

Prudential Global Short Duration High Yield Fund, Inc.  
Form N-CSR  
September 29, 2015

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

**FORM N-CSR**

**CERTIFIED SHAREHOLDER REPORT OF REGISTERED**  
**MANAGEMENT INVESTMENT COMPANIES**

Investment Company Act file number:	811-22724
Exact name of registrant as specified in charter:	Prudential Global Short Duration High Yield Fund, Inc.
Address of principal executive offices:	655 Broad Street, 17 <sup>th</sup> Floor Newark, New Jersey 07102
Name and address of agent for service:	Deborah A. Docs 655 Broad Street, 17 <sup>th</sup> Floor Newark, New Jersey 07102
Registrant's telephone number, including area code:	973-367-7521
Date of fiscal year end:	7/31/2015
Date of reporting period:	7/31/2015

Item 1 Reports to Stockholders

PRUDENTIAL INVESTMENTS»CLOSED-END FUNDS

## **PRUDENTIAL GLOBAL SHORT DURATION HIGH YIELD FUND, INC.**

**ANNUAL REPORT · JULY 31, 2015**

### **Objective**

High level of current income

The views expressed in this report and information about the Fund's portfolio holdings are for the period covered by this report and are subject to change thereafter.

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September 15, 2015

Dear Shareholder:

We hope you find the annual report for Prudential Global Short Duration High Yield Fund, Inc. informative and useful. The report covers performance for the 12-month period ended July 31, 2015.

Since market conditions change over time, we believe it is important to maintain a diversified portfolio of funds consistent with your tolerance for risk, time horizon, and financial goals.

Your financial advisor can help you create a diversified investment plan that may include funds covering all the basic asset classes and that reflects your personal investor profile and risk tolerance. Keep in mind, however, that diversification and asset allocation strategies do not assure a profit or protect against loss in declining markets.

Prudential Investments® is dedicated to helping you solve your toughest investment challenges whether it's capital growth, reliable income, or protection from market volatility and other risks. We offer the expertise of Prudential Financial's affiliated asset managers that strive to be leaders in a broad range of funds to help you stay on course to the future you envision. They also manage money for major corporations and pension funds around the world, which means you benefit from the same expertise, innovation, and attention to risk demanded by today's most sophisticated investors.

Thank you for choosing the Prudential Investments family of funds.

Sincerely,

Stuart S. Parker, President

Prudential Global Short Duration High Yield Fund, Inc.

## Your Fund's Performance (Unaudited)

**Performance data quoted represent past performance and assume the reinvestment of all dividends. Past performance does not guarantee future results. An investor may obtain more recent performance data by visiting our website at [www.prudentialfunds.com](http://www.prudentialfunds.com).**

### Investment Objective

The Fund seeks to provide a high level of current income by investing primarily in higher-rated, below-investment-grade fixed income instruments of issuers located around the world, including emerging markets.\* The Fund seeks to maintain a weighted average portfolio duration of three years or less and a weighted average maturity of five years or less.

*\*There can be no guarantee the Fund will achieve its objective. Higher-rated high yield bonds, commonly referred to as junk bonds, are below investment grade and are considered speculative. They are rated Ba, B by Moody's Investors Service, Inc. (Moody's); BB, B by Standard & Poor's Ratings Services (S&P) or Fitch Inc. (Fitch); or comparably rated by another nationally recognized statistical rating organization (NRSRO), or if unrated, are considered by PIM to be of comparable quality.*

### Performance Snapshot as of 7/31/15

Price Per Share	Total Return For 12 Months Ended 7/31/15
\$17.07 (NAV)	2.31%
\$14.70 (Market Price)	3.28%

*Total returns are based on changes in net asset value (NAV) or market price, respectively. NAV total return assumes the reinvestment of all distributions, including returns of capital, if any, at NAV. Market Price total return assumes the reinvestment of all distributions, including returns of capital, if any, in additional shares in accordance with the Fund's Dividend Reinvestment Plan.*

Source: Prudential Investments LLC.

### Key Fund Statistics as of 7/31/15

Duration	2.6 years	Average Maturity	3.8 years
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*Duration shown includes the impact of leverage. Duration measures investment risk that takes into account both a bond's interest payments and its value to maturity. Average Maturity is the average number of years to maturity of the Fund's bonds.*

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**Credit Quality** expressed as a percentage of total investments as of 7/31/15

A	0.3%
BBB	3.6
BB	47.9
B	39.9
CCC	5.8
Not Rated	0.5
Cash/Cash Equivalents	2.0
<b>Total Investments</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Source: PIM

*Credit ratings reflect the highest rating assigned by Moody's, S&P, or Fitch. Credit ratings reflect the common nomenclature used by both S&P and Fitch. Where applicable, Moody's ratings are converted to the comparable S&P/Fitch rating tier nomenclature. These rating agencies are independent, nationally recognized statistical rating organizations and are widely used. Credit ratings are subject to change.*

**Yield and Dividends** as of 7/31/15

<b>Total Monthly Dividends Paid per Share for Period</b>	<b>Current Monthly Dividend Paid per Share</b>	<b>Yield at Market Price as of 7/31/15</b>
\$1.75	\$0.125	10.20%

*Yield at Market Price is the annualized rate determined by dividing current monthly dividend paid per share by the market price per share as of July 31, 2015.*

## Strategy and Performance Overview

### How did the Fund perform?

For the 12-month reporting period that ended July 31, 2015, the **Prudential Global Short Duration High Yield Fund, Inc.** returned 3.28% based on market price and 2.31% based on net asset value (NAV). For the same period, the Lipper Closed End High Yield Leveraged Funds Average returned 1.07% and the Barclays Global High Yield Ba/B 1-5 Year 1% Issuer Constrained (USD Hedged) Index (the Index) returned 2.64%. All returns reflect reinvestment of dividends.

### What were conditions like in the short-term global high yield corporate bond market?

Global high yield bonds generated a positive total return during the period, despite increased volatility that was driven by the slide in oil prices, concern about a potential interest rate hike by the Federal Reserve (Fed), and uncertainty surrounding Greece's government-debt crisis. With the exception of energy and metals and mining companies, global high yield market performance was fueled by the continuing search for yield, against a backdrop of generally strong fundamentals for high yield issuers. Default rates remained well below historical averages.

The short duration, higher-quality sub-style of global high yield bonds, as measured by the Index, performed significantly better than the broad global index, returning 2.64%. Within this sub-style, debt securities with healthier fundamentals outperformed. BB-rated and B-rated bonds returned 4.22% and 0.33%, respectively. CCC-rated bonds performed the worst, returning -6.76%. Among the best sector performers were financials, chemicals, and health care, with each returning more than 5.6%. The energy sector was by far the worst performer, returning -16.0%. Metals and mining was the only other sector with a significantly negative return, posting -5.0% for the period.

Across the regional components of the broad global high yield universe, the emerging markets component returned 3.5% over the period, compared to the US high yield corporate component, which was up 0.4%. The European high yield corporate component was the outperformer for the period, largely due to its negligible exposure to energy, returning 3.8% for the period.

### What strategies proved most beneficial to the Fund's performance?

The Fund benefited from strong sector and security selection during the reporting period.

