	70	61
Strategic Income Fund	72	75	92

Dividend Growth Fund	70	71	62
International Equity Fund	136	259	266
High Yield Bond Fund*	70	52	N/A
Total Return Bond Fund	94	119	121
Short Term Bond Fund	81	103	140
Municipal Bond Fund	70	77	82
Intermediate Municipal Bond Fund	71	99	104
Ohio Municipal Bond Fund	70	76	74
Michigan Municipal Bond Fund	70	79	78
Prime Money Market Fund	223	259	278
Institutional Money Market Fund	278	259	233
Institutional Government Money Market Fund	157	156	151
U.S. Treasury Money Market Fund	212	228	264

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FUND NAME	YEAR ENDED JULY 31, 2007	YEAR ENDED JULY 31, 2006	YEAR ENDED JULY 31, 2005
Michigan Municipal Money Market Fund	47	52	55
Municipal Money Market Fund	96	96	77
Ohio Tax-Exempt Money Market Fund^	N/A	N/A	N/A

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\* No fees were paid on behalf of High Yield Bond Fund for the fiscal years ended July 31, 2005 as the Fund had not commenced operations.

^ No fees were paid on behalf of the Ohio Tax-Exempt Money Market Fund as it has not commenced operations.

#### CUSTODIAN

Prior to June 1, 2007, Fifth Third Bank was the custodian for the Funds. Effective June 1, 2007, State Street Bank and Trust Company became the custodian for the Funds (the "Custodian"). The Custodian holds each Fund's portfolio securities and keeps all necessary records and documents relating to its duties. Fees for custody services are based upon the market value of Fund securities held in custody plus maintenance fees, transaction fees and out-of-pocket expenses. For the period August 1, 2006 through May 31, 2007, and the fiscal years ended July 31, 2006, and July 31, 2005, the custody fees and expenses paid for Fifth Third Bank incurred by the Funds were approximately \$1,060,981, \$1,173,211 and \$1,236,982, respectively.

#### TRANSFER AND DIVIDEND DISBURSING AGENT

Prior to May 15, 2007, BISYS Fund Services Ohio, Inc. was the Funds' transfer and dividend disbursing agent. Effective May 15, 2007, Boston Financial Data Services, Inc., 30 Dan Road, Canton, Massachusetts 02021, serves as the transfer and dividend disbursing agent for the Funds (the "Transfer Agent"). The fees paid to the Transfer Agent are based upon the size, type and number of accounts and transactions made by shareholders. The Funds also reimburse the Transfer Agent for various out-of-pocket expenses.

#### ADDITIONAL SERVICES - SERVICES AGENT

Prior to May 15, 2007, Fifth Third Asset Management, Inc. assisted BISYS Fund Services Ohio, Inc. with transfer agency-related services. Pursuant to a Services Agreement dated May 14, 2007, Fifth Third Asset Management, Inc. (the "Services Agent") provides certain other transfer-agent related services for the Funds for an annual fee of \$370,000, payable monthly. For the period May 14, 2007 through July 31, 2007, the Services Agent earned \$77,083 in service agent fees. For the period August 1, 2006 through May 13, 2007 and the fiscal year ended July 31, 2006, the Services Agent earned fees from BISYS Fund Services Ohio, Inc. in the amount of \$516,192 and \$594,531, respectively. Fifth Third Asset Management, Inc. received no fees from BISYS Fund Services Ohio, Inc. during the fiscal year ended July 31, 2005.

## LEGAL COUNSEL

Ropes & Gray LLP, One Metro Center, 700 12th Street, NW, Suite 900  
Washington, D.C. 20005 is counsel to the Funds.

## INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM

PricewaterhouseCoopers, LLP serves as the Funds' independent registered public accounting firm. PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP will audit and report on the Funds' annual financial statements, and may perform other professional accounting, auditing and advisory services when engaged to do so by the Funds.

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## PORTFOLIO MANAGER INFORMATION

The portfolio managers identified under "Fund Management - Portfolio Managers" in each Prospectus are responsible for the day-to-day management of the Funds. Each portfolio manager also has responsibility for the day-to-day management of accounts other than the Fund(s) for which he or she serves as portfolio manager. Information regarding these accounts is set below.

PORTFOLIO MANAGER	OTHER REGISTERED INVESTMENT COMPANIES	OTHER POOLED INVESTMENT VEHICLES	OTHER ACCOUNTS
Samrat Bhattacharya*	Number: 0 Assets: 0	Number: 1 Assets: \$292,658,635	Number: 3 Assets: \$39,351,647
Scott A. Billeadeau	Number: 0 Assets: 0	Number: 1 Assets: \$8,634,314	Number: 30 Assets: \$105,068,878
John L. Cassady III	Number: 0 Assets: 0	Number: 5 Assets: \$627,834,894	Number: 209 Assets: \$3,360,615,715
Mark Demos	Number: 0 Assets: 0	Number: 2 Assets: \$14,981,776	Number: 103 Assets: \$666,001,966
Amy Denn	Number: 0 Assets: 0	Number: 2 Assets: \$14,981,776	Number: 103 Assets: \$666,001,966
Jon Fisher	Number: 0 Assets: 0	Number: 2 Assets: \$14,981,776	Number: 103 Assets: \$666,001,966
Martin E. Hargrave	Number: 0 Assets: 0	Number: 1 Assets: \$8,634,314	Number: 30 Assets: \$105,068,878
John P. Hoeting	Number: 0 Assets: 0	Number: 5 Assets: \$606,846,259	Number: 30 Assets: \$1,579,504,178
Eric J. Holmes	Number: 0 Assets: 0	Number: 0 Assets: --	Number: 10 Assets: \$75,916,007
James R. Kirk**	Number: 0 Assets: 0	Number: 3 Assets: \$39,179,775	Number: 227 Assets: \$813,736,153
Peter M. Klein	Number: 0 Assets: 0	Number: 0 Assets: --	Number: 4,101 Assets: \$780,220,013
Mark Koenig	Number: 0 Assets: 0	Number: 1 Assets: \$292,658,635	Number: 3 Assets: \$39,351,647
Joseph W. Kremer	Number: 0 Assets: 0	Number: 0 Assets: --	Number: 10 Assets: \$75,916,007
J. Jeffrey Krumpelman	Number: 0 Assets: 0	Number: 0 Assets: --	Number: 75 Assets: \$1,259,995,449
Peter Kwiatkowski	Number: 0 Assets: 0	Number: 0 Assets: --	Number: 75 Assets: \$1,259,995,449
David R. Luebke	Number: 0 Assets: 0	Number: 1 Assets: \$8,634,314	Number: 30 Assets: \$105,068,878



Michael J. Martin	Number: 0 Assets: 0	Number: 1 Assets: \$19,756,389	Number: 7 Assets: \$69,450,129
Mary Jane Matts	Number: 0 Assets: 0	Number: 3 Assets: \$39,179,775	Number: 227 Assets: \$813,736,153
Mirko M. Mikelic	Number: 0 Assets: 0	Number: 5 Assets: \$627,834,894	Number: 209 Assets: \$3,360,615,715
Edward Moore	Number: 0 Assets: 0	Number: 0 Assets: --	Number: 10 Assets: \$75,916,007

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PORTFOLIO MANAGER	OTHER REGISTERED INVESTMENT COMPANIES	OTHER POOLED INVESTMENT VEHICLES	OTHER ACCOUNTS
Bill Natcher*	Number: 0 Assets: 0	Number: 1 Assets: \$292,658,635	Number: 3 Assets: \$39,351,647
Scott Richter	Number: 0 Assets: 0	Number: 3 Assets: \$39,179,775	Number: 227 Assets: \$813,736,153
Jason Schwartz*	Number: 0 Assets: 0	Number: 1 Assets: \$627,834,894	Number: 3 Assets: \$3,360,615,175
Zhigiang Sun*	Number: 0 Assets: 0	Number: 1 Assets: \$292,658,635	Number: 3 Assets: \$39,351,647
Mitchell L. Stapley	Number: 0 Assets: 0	Number: 5 Assets: \$627,834,894	Number: 209 Assets: \$3,360,615,715
Jill A. Thompson	Number: 0 Assets: 0	Number: 1 Assets: \$8,634,314	Number: 30 Assets: \$105,068,878
Michael P. Wayton	Number: 0 Assets: 0	Number: 1 Assets: \$292,658,635	Number: 3 Assets: \$39,351,647
E. Keith Wirtz	Number: 0 Assets: 0	Number: Assets:	Number: Assets:
David L. Withrow	Number: 0 Assets: 0	Number: 5 Assets: \$627,834,894	Number: 209 Assets: \$3,360,615,175
Patricia Younker	Number: 0 Assets: 0	Number: 5 Assets: \$606,846,259	Number: 30 Assets: \$1,579,504,178
J. Kevin Seagraves	Number: 0 Assets: 0	Number: 0 Assets: --	Number: 0 Assets: --
Brendan M. White	Number: 2 Assets: \$126.4 mm	Number: 2 Assets: \$133,000,000	Number: 14 Assets: \$1,708,500,000

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\* As of November 5, 2007.

\*\* Effective as of the date of this SAI, Mr. Kirk is no longer a portfolio manager for the Disciplined Large Cap Value Fund or the All Cap Value Fund.

CONFLICTS OF INTEREST

From time to time, potential conflicts of interest may arise between a portfolio manager's management of the investments of a Fund and the management of other registered investment companies, pooled investment vehicles and other accounts (collectively, the "Managed Accounts"). The Managed Accounts might have similar investment objectives or strategies as the Fund, track the same indexes the Fund tracks or otherwise hold, purchase, or sell securities that are eligible to be held, purchased or sold by the Fund. The Managed Accounts might also have different investment objectives or strategies than the Fund.

Knowledge and Timing of Fund Trades. A potential conflict of interest may arise as a result of the portfolio manager's day-to-day management of a Fund. The portfolio manager knows the size, timing and possible market impact of the Fund's trades and could use this information to the advantage of the Managed Accounts and to the possible detriment of the Fund.

Investment Opportunities. A potential conflict of interest may arise as a result of the portfolio manager's management of a number of accounts with varying investment guidelines. Often, an investment opportunity may be suitable for both the Fund and the Managed Accounts, but may not be available in sufficient quantities for both the Fund and the Managed Accounts to participate fully. Similarly, there may be limited opportunity to sell an investment held by the Fund and another Managed Account. Fifth Third Asset Management, Inc. has adopted policies and procedures reasonably designed to allocate investment opportunities on a fair and equitable basis over time.

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Portfolio Manager Compensation. Because the portfolio managers manage assets for other investment companies, pooled investment vehicles, and/or other accounts (including institutional clients, pension plans and certain high net worth individuals), there may be an incentive to favor one client over another resulting in conflicts of interest. For instance, the Advisor or Subadviser may receive fees from certain accounts that are higher than the fee it receives from the Funds, or it may receive a performance-based fee on certain accounts. In those instances, the portfolio managers may have an incentive to favor the higher and/or performance-based fee accounts over the Funds. The Advisor and Subadviser have adopted trade allocation and other policies and procedures that they believe are reasonably designed to address these and other conflicts of interest.

#### PORTFOLIO MANAGER COMPENSATION

Fifth Third Asset Management, Inc.

Each Fifth Third Asset Management, Inc. portfolio manager's compensation generally consists of a base salary, a cash incentive bonus and certain Fifth Third Bancorp long-term, non-cash incentives. Portfolio managers are also eligible for the standard retirement, health and welfare benefits available to all FTAM and Fifth Third Bancorp employees. In the case of portfolio managers responsible for managing multiple Funds and/or other FTAM advisory accounts, the method used to determine manager compensation is the same for all such Funds and other accounts.

Portfolio manager base salaries are based upon the manager's experience and level of expertise, taking into account ongoing compensation benchmark analyses performed by FTAM's human resource specialists. A portfolio manager's base salary is generally a fixed amount that may change as a result of periodic performance reviews, upon assumption of new duties, or when a market adjustment of the position is deemed by management to be warranted.

A portfolio manager's bonus is determined by a number of factors. The most important factor is the gross, pre-tax performance over rolling 3-year periods of the managed Funds and other accounts versus the applicable benchmarks against which the performance of the relevant asset class or classes are measured. No incentive bonus is earned under this factor unless the manager outperforms such benchmark(s). Another factor makes such comparison over the most recent one-year period and takes other, more subjective, components and factors into account, including but not limited to client involvement and interaction, client retention and the portfolio manager's compliance record.

Portfolio managers also are eligible to participate in Fifth Third Bancorp long-term, non-cash incentive programs. Such incentives have taken the form of non-transferable restricted stock grants and stock appreciation rights and are awarded to eligible participants on the basis of Fifth Third Bancorp's overall financial performance.

Fort Washington Investment Advisors, Inc.

All portfolio managers receive a fixed base salary and annual performance bonuses. Bonuses are based primarily on the overall performance of Fort Washington as well as the pre-tax performance (relative to the appropriate benchmark) of their respective asset category over a one-year and a three-year time horizon. Secondly, portfolio managers are also assessed on their ability to retain clients and attract new clients. Additionally a long-term retention plan was instituted in 2000, whereby certain investment professionals are periodically granted participation units with a 7-year cliff vesting schedule. The structure includes long-term vesting provisions. The percentage of

bonuses, asset-increase incentives and long-term incentive compensation is determined annually by the firm's President and approved by the Board of Directors.

## SECURITIES OWNERSHIP

The following table discloses the dollar range of equity securities beneficially owned by the portfolio managers in each of the Funds for which they are primarily responsible as of July 31, 2007:

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NAME OF PORTFOLIO MANAGER	FUND	DOLLAR RANGE OF EQUITY SECURITIES
Samrat Bhattacharya*	Structured Large Cap Plus Fund	None
Scott A. Billeadeau	Small Cap Growth Fund Mid Cap Growth Fund	\$1-\$10,000 \$10,001-\$50,000
John L. Cassady III	Balanced Fund Total Return Bond Fund Intermediate Bond Fund(2) U.S. Government Bond Fund(3)	None None None None
Mark Demos	Technology Fund(1)	\$1-\$10,000
Amy Denn	Balanced Fund Quality Growth Fund	None \$10,001-\$50,000
Jon Fisher	Balanced Fund Quality Growth Fund	None \$100,001-\$500,000
Martin E. Hargrave	Mid Cap Growth Fund Small Cap Growth Fund	\$10,001-\$50,000 \$1-\$10,000
John P. Hoeting	Short Term Bond Fund	None
Eric J. Holmes	Micro Cap Value Fund	\$10,001-\$50,000
James R. Kirk	All Cap Value Fund Disciplined Large Cap Value Fund	\$10,001-\$50,000 \$100,001-\$500,000
Peter M. Klein	All Cap Value Fund	\$10,001-\$50,000
Mark Koenig	Equity Index Fund Structured Large Cap Plus Fund	None \$10,001-\$50,000
Joseph W. Kremer	Small Cap Value Fund	\$10,001-\$50,000
J. Jeffrey Krumpelman	Dividend Growth Fund None Strategic Income Fund None	
Peter Kwiatkowski	Dividend Growth Fund Strategic Income Fund	None None
David R. Luebke	Mid Cap Growth Fund Small Cap Growth Fund	None None
Michael J. Martin	Michigan Municipal Bond Fund Ohio Municipal Bond Fund Municipal Bond Fund Intermediate Municipal Bond Fund	None None None None
Mary Jane Matts	Disciplined Large Cap Value Fund	\$1-\$10,000
Mirko M. Mikelic	Total Return Bond Fund U.S. Government Bond Fund(3)	None None
Edward Moore	Small Cap Value Fund Micro Cap Value Fund	\$10,001-\$50,000 \$10,001-\$50,000
Bill Natcher*	International Equity Fund Structured Large Cap Plus Fund	None None
Scott Richter	Disciplined Large Cap Value Fund	\$1-10,000

J. Kevin Seagraves	High Yield Bond Fund	None
Jason Schwartz*	Total Return Bond Fund Short Term Bond Fund	None None
Mitchell L. Stapley	Total Return Bond Fund Intermediate Bond Fund(2) U.S. Government Bond Fund(3)	None None None

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NAME OF PORTFOLIO MANAGER	FUND	DOLLAR RANGE OF EQUITY SECURITIES
	Short Term Bond Fund	None
	High Yield Bond Fund	None
	LifeModel Aggressive FundSM	None
	LifeModel Moderately Aggressive FundSM	None
	LifeModel Moderately Conservative FundSM	None
	LifeModel Conservative FundSM	None
	LifeModel Moderate FundSM	None
Zhigiang Sun*	International Equity Fund	None
Jill A. Thompson	Small Cap Growth Fund Mid Cap Growth Fund	\$1-\$10,000 \$1-\$10,000
Michael P. Wayton	Equity Index Fund Structured Large Cap Plus Fund	\$10,001-\$50,000 None
Brendan M. White	High Yield Bond Fund	None
E. Keith Wirtz	International Equity Fund LifeModel Aggressive FundSM LifeModel Moderately Aggressive FundSM LifeModel Moderately Conservative FundSM LifeModel Conservative FundSM LifeModel Moderate FundSM	\$10,001-\$50,000 None None None None \$10,001-\$50,000
David L. Withrow	Intermediate Bond Fund(2) Short Term Bond Fund	None None
Patricia Younker	Municipal Bond Fund Intermediate Municipal Bond Fund Michigan Municipal Bond Fund Ohio Municipal Bond Fund	None None None None

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\*As of November 29, 2007.

- (1) On November 19, 2007 the Technology Fund was acquired by the Mid Cap Growth Fund.
- (2) On November 19, 2007 the Intermediate Bond Fund was acquired by the Total Return Bond Fund.
- (3) On November 19, 2007 the U.S. Government Bond Fund was acquired by the Total Return Bond Fund.

#### PORTFOLIO TRANSACTIONS AND BROKERAGE COMMISSIONS

The Advisor selects brokers and dealers to handle the purchase and sale of portfolio instruments for the Funds, subject to guidelines established by the Trustees. In selecting brokers and dealers to effect portfolio transactions for the Funds, the Advisor seeks to obtain the best combination of price and execution. The best net price, giving effect to brokerage commissions, spreads and other costs, is normally an important factor in this decision, but the Advisor may consider various other factors as it deems relevant. These factors may include, without limitation: (1) the Advisor's knowledge of negotiated commission rates and spreads currently available; (2) the nature of the security being traded; (3) the size and type of transaction; (4) the nature and character of the market for the security; (5) the desired timing of the trade; (6) the activity existing and expected in the market for the security; (7) confidentiality and anonymity; (8) execution, (9) clearance and settlement capabilities, as well as the reputation and perceived soundness of the

brokers/dealers selected and others which are considered; (10) the Advisor's knowledge of actual or apparent broker/dealer operational problems; (11) the broker/dealer's execution services rendered on a continuing basis and in other transactions; and (12) the reasonableness of spreads or commissions. The Advisor also may consider the quality of research and/or services provided by executing broker/dealers, as discussed below. The Advisor maintains procedures for monitoring best execution, and routinely reviews commission rates and execution and settlement services provided by various broker/dealers in order to determine their competitiveness. The Advisor is not permitted to consider sales of shares of the Funds as a factor in the selection of broker-dealers to execute portfolio transactions for the Funds.

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In reliance on the "safe harbor" provided by Section 28(e) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "1934 Act"), the Advisor may cause the Funds to pay broker/dealers providing the Funds with brokerage and research services (as defined in the 1934 Act) an amount of commission for effecting portfolio transactions in excess of the commission another broker/dealer would have charged for effecting the transaction. These brokerage and research services may include, without limitation, written and oral reports on the economy, industries, sectors and individual companies or issuers; appraisals and analysis relating to markets and economic factors; statistical information; accounting and tax law interpretations; political analyses; reports on legal developments affecting portfolio securities; information on technical market actions; credit analyses; on-line quotation and trading systems; risk measurement; analyses of corporate responsibility issues; on-line news services; and financial and market database services. Generally, the Advisor may use brokerage and research services to benefit the Funds as well as other investment accounts managed by the Advisor or its affiliates. The Advisor may not necessarily use all brokerage and research services received to benefit the particular Fund paying the brokerage commissions that gave rise to the receipt of such services.

The determination and evaluation of the reasonableness of brokerage commissions paid in connection with portfolio transactions are based primarily on the professional opinions of the advisory personnel responsible for the placement and review of such transactions. These opinions are formed on the basis of, among other things, the experience of these individuals in the securities industry and information available to them concerning the level of commissions being paid by other investors of comparable size and type. The Advisor may select broker/dealers based on its assessment of their ability to provide quality executions and its belief that the research, information and other services provided by such broker/dealer may benefit the Funds. It is not possible to place a precise dollar value on the special executions or on the brokerage and research services the Advisor receives from broker/dealers effecting transactions in portfolio securities. Accordingly, broker/dealers selected by the Advisor may be paid commissions for effecting portfolio transactions in excess of amounts other broker/dealers would have charged for effecting similar transactions if the Advisor determines in good faith that such amounts are reasonable in relation to the value of the brokerage and/or research services provided by those broker/dealers.

Selected products or services provided by broker/dealers may have multiple uses, including administrative, marketing or other uses which do not constitute brokerage or research services within the meaning of Section 28(e) of the 1934 Act. Such products or services are generally referred to as "mixed-use" items. The Advisor evaluates mixed-use products and services and will attempt to make a reasonable allocation of the cost of the product or service according to its use. The Advisor may consider various objective factors in making such an allocation, such as the amount time that the product or service is used, for an eligible purpose within the meaning of Section 28(e) of the 1934 Act. A conflict of interest may arise in allocating the cost of mixed-use items between research and non-research purposes. The proportion of products and services attributable to eligible brokerage or research services will be paid through brokerage commissions generated by Fund transactions; the portion attributable to ineligible products and services will be paid by the Advisor from its own resources. Although the allocation of mixed-use items is not precisely determined, the Advisor makes a good faith effort to fairly allocate such items.

The Advisor evaluates brokerage and research services provided by broker/dealer firms on at least an annual basis. The evaluation criteria focus upon the quality and quantity of brokerage and research services provided by such broker/dealer firms and whether the commissions paid for such services are fair and reasonable.

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The allocation of portfolio transactions, including their frequency, to various dealers is determined by the Advisor in its best judgment and in a manner deemed fair and reasonable to shareholders. The major consideration in allocating brokerage business is the assurance that best execution is being

received on all transactions effected for all accounts.

Although investment decisions for the Funds are made independently from those of the other accounts managed by the Advisor, the Advisor may invest Fund assets in the same securities and at the same time as they invest assets of other accounts that they manage. When one of the Funds and one or more other accounts managed by the Advisor or its affiliates are prepared to invest in, or desire to dispose of, the same security, available investments or opportunities for sales will be allocated in a manner believed by the Advisor to be equitable to each. In some cases, this procedure may affect the price paid or shares received by the Funds or the size of the position obtained or disposed of by the Funds. Generally, it is believed that coordination and the ability to participate in volume transactions will be to the benefit of the Funds.

The following table shows the amount of brokerage commissions paid by the Funds to brokers who provide research services to the Funds, and the total amounts of the transactions pursuant to which such commissions were paid, for the fiscal year ended July 31, 2007:

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FUND	COMMISSIONS PAID ON TRANSACTIONS DIRECTED TO FIRMS PROVIDING RESEARCH JULY 31, 2007	AMOUNT OF TRANSACTIONS DIRECTED TO FIRMS PROVIDING RESEARCH JULY 31, 2007
Small Cap Growth Fund	\$ 587,774	\$ 279,173,868
Mid Cap Growth Fund	638,315	453,655,878
Quality Growth Fund	1,337,070	1,441,928,074
Structured Large Cap Plus Fund	323,655	536,403,233
Equity Index Fund	19,886	51,479,632
Balanced Fund	94,900	291,313,523
Micro Cap Value Fund	778,286	170,907,356
Small Cap Value Fund	334,684	129,870,015
All Cap Value Fund	296,566	208,131,113
Disciplined Large Cap Value Fund	646,108	610,517,891
Dividend Growth Fund	35,695	34,803,390

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The following table shows the aggregate amount of brokerage commissions paid by each Fund for the fiscal years ended July 31 of each year shown:

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FUND	TOTAL BROKERAGE COMMISSIONS PAID JULY 31, 2007	TOTAL BROKERAGE COMMISSIONS PAID JULY 31, 2006	TOTAL BROKERAGE COMMISSIONS PAID JULY 31, 2005
Small Cap Growth Fund	\$ 617,845	\$ 689,282	\$ 923,225
Mid Cap Growth Fund	655,475	852,818	806,325
Quality Growth Fund	1,415,473	2,306,182	2,571,610
Structured Large Cap Plus Fund	348,154	499,588	391,410
Equity Index Fund	32,593	35,676	57,189
Balanced Fund	96,106	298,357	215,778
Micro Cap Value Fund	812,356	796,739	533,138
Small Cap Value Fund	338,538	798,906	890,087

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FUND	TOTAL BROKERAGE COMMISSIONS PAID JULY 31, 2007	TOTAL BROKERAGE COMMISSIONS PAID JULY 31, 2006	TOTAL BROKERAGE COMMISSIONS PAID JULY 31, 2005
All Cap Value Fund	302,237	498,525	304,167
Disciplined Large Cap Value Fund	650,954	819,011	653,939
Strategic Income Fund	8,031	13,105	47,006
Dividend Growth Fund	35,815	69,297	22,090
International Equity Fund	17,636	114,039	83,193
Total Return Bond Fund	3,074	3,845	10,034
Short Term Bond Fund	6,563	2,656	29,832

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For each of the three most recent fiscal years, none of the Funds paid brokerage commissions to any affiliated broker.