The Fund's underweight in the energy sector, which sold off significantly during the period, was the largest positive contributor to performance. Overweight positions in the technology, health care and pharmaceutical, and gaming sectors also added to returns.

Solid security selection in the building materials and home construction, technology, transportation and environmental services, and paper and packaging sectors enhanced results.

The Fund benefited from its underweight in energy names, including US-based oil and natural gas companies **Linn Energy** and **Energy XXI**. A lack of exposure to Brazilian mining and exploration company **CMP Participacoes** contributed positively. The Fund's overweights in Venezuela and in US chemical manufacturer **Eastman Chemical Company** also bolstered performance.

#### **What strategies detracted most from the Fund's performance?**

Underweight positions in banking and emerging markets sovereign debt hurt performance, as both sectors outperformed the overall high yield market. The Fund's overweights in the metals and mining and industrials sectors also dampened results.

The Fund was hampered by security selection within the retailers and restaurants, consumer, energy, and emerging markets sovereign debt sectors.

An underweight to Russian corporate bonds, which performed well after being downgraded into the high yield category in the first quarter of 2015, detracted from performance during the period.

The largest individual detractors from Fund performance were overweight positions in **Phones 4U**, a UK mobile phone provider; **Afren**, a UK-headquartered oil and gas exploration and production company operating primarily in Nigeria; **Berau Coal**, an Indonesian coal producer; and **Intercontinental Exchange**, a US network of exchanges and clearinghouses for financial and commodity markets.

#### **How did the Fund's borrowing (leverage) strategy affect its performance?**

The Fund's use of leverage contributed positively to results as the returns of the securities purchased was in excess of the cost of borrowing.

As of July 31, 2015, the Fund had borrowed approximately \$275 million and was about 28.2% leveraged. During the reporting period, the average amount of leverage utilized by the Fund was about 28.0%.

#### **Did the Fund have exposure to derivatives, and how did they affect performance?**

Derivatives in the form of forward currency exchange contracts were used to hedge against the Fund's positions not denominated in US dollars. Changes in the Fund's foreign currency positions were offset by price movements in the Fund's bond holdings, so the use of foreign currency exchange contracts had a minimal effect on performance on a net basis.



## Strategy and Performance Overview (continued)

### **Were there any changes to the Fund's management?**

Paul Appleby, CFA, Managing Director for PIM (PIM), has announced his intention to retire effective on or about January 2016. Mr. Appleby currently serves as a portfolio manager for the Fund. After Mr. Appleby retires, the Fund will continue to be managed by a team of seven portfolio managers, which includes Robert Cignarella, CFA, who is a Managing Director and co-head of Prudential Fixed Income's Global Leveraged Finance Team.

In addition, as noted in the Fund's semiannual report dated January 31, 2015, to take greater advantage of the global scope of Prudential Fixed Income's resources and enhance our service to investors, Pramerica Investment Management Limited (PIML), an indirect wholly owned subsidiary of PIM, was added in a sub-advisory role to the Fund. This Board-approved change, which was effective on May 1, 2015, had no impact on the Fund's management team, investment process, or strategy. PIML has been increasingly involved in providing research that supports investments made in the Fund, and this addition has helped to facilitate the Fund's trading activities due to time zone differences outside the U.S. The fee for PIML's services is paid by PIM, not the Fund or the Fund's manager. Based in London, PIML has a staff of 52 employees, including 28 investment professionals.

## Benchmark Definitions

### **Barclays Global High Yield Ba/B 1-5 Year 1% Issuer Constrained Index**

The Barclays Global High Yield Ba/B 1-5 Year 1% Issuer Constrained Index is an unmanaged index which represents the performance of short duration higher-rated high yield bonds in the United States, developed markets, and emerging markets.

Source: Barclays.

### **Lipper Closed End High Yield Leveraged Funds Average**

The Lipper High Yield Funds (Leveraged) Average (Lipper Average) represents returns based on an average return of 35 funds in the Lipper Closed-End High Yield Funds (Leveraged) category.

Investors cannot invest directly in an index or average.

### **Looking for additional information?**

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The Fund is traded under the symbol GHY, and its closing market price is available online on most financial websites and may be available in most newspapers under the New York Stock Exchange (NYSE) listings. The daily NAV is available online under the symbol XGHYX on most financial websites. *Barron's* and *The Wall Street Journal's* Monday edition both carry closed-end fund tables that provide additional information. In addition, the Fund issues press releases that can be found on most major financial websites as well as on [www.prudentialfunds.com](http://www.prudentialfunds.com).

In a continuing effort to provide information concerning the Fund, shareholders may go to [www.prudentialfunds.com](http://www.prudentialfunds.com) or call 1 (800) 451-6788 (toll free), Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Eastern Time, for the Fund's current NAV, market price, and other information.

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## Portfolio of Investments

as of July 31, 2015

Description	Interest Rate	Maturity Date	Principal Amount (000)#	Value (Note 1)
<b>LONG-TERM INVESTMENTS</b> 134.3%				
<b>BANK LOANS(a)</b> 5.4%				
<b>Building Materials &amp; Construction</b> 0.5%				
Materis CHRYSO SA (France)	4.750%	08/13/21	EUR 3,000	\$ 3,272,390
<b>Capital Goods</b> 0.5%				
Laureate Education, Inc.	5.000	06/16/18	2,437	2,272,377
Neff Rental LLC	7.250	06/09/21	1,054	1,040,628
				3,313,005
<b>Chemicals</b> 0.1%				
Axalta Coating Systems (US Holdings), Inc.	3.750	02/01/20	944	942,125
<b>Foods</b> 1.0%				
Agrokor DD Spv2 (Croatia), PIK	9.500	06/04/18	EUR 4,700	5,216,616
Jacobs Douwe Egberts (Netherlands)	4.250	07/02/22	EUR 1,900	2,094,173
				7,310,789
<b>Gaming</b> 0.9%				
Gala Group Finance PLC (United Kingdom), RegS	5.511	05/25/18	GBP 4,000	6,247,452
<b>Metals</b> 1.1%				
FMG Resources (August 2006) Pty. Ltd.	3.750	06/30/19	4,471	3,658,687
Murray Energy Corp.	7.500	04/16/20	5,000	4,143,750
				7,802,437
<b>Non-Captive Finance</b> 0.5%				
Scout24 AG (Germany)	3.750	02/28/21	EUR 3,000	3,291,806
<b>Technology</b> 0.4%				
BMC Software Finance, Inc.	5.000	09/10/20	2,743	2,501,419
<b>Telecommunications</b> 0.4%				
Communications Sales & Leasing, Inc.	5.000	10/24/22	3,100	3,017,332
<b>TOTAL BANK LOANS</b> (cost \$42,429,865)				37,698,755

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## Portfolio of Investments

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Description	Interest Rate	Maturity Date	Principal Amount (000)#	Value (Note 1)
<b>CORPORATE BONDS 89.6%</b>				
<b>Airlines 2.1%</b>				
Continental Airlines, Inc., Pass-Through Trust, Series 2012-3, Class C, Pass-Through Certificates(b)	6.125%	04/29/18	14,280	\$ 14,922,600
<b>Automotive 0.6%</b>				
American Axle & Manufacturing, Inc.,				
Gtd. Notes	5.125	02/15/19	1,050	1,068,375
Gtd. Notes	7.750	11/15/19	2,722	3,069,055
				4,137,430
<b>Building Materials &amp; Construction 6.3%</b>				
Beazer Homes USA, Inc.,				
Gtd. Notes	5.750	06/15/19	3,275	3,258,625
Sr. Sec d. Notes(b)	6.625	04/15/18	6,250	6,437,500
D.R. Horton, Inc., Gtd. Notes(b)	6.500	04/15/16	2,525	2,588,125
HD Supply, Inc., Gtd. Notes	11.500	07/15/20	1,500	1,742,805
KB Home, Gtd. Notes(b)	4.750	05/15/19	1,950	1,945,125
Lennar Corp.,				
Gtd. Notes(b)	4.500	06/15/19	3,125	3,226,562
Gtd. Notes(b)	4.500	11/15/19	5,000	5,168,750
Standard Pacific Corp., Gtd. Notes(b)	8.375	05/15/18	7,750	8,854,375
US Concrete, Inc., Sr. Sec d. Notes(b)	8.500	12/01/18	7,500	7,931,250
USG Corp., Sr. Unsec d. Notes	9.750	01/15/18	1,500	1,706,250
William Lyon Homes, Inc., Gtd. Notes	8.500	11/15/20	1,000	1,077,500
				43,936,867
<b>Cable &amp; Satellite 7.8%</b>				
Cablevision Systems Corp.,				
Sr. Unsec d. Notes(b)	7.750	04/15/18	2,065	2,232,781
Sr. Unsec d. Notes(b)	8.625	09/15/17	10,531	11,570,936
CCO Holdings LLC/CCO Holdings Capital Corp.,				
Gtd. Notes(b)	6.500	04/30/21	11,193	11,703,681
Gtd. Notes	7.000	01/15/19	1,734	1,801,193
Gtd. Notes	7.375	06/01/20	1,000	1,057,707
Cequel Communications Holdings I LLC/Cequel Capital Corp.,				
Sr. Unsec d. Notes, 144A	6.375	09/15/20	2,405	2,423,037
CSC Holdings LLC, Sr. Unsec d. Notes(b)	7.875	02/15/18	1,000	1,097,500

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<b>CORPORATE BONDS (Continued)</b>				
<b>Cable &amp; Satellite (cont d.)</b>				
DISH DBS Corp.,				
Gtd. Notes	4.250%	04/01/18	2,355	\$ 2,396,213
Gtd. Notes(b)	4.625	07/15/17	5,000	5,131,250
Gtd. Notes	7.875	09/01/19	1,900	2,125,625
Harron Communications LP/Harron Finance Corp., Sr. Unsec d. Notes, 144A (original cost \$8,118,125; purchased 04/14/15 - 06/11/15)(b)(c)(d)	9.125	04/01/20	7,400	7,982,750
UPCB Finance V Ltd. (Netherlands), Sr. Sec d. Notes, 144A	7.250	11/15/21	4,664	5,025,244
				54,547,917
<b>Capital Goods 6.6%</b>				
Anixter, Inc., Gtd. Notes(b)	5.625	05/01/19	1,000	1,055,000
BlueLine Rental Finance Corp., Sec d. Notes, 144A (original cost \$1,112,500; purchased 01/16/14 - 02/12/14)(b)(c)(d)	7.000	02/01/19	1,100	1,094,500
Case New Holland Industrial, Inc., Gtd. Notes(b)	7.875	12/01/17	2,000	2,205,000
Clean Harbors, Inc., Gtd. Notes(b)	5.250	08/01/20	950	972,705
Cleaver-Brooks, Inc., Sr. Sec d. Notes, 144A (original cost \$2,286,375; purchased 03/21/14 - 10/06/14)(b)(c)(d)	8.750	12/15/19	2,100	1,995,000
CNH Industrial Capital LLC, Gtd. Notes, 144A	3.875	07/16/18	1,875	1,889,062
Dycom Investments, Inc., Gtd. Notes	7.125	01/15/21	1,000	1,047,500
Laureate Education, Inc., Gtd. Notes, 144A(b)	9.250	09/01/19	3,900	3,670,875
Michael Baker International, Inc., Sr. Sec d. Notes, 144A(b)	8.250	10/15/18	4,725	4,559,625
Polymer Group, Inc., Sr. Sec d. Notes(b)	7.750	02/01/19	660	676,500
Safway Group Holding LLC/Safway Finance Corp., Sec d. Notes, 144A(b)	7.000	05/15/18	6,950	7,089,000
SPX Corp., Gtd. Notes(b)	6.875	09/01/17	5,205	5,588,869
Terex Corp., Gtd. Notes(b)	6.500	04/01/20	5,850	6,040,125
Unifrax I LLC/Unifrax Holding Co., Gtd. Notes, 144A (original cost \$6,120,000; purchased 07/28/14)(b)(c)(d)	7.500	02/15/19	6,000	6,000,000
WireCo WorldGroup, Inc., Gtd. Notes	9.500	05/15/17	2,600	2,405,000
				46,288,761

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<b>CORPORATE BONDS (Continued)</b>				
<b>Chemicals 4.5%</b>				
Axalta Coating Systems US Holdings Inc./Axalta Coating Systems Dutch Holding B BV, Gtd. Notes, 144A(b)	7.375 %	05/01/21	14,123	\$ 15,040,995
Hexion US Finance Corp., Sr. Sec d. Notes	8.875	02/01/18	2,180	1,896,600
Huntsman International LLC, Gtd. Notes	8.625	03/15/21	1,600	1,677,600
Koppers, Inc., Gtd. Notes(b)	7.875	12/01/19	7,075	7,196,266
PolyOne Corp., Sr. Unsec d. Notes(b)	7.375	09/15/20	5,204	5,420,018
				31,231,479
<b>Consumer 1.4%</b>				
Jarden Corp., Gtd. Notes(b)	7.500	05/01/17	1,320	1,437,150
Scotts Miracle-Gro Co. (The), Gtd. Notes	6.625	12/15/20	1,405	1,464,713
Service Corp. International, Sr. Unsec d. Notes(b)	7.000	06/15/17	6,140	6,631,200
				9,533,063
<b>Electric 3.1%</b>				
AES Corp. (The),				
Sr. Unsec d. Notes(b)	3.283(a)	06/01/19	1,150	1,138,500
Sr. Unsec d. Notes	7.375	07/01/21	1,525	1,673,687
DPL, Inc.,				
Sr. Unsec d. Notes	6.500	10/15/16	219	228,308
Sr. Unsec d. Notes	7.250	10/15/21	1,800	1,919,250
Dynegy, Inc., Gtd. Notes, 144A	6.750	11/01/19	4,650	4,801,125
GenOn Energy, Inc., Sr. Unsec d. Notes	9.500	10/15/18	1,350	1,356,750
Mirant Mid Atlantic LLC, Series B, Pass-Through Trust, Pass-Through Certificates(b)	9.125	06/30/17	470	496,022
NRG Energy, Inc.,				
Gtd. Notes(b)	7.625	01/15/18	5,734	6,220,243
Gtd. Notes	7.875	05/15/21	675	710,856
Gtd. Notes(b)	8.250	09/01/20	2,750	2,864,125
NRG REMA LLC, Series B, Pass-Through Certificates(c)	9.237	07/02/17	434	451,322
				21,860,188