During the fiscal year ended July 31, 2007, the Funds acquired securities of certain of the Funds' regular broker dealers or the parent of such firms. The aggregate holdings of the Funds of those brokers or dealers as of July 31, 2007 (amounts in thousands, except shares) were as follows:

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BROKER/DEALER	FUND	SHARES	PRINCIPAL	MARKET VALUE
ABN AMRO Securities Inc.	International Equity	73,803		3,541
	Institutional Money Market		15,000	14,989
	U.S. Treasury Money Market	215,000		215,000
Bank of America	Structured Large Cap Plus	68,363		3,242
	Equity Index	141,482		6,709
	Balanced		1,585	1,593
	All Cap Value	133,586		6,335
	Disciplined Large Cap Value	599,960		28,450
	Dividend Growth	5,762		273
	Total Return Bond		7,745	7,636
	Short Term Bond		11,089	10,892
	Institutional Money Market		33,300	33,035
Bank of New York	Institutional Government Money Market		85,000	85,000
	Strategic Income	19,900		944
	Equity Index	36,009		1,532
	All Cap Value	173,291		7,374

	Disciplined Large Cap Value	397,026		16,893
Barclay's Bank PLC	Strategic Income	40,000		996
	International Equity	171,754		2,410
	Prime Money Market		55,000	54,580
	Institutional Money Market		79,930	79,466
Bear Stearns Securities	Equity Index	3,795		460
	Balanced		2,206	2,177
	Strategic Income	58,900	1,628	1,449
	Total Return Bond		14,756	14,397

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BROKER/DEALER	FUND	SHARES	PRINCIPAL	MARKET VALUE
	Short Term Bond		10,857	10,865
	Prime Money Market		55,000	54,970
	Institutional Money Market		86,818	86,793
BMO Capital Markets Corp.	U.S. Treasury Money Market		225,000	225,000
	International Equity	27,060		2,973
	Prime Money Market		50,000	50,000
	Institutional Money Market		50,000	50,000
Credit Suisse	International Equity	28,660		1,871
	Short Term Bond		3,519	3,469
	Prime Money Market		29,000	28,977
	Institutional Money Market		37,300	37,277
Deutsche Bank	International Equity	19,492		2,643
	Prime Money Market	90,000	10,000	100,000
	Institutional Money Market	200,000	65,000	265,000
	Institutional Government Money Market	180,000		180,000
	U.S. Treasury Money Market	235,000		235,000
Goldman Sachs	Structured Large Cap Plus	17,730		3,339
	Equity Index	13,023		2,453
	All Cap Value	20,049		3,776
	Strategic Income	40,000	1,000	1,971
	Total Return Bond		1,100	1,033
	Short Term Bond		3,000	3,064
	Municipal Bond	228,862		230



	Intermediate Municipal Bond	356,352		356
	Ohio Municipal Bond	255,542		256
	Michigan Municipal Bond	389,297		389
	Prime Money Market	1,232,019	5,000	6,207
	Institutional Money Market	1,753,176	20,000	21,759
	Institutional Government Money Market	4,342		4
	U.S. Treasury Money Market	1,287,327		1,287
	Michigan Municipal Money Market	48,809		49
	Municipal Money Market	49,434		49
JP Morgan Securities	Structured Large Cap Plus	104,893		4,616
	Equity Index	108,910		4,793
	Balanced		347	343
	All Cap Value	166,973		7,348
	Disciplined Large Cap Value	537,648		23,662
	Strategic Income		955	951
	Total Return Bond		18,402	18,107
	Short Term Bond		24,409	24,236
	Prime Money Market		5,000	4,965
	Institutional Money Market		7,000	6,950

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BROKER/DEALER	FUND	SHARES	PRINCIPAL	MARKET VALUE
Lehman Brothers, Inc.	Structured Large Cap Plus	6,052		375
	Equity Index	16,981		1,053
	Strategic Income	50,000	1,000	2,247
	Short Term Bond		3,000	2,937
	Prime Money Market		5,000	4,968
	Institutional Money Market		6,500	6,459
UBS Securities	International Equity	41,990		2,329
	Bond		925	1,006
	Prime Money Market	21,487		21,487
	Institutional Money Market	101,160	19,900	121,011
	Institutional Government Money Market	194,184		194,184
	U.S. Treasury Money Market	222,609		222,609

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PURCHASING SHARES

Shares of the Funds are sold at their net asset value, less any applicable sales charge, on days the New York Stock Exchange ("NYSE") and the Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland are open for business. The procedure for purchasing Shares of the Funds is explained in the Prospectus for such Fund and Class under "Investing in the Funds."

#### ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES AGREEMENT

With respect to Select Shares, Preferred Shares and Trust Shares, the Trust may enter into an Administrative Service Agreement to permit the payment of non 12b-1 fees to ALPS Distributors, Inc. to cause services to be provided to shareholders by a representative who has knowledge of the shareholder's particular circumstances and goals. These non 12b-1 fees are paid at the following amounts: Select Shares - up to 0.08%, Preferred Shares -up to 0.15% and Trust Shares - up to 0.25%. Benefits to shareholders of Select Shares, Preferred Shares and Trust Shares of the Funds may include: (1) providing personal services to shareholders; (2) processing shareholder transactions with a minimum of delay and administrative detail; (3) enhancing shareholder recordkeeping systems; (4) responding promptly to shareholders' requests and inquiries concerning their accounts; and (5) providing such other services as necessary to service shareholder accounts. These classes of shares are designed for shareholders who may be investing through financial institutions that are providing additional services to such shareholders. These institutions may select whichever class most appropriately compensates them for the level of services they are providing and may be dependent on other fees charged to their clients. Such selection may not represent the least expensive class available to shareholders. The Funds seek to provide flexibility to financial institutions in levels of compensation they may receive from shareholders but are not able to verify that financial institutions are offering the most appropriate share class to their clients.

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#### DISTRIBUTION PLAN

ALPS Distributors, Inc. (the "Distributor") serves as the Funds' distributor and has a principal place of business at 1290 Broadway, Suite 1100, Denver, Colorado 80203. With respect to Class A shares, Class B shares and Class C shares of the Funds, the Trust has adopted a Plan pursuant to Rule 12b-1 under the 1940 Act. The Plan provides for payment of fees to the distributor to finance any activity which is principally intended to result in the sale of a Fund's shares subject to the Plan. Such activities may include the advertising and marketing of shares; preparing printing, and distributing prospectuses and sales literature to prospective shareholders, brokers, or administrators; and implementing and operating the Plan. The distribution fee will be payable without regard to whether the amount of the fee is more or less than the actual expenses incurred in a particular year by the Distributor. Pursuant to the Plan, the Distributor may enter into agreements to pay fees to brokers for distribution and administrative support services and to other participating financial institutions and persons for distribution assistance and support services to the Funds and their shareholders. The administrative services are provided by a representative who has knowledge of the shareholder's particular circumstances and goals, and include, but are not limited to: communicating account openings; communicating account closings; entering purchase transactions; entering redemption transactions; providing or arranging to provide accounting support for all transactions, wiring funds and receiving funds for share purchases and redemptions, confirming and reconciling all transactions, reviewing the activity in Fund accounts, and providing training and supervision of broker personnel; posting and reinvesting dividends to Fund accounts or arranging for this service to be performed by the Funds' transfer agent; and maintaining and distributing current copies of prospectuses and shareholder reports to the beneficial owners of shares and prospective shareholders.

The Trustees expect that the Plan will result in the sale of a sufficient number of shares so as to allow a Fund to achieve economic viability. It is also anticipated that an increase in the size of a Fund will facilitate more efficient portfolio management and assist a Fund in seeking to achieve its investment objectives.

Pursuant to the Plan with respect to Class A Shares, the Funds which offer Class A Shares are authorized to compensate the Distributor at the annual rate of up to 0.25% of the average aggregate net asset value of the Class A Shares of each applicable Fund held during the month. For the fiscal year ended July 31, 2007, the Distributor received \$3,712,000.

Pursuant to the Plan with respect to Class B Shares, the Funds which offer Class B Shares are authorized to compensate the Distributor at the annual rate of up to 1.00% of the average aggregate net asset value of the Class B Shares of each applicable Fund held during the month. For the fiscal year ended July 31, 2007, the Distributor received \$2,331,000.

Pursuant to the Plan with respect to Class C Shares, the Funds are authorized to compensate the Distributor at the annual rate of up to 0.75% of the average aggregate net asset value of the Class C Shares of each applicable Fund held during the month. For the fiscal year ended July 31, 2007, the Distributor received \$511,000.

With respect to all share classes offered by the Trust, these classes of shares are designed for shareholders who may be investing through financial institutions that are providing additional services to such shareholders. These institutions may select whichever class most appropriately compensates them for the level of services they are providing and may be dependent on other fees charged to their clients.

Such selection may not represent the least expensive class available to shareholders. The Funds seek to provide flexibility to financial institutions in levels of compensation they may receive from shareholders but are not able to verify that financial institutions are offering the most appropriate share class to their clients.

CONVERSION TO FEDERAL FUNDS

It is the Funds' policy to be as fully invested as possible so that maximum interest or dividends may be earned. To this end, all payments from shareholders must be in federal funds or be converted into federal funds. Fifth Third Bank acts as the shareholder's agent in depositing checks and converting them to federal funds.

EXCHANGING SECURITIES FOR FUND SHARES

Investors may, in certain circumstances as permitted by the Funds' custodian, exchange securities they already own for shares of a Fund or they may exchange a combination of securities and cash for Fund shares. Any securities to be exchanged must, in the opinion of the Advisor, meet the investment objective and policies of each Fund, must have a readily ascertainable market value, must be liquid, and must not be subject to restrictions on resale. An investor should forward the securities in negotiable form with an authorized letter of transmittal to the custodian. A Fund will notify the investor of its acceptance and valuation of the securities within five business days of their receipt by the Advisor. This securities exchange feature may not be available to shareholders of certain financial intermediaries that may not be able to support this.

A Fund values such securities in the same manner as a Fund values its assets. The basis of the exchange will depend upon the net asset value of shares of a Fund on the day the securities are valued. One share of a Fund will be issued for each equivalent amount of securities accepted.

Any interest earned on the securities prior to the exchange will be considered in valuing the securities. All interest, dividends, subscription, conversion, or other rights attached to the securities become the property of a Fund, along with the securities.

PAYMENTS TO DEALERS

Authorized broker-dealers, financial institutions and other financial intermediaries who sell shares of Fifth Third Funds and perform services for fund investors may receive sales commissions, annual fees and other compensation (a "reallowance"). Such reallowance is paid by the Distributor using money from sales charges and distribution/service (12b-1) fees. A broker or dealer who receives a reallowance in excess of 90% of the sales charge may be deemed to be an "underwriter" for purposes of the 1933 Act. From time to time, the Distributor may elect to reallow up to the following amounts:

Class A Shares

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	International	Equity Fund	Equity Index Fund	Other Equity Funds	
	Equity Fund				

Purchase Amount	Load/Sales Charge	Dealer Reallowance	Load/Sales Charge	Dealer Reallowance	Load/Sales Charge	Dealer Reallowance
Less than \$50,000	5.00%	4.50%	5.00%	4.50%	5.00%	4.50%
\$50,000 but less than \$100,000	4.50%	4.00%	4.50%	4.00%	4.50%	4.00%
\$100,000 but less than \$250,000	3.50%	3.00%	3.50%	3.00%	3.50%	3.00%
\$250,000 but less than \$500,000	2.50%	2.10%	2.50%	2.10%	2.50%	2.10%

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Purchase Amount	International Equity Fund		Equity Index Fund		Other Equity Funds	
	Load/Sales Charge	Dealer Reallowance	Load/Sales Charge	Dealer Reallowance	Load/Sales Charge	Dealer Reallowance
\$500,000 but less than \$1,000,000	2.00%	1.70%	2.00%	1.70%	2.00%	1.70%
\$1,000,000 but less than \$5,000,000*	0.00%	0.75%	0.00%	0.05%	0.00%	1.00%
\$5,000,000 but less than \$25,000,000*	0.00%	0.50%	0.00%	0.04%	0.00%	0.75%
\$25,000,000 or more*	0.00%	0.25%	0.00%	0.03%	0.00%	0.50%

Purchase Amount	Selected Bond Funds+		Other Bond Funds	
	Load/Sales Charge	Dealer Reallowance	Load/Sales Charge	Dealer Reallowance
Less than \$50,000	3.50%	3.00%	4.75%	4.25%
\$50,000 but less than \$100,000	3.00%	2.60%	4.50%	3.75%
\$100,000 but less than \$250,000	2.50%	2.10%	3.50%	3.00%
\$250,000 but less than \$500,000	2.00%	1.70%	2.50%	2.10%
\$500,000 but less than \$1,000,000	1.50%	1.25%	2.00%	1.70%
\$1,000,000 but less than \$5,000,000*	0.00%	0.75%	0.00%	0.75%
\$5,000,000 but less than \$25,000,000*	0.00%	0.50%	0.00%	0.50%
\$25,000,000 or more*	0.00%	0.25%	0.00%	0.25%

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+ "Selected Bond Funds" include the Short Term Bond Fund and Intermediate Municipal Bond Fund.