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<b>CORPORATE BONDS (Continued)</b>				
<b>Energy - Other 1.5%</b>				
Citgo Holding, Inc., Sr. Sec d. Notes, 144A	10.750 %	02/15/20	2,550	\$ 2,607,375
EP Energy LLC/EP Energy Finance, Inc., Gtd. Notes(b)	9.375	05/01/20	1,000	1,032,500
Kodiak Oil & Gas Corp., Gtd. Notes(b)	8.125	12/01/19	3,500	3,609,375
PHI, Inc., Gtd. Notes(b)	5.250	03/15/19	1,475	1,338,563
WPX Energy, Inc., Sr. Unsec d. Notes	7.500	08/01/20	1,825	1,852,375
				10,440,188
<b>Foods 3.7%</b>				
Constellation Brands, Inc.,				
Gtd. Notes(b)	3.875	11/15/19	2,750	2,804,656
Gtd. Notes(b)	7.250	09/01/16	1,100	1,160,500
Cott Beverages, Inc. (Canada), Gtd. Notes, 144A	6.750	01/01/20	2,350	2,446,938
Diamond Foods, Inc., Gtd. Notes, 144A	7.000	03/15/19	4,800	4,908,000
Landry s, Inc., Gtd. Notes, 144A				
(original cost \$9,131,781; purchased 11/20/14 -				
05/07/15)(b)(c)(d)	9.375	05/01/20	8,500	9,116,250
Shearer s Foods LLC/Chip Finance Corp.,				
Sr. Sec d. Notes, 144A	9.000	11/01/19	2,750	2,956,250
Smithfield Foods, Inc.,				
Sr. Unsec d. Notes	7.750	07/01/17	1,507	1,655,816
Sr. Unsec d. Notes, 144A	5.250	08/01/18	600	612,900
				25,661,310
<b>Gaming 5.2%</b>				
Boyd Gaming Corp., Gtd. Notes	9.000	07/01/20	2,000	2,175,000
CCM Merger, Inc., Gtd. Notes, 144A				
(original cost \$2,135,000; purchased 05/21/14)(c)(d)	9.125	05/01/19	2,000	2,160,000
GLP Capital LP/GLP Financing II, Inc., Gtd. Notes(b)	4.375	11/01/18	2,370	2,452,950
Isle of Capri Casinos, Inc., Gtd. Notes	8.875	06/15/20	3,725	4,023,000
MGM Resorts International,				
Gtd. Notes(b)	7.625	01/15/17	6,889	7,319,562
Gtd. Notes(b)	8.625	02/01/19	7,500	8,456,250
Penn National Gaming, Inc., Sr. Unsec d. Notes	5.875	11/01/21	475	484,500
Pinnacle Entertainment, Inc., Gtd. Notes(b)	8.750	05/15/20	6,750	7,104,375
Scientific Games Corp., Gtd. Notes	8.125	09/15/18	2,050	1,978,250
				36,153,887

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<b>CORPORATE BONDS (Continued)</b>				
<b>Healthcare &amp; Pharmaceutical 10.8%</b>				
Acadia Healthcare Co., Inc., Gtd. Notes(b)	12.875 %	11/01/18	2,650	\$ 2,875,250
Capella Healthcare, Inc., Gtd. Notes(b)	9.250	07/01/17	1,500	1,545,000
Capsugel SA, Sr. Unsec d. Notes, PIK, 144A	7.000	05/15/19	1,825	1,847,813
CHS/Community Health Systems, Inc., Gtd. Notes(b)	8.000	11/15/19	9,108	9,574,685
Emdeon, Inc., Gtd. Notes(b)	11.000	12/31/19	8,700	9,417,750
Endo Finance LLC/Endo Finco, Inc., Gtd. Notes, 144A	7.250	12/15/20	2,150	2,257,500
HCA, Inc.,				
Gtd. Notes(b)	6.500	02/15/16	2,500	2,565,625
Gtd. Notes(b)	8.000	10/01/18	2,050	2,367,750
Sr. Sec d. Notes(b)	3.750	03/15/19	3,800	3,854,625
Sr. Sec d. Notes(b)	4.250	10/15/19	1,275	1,312,453
Kindred Healthcare, Inc., Gtd. Notes, 144A(b)	8.000	01/15/20	3,525	3,815,812
Mallinckrodt International Finance SA/Mallinckrodt CB LLC,				
Gtd. Notes, 144A	4.875	04/15/20	5,825	5,994,799
MedAssets, Inc., Gtd. Notes(b)	8.000	11/15/18	5,319	5,485,219
Tenet Healthcare Corp.,				
Sr. Sec d. Notes(b)	6.250	11/01/18	2,626	2,868,905
Sr. Unsec d Notes, 144A	5.000	03/01/19	9,775	9,872,750
Valeant Pharmaceuticals International, Inc.,				
Gtd. Notes, 144A(b)	5.375	03/15/20	5,725	5,882,437
Gtd. Notes, 144A	6.375	10/15/20	1,685	1,775,569
Gtd. Notes, 144A	6.750	08/15/18	2,000	2,101,250
				75,415,192
<b>Leisure 2.0%</b>				
Carlson Travel Holdings, Inc., Sr. Unsec d. Notes, PIK, 144A				
(original cost \$2,100,000; purchased 06/26/14)(c)(d)	7.500	08/15/19	2,100	2,126,250
Cedar Fair LP/Canada s Wonderland Co./Magnum Management Corp.,				
Gtd. Notes(b)	5.250	03/15/21	5,175	5,362,335
NAI Entertainment Holdings/NAI Entertainment Holdings Finance				
Corp., Sr. Sec d. Notes, 144A				
(original cost \$3,749,250; purchased 07/30/13 - 04/20/15)(b)(c)(d)	5.000	08/01/18	3,675	3,757,688
NCL Corp. Ltd., Sr. Unsec d. Notes, 144A	5.250	11/15/19	1,200	1,242,000
Royal Caribbean Cruises Ltd., Sr. Unsec d. Notes	7.250	03/15/18	1,650	1,812,855
				14,301,128

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Description	Interest Rate	Maturity Date	Principal Amount (000)#	Value (Note 1)
<b>CORPORATE BONDS (Continued)</b>				
<b>Media &amp; Entertainment 2.6%</b>				
AMC Networks, Inc., Gtd. Notes(b)	7.750%	07/15/21	5,795	\$ 6,258,600
Cinemark USA, Inc., Gtd. Notes(b)	7.375	06/15/21	1,050	1,113,000
Clear Channel Worldwide Holdings, Inc., Gtd. Notes	7.625	03/15/20	260	269,425
Clearwire Communications LLC/Clearwire Finance, Inc., Sr. Sec d. Notes, 144A(b)	14.750	12/01/16	2,500	2,875,000
Entercom Radio LLC, Gtd. Notes(b)	10.500	12/01/19	5,000	5,325,000
National CineMedia LLC, Sr. Sec d. Notes	6.000	04/15/22	675	695,250
Sr. Unsec d. Notes	7.875	07/15/21	1,500	1,578,750
				18,115,025
<b>Metals 2.4%</b>				
AK Steel Corp., Sr. Sec d. Notes(b)	8.750	12/01/18	6,955	7,059,325
Alcoa, Inc., Sr. Unsec d. Notes(b)	6.750	07/15/18	2,700	2,970,000
Cliffs Natural Resources, Inc., Sr. Unsec d. Notes	5.950	01/15/18	2,100	1,123,500
JMC Steel Group, Inc., Sr. Unsec d. Notes, 144A (original cost \$1,262,500; purchased 11/26/14)(c)(d)	8.250	03/15/18	1,250	1,109,375
Peabody Energy Corp., Gtd. Notes(b)	6.000	11/15/18	2,600	949,000
Steel Dynamics, Inc., Gtd. Notes(b)	6.125	08/15/19	3,400	3,570,000
				16,781,200
<b>Non-Captive Finance 2.6%</b>				
International Lease Finance Corp., Sr. Unsec d. Notes(b)	8.875	09/01/17	7,500	8,353,125
KCG Holdings, Inc., Sr. Sec d. Notes, 144A	6.875	03/15/20	1,575	1,496,250
OneMain Financial Holdings, Inc., Gtd. Notes, 144A(b)	6.750	12/15/19	3,375	3,560,625
SLM Corp., Sr. Unsec d. Notes, MTN(b)	8.450	06/15/18	4,775	5,157,000
				18,567,000
<b>Packaging 2.9%</b>				
AEP Industries, Inc., Sr. Unsec d. Notes(b)	8.250	04/15/19	5,385	5,465,775
Beverage Packaging Holdings Luxembourg II SA (New Zealand), Gtd. Notes, 144A	6.000	06/15/17	1,875	1,865,625
Greif, Inc., Sr. Unsec d. Notes(b)	6.750	02/01/17	865	908,250
Sr. Unsec d. Notes(b)	7.750	08/01/19	6,050	6,715,500

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<b>CORPORATE BONDS (Continued)</b>				
<b>Packaging (cont d.)</b>				
PaperWorks Industries, Inc., Sr. Sec d. Notes, 144A(b)	9.500%	08/15/19	3,025	\$ 3,055,250
Reynolds Group Issuer, Inc./Reynolds Group Issuer LLC (New Zealand), Gtd. Notes	9.875	08/15/19	750	788,906
Sealed Air Corp., Gtd. Notes, 144A	6.500	12/01/20	1,260	1,398,600
				20,197,906
<b>Pipelines &amp; Other 0.7%</b>				
Ferrellgas Partners LP/Ferrellgas Partners Finance Corp., Sr. Unsec d. Notes	8.625	06/15/20	800	828,000
Rockies Express Pipeline LLC, Sr. Unsec d. Notes, 144A (original cost \$2,842,188; purchased 01/10/13 - 02/22/13)(b)(c)(d)	6.000	01/15/19	2,850	2,914,125
Sunoco LP/Sunoco Finance Corp., Gtd. Notes, 144A	5.500	08/01/20	1,050	1,068,375
				4,810,500
<b>Real Estate Investment Trusts 0.4%</b>				
CTR Partnership LP/Caretrust Capital Corp., Gtd. Notes	5.875	06/01/21	975	994,500
MPT Operating Partnership LP/MPT Finance Corp., Gtd. Notes	6.375	02/15/22	1,475	1,569,031
				2,563,531
<b>Retailers 1.6%</b>				
Academy Ltd./Academy Finance Corp., Gtd. Notes, 144A	9.250	08/01/19	6,250	6,539,062
Family Tree Escrow LLC, Gtd. Notes, 144A	5.250	03/01/20	850	896,750
HT Intermediate Holdings Corp., Sr. Unsec d. Notes, PIK, 144A	12.000	05/15/19	425	420,750
L Brands, Inc., Gtd. Notes	8.500	06/15/19	1,150	1,352,688
Petco Holdings, Inc., Sr. Unsec d. Notes, PIK, 144A (original cost \$1,938,281; purchased 01/30/13)(b)(c)(d)	8.500	10/15/17	1,875	1,925,391
				11,134,641
<b>Technology 11.9%</b>				
Ancestry.com, Inc., Gtd. Notes	11.000	12/15/20	500	567,500

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Description	Interest Rate	Maturity Date	Principal Amount (000)#	Value (Note 1)
<b>CORPORATE BONDS (Continued)</b>				
<b>Technology (cont d.)</b>				
Audatex North America, Inc., Gtd. Notes, 144A(b)	6.000%	06/15/21	5,290	\$ 5,402,412
Brightstar Corp., Gtd. Notes, 144A (original cost \$7,528,263; purchased 01/04/13 - 11/14/14)(b)(c)(d)	9.500	12/01/16	7,030	7,153,025
Sr. Unsec d. Notes, 144A (original cost \$2,770,643; purchased 07/26/13 - 11/13/13)(b)(c)(d)	7.250	08/01/18	2,750	2,901,250
CommScope Holding Co., Inc., Sr. Unsec d. Notes, PIK, 144A(b)	6.625	06/01/20	6,355	6,609,200
CommScope, Inc., Sr. Sec d. Notes, 144A(b)	4.375	06/15/20	3,475	3,496,719
CoreLogic, Inc., Gtd. Notes(b)	7.250	06/01/21	3,350	3,542,625
First Data Corp., Gtd. Notes(b)	12.625	01/15/21	10,960	12,686,200
Sr. Sec d. Notes, 144A	7.375	06/15/19	208	216,965
Sr. Sec d. Notes, 144A(b)	8.875	08/15/20	1,210	1,267,475
Freescal Semiconductor, Inc., Sr. Sec d. Notes, 144A	5.000	05/15/21	1,265	1,284,766
Sr. Sec d. Notes, 144A	6.000	01/15/22	5,495	5,742,275
Igloo Holdings Corp., Sr. Unsec d. Notes, PIK, 144A(b)	8.250	12/15/17	3,750	3,801,562
Interactive Data Corp., Gtd. Notes, 144A(b)	5.875	04/15/19	7,990	8,109,850
Sophia LP/Sophia Finance, Inc., Gtd. Notes, 144A	9.750	01/15/19	5,310	5,668,425
SunGard Data Systems, Inc., Gtd. Notes(b)	6.625	11/01/19	740	764,820
Gtd. Notes(b)	7.375	11/15/18	11,211	11,569,752
Gtd. Notes	7.625	11/15/20	2,300	2,412,125
				83,196,946
<b>Telecommunications 6.6%</b>				
CenturyLink, Inc., Sr. Unsec d. Notes(b)	5.150	06/15/17	695	721,062
Frontier Communications Corp., Sr. Unsec d. Notes	8.125	10/01/18	1,500	1,612,500
Level 3 Financing, Inc., Gtd. Notes	3.914(a)	01/15/18	1,270	1,282,700
Gtd. Notes	7.000	06/01/20	4,700	4,958,500
Gtd. Notes(b)	8.625	07/15/20	6,600	7,045,500