A finder's fee may be paid for Class A Shares only. The load/sales charge represents the amount a shareholder pays to purchase the Class A Shares, and the dealer reallowance represents the commission paid to the selling broker/dealer. If a finder's fee is paid to a selling broker/dealer, there will be a 1% contingent deferred sales charge ("CDSC") for a period of 18 months.

\*If you purchase \$1,000,000 or more of Class A shares and do not pay a sales charge, and you sell any of these shares before the eighteen month anniversary of purchase, you will pay a 1% CDSC on the portion redeemed at the time of redemption. The CDSC will be based upon the lowest of the NAV at the time of purchase and the NAV at the time of redemption. In any sales, certain shares not subject to the CDSC (i.e., shares purchased with reinvested dividends or distributions) will be redeemed first followed by shares subject to the lowest CDSC (typically shares held for the longest time). The CDSC will be waived for shares purchased as part of an agreement where an organization agrees to waive its customary sales commission.

Class A Shares are sold with an initial sales charge as detailed in the chart above.

The Distributor makes monthly payments to dealers at the annual rates set forth below (as a percentage of the average net asset value of Class A Shares for which such dealers are designated the dealer of record):

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Rate	Fund
Up to 0.25%	All Funds currently making payments under a Class A Shares distribution plan

Class B Shares

Effective May 15, 2007, Class B shares are closed to all new shareholders. Class B Shares are sold without any initial sales charge. The Distributor pays 4% of the amount invested to dealers who sell Class B Shares. A contingent deferred sales charge may be applied to Class B Shares you sell within six years of purchase as shown in the schedule under "Shareholder Information" in the prospectus.

The Distributor makes monthly payments to dealers at the annual rates set forth below (as a percentage of the average net asset value of Class B Shares for which such dealers are designated the dealer of record):

Rate	Fund
Up to 0.25%	All Funds currently making payments under a Class B Shares distribution plan

Class C Shares

Class C Shares are sold without any initial sales charge. The Distributor pays 1% of the amount invested to dealers who sell Class C Shares. A contingent deferred sales charge may be applied to Class C Shares you sell within twelve months of purchase.

The Distributor makes monthly payments to dealers at the annual rates set forth below (as a percentage of the average net asset value of Class C Shares for which such dealers are designated the dealer of record):

Rate	Fund
Up to 0.25% during first 18 months after purchase	All funds currently making payments under a Class C Shares distribution plan
Up to 1.00% subsequent to first 18 months after purchase	All funds currently making payments under a Class C Shares distribution plan

ADDITIONAL PAYMENTS BY THE ADVISOR AND AFFILIATES

Under certain circumstances, the Advisor or its affiliates may use their own funds to compensate broker-dealers, financial institutions, and financial intermediaries that, for instance, sell or arrange for the sale of Fund shares or that perform various shareholder support services, in amounts that are additional to the amounts paid by the Distributor. In addition, from time to time, the Advisor or its affiliates, at their expense, may provide additional commissions, compensation, or promotional incentives ("concessions") to broker-dealers, financial institutions, and financial intermediaries which sell or arrange for the sale of shares of a Fund or that perform various shareholder support services. Additional information about such payments is provided below. The Advisor or its affiliates may terminate such payments at any time.

"Financial intermediaries" are firms that receive compensation for selling shares of the Funds and/or provide services to the Funds' shareholders. Financial intermediaries may include, among others, your broker, your securities

dealer, your financial planner or advisor, banks, or insurance companies. In addition to dealers, the financial intermediaries that may receive payments include sponsors of fund "supermarkets", sponsors of wrap fee programs, and sponsors of networking systems.

The Advisor and/or its affiliates, in their discretion, may pay dealers, selling or servicing agents, or other financial intermediaries and service providers for distribution or shareholder servicing activities. These payments are made out of the Advisor's and/or its affiliate's own resources, including from the

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profits derived from the advisory fees the Advisor receives from the Funds. These cash payments, which may be substantial, are paid to firms having business relationships with the Advisor and/or its affiliates, and are in addition to any distribution fees, servicing fees, or transfer agency fees paid directly or indirectly by the Funds to these financial intermediaries and any commissions the Distributor pays to these firms out of the sales charges paid by investors.

In general, these payments to financial intermediaries can be categorized as "distribution-related" or "servicing" payments. Payments for distribution-related expenses, such as marketing or promotional expenses, are often referred to as "revenue-sharing". Revenue sharing payments may be made on the basis of the sales of shares attributable to that dealer, the average net assets of the Funds attributable to the accounts of that dealer and its clients, negotiated lump sum payments for distribution services provided, or sales support fees. In some circumstances, revenue sharing payments may create an incentive for a dealer or financial intermediary or its representatives to recommend or offer shares of the Funds to its customers. These payments also may give an intermediary an incentive to cooperate with the Advisor's marketing efforts. A revenue sharing payment may, for example, qualify the Fund for preferred status with the intermediary receiving the payment or provide representatives of the Advisor with access to representatives of the intermediary's sales force, in some cases on a preferential basis over funds of competitors. Additionally, as firm support, the Advisor and/or its affiliates may reimburse expenses, including travel and lodging expenditures, related to educational seminars and "due diligence" or training meetings (to the extent permitted by applicable laws or the rules of the NASD) designed to increase sales representatives' awareness about Funds.

The Advisor and/or its affiliates may make payments to financial intermediaries to compensate or reimburse them for administrative or other client services provided such as participation in networking arrangements, recordkeeping, and other shareholder services. The Advisor and/or its affiliates also may make payments for administrative services related to the distribution of Fund shares through the intermediary. The service provider may use these payments to offset or reduce fees that would otherwise be paid directly to them by certain account holders.

The Advisor may consider various factors to determine whether to make revenue sharing payments. Possible considerations include, without limitation, the types of services provided by the intermediary, sales of Fund shares, the redemption rates on accounts of customers of the intermediary or overall asset levels of the Funds held for or by customers of the intermediary, the willingness of the intermediary to allow the Advisor to provide educational and training support for the intermediary's sales personnel relating to the Funds, the availability of the Funds on the intermediary's sales system, as well as the overall quality of the services provided by the intermediary, and the Advisor's and/or its affiliate's relationship with the intermediary. To the extent that financial intermediaries receiving distribution-related payments from the Advisor and/or its affiliates sell more of the Funds or retain more shares of the Funds in their client accounts, the Advisor benefits from the incremental management and other fees it receives with respect to those assets.

In addition to the commissions paid to financial intermediaries at the time of sale and Rule 12b-1 fees, some or all of which may be paid to financial intermediaries (and, in turn, to your financial advisor), the Advisor and/or its affiliates, at their expense, currently provide additional payments to firms that sell shares of the Funds. If one mutual fund sponsor makes greater distribution assistance payments than another, your financial advisor and his or her firm may have an incentive to recommend one fund complex over another. Similarly, if your financial advisor or his or her firm receives more distribution assistance for one share class versus another, then they may have an incentive to recommend that class. Your dealer may charge you fees or commissions in addition to those disclosed in the Prospectus. You should ask your dealer or financial intermediary for details about any such payments it receives from the Advisor and/or their affiliates, or any other fees or expenses it charges.

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Although the Funds may use brokers and dealers who sell shares of the Funds to effect portfolio transactions, the Funds do not consider the sale of Fund shares as a factor when selecting brokers or dealers to effect portfolio transactions.

Transaction Fee. Brokers and agents may charge a transaction fee on the purchase or sale of shares by shareholders.

#### SELLING YOUR SHARES

Shares are redeemed at the next computed net asset value after a Fund receives the redemption request, less any contingent deferred sales charge. Redemption procedures are explained in the prospectuses under "Selling Your Shares." Although the Funds do not charge for telephone redemptions, they reserve the right to charge a fee for the cost of wire-transferred redemptions.

If you purchase \$1,000,000 or more of Class A Shares and do not pay a sales charge, and you sell any of these shares within eighteen (18) months of their purchase, you will pay a 1% contingent deferred sales charge on the portion redeemed at the time of redemption. Class B Shares redeemed within six (6) years of purchase and Class C Shares redeemed within one (1) year of purchase may be subject to a contingent deferred sales charge. The contingent deferred sales charge may be reduced with respect to a particular shareholder where a financial institution selling Class B and/or Class C Shares elects not to receive a commission from the distributor with respect to its sale of such shares.

#### REDEMPTION IN KIND

The Trust has elected to be governed by Rule 18f-1 of the 1940 Act under which the Trust is obligated to redeem shares for any one shareholder in cash only up to the lesser of \$250,000 or 1% of a Fund's net asset value during any 90-day period.

Any redemption beyond this amount will also be in cash unless the Trustees determine that payments should be in kind. In such a case, the Trust will pay all or a portion of the remainder of the redemption in portfolio instruments, valued in the same way as the Fund determines net asset value. The portfolio instruments will be selected in a manner that the Trustees deem fair and equitable.

#### POSTPONEMENT OF REDEMPTIONS

Federal securities law permits any Fund to delay sending to you redemption proceeds for up to seven days if the Fund believes that a redemption would disrupt its operation or performance. Under unusual circumstances, the law also permits the Fund to delay sending redemption payments during any period when (a) trading on the NYSE is restricted by applicable rules and regulations of the SEC, (b) the NYSE is closed for other than customary weekend and holiday closings, (c) the SEC has by order permitted such suspension, or (d) an emergency exists as determined by the SEC.

#### DETERMINING NET ASSET VALUE

#### VALUATION OF THE EQUITY FUNDS, BOND FUNDS AND ASSET ALLOCATION FUNDS

Except as noted below, investments of the Equity Funds, Bond Funds, and Asset Allocation Funds of the Trust in securities the principal market for which is a securities exchange or an over-the-counter market are valued at their latest available sale price (except for those securities traded on NASDAQ, which will be valued at the NASDAQ Official Closing Price or, absent such a price, by

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reference to the latest available bid and asked prices in the principal market in which such securities are normally traded). Except as noted below, investments of the International Equity Fund in securities the principal market for which is a securities exchange are valued at the closing mid-market price on that exchange on the day of computation.

With regard to each of the above-mentioned Funds, securities the principal market for which is not a securities exchange or an over-the-counter market, are valued at the mean of their latest bid and ask quotations in such principal market. Securities and other assets for which quotations are not readily available are valued at their fair value as determined pursuant to the Valuation Procedures established by and under the general supervision of the Board of Trustees. Short-term securities are valued at either amortized cost or original cost plus interest, which approximates current value. Repurchase Agreements are valued at original cost. Open-end mutual fund investments will be valued at the most recently calculated net asset value. Closed-end mutual funds are valued at their market values based upon the latest available sale price or, absent such a price, by reference to the latest available bid and asked prices

in the principal market in which such securities are normally traded.

The value of a foreign security is determined in its national currency as of the close of trading on the foreign exchange or other principal market on which it is traded, which value is then converted into its U.S. dollar equivalent at the prevailing foreign rate. When the closing price is not an accurate representation of value due to events that have occurred after the closing of the primary exchange and prior to the time of NAV calculations (hereinafter, a "Significant Event"), then a market quotation is deemed to not be readily available and the fair value of affected securities will be determined by consideration of other factors by the Pricing Committee as detailed below. An example of a frequently occurring Significant Event is a movement in the U.S. equity markets. The Pricing Committee may predetermine the level of such a movement that will constitute a Significant Event (a "Trigger") and preauthorize the Trust's Accounting Agent to utilize a pricing service authorized by the Board (a "Fair Value Pricing Service") that has been designed to determine a fair value. On a day when a Fair Value Pricing Service is so utilized pursuant to a preauthorization, the Pricing Committee need not meet (and, therefore, will not produce minutes). The Pricing Committee, however, will determine the fair value of securities effected by a Significant Event where either (i) the Pricing Committee has not authorized the use of a Fair Value Pricing Service, or (ii) where the Significant Event is other than a movement in the U.S. equity markets that qualifies as a Trigger.

Securities for which market quotations are readily available will be valued on the basis of quotations provided by dealers in such securities or furnished through a national pricing service approved by the Board of Trustees. Securities for which market quotations are not readily available and other assets will be valued at fair value using methods determined in good faith by the Pricing Committee under the supervision of the Trustees and may include yield equivalents or a price produced through use of a pricing matrix provided by a national pricing service approved by the Board.

#### USE OF AMORTIZED COST

The Trustees have decided that the fair value of debt securities authorized to be purchased by the Funds with remaining maturities of 60 days or less at the time of purchase may be their amortized cost value, unless the particular circumstances of the security indicate otherwise. Under this method, portfolio instruments and assets are valued at the acquisition cost as adjusted for amortization of premium or accumulation of discount rather than at current market value. The Trustees continually assess this method of valuation and recommend changes where necessary to assure that the Funds' portfolio instruments are valued at their fair value as determined in good faith by the Trustees.

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#### MONITORING PROCEDURES

For the Money Market Funds, the Trustees' procedures include monitoring the relationship between the amortized cost value per share and the net asset value per share based upon available indications of market values. The Trustees will decide what, if any, steps should be taken if there is a difference of more than 1/2 of 1% between the two values. The Trustees will take any steps they consider appropriate (such as redemption in kind or shortening the average portfolio maturity) to minimize any material dilution or other unfair results arising from differences between the two methods of determining net asset value.