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<b>CORPORATE BONDS (Continued)</b>				
<b>Telecommunications (cont d.)</b>				
Qwest Capital Funding, Inc., Gtd. Notes	6.500%	11/15/18	4,000	\$ 4,280,000
Sprint Communications, Inc., Sr. Unsec d. Notes(b)	8.375	08/15/17	12,700	13,430,250
T-Mobile USA, Inc., Gtd. Notes	6.542	04/28/20	1,375	1,448,425
Gtd. Notes	6.625	11/15/20	1,000	1,040,000
Windstream Corp., Gtd. Notes	7.750	10/15/20	2,000	1,831,250
Windstream Holdings, Inc., Gtd. Notes(b)	7.875	11/01/17	3,750	3,796,875
Zayo Group LLC/Zayo Capital, Inc., Gtd. Notes	10.125	07/01/20	4,521	5,018,310
				46,465,372
<b>Transportation 2.3%</b>				
Hertz Corp. (The), Gtd. Notes(b)	4.250	04/01/18	3,125	3,179,687
Gtd. Notes(b)	6.750	04/15/19	3,000	3,096,570
Gtd. Notes(b)	7.500	10/15/18	3,069	3,161,070
XPO Logistics, Inc., Sr. Unsec d. Notes, 144A(b)	7.875	09/01/19	6,100	6,519,375
				15,956,702
<b>TOTAL CORPORATE BONDS</b> (cost \$632,730,326)				626,218,833
<b>FOREIGN BONDS 39.3%</b>				
<b>Argentina 0.6%</b>				
YPF SA, Sr. Unsec d. Notes, 144A	8.875%	12/19/18	3,830	3,983,200
Sr. Unsec d. Notes, RegS	8.875	12/19/18	400	416,000
				4,399,200
<b>Australia 0.1%</b>				
FMG Resources (August 2006) Pty Ltd., Gtd. Notes, 144A	8.250	11/01/19	972	707,130
<b>Barbados 0.2%</b>				
Columbus International, Inc., Gtd. Notes, RegS (original cost \$1,075,000; purchased 06/11/15)(c)(d)	7.375	03/30/21	1,000	1,062,500

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<b>FOREIGN BONDS (Continued)</b>				
<b>Brazil 2.4%</b>				
Bertin SA/Bertin Finance Ltd.,				
Gtd. Notes, 144A(b)	10.250%	10/05/16	1,980	\$ 2,117,442
Gtd. Notes, RegS(b)	10.250	10/05/16	6,000	6,416,490
JBS USA LLC/JBS USA Finance, Inc., Gtd. Notes, 144A				
(original cost \$1,068,500; purchased 06/10/15)(c)(d)	8.250	02/01/20	1,000	1,060,000
Minerva Luxembourg SA, Gtd. Notes, 144A	12.250	02/10/22	3,325	3,657,500
Petrobras Global Finance BV,				
Gtd. Notes	2.000	05/20/16	1,500	1,479,330
Gtd. Notes	3.875	01/27/16	2,000	2,002,760
				16,733,522
<b>Canada 4.3%</b>				
Bombardier, Inc.,				
Sr. Unsec d. Notes, 144A(b)	4.750	04/15/19	1,525	1,376,313
Sr. Unsec d. Notes, 144A(b)	7.500	03/15/18	6,375	6,434,766
Brookfield Residential Properties, Inc., Gtd. Notes, 144A	6.500	12/15/20	3,025	3,055,250
Kissner Milling Co., Ltd., Sr. Sec d. Notes, 144A (original cost \$2,103,000; purchased 05/15/14 - 02/03/15)(c)(d)				
	7.250	06/01/19	2,100	2,086,875
Lundin Mining Corp., Sr. Sec d. Notes, 144A(b)	7.500	11/01/20	7,075	7,181,125
NCSG Crane & Heavy Haul Services, Sec d. Notes, 144A(b)	9.500	08/15/19	1,925	1,251,250
Telesat Canada/Telesat LLC, Gtd. Notes, 144A(b)	6.000	05/15/17	7,740	7,870,612
Tembec Industries, Inc., Sr. Sec d. Notes, 144A	9.000	12/15/19	1,250	1,012,500
				30,268,691
<b>Colombia 0.4%</b>				
Pacific Rubiales Energy Corp.,				
Gtd. Notes, 144A	5.375	01/26/19	400	284,000
Gtd. Notes, 144A(b)	7.250	12/12/21	4,000	2,820,000
				3,104,000
<b>France 4.2%</b>				
Alcatel-Lucent USA, Inc.,				
Gtd. Notes, 144A(b)	4.625	07/01/17	2,800	2,891,000
Gtd. Notes, 144A(b)	6.750	11/15/20	5,150	5,536,250
Gtd. Notes, 144A(b)	8.875	01/01/20	5,995	6,519,563

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<b>FOREIGN BONDS (Continued)</b>				
<b>France (cont d.)</b>				
Dry Mix Solutions Investissements SAS, Sr. Sec d. Notes, 144A(b)	4.236%(a)	06/15/21	EUR 3,500	\$ 3,819,080
Financiere Quick SAS, Sr. Sec d. Notes, 144A(b)	4.731(a)	04/15/19	EUR 1,525	1,497,298
Numericable Group SA, Sr. Sec d. Notes, 144A(b)	4.875	05/15/19	5,470	5,552,050
Picard Groupe SA, Sr. Sec d. Notes, 144A	4.245(a)	08/01/19	EUR 825	908,411
THOM Europe SAS, Sr. Sec d. Notes, 144A(b)	7.375	07/15/19	EUR 2,500	2,893,201
				29,616,853
<b>Germany 4.3%</b>				
BMBG Bond Finance SCA, Sr. Sec d. Notes, 144A	4.981(a)	10/15/20	EUR 4,800	5,297,955
Galapagos SA, Sr. Sec d. Notes, 144A	4.736(a)	06/15/21	EUR 5,000	5,437,982
Schaeffler Holding Finance BV, Gtd. Notes, 144A(b)	3.250	05/15/19	EUR 2,000	2,216,816
Sr. Sec d. Notes, PIK, 144A	6.250	11/15/19	1,450	1,531,563
Sr. Sec d. Notes, PIK, 144A(b)	6.875	08/15/18	6,150	6,365,250
Sr. Sec d. Notes, PIK, 144A(b)	6.875	08/15/18	EUR 1,900	2,159,707
Techem GmbH, Sr. Sec d. Notes, MTN, RegS(b)	6.125	10/01/19	EUR 3,000	3,455,367
Trionista TopCo GmbH, Gtd. Notes, RegS	6.875	04/30/21	EUR 1,000	1,163,354
ZF North America Capital, Inc., Gtd. Notes, 144A	4.000	04/29/20	2,500	2,521,875
				30,149,869
<b>Indonesia 0.9%</b>				
Berau Capital Resources Pte Ltd., Sr. Sec d. Notes, RegS (original cost \$6,237,063; purchased 01/03/13 - 02/04/13)(c)(d)	12.500	07/08/49	5,725	3,583,850
TBG Global Pte Ltd., Gtd. Notes, 144A	4.625	04/03/18	1,500	1,503,750
Gtd. Notes, RegS	4.625	04/03/18	500	501,250
Theta Capital Pte Ltd., Gtd. Notes, RegS	7.000	05/16/19	350	358,736
				5,947,586
<b>Ireland 1.0%</b>				
Ardagh Packaging Finance PLC/Ardagh Holdings USA, Inc., Gtd. Notes, 144A	6.250	01/31/19	400	411,000
Gtd. Notes, 144A	6.750	01/31/21	1,950	1,998,750
Gtd. Notes, 144A	9.125	10/15/20	500	526,875