#### INVESTMENT RESTRICTIONS

SEC rules require that a money market fund limit its investments to instruments that, in the opinion of the Trustees or their delegate, present minimal credit risks and if rated, have received the requisite rating from one or more nationally recognized statistical rating organizations. If the instruments are not rated, the Trustees or their delegate must determine that they are of comparable quality. Shares of investment companies purchased by a Money Market Fund will meet these same criteria and will have investment policies consistent with the Rule. The Rule also requires a money market fund to maintain a dollar-weighted average portfolio maturity (not more than 90 days) appropriate to the objective of maintaining a stable net asset value of \$1.00 per share. In addition, no instruments with a remaining maturity of more than 397 days can be purchased by a Money Market Fund. Should the disposition of a portfolio security result in a dollar-weighted average portfolio maturity of more than 90 days, a Money Market Fund will invest its available cash to reduce the average maturity to 90 days or less as soon as possible.

A Money Market Fund may attempt to increase yield by trading portfolio securities to take advantage of short-term market variations. This policy may, from time to time, result in high portfolio turnover. Under the amortized cost method of valuation, neither the amount of daily income nor the net asset value is affected by any unrealized appreciation or depreciation of the portfolio. In periods of declining interest rates, the indicated daily yield on shares of a



Money Market Fund computed by dividing the annualized daily income on the Fund's portfolio by the net asset value computed as above may tend to be higher than a similar computation made by using a method of valuation based upon market prices and estimates.

In periods of rising interest rates, the indicated daily yield on shares of a Money Market Fund computed the same way may tend to be lower than a similar computation made by using a method of calculation based upon market prices and estimates.

#### TRADING IN FOREIGN SECURITIES

Trading in foreign securities may be completed at times which vary from the closing of regular trading on the NYSE. In computing the net asset value, the Funds (other than the Money Market Funds) value foreign securities at the latest closing price on the exchange on which they are traded immediately prior to the closing of the NYSE. Certain foreign currency exchange rates may also be determined at the latest rate prior to the closing of the NYSE. Foreign securities quoted in foreign currencies are translated into U.S. dollars at current rates. Occasionally, events that affect these values and exchange rates may occur between the times at which they are determined and the closing of the NYSE. If such events materially affect the value of portfolio securities, these securities may be valued at their fair value as determined in good faith by the Trustees, although the actual calculation may be done by others.

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#### TAX STATUS

##### QUALIFICATION AS A REGULATED INVESTMENT COMPANY

Each Fund intends to elect to be treated and qualify each year as a regulated investment company under Subchapter M of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "Code"). In order to so qualify and to qualify for the special tax treatment accorded regulated investment companies and their shareholders, a Fund must, among other things, (a) derive at least 90% of its gross income for each taxable year from (i) dividends, interest, payments with respect to certain securities loans, and gains from the sale or other disposition of stock, securities, and foreign currencies, or other income (including but not limited to gains from options, futures, or forward contracts) derived with respect to its business of investing in such stock, securities, or currencies and (ii) net income derived from interests in "qualified publicly traded partnerships" (as defined below); (b) diversify its holdings so that, at the end of each quarter of the Fund's taxable year (i) at least 50% of the market value of the Fund's assets is represented by cash, cash items, U.S. Government securities, securities of other regulated investment companies, and other securities, limited in respect of any one issuer to a value not greater than 5% of the value of the Fund's total assets and 10% of the outstanding voting securities of such issuer, and (ii) not more than 25% of the value of its assets is invested (x) in the securities (other than those of the U.S. Government or other regulated investment companies) of any one issuer or of two or more issuers that the Fund controls and that are engaged in the same, similar, or related trades or businesses or (y) in the securities of one or more qualified publicly traded partnerships (as defined below) and (c) distribute with respect to each taxable year at least 90% of the sum of its investment company taxable income (as that term is defined in the Code without regard to the deduction for dividends paid - generally taxable ordinary income and the excess, if any, of short-term capital gains over net long-term capital losses), and its net tax-exempt income, for such year.

In general, for purposes of the 90% gross income requirement described in (a) above, income derived from a partnership will be treated as qualifying income only to the extent such income is attributable to items of income of the partnership which would be qualifying income if realized by the regulated investment company. However, 100% of the net income derived from an interest in a "qualified publicly traded partnership" (defined as a partnership (x) interests in which are traded on an established securities market or readily tradable on a secondary market or the substantial equivalent thereof and (y) that derives less than 90% of its income from the qualifying income described in (a) (i) above) will be treated as qualifying income. In addition, although in general the passive loss rules of the Code do not apply to regulated investment companies, such rules do apply to a regulated investment company with respect to items attributable to an interest in a qualified publicly traded partnership.

For purposes of meeting the diversification requirement described in (b) above, in the case of a Fund's investments in loan participations, the Fund shall treat both the financial intermediary and the issuer of the underlying loan as an issuer. Additionally, the term "outstanding voting securities of such issuer" will include the equity securities of a qualified publicly traded partnership.

If a Fund qualifies as a regulated investment company that is accorded

special tax treatment, the Fund will not be subject to federal income tax on income paid to its shareholders in the form of dividends (including Capital Gain Dividends, as defined below). If a Fund fails to qualify as a regulated investment company accorded special tax treatment in any taxable year, the Fund would be subject to tax on its taxable income at corporate rates (without any deduction for distributions to its shareholders), and all distributions from earnings and profits, including any distributions of net tax-exempt income and net long-term capital gains, would be taxable to shareholders as ordinary income. Some portions of such distributions may be eligible for the dividends received deduction in the case of corporate shareholders. In addition, the Fund could be required to recognize unrealized gains, pay substantial taxes and interest and

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make substantial distributions before requalifying as a regulated investment company that is accorded special tax treatment.

Each Fund intends to distribute at least annually to its shareholders all or substantially all of its investment company taxable income (computed without regard to the dividends-paid deduction) and net capital gain. Investment company taxable income which is retained by a Fund will be subject to tax at regular corporate rates. If a Fund retains any net capital gain, it will be subject to tax at regular corporate rates on the amount retained, but may designate the retained amount as undistributed capital gains in a notice to its shareholders who (i) will be required to include in income for federal income tax purposes, as long-term capital gain, their shares of such undistributed amount, and (ii) will be entitled to credit their proportionate shares of the tax paid by the Fund on such undistributed amount against their federal income tax liabilities, if any, and to claim refunds to the extent the credit exceeds such liabilities. For federal income tax purposes, the tax basis of shares owned by a shareholder of the Fund will be increased by an amount equal under current law to the difference between the amount of undistributed capital gains included in the shareholder's gross income and the tax deemed paid by the shareholder under clause (ii) of the preceding sentence.

If a Fund fails to distribute in a calendar year at least an amount equal to the sum of the 98% of its ordinary income for the year and 98% of its net capital gain income for the one-year period ending October 31 (or later if the Fund is permitted so to elect and so elects) and any retained amount from the prior calendar year, the Fund will be subject to a non-deductible 4% excise tax on the undistributed amounts. For these purposes, the Fund will be treated as having distributed any amount on which it is subject to income tax. A dividend paid to shareholders by a Fund in January of a year generally is deemed to have been paid by the Fund on December 31 of the preceding year, if the dividend was declared and payable to shareholders of record on a date in October, November or December of that preceding year. Each Fund intends generally to make distributions sufficient to avoid imposition of the 4% excise tax, although there can be no assurance that it will be able to do so.

#### ADDITIONAL TAX INFORMATION CONCERNING THE ASSET ALLOCATION FUNDS

An Asset Allocation Fund will not be able to offset gains realized by one Underlying Fund in which such Asset Allocation Fund invests against losses realized by another Underlying Fund in which such Asset Allocation Fund invests. The use of a fund-of-funds structure can therefore affect the amount, timing and character of distributions to shareholders, and may increase the amount of taxes payable by shareholders.

Because each Asset Allocation Fund will invest all of its assets in shares of Underlying Funds, its distributable income and gains will normally consist entirely of distributions from Underlying Funds and gains and losses on the disposition of shares of Underlying Funds. To the extent that an Underlying Fund realizes net losses on its investments for a given taxable year, an Asset Allocation Fund will not be able to recognize its shares of those losses (so as to offset distributions of net income or capital gains from other Underlying Funds) until it disposes of shares of the Underlying Fund. Moreover, even when an Asset Allocation Fund does make such a disposition, a portion of its loss may be recognized as a long-term capital loss, which will not be treated as favorably for federal income tax purposes as a short-term capital loss or an ordinary deduction. In particular, an Asset Allocation Fund will not be able to offset any capital losses from its dispositions of Underlying Fund shares against its ordinary income (including distributions of any net short-term capital gains realized by an Underlying Fund).

In addition, in certain circumstances, the "wash sale" rules under Section 1091 of the Code may apply to a Fund's sales of underlying fund shares that have generated losses. A wash sale occurs if shares of an underlying fund

are sold by a Fund at a loss and the Fund acquires additional shares of that same

underlying fund 30 days before or after the date of the sale. The wash-sale rules could defer losses in the Fund's hands on sales of underlying fund shares (to the extent such sales are wash sales) for extended (and, in certain cases, potentially indefinite) periods of time. As a result of the foregoing rules, and certain other special rules, it is possible that the amounts of net investment income and net capital gains that an Asset Allocation Fund will be required to distribute to shareholders will be greater than such amounts would have been had an Asset Allocation Fund invested directly in the securities held by the Underlying Funds, rather than investing in shares of the Underlying Funds. For similar reasons, the character of distributions from an Asset Allocation Fund (e.g., long-term capital gain, exempt interest, eligibility for dividends-received deduction, etc.) will not necessarily be the same as it would have been had the Asset Allocation Fund invested directly in the securities held by the Underlying Funds.

If an Asset Allocation Fund received dividends from an Underlying Fund that qualifies as a regulated investment company, and the Underlying Fund designated such dividends as "qualified dividend income," then an Asset Allocation Fund is permitted in turn to designate a portion of its distributions as "qualified dividend income" as well, provided the Asset Allocation Fund meets holding period and other requirements with respect to shares of the Underlying Fund. Dividends of an Asset Allocation Fund may not be eligible for treatment as qualified dividend income unless the holding period and other requirements for such treatment are met by both an Asset Allocation Fund and the Underlying Fund, as well as by the shareholder.

Depending on each Asset Allocation Fund's percentage ownership in an Underlying Fund, before and after a redemption of shares of an Underlying Fund, the Asset Allocation Fund's redemption of shares of such Underlying Fund may cause an Asset Allocation Fund to be treated as receiving a dividend on the full amount of the distribution instead of receiving capital gain income on the shares of the Underlying Fund. This would be the case where an Asset Allocation Fund holds a significant interest in an Underlying Fund and redeems only a small portion of such interest. It is possible that such a dividend would qualify as "qualified dividend income" and thus be eligible to be taxed at the rates applicable to long-term capital gain; otherwise it would be taxable as ordinary income.

Although each Asset Allocation Fund may itself be entitled to a deduction for foreign taxes paid by an Underlying Fund in which such Asset Allocation Fund invests, an Asset Allocation Fund will not be able to pass through to its own shareholder any foreign tax credit borne in respect of foreign securities income earned by an Underlying Fund (see "Foreign Taxes, Foreign Currency-Denominated Securities and Related Hedging Transactions"). In addition, the Asset Allocation Funds cannot pass through to their shareholders exempt-interest dividends. Accordingly, the Asset Allocation Funds will not invest in Underlying Funds that invest substantially in tax-exempt obligations and that pay exempt-interest dividends.

The fact that an Asset Allocation Fund achieves its investment objectives by investing in Underlying Funds generally will not adversely affect the Asset Allocation Fund's ability to pass on to foreign shareholders the full benefit of the interest-related dividends and short-term capital gain dividends that it receives from its investments in the Underlying Funds, except possibly to the extent that (1) interest-related dividends received by the Asset Allocation Fund are offset by deductions allocable to the Asset Allocation Fund's qualified interest income or (2) short-term capital gains dividends received by the Asset Allocation Fund are offset by the Asset Allocation Fund's net short- or long-term capital losses, in which case the amount of a distribution from the Asset Allocation Fund to a foreign shareholder that is properly designated as either an interest-related dividend or a short-term capital gain dividend, respectively, may be less than the amount that such shareholder would have received had they invested directly in the Underlying Funds.

The foregoing is only a general description of the federal tax consequences of a fund of funds structure. Accordingly, prospective purchasers of Shares of an Asset Allocation Fund are urged to consult their tax advisors with specific reference to their own tax situation, including the potential application of state, local and foreign taxes.

#### DISTRIBUTIONS

Each Fund will distribute at least annually any investment income and net realized capital gains. Distributions of any net investment income (other than qualified dividend income and exempt-interest dividends, as discussed below) are generally taxable to shareholders as ordinary income. Taxes on distributions of capital gains are determined by how long a Fund owned the investments that generated them, rather than how long a shareholder has owned his or her shares. Distributions of each Fund's net capital gain (i.e., the excess of a Fund's net long-term capital gain over net short-term capital loss), if any, from the sale of investments that a Fund owned for more than one year and that are properly designated by the Fund as capital gain dividends ("Capital Gain Dividends") are taxable as long-term capital gains, regardless of how long a Shareholder has held Fund shares. For taxable years beginning before January 1, 2011, such distributions will generally be subject to a 15% tax rate, with lower rates applying to taxpayers in the 10% and 15% rate brackets, and will not be eligible for the dividends received deduction. Distribution of gains from the sale of investments that a Fund owned for one year or less will be taxable as ordinary income. Distributions of taxable income or capital gains are taxable to Fund shareholders whether received in cash or reinvested in additional Fund shares. Dividends and distributions on a Fund's shares generally are subject to federal income tax as described herein to the extent they do not exceed the Fund's realized income and gains, even though such dividends and distributions economically may represent a return of a particular shareholder's investment. Such distributions are likely to occur in respect of shares purchased at a time when the Fund's net asset value reflects gains that are either unrealized, or realized but not distributed. Realized gains may be required to be distributed even when a Fund's net asset value also reflects unrealized losses.

If a Fund makes a distribution in excess of its current and accumulated "earnings and profits" in any taxable year, the excess distribution will be treated as a return of capital to the extent of a shareholder's tax basis in Fund shares, and thereafter as capital gain. A return of capital is not taxable, but it reduces the shareholder's tax basis in the shares, thus reducing any loss or increasing any gain on a subsequent taxable disposition of those shares. The Fifth Third Strategic Income Fund is particularly susceptible to this possibility because it may, at times in its discretion, pay out less than the entire amount of net investment income earned in any particular period and may at times pay out such accumulated undistributed income in addition to net investment income earned in other periods in order to permit the Fund to maintain a more stable level of distributions. As a result, the dividend paid by the Fund to shareholders for any particular period may be more or less than the amount of net investment income earned by the Fund during such period. The Fund is not required to maintain a stable level of distributions to shareholders.

For taxable years beginning before January 1, 2011, distributions of investment income properly designated by a Fund as derived from "qualified dividend income" will be taxed in the hands of an individual at the rates applicable to long-term capital gain, provided holding period and other requirements are met at both the shareholder and Fund levels. In order for some portion of the dividends received by a Fund shareholder to be qualified dividend income, a Fund must meet holding period and other requirements with respect to some portion of the dividend paying stocks in its portfolio and the shareholder must meet holding period and other requirements with respect to the Fund's shares. A dividend will not be treated as qualified dividend income (at either the Fund or shareholder level) (1) if the dividend is received with respect to any share of stock held for fewer than 61 days during the 121-day period beginning on the date which is 60 days before the date on which such share becomes ex-dividend

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with respect to such dividend (or, in the case of certain preferred stock, 91 days during the 181-day period beginning 90 days before such date), (2) to the extent that the recipient is under an obligation (whether pursuant to a short sale or otherwise) to make related payments with respect to positions in substantially similar or related property, (3) if the recipient elects to have the dividend income treated as investment income for purposes of the limitation on deductibility of investment interest, or (4) if the dividend is received from a foreign corporation that is (a) not eligible for the benefits of a comprehensive income tax treaty with the United States (with the exception of dividends paid on stock of such a foreign corporation readily tradable on an established securities market in the United States) or (b) treated as a passive foreign investment company. Additionally, dividends of an Asset Allocation Fund may not be eligible for treatment as qualified dividend income unless the holding period and other requirements for such treatment are met by both the Asset Allocation Fund and the Underlying Funds as well as the shareholder. Neither the fixed income funds nor the money market funds expect a significant portion of Fund distributions to be derived from qualified dividend income.

In general, distributions of investment income designated by a Fund as

derived from qualified dividend income will be treated as qualified dividend income by a shareholder taxed as an individual provided the shareholder meets the holding period and other requirements described above with respect to the Fund's shares. If the aggregate qualified dividends received by a Fund during any taxable year are 95% or more of its gross income (excluding net long-term capital gain over net short-term capital loss), then 100% of the Fund's dividends (other than dividends properly designated as Capital Gain Dividends) will be eligible to be treated as qualified dividend income. To the extent that a Fund makes a distribution of income received by the Fund in lieu of dividends (a "substitute payment") with respect to securities on loan pursuant to a securities lending transaction, such income will not constitute qualified dividend income and thus will not be eligible for taxation at the rates applicable to long-term capital gain. The Funds expect to use such substitute payments to satisfy Fund expenses, and therefore expect that their receipt of substitute payments will not adversely affect the percentage of distributions qualifying as qualified dividend income.

Dividends of net investment income received by corporate shareholders of a Fund will qualify for the 70% dividends received deduction generally available to corporations to the extent of the amount of qualifying dividends received by the Fund from domestic corporations for the taxable year. A dividend received by a Fund will not be treated as a qualifying dividend (1) if the stock on which the dividend is paid is considered to be "debt-financed" (generally, acquired with borrowed funds), (2) if it has been received with respect to any share of stock that such Fund has held for less than 46 days (91 days in the case of certain preferred stock) during the 91-day period beginning on the date which is 45 days before the date on which such share becomes ex-dividend with respect to such dividend (during the 181-day period beginning 90 days before such date in the case of certain preferred stock) or (3) to the extent that such Fund is under an obligation (pursuant to a short sale or otherwise) to make related payments with respect to positions in substantially similar or related property. Moreover, the dividends received deduction may be disallowed or reduced (1) if the corporate shareholder fails to satisfy the foregoing requirements with respect to its shares of the Fund or (2) by application of the Code.

A portion of the interest paid or accrued on certain high yield discount obligations owned by a Fund may not (and interest paid on debt obligations, if any, that are considered for tax purposes to be payable in the equity of the issuer or a related party will not) be deductible to an issuer. This may affect the cash flow of the issuer. If a portion of the interest paid or accrued on certain high yield discount obligations is not deductible, that portion will be treated as a dividend for purposes of the corporate dividends received deduction. In such cases, if the issuer of the high yield discount obligations is a domestic corporation, dividend payments by the Fund may be eligible for the dividends received deduction to the extent of the deemed dividend portion of such accrued interest.

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#### EXEMPT-INTEREST DIVIDENDS

A Fund will be qualified to pay exempt-interest dividends to its shareholders only if, at the close of each quarter of the Fund's taxable year, at least 50% of the total value of the Fund's assets consists of obligations the interest on which is exempt from federal income tax. Such dividends will not exceed, in the aggregate, the net interest a Fund receives during the taxable year from municipal securities and other securities exempt from the regular federal income tax. An exempt-interest dividend is any dividend or part thereof (other than a Capital Gain Dividend) paid by a Fund and properly designated as an exempt-interest dividend in a written notice mailed to shareholders not later than 60 days after the close of the Fund's taxable year. Generally, exempt-interest dividends will be excluded from a shareholder's gross income for federal income tax purposes (but may be taxable for federal alternative minimum tax purposes and for state and local tax purposes). Exempt-interest dividends attributable to investments in certain "private activity" bonds will be treated as tax preference items in computing the alternative minimum tax. Also, a portion of all other exempt-interest dividends earned by a corporation may be subject to the alternative minimum tax.

If a shareholder receives an exempt-interest dividend with respect to any share and such share is held by the shareholder for six months or less, any loss on the sale or exchange of such share will be disallowed to the extent of the amount of such exempt-interest dividend. In certain limited instances, the portion of Social Security or railroad retirement benefits that may be subject to federal income taxation may be affected by the amount of tax-exempt interest income, including exempt-interest dividends, received by a shareholder. Shareholders who receive Social Security or railroad retirement benefits should consult their tax advisers to determine what effect, if any, an investment in a Fund may have on the federal taxation of their benefits.

If a Fund intends to be qualified to pay exempt-interest dividends, the Fund may be limited in its ability to enter into taxable transactions involving forward commitments, repurchase agreements, financial futures and options contracts on financial futures, tax-exempt bond indices and other assets.

Part or all of the interest on indebtedness, if any, incurred or continued by a shareholder to purchase or carry shares of a Fund paying exempt-interest dividends is not deductible. The portion of interest that is not deductible is equal to the total interest paid or accrued on the indebtedness, multiplied by the percentage of the Fund's total distributions (not including distributions from net long-term capital gains) paid to the shareholder that are exempt-interest dividends. Under rules used by the Internal Revenue Service to determine when borrowed funds are considered used for the purpose of purchasing or carrying particular assets, the purchase of shares may be considered to have been made with borrowed funds even though such funds are not directly traceable to the purchase of shares.

In general, exempt-interest dividends, if any, attributable to interest received on certain private activity obligations and certain industrial development bonds will not be tax-exempt to any shareholders who are "substantial users" of the facilities financed by such obligations or bonds or who are "related persons" of such substantial users.

A "substantial user" is defined under U.S. Treasury Regulations to include any non-exempt person which regularly uses a part of such facilities in its trade or business and whose gross revenues derived with respect to the facilities financed by the issuance of bonds are more than 5% of the total revenues derived by all users of such facilities, which occupies more than 5% of the usable area of such facilities or for which such facilities or a part thereof were specifically constructed, reconstructed or acquired. "Related persons" include certain related natural persons, affiliated corporations, a partnership and its partners and an S corporation and its shareholders.

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A Fund which is qualified to pay exempt-interest dividends will inform investors within 60 days following the end of the Fund's fiscal year of the percentage of its income distributions designated as tax-exempt. The percentage is applied uniformly to all distributions made during the year. The percentage of income designated as tax-exempt for any particular distribution may be substantially different from the percentage of the Fund's income that was tax-exempt during the period covered by the distribution. If a tax-exempt Fund makes a distribution in excess of its net investment income and net realized capital gains, if any, in any taxable year, the excess distribution will be treated as ordinary dividend income (not eligible for tax-exempt treatment) to the extent of the Fund's current and accumulated "earnings and profits" (including earnings and profits arising from tax-exempt income, and also specifically including the amount of any non-deductible expenses arising in connection with such tax-exempt income).

The exemption from federal income tax for exempt-interest dividends does not necessarily result in exemption for such dividends under the income or other tax laws of any state or local authority. You are advised to consult with your tax advisor about state and local tax matters.

#### MUNICIPAL BOND, MUNICIPAL MONEY MARKET, AND TAX-EXEMPT FUNDS

As described in the prospectus for the Fifth Third Michigan Municipal Money Market Fund, the Fifth Third Michigan Municipal Bond Fund, the Fifth Third Ohio Municipal Bond Fund, the Fifth Third Ohio Tax Exempt Money Market Fund, the Fifth Third Municipal Bond Fund, the Fifth Third Municipal Money Market Fund, and the Fifth Third Intermediate Municipal Bond Fund, such Funds are designed to provide investors with tax-exempt interest income. These Funds are not intended to constitute a balanced investment program and are not designed for investors seeking capital appreciation. Shares of these Funds may not be suitable for tax-exempt institutions, retirement plans qualified under Section 401 of the Code, H.R. 10 plans and individual retirement accounts because such plans and accounts are generally tax-exempt and, therefore, would not gain any additional benefit from the Funds' dividends being tax-exempt. In addition, these Funds may not be an appropriate investment for persons or entities that are "substantial users" of facilities financed by private activity bonds or "related persons" thereof.

#### FOREIGN TAXES, FOREIGN CURRENCY-DENOMINATED SECURITIES AND RELATED HEDGING TRANSACTIONS

Dividends and interest received by a Fund may be subject to income, withholding or other taxes imposed by foreign countries and U.S. possessions that would reduce the yield on the Fund's securities. Tax conventions between certain countries and the United States may reduce or eliminate these taxes. Foreign countries generally do not impose taxes on capital gains with respect to

investments by foreign investors. Shareholders generally will not be entitled to claim a credit or deduction with respect to foreign taxes. However, if at the end of a Fund's fiscal year more than 50% of the value of its total assets represents securities of foreign corporations, the Fund will be eligible to make an election permitted by the Code to treat any foreign taxes paid by it on securities it has held for at least the minimum period specified in the Code as having been paid directly by the Fund's shareholders in connection with the Fund's dividends received by them.

Under normal circumstances, more than 50% of the value of Fifth Third International Equity Fund's total assets will consist of securities of foreign corporations and it will be eligible to make the election. If the election is made, shareholders generally will be required to include in U.S. taxable income their pro rata share of such taxes, and those Shareholders who are U.S. citizens, U.S. corporations and, in some cases, U.S. residents will be entitled to deduct their share of such taxes. Alternatively, such shareholders who hold Fund shares (without protection from risk of loss) on the ex-dividend date and for at least 15 other days during the 30-day period surrounding the ex-dividend date will be entitled to claim a foreign tax credit for their share of these taxes. If a Fund makes the election, it will report annually to its

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shareholders the respective amounts per share of the Fund's income from sources within, and taxes paid to, foreign countries and U.S. possessions.