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<b>FOREIGN BONDS (Continued)</b>				
<b>Ireland (cont d.)</b>				
Smurfit Kappa Acquisitions, Sr. Sec d. Notes, 144A	4.875%	09/15/18	4,038	\$ 4,270,185
				7,206,810
<b>Italy 1.9%</b>				
GCL Holdings SCA, Sec d. Notes, RegS	9.375	04/15/18	EUR 1,400	1,606,739
Telecom Italia Capital SA, Gtd. Notes	6.999	06/04/18	6,175	6,792,500
Wind Acquisition Finance SA, Sr. Sec d. Notes, 144A	3.981(a)	07/15/20	EUR 2,000	2,195,400
Sr. Sec d. Notes, 144A	6.500	04/30/20	2,600	2,762,500
				13,357,139
<b>Luxembourg 5.1%</b>				
Allice Financing SA, Sr. Sec d. Notes, 144A	7.875	12/15/19	1,700	1,789,250
ArcelorMittal, Sr. Unsec d. Notes	5.125	06/01/20	800	802,000
Sr. Unsec d. Notes	5.250	02/25/17	4,300	4,445,125
Sr. Unsec d. Notes	6.125	06/01/18	7,100	7,515,890
Sr. Unsec d. Notes	6.250	03/01/21	1,100	1,111,000
Sr. Unsec d. Notes	10.600	06/01/19	1,115	1,331,031
ConvaTec Finance International SA, Sr. Unsec d. Notes, PIK, 144A	8.250	01/15/19	1,275	1,259,062
ConvaTec Healthcare E SA, Gtd. Notes, RegS	10.875	12/15/18	EUR 3,570	4,132,471
GCS Holdco Finance I SA, Sr. Sec d. Notes, RegS	6.500	11/15/18	EUR 1,287	1,469,985
Intelsat Jackson Holdings SA, Gtd. Notes	7.250	04/01/19	6,209	6,154,671
Gtd. Notes	7.250	10/15/20	2,000	1,982,500
Telenet Finance Luxembourg SCA, Sr. Sec d. Notes, RegS	6.375	11/15/20	EUR 3,000	3,434,775
				35,427,760
<b>Mexico 1.3%</b>				
Cemex Espana Luxembourg, Sr. Sec d. Notes, 144A(b)	9.875	04/30/19	5,500	6,022,500
Cemex Espana SA, Sr. Sec d. Notes, RegS	9.875	04/30/19	1,500	1,642,500
Cemex SAB de CV, Sr. Sec d. Notes, 144A	6.500	12/10/19	1,315	1,368,849
				9,033,849

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<b>FOREIGN BONDS (Continued)</b>				
<b>Netherlands 1.3%</b>				
AerCap Ireland Capital Ltd./AerCap Global Aviation Trust, Gtd. Notes	4.250%	07/01/20	1,000	\$ 1,008,750
Carlson Wagonlit BV, Sr. Sec d. Notes, 144A (original cost \$3,016,933; purchased 04/07/14)(b)(c)(d)	7.500	06/15/19	EUR 2,000	2,317,306
Hydra Dutch Holdings 2 BV, Sr. Sec d. Notes, RegS	5.481(a)	04/15/19	EUR 1,072	1,103,293
NXP BV/NXP Funding LLC, Gtd. Notes, 144A	3.750	06/01/18	100	101,250
Gtd. Notes, 144A(b)	4.125	06/15/20	4,485	4,501,819
				9,032,418
<b>Peru 0.4%</b>				
Peru Enhanced Pass-Through Finance Ltd., Pass-Through Certificates, RegS	1.389(e)	05/31/18	2,582	2,469,147
<b>Poland 1.7%</b>				
Eileme 2 AB,				
Sec d. Notes, RegS	11.625	01/31/20	1,000	1,096,250
Sr. Sec d. Notes, RegS	11.750	01/31/20	EUR 7,400	8,960,067
TVN Finance Corp. III AB, Gtd. Notes, RegS	7.875	11/15/18	EUR 1,666	1,897,565
				11,953,882
<b>Russia 3.4%</b>				
Evraz Group SA,				
Sr. Unsec d. Notes, 144A	7.400	04/24/17	3,000	3,071,130
Sr. Unsec d. Notes, RegS	7.400	04/24/17	500	511,855
Gazprom OAO Via GAZ Capital SA,				
Sr. Unsec d. Notes, 144A	4.300	11/12/15	1,500	1,508,367
Sr. Unsec d. Notes, 144A	8.146	04/11/18	2,000	2,148,000
Sr. Unsec d. Notes, RegS	3.755	03/15/17	EUR 2,000	2,209,256
Sr. Unsec d. Notes, RegS	5.092	11/29/15	500	504,500
Sr. Unsec d. Notes, RegS	6.212	11/22/16	1,000	1,042,500
Sr. Unsec d. Notes, RegS	8.146	04/11/18	815	875,310
Lukoil International Finance BV, Gtd. Notes, RegS	3.416	04/24/18	1,950	1,875,089
Russian Foreign Bond - Eurobond, Sr. Unsec d. Notes, RegS	3.500	01/16/19	1,400	1,382,500

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<b>FOREIGN BONDS (Continued)</b>				
<b>Russia (cont d.)</b>				
Sberbank of Russia Via SB Capital SA, Sr. Unsec d. Notes, MTN, RegS	5.400%	03/24/17	1,000	\$ 1,022,200
Severstal OAO Via Steel Capital SA, Sr. Unsec d. Notes, RegS	4.450	03/19/18	1,500	1,477,860
Vimpel Communications Via VIP Finance Ireland Ltd. OJSC, Sr. Unsec d. Notes, 144A	9.125	04/30/18	2,200	2,398,000
Sr. Unsec d. Notes, RegS	9.125	04/30/18	2,175	2,370,750
VTB Bank OJSC Via VTB Capital SA, Sr. Unsec d. Notes, RegS	6.000	04/12/17	1,000	1,015,310
				23,412,627
<b>Spain 0.3%</b>				
Gestamp Funding Luxembourg SA, Sr. Sec d. Notes, 144A	5.625	05/31/20	2,000	2,065,000
<b>Sweden 0.2%</b>				
Bravida Holding AB, Sr. Sec d. Notes, 144A	4.986(a)	06/15/19	EUR 1,200	1,314,605
<b>Switzerland 0.4%</b>				
Gategroup Finance SA, Gtd. Notes, MTN, RegS	6.750	03/01/19	EUR 2,143	2,465,366
<b>United Kingdom 4.5%</b>				
Elli Finance UK PLC, Sr. Sec d. Notes, RegS(b)	8.750	06/15/19	GBP 2,050	3,121,340
Fiat Chrysler Automobiles NV, Sr. Unsec d. Notes	4.500	04/15/20	1,275	1,290,937
Fiat Finance & Trade SA, Ser. G, Gtd. Notes, MTN, RegS	6.375	04/01/16	EUR 6,000	6,806,014
Gala Group Finance PLC, Sr. Sec d. Notes, RegS(b)	8.875	09/01/18	GBP 1,319	2,161,982
Galaxy Bidco Ltd., Sr. Sec d. Notes, 144A	5.567(a)	11/15/19	GBP 400	623,878
Iceland Bondco PLC, Sr. Sec d. Notes, 144A	4.834(a)	07/15/20	GBP 1,074	1,408,854
IDH Finance PLC, Sr. Sec d. Notes, 144A(b)	5.567(a)	12/01/18	GBP 1,700	2,634,887
Sr. Sec d. Notes, MTN, 144A(b)	6.000	12/01/18	GBP 1,500	2,365,894
Innovia Group Finance PLC, Sr. Sec d. Notes, 144A(b)	4.986(a)	03/31/20	EUR 2,000	2,193,292
Jaguar Land Rover Automotive PLC, Gtd. Notes, 144A	4.250	11/15/19	1,850	1,859,250