Because funds of funds cannot pass through credits or deductions for foreign taxes paid, the Asset Allocation Funds do not intend to make this election if it is available.

A Fund's transactions in foreign currencies, foreign currency-denominated debt securities and certain foreign currency options, futures contracts and forward contracts (and similar instruments) may give rise to ordinary income or loss to the extent such income or loss results from fluctuations in the value of the foreign currency concerned.

Investment by a Fund in "passive foreign investment companies" ("PFICs") could subject the Fund to a U.S. federal income tax (including interest charges) or other charge on distributions received from the company or on proceeds from the sale of its investment in such a company, which tax cannot be eliminated by making distributions to Fund shareholders. However, this tax can be avoided by making an election to mark such investments to market annually or to treat a PFIC as a "qualified electing fund" ("QEF"). If a Fund makes a "mark to market" election with respect to a PFIC, the Fund will treat as gains an amount as though the Fund had sold and repurchased its holdings in that PFIC on the last day of the Fund's taxable year. If a Fund makes a QEF election with respect to a PFIC, the Fund will be required to include as income its share of the PFIC's income and net capital gains annually, regardless of whether it receives any distribution from the company. These elections may accelerate the recognition of income (without the receipt of cash) and increase the amount required to be distributed by the Fund to avoid taxation. Making either of these elections therefore may require the Fund to liquidate other investments (including when it is not advantageous to do so) to meet its distribution requirement, which also may accelerate the recognition of gain and affect the Fund's total return. Dividends paid by passive foreign investment companies will not be eligible to be treated as "qualified dividend income."

A "passive foreign investment company" is any foreign corporation: (i) 75 percent or more of the gross income of which for the taxable year is passive income, or (ii) the average percentage of the assets of which (generally by value, but by adjusted tax basis in certain cases) that produce or are held for the production of passive income is at least 50 percent. Generally, passive income for this purpose means dividends, interest (including income equivalent to interest), royalties, rents, annuities, the excess of gain over losses from certain property transactions and commodities transactions, and foreign currency gains. Passive income for this purpose does not include rents and royalties received by the foreign corporation from active business and certain income received from related persons.

#### SELLING SHARES

Shareholders who sell, exchange or redeem Fund shares will generally recognize gain or loss in an amount equal to the difference between their adjusted tax basis in the Fund shares and the amount received (although such a gain or loss is unlikely in a money market fund). In general, any gain or loss realized upon taxable disposition of Fund shares will be treated as long-term capital gain or loss if the shares have been held for more than 12 months, and as short-term capital gain or loss if the shares have not been held for more than 12 months. The tax rate generally applicable to net capital gains recognized by individuals and other noncorporate taxpayers is (i) the same as the maximum ordinary income tax rate for short-term capital gains or (ii) for

taxable years beginning on or before January 1, 2011, 15% for long-term capital gains (including Capital Gain Dividends) with lower rates applicable to taxpayers in the 10% and 15% tax brackets.

Any loss realized upon a taxable disposition of Fund shares held for six months or less will be treated as a long-term capital loss to the extent of any long-term capital gain distributions received (or

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deemed received) by a shareholder with respect to those Fund shares. For purposes of determining whether Fund shares have been held for six months or less, the holding period is suspended for any periods during which your risk of loss is diminished as a result of holding one or more other positions in substantially similar or related property, or through certain options or short sales. In addition, any loss realized on a sale or exchange of Fund shares will be disallowed to the extent that Fund shareholders replace the disposed of Fund shares with other Fund shares within a period of 61 days beginning 30 days before and ending 30 days after the date of disposition, which could, for example, occur as a result of automatic dividend reinvestment. In such an event, a Fund shareholder's basis in the replacement Fund shares will be adjusted to reflect the disallowed loss.

#### HEDGING

If a Fund engages in hedging transactions, including hedging transactions in options, futures contracts, and straddles, or other similar transactions, it will be subject to special tax rules (including constructive sales, mark-to-market, straddle, wash sale, and short sale rules), the effect of which may be to accelerate income to the Fund, defer losses to the Fund, cause adjustments in the holding periods of the Fund's securities, convert long-term capital gains into short-term capital gains, or convert short-term capital losses into long-term capital losses. These rules could therefore affect the amount, timing and character of distributions to shareholders. Each Fund will endeavor to make any available elections pertaining to such transactions in a manner believed to be in the best interests of the Fund.

Certain of a Fund's hedging activities (including its transactions, if any, in foreign currencies or foreign currency-denominated instruments) are likely to produce a difference between its book income and the sum of its taxable income and net tax-exempt income (if any). If a Fund's book income exceeds the sum of its taxable income and net tax-exempt income (if any), the distribution (if any) of such excess will be treated as (i) a dividend to the extent of the Fund's remaining earnings and profits (including earnings and profits arising from tax-exempt income), (ii) thereafter as a return of capital to the extent of a recipient's basis in the shares, and (iii) thereafter as gain from the sale or exchange of a capital asset. If the Fund's book income is less than the sum of its taxable income and net tax-exempt income (if any), the Fund could be required to make distributions exceeding book income to qualify as a regulated investment company that is accorded special tax treatment.

#### DISCOUNT SECURITIES

Some debt obligations with a fixed maturity date of more than one year from the date of issuance (and all zero-coupon debt obligations with a fixed maturity date of more than one year from the date of issuance) that are acquired by a Fund will be treated as debt obligations that are issued originally at a discount. Generally, the amount of an original issue discount ("OID") is treated as interest income and is included in taxable income (and required to be distributed) over the term of the debt security, even though payment of that amount is not received until a later time, usually when the debt security matures. Interest paid on debt obligations owned by a Fund that are considered for tax purposes to be payable in the equity of the issuer or a related party will not be deductible to the issuer, possibly affecting the cash flow of the issuer.

Some debt obligations with a fixed maturity date of more than one year from the date of issuance that are acquired by a Fund in the secondary market may be treated as having market discount. Generally, any gain recognized on the disposition of, and any partial payment of principal on, a debt security having market discount is treated as ordinary income to the extent the gain, or principal payment, does not exceed the "accrued market discount" on such debt security. Market discount generally accrues in equal daily installments. A Fund may make one or more of the elections applicable to debt obligations having market discount, which could affect the character and timing of recognition of income by the Fund.

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Some debt obligations with a fixed maturity date of one year or less from the date of issuance that are acquired by a Fund may be treated as having acquisition discount, or OID in the case of certain types of debt obligations. Generally, the Fund will be required to include the acquisition discount, or OID, in income over the term of the debt security, even though payment of that amount is not received until a later time, usually when the debt security matures. The Fund may make one or more of the elections applicable to debt obligations having acquisition discount, or OID, which could affect the character and timing of recognition of income by the Fund.

If a Fund holds the foregoing kinds of securities, it may be required to accrue and distribute income not yet received. In order to generate sufficient cash to make the requisite distributions, a Fund may be required to sell securities in its portfolio that it otherwise would have continued to hold. The Fund may realize gains or losses from such liquidations, and its shareholders may receive a larger capital gain distribution than they would in the absence of such transactions.

#### REAL ESTATE INVESTMENT TRUSTS

Some of the real estate investment trusts ("REITs") in which a Fund may invest may be permitted to hold residual interests in real estate mortgage investment conduits ("REMICs"). Under Treasury regulations that have not yet been issued, but may apply retroactively, a portion of a fund's income from a REIT that is attributable to the REIT's residual interest in a REMIC (referred to in the Code as an "excess inclusion") will be subject to federal income tax in all events. This guidance provides that excess inclusion income of a regulated investment company, such as a Fund, will be allocated to shareholders of the regulated investment company in proportion to the dividends received by such shareholders, with the same consequences as if the shareholders held the related REMIC residual interest directly. As a result, a Fund may not be a suitable investment for charitable remainder trusts, as noted below. Dividends paid by REITs generally will not be eligible to be treated as "qualified dividend income."

In general, excess inclusion income allocated to shareholders (i) cannot be offset by net operating losses (subject to a limited exception for certain thrift institutions), (ii) will constitute unrelated business taxable income to entities (including a qualified pension plan, an individual retirement account, a 401(k) plan, a Keogh plan or other tax-exempt entity) subject to tax on unrelated business income ("UBTI"), thereby potentially requiring such an entity that is allocated excess inclusion income, and otherwise might not be required to file a tax return, to file a tax return and pay tax on such income, and (iii) in the case of a foreign shareholder, will not qualify for any reduction in U.S. federal withholding tax. Under legislation enacted in December 2006, if a charitable remainder trust (defined in Section 664 of the Code) realizes any unrelated business taxable income for a taxable year, a 100% excise tax is imposed on such unrelated business taxable income. Under IRS guidance issued in November 2006, a charitable remainder trust will not recognize UBTI solely as a result of investing in a fund that recognizes "excess inclusion income." Rather, if at any time during any taxable year a charitable remainder trust (or one of certain other tax-exempt shareholders, such as the United States, a state or political subdivision, or an agency or instrumentality thereof, and certain energy cooperatives) is a record holder of a share in a regulated investment company, then the regulated investment company will be subject to a tax equal to that portion of its excess inclusion income for the taxable year that is allocable to such shareholders, multiplied by the highest U.S. federal income tax rate imposed on corporations. To the extent permitted under the 1940 Act, a Fund may elect to specially allocate any such tax to the applicable disqualified organization, and thus reduce the shareholder's distributions for the year by the amount of the tax that relates to the shareholder's interest in a Fund. The Funds have not yet determined whether this election will be made. The extent to which the November 2006 IRS guidance remains applicable in light of the December 2006 legislation is unclear. The Funds do not intend to invest directly in residual interests in REMICs or to invest in REITs in which a substantial portion of the assets will consist of residual interests in REMICs.

#### BACKUP WITHHOLDING

A Fund generally is required to withhold and remit to the U.S. Treasury a percentage of the taxable dividends and other distributions paid to and proceeds of share sales, exchanges or redemptions made by any individual shareholder who fails to properly furnish the Fund with a correct taxpayer identification number (TIN), who has under-reported dividend or interest income, or who fails to certify to the Fund that he or she is not subject to

such withholding. The backup withholding tax rate is 28% for amounts paid through 2010. The backup withholding rate will be 31% for amounts paid after December 31, 2010, unless Congress enacts tax legislation providing otherwise.

Backup withholding is not an additional tax. Any amounts withheld may be credited against the shareholder's U.S. federal income tax liability, provided the appropriate information is furnished to the Internal Revenue Service.

In order for a foreign investor to qualify for exemption from the backup withholding tax rates under income tax treaties, the foreign investor must comply with the special certification and filing requirements. Foreign investors in a Fund should consult their tax advisers with respect to this regard.

#### TAX SHELTER REPORTING REGULATIONS

Under Treasury regulations, if a shareholder realizes a loss on disposition of the Fund's shares of \$2 million or more for an individual shareholder or \$10 million or more for a corporate shareholder, the shareholder must file with the Internal Revenue Service a disclosure statement on Form 8886. Direct shareholders of portfolio securities are in many cases excepted from this reporting requirement, but under current guidance, shareholders of a regulated investment company are not excepted. Future guidance may extend the current exception from this reporting requirement to shareholders of most or all regulated investment companies. The fact that a loss is reportable under these regulations does not affect the legal determination of whether a taxpayer's treatment of the loss is proper. Shareholders should consult their tax advisers to determine the applicability of these regulations in light of their individual circumstances.

#### SHARES PURCHASED THROUGH TAX-QUALIFIED PLANS

Special tax rules apply to investments through defined contribution plans and other tax-qualified plans. Shareholders should consult their tax adviser to determine the suitability of shares of a Fund as an investment through such plans and the precise effect of such an investment in their particular tax situations.

#### NON-U.S. SHAREHOLDERS

Capital Gain Dividends and exempt-interest dividends will not be subject to withholding of federal income tax. In general, dividends (other than Capital Gain Dividends) paid by a Fund to a shareholder that is not a "U.S. person" within the meaning of the Code (such shareholder, a "foreign person") are subject to withholding of U.S. federal income tax at a rate of 30% (or lower applicable treaty rate) even if they are funded by income or gains (such as portfolio interest, short-term capital gains, or foreign-source dividend and interest income) that, if paid to a foreign person directly, would not be subject to withholding. However, effective for taxable years of a Fund beginning before January 1, 2008, such Fund will not be required to withhold any amounts (i) with respect to distributions (other than distributions to a foreign person (w) that has not provided a satisfactory statement that the beneficial owner is not a U.S. person, (x) to the extent that the dividend is attributable to certain interest on an

obligation if the foreign person is the issuer or is a 10% shareholder of the issuer, (y) that is within certain foreign countries that have inadequate information exchange with the United States, or (z) to the extent the dividend is attributable to interest paid by a person that is a related person of the foreign person and the foreign person is a controlled foreign corporation) from U.S.-source interest income that, in general, would not be subject to U.S. federal income tax if earned directly by an individual foreign person, to the extent such distributions are properly designated by such Fund, and (ii) with respect to distributions (other than distributions to an individual foreign person who is present in the United States for a period or periods aggregating 183 days or more during the year of the distribution) of net short-term capital gains in excess of net long-term capital losses, to the extent such distributions are properly designated by such Fund. Depending on the circumstances, a Fund may make such designations with respect to all, some, or none of its potentially eligible dividends and/or treat such dividends, in whole or in part, as ineligible for this exemption from withholding. Pending legislation would extend the exemption from withholding for interest-related and short-term capital gain distributions for one year, i.e. for taxable years beginning before January 1, 2009. At the time of this filing, it is unclear whether this legislation will be enacted. In the case of shares held through an intermediary, the intermediary may withhold even if a Fund makes a designation with respect to a payment. Foreign shareholders should contact their

intermediaries with respect to the application of these rules to their accounts.

If a beneficial holder who is a foreign person has a trade or business in the United States, and the dividends are effectively connected with the conduct by the beneficial holder of a trade or business in the United States, the dividends will be subject to U.S. federal net income taxation at regular income tax rates.

#### TAX-EXEMPT SHAREHOLDERS

Under current law, a Fund serves to "block" (that is, prevent the attribution to shareholders of) unrelated business taxable income ("UBTI") from being realized by tax-exempt shareholders. Notwithstanding this "blocking" effect, a tax-exempt shareholder could realize UBTI by virtue of its investment in a Fund if shares in the Fund constitute debt-financed property in the hands of the tax-exempt shareholder within the meaning of Code Section 514(b).

#### GENERAL

The foregoing discussion is only a summary of some of the important Federal tax considerations generally affecting purchasers of the Funds' shares. No attempt has been made to present a detailed explanation of the Federal income tax treatment of the Funds, and this discussion is not intended as a substitute for careful tax planning. Accordingly, potential purchasers of a Fund's shares are urged to consult their tax advisers with specific reference to their own tax situation. Foreign shareholders should consult their tax advisers regarding the U.S. and foreign tax consequences of an investment in any of the Funds. In addition, this discussion is based on tax laws and regulations that are in effect on the date of this Statement of Additional Information; such laws and regulations may be changed by legislative, judicial or administrative action, and such changes may be retroactive.

#### FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The financial statements and related registered independent public accountant's report for the Funds for the fiscal year ended July 31, 2007 are incorporated herein by reference to the Annual Report to Shareholders of the Fifth Third Funds dated July 31, 2007 (File Nos. 33-24848 and 811-05669).

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#### APPENDIX

##### STANDARD AND POOR'S RATINGS GROUP CORPORATE AND MUNICIPAL BOND RATING DEFINITIONS

AAA-Debt rated "AAA" has the highest rating assigned by S&P. Capacity to pay interest and repay principal is extremely strong.

AA-Debt rated "AA" has a very strong capacity to pay interest and repay principal and differs from the higher rated issues only in small degree.

A-Debt rated "A" has a strong capacity to pay interest and repay principal although it is somewhat more susceptible to the adverse effects of changes in circumstances and economic conditions than debt in higher rated categories.

BBB-Debt rated "BBB" is regarded as having an adequate capacity to pay interest and repay principal. Whereas it normally exhibits adequate protection parameters, adverse economic conditions or changing circumstances are more likely to lead to a weakened capacity to pay interest and repay principal for debt in this category than in higher rated categories.

BB- Debt rated "BB" has less near-term vulnerability to default than other speculative issues. However, it faces major ongoing uncertainties or exposure to adverse business, financial or economic conditions which could lead to inadequate capacity to meet timely interest and principal payments. The BB rating category is also used for debt subordinated to senior debt that is assigned an actual or implied BBB rating.

B-Debt rated "B" has a greater vulnerability to default but currently has the capacity to meet interest payments and principal repayments. Adverse business, financial or economic conditions will likely impair capacity or willingness to pay interest and repay principal. The B rating category is also used for debt subordinated to senior debt that is assigned an actual or implied BB or BB- rating.

CCC-Debt rated "CCC" has a currently identifiable vulnerability to default and is dependent upon favorable business, financial or economic conditions to meet

timely payment of interest and repayment of principal. In the event of adverse business, financial or economic conditions, it is not likely to have the capacity to pay interest or repay principal. The CCC rating category is also used for debt subordinated to senior debt that is assigned an actual or implied B or B- rating.

CC-The rating "CC" is typically applied to debt subordinated to senior debt that is assigned an actual or implied CCC rating.

C-The rating "C" is typically applied to debt subordinated to senior debt which is assigned an actual or implied CCC- debt rating. The C rating may be used to cover a situation where a bankruptcy has been filed but debt service payments are continued.

CI-The rating "CI" is reserved for income bonds on which no interest is being paid.

D-Debt rated "D" is in payment default. The D rating category is used when interest payments or principal payments are not made on the date due even if the applicable grace period has not expired, unless S&P believes that such payments will be made during such grace period. The D rating also will be used upon the filing of a bankruptcy petition and debt service payments are jeopardized.

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NR-NR indicates that no public rating has been requested, that there is insufficient information on which to base a rating, or that S&P does not rate a particular type of obligation as a matter of policy. S&P may apply a plus (+) or minus (-) to the above rating classifications to show relative standing within the classifications.

MOODY'S INVESTORS SERVICE, INC. CORPORATE AND  
MUNICIPAL BOND RATING DEFINITIONS

Aaa-Bonds which are rated Aaa are judged to be of the best quality. They carry the smallest degree of investment risk and are generally referred to as "gilt edged." Interest payments are protected by a large or by an exceptionally stable margin and principal is secure. While the various protective elements are likely to change, such changes as can be visualized are most unlikely to impair the fundamentally strong position of such issues.

Aa-Bonds which are rated Aa are judged to be of high quality by all standards. Together with the Aaa group, they comprise what are generally known as high-grade bonds. They are rated lower than the best bonds because margins of protection may not be as large as in Aaa securities or fluctuation of protective elements may be of greater amplitude or there may be other elements present which make the long-term risks appear somewhat larger than in Aaa securities.

A-Bonds which are rated A possess many favorable investment attributes and are to be considered as upper medium-grade obligations. Factors giving security to principal and interest are considered adequate but elements may be present which suggest a susceptibility to impairment sometime in the future.

Baa-Bonds which are rated Baa are considered as medium-grade obligations (i.e., they are neither highly protected nor poorly secured). Interest payments and principal security appear adequate for the present but certain protective elements may be lacking or may be characteristically unreliable over any great length of time. Such bonds lack outstanding investment characteristics and in fact have speculative characteristics as well.

Ba- Bonds which are rated Ba are judged to have speculative elements; their future cannot be considered as well assured. Often the protection of interest and principal payments may be very moderate and thereby not well safeguarded during both good and bad times over the future. Uncertainty of position characterizes bonds in this class.

B- Bonds which are rated B generally lack characteristics of the desirable investment. Assurance of interest and principal payments or of maintenance of other terms of the contract over any long period of time may be small.

Caa- Bonds which are rated Caa are of poor standing. Such issues may be in default or there may be present elements of danger with respect to principal or interest.

Ca- Bonds which are rated Ca represent obligations which are speculative in a high degree. Such issues are often in default or have other marked shortcomings.

C- Bonds which are rated C are the lowest rated class of bonds and issues so rated can be regarded as having extremely poor prospects of ever attaining any real investment standing.

NR-Not rated by Moody's. Moody's applies numerical modifiers, 1, 2 and 3, in each generic rating classification from Aa through B in its bond rating system.

ranks in the higher end of its generic rating category; the modifier 2 indicates a mid-range ranking; and the modifier 3 indicates that the issue ranks in the lower end of its generic rating category.

FITCH INVESTORS SERVICE, INC. LONG-TERM DEBT RATING DEFINITIONS

AAA-Bonds considered to be investment grade and of the highest credit quality. The obligor has an exceptionally strong ability to pay interest and repay principal, which is unlikely to be affected by reasonably foreseeable events.

AA-Bonds considered to be investment grade and of very high quality. The obligor's ability to pay interest and repay principal is very strong, although not quite as strong as bonds rated AAA. Because bonds rated in the AAA and AA categories are not significantly vulnerable to foreseeable future developments, short-term debt of these issuers is generally rated F-1+.

A-Bonds considered to be investment grade and of high credit quality. The obligor's ability to pay interest and repay principal is considered to be strong, but may be more vulnerable to adverse changes in economic conditions and circumstances than bonds with higher ratings.

BBB- BBB ratings indicate that there is currently a low expectation of credit risk. Capacity for timely payment of financial commitments is considered adequate, but adverse changes in circumstances and in economic conditions are more likely to impair this capacity. This is the lowest investment grade category.

BB- BB ratings indicate that there is a possibility of credit risk developing, particularly as the result of adverse economic change over time; however, business or financial alternatives may be available to allow financial commitments to be met. Securities rated in this category are not investment grade.

B- B ratings indicate that significant credit risk is present, but a limited margin of safety remains. Financial commitments are currently being met; however, capacity for continued payment is contingent upon a sustained, favorable business and economic environment.

CCC, CC, C- Default is a real possibility. Capacity for meeting financial commitments is solely reliant upon sustained, favorable business or economic developments. A "CC" rating indicates that default of some kind appears probable. `C' ratings signal imminent default.

DDD, DD, D-Securities have defaulted on some or all of their obligations. `DDD' designates the highest prospect for resumption of performance or continued operation with or without a formal reorganization process. For U.S. corporates, for example, "DD" indicates potential recovery of 50%-90% of such outstanding, and "D" the lowest recovery potential, i.e. below 50%.

NR-NR indicates that Fitch does not rate the specific issue.

Plus (+) or Minus (-): Plus and minus signs are used with a rating symbol to indicate the relative position of a credit within the rating category. Plus and minus signs, however, are not used in the AAA category.

STANDARD AND POOR'S RATINGS GROUP MUNICIPAL  
NOTE RATING DEFINITIONS

SP-1-Very strong or strong capacity to pay principal and interest. Those issues determined to possess overwhelming safety characteristics will be given a plus sign (+) designation.

SP-2-Satisfactory capacity to pay principal and interest.

SP-3-Speculative capacity to pay principal and interest.

MOODY'S INVESTORS SERVICE SHORT-TERM LOAN RATING DEFINITIONS

MIG1/VMIG1-This designation denotes best quality. There is a present strong protection by established cash flows, superior liquidity support or demonstrated broad based access to the market for refinancing.

MIG2/VMIG2-This designation denotes high quality. Margins of protection are ample although not so large as in the preceding group.

FITCH INVESTORS SERVICE, INC. SHORT-TERM DEBT RATING DEFINITIONS

F-1+--Exceptionally Strong Credit Quality. Issues assigned this rating are regarded as having the strongest degree of assurance for timely payment.

F-1-Very Strong Credit Quality. Issues assigned this rating reflect an assurance of timely payment only slightly less in degree than issues rated F-I+.

F-2-Good Credit Quality. Issues carrying this rating have a satisfactory degree of assurance for timely payment, but the margin of safety is not as great as the F- I + and F- 1 categories.

F-3-Fair Credit Quality. The capacity for timely payment of financial commitments is adequate; however, near-term adverse changes could result in a reduction to non-investment grade.

B-Speculative. Minimal capacity for timely payment of financial commitments, plus vulnerability to near-term adverse changes in financial and economic conditions.

C-High Default Risk. Default is a real possibility. Capacity for meeting financial commitments is solely reliant upon a sustained, favorable business and economic environment.

D-Default. Denotes actual or imminent payment default.

STANDARD AND POOR'S RATINGS GROUP COMMERCIAL  
PAPER RATING DEFINITIONS

A-1-This designation indicates that the degree of safety regarding timely payment is strong. Those issues determined to have extremely strong safety characteristics are denoted with a plus (+) sign.

A-2-Capacity for timely payment on issues with this designation is satisfactory. However, the relative degree of safety is not as high as for issues designated A-1.

A-3-Issues carrying this designation have adequate capacity for timely payment. They are, however, more vulnerable to the adverse effects of changes in circumstances than obligations carrying the higher designations.

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MOODY'S INVESTORS SERVICE, INC. COMMERCIAL PAPER RATING DEFINITIONS

Prime-1 -Issuers rated Prime-1 (or related supporting institutions) have a superior capacity for repayment of senior short-term promissory obligations. Prime-1 repayment capacity will often be evidenced by the following characteristics:

- o Leading market positions in well-established industries.
- o High rates of return on funds employed.
- o Conservative capitalization structure with moderate reliance on debt and ample asset protection.
- o Broad margins in earnings coverage of fixed financial charges and high internal cash generation.
- o Well-established access to a range of financial markets and assured sources of alternate liquidity.

Prime-2-Issuers (or supporting institutions) rated Prime-2 (P-2) have a strong capacity for repayment of senior short-term debt obligations. This will normally be evidenced by many of the characteristics cited above, but to a lesser degree. Earnings trends and coverage ratios, while sound, may be more subject to variation. Capitalization characteristics, while still appropriate, may be more affected by external conditions. Ample alternate liquidity is maintained.

Prime-3-Issuers rated Prime-3 have an acceptable ability for payment of short-term promissory obligations.

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