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Description	Interest Rate	Maturity Date	Principal Amount (000)#	Value (Note 1)
<b>FOREIGN BONDS (Continued)</b>				
<b>United Kingdom (cont d.)</b>				
Jerrold Finco PLC, Sr. Sec d. Notes, 144A	9.750%	09/15/18	GBP 2,000	\$ 3,435,621
Priory Group No. 3 PLC, Sr. Sec d. Notes, RegS(b)	7.000	02/15/18	GBP 2,265	3,649,497
				31,551,446
<b>Venezuela 0.4%</b>				
Petroleos de Venezuela SA, Gtd. Notes, RegS	8.500	11/02/17	4,400	2,998,600
TOTAL FOREIGN BONDS (cost \$298,233,706)				274,278,000
TOTAL LONG-TERM INVESTMENTS (cost \$973,393,897)				938,195,588
			<b>Shares</b>	
<b>SHORT-TERM INVESTMENT 2.0%</b>				
<b>AFFILIATED MONEY MARKET MUTUAL FUND</b>				
Prudential Investment Portfolios 2 - Prudential Core Taxable Money Market Fund (cost \$13,850,526)(Note 3)(f)			13,850,526	13,850,526
TOTAL INVESTMENTS 136.3% (cost \$987,244,423)(Note 5)				952,046,114
Liabilities in excess of other assets(g) (36.3)%				(253,456,866)
NET ASSETS 100.0%				\$ 698,589,248

The following abbreviations are used in the portfolio descriptions:

144A Security was purchased pursuant to Rule 144A under the Securities Act of 1933 and may not be resold subject to that rule except to qualified institutional buyers. Unless otherwise noted, 144A securities are deemed to be liquid.

MTN Medium Term Note

PIK Payment-in-Kind

RegS Regulation S. Security was purchased pursuant to Regulation S and may not be offered, sold or delivered within the United States or to, or for the account or benefit of, U.S. persons, except pursuant to an exemption from, or in a transaction not subject to, the registration requirements of the Securities Act of 1933.

EUR Euro

GBP British Pound

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# Principal amount shown in U.S. dollars unless otherwise stated.

(a) Variable rate instrument. The interest rate shown reflects the rate in effect at July 31, 2015.

(b) Represents security, or portion thereof, with an aggregate value of \$554,540,013 segregated as collateral for amount of \$275,000,000 borrowed and outstanding as of July 31, 2015.

(c) Indicates a security or securities that have been deemed illiquid (unaudited).

(d) Indicates a restricted security; the aggregate original cost of the restricted securities is \$64,595,402. The aggregate value of \$60,346,135 is approximately 8.6% of net assets.

(e) Represents zero coupon bond or principal only securities. Rate represents yield to maturity at purchase date.

(f) Prudential Investments LLC, the manager of the Fund, also serves as manager of the Prudential Investment Portfolios 2 - Prudential Core Taxable Money Market Fund.

(g) Includes net unrealized appreciation (depreciation) on the following derivative contracts held at reporting period end:

Forward foreign currency exchange contracts outstanding at July 31, 2015:

Purchase Contracts	Counterparty	Notional Amount (000)	Value at Settlement Date	Current Value	Unrealized Appreciation (Depreciation)
British Pound,					
Expiring 08/04/15	Goldman Sachs & Co.	GBP 22,974	\$ 35,790,514	\$ 35,876,678	\$ 86,164
Euro,					
Expiring 08/04/15	Bank of America	EUR 11,285	12,455,959	12,394,520	(61,439)
Expiring 08/04/15	Barclays Capital Group	EUR 11,285	12,455,961	12,394,521	(61,440)
Expiring 08/04/15	Citigroup Global Markets	EUR 11,285	12,456,660	12,394,521	(62,139)
Expiring 08/04/15	Deutsche Bank AG	EUR 11,285	12,456,750	12,394,521	(62,229)
Expiring 08/04/15	Goldman Sachs & Co.	EUR 11,285	12,456,638	12,394,521	(62,117)
Expiring 08/04/15	JPMorgan Chase	EUR 11,285	12,455,961	12,394,521	(61,440)
Expiring 08/04/15	UBS AG	EUR 11,285	12,455,961	12,394,521	(61,440)
			\$ 122,984,404	\$ 122,638,324	\$ (346,080)

Sale Contracts	Counterparty	Notional Amount (000)	Value at Settlement Date	Current Value	Unrealized Appreciation (Depreciation)
British Pound,					
Expiring 08/04/15	Goldman Sachs & Co.	GBP 22,974	\$ 36,120,884	\$ 35,876,678	\$ 244,206
Expiring 09/02/15	Barclays Capital Group	GBP 447	698,135	698,633	(498)
Expiring 09/02/15	Goldman Sachs & Co.	GBP 22,974	35,783,162	35,869,153	(85,991)
Euro,					
Expiring 08/04/15	Bank of America	EUR 10,907	12,212,855	11,979,288	233,567
Expiring 08/04/15	Barclays Capital Group	EUR 10,907	12,213,151	11,979,289	233,862
Expiring 08/04/15	Barclays Capital Group	EUR 2,646	2,952,293	2,906,625	45,668
Expiring 08/04/15	Citigroup Global Markets	EUR 10,907	12,213,129	11,979,289	233,840
Expiring 08/04/15	Deutsche Bank AG	EUR 10,907	12,213,183	11,979,289	233,894

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Sale Contracts	Counterparty	Notional Amount (000)	Value at Settlement Date	Current Value	Unrealized Appreciation (Depreciation)
Euro (cont d.),					
Expiring 08/04/15	Goldman Sachs & Co.	EUR 10,907	\$ 12,213,511	\$ 11,979,289	\$ 234,222
Expiring 08/04/15	JPMorgan Chase	EUR 10,907	12,212,943	11,979,289	233,654
Expiring 08/04/15	UBS AG	EUR 10,907	12,213,281	11,979,289	233,992
Expiring 09/02/15	Bank of America	EUR 11,285	12,460,531	12,399,210	61,321
Expiring 09/02/15	Barclays Capital Group	EUR 947	1,047,202	1,041,007	6,195
Expiring 09/02/15	Barclays Capital Group	EUR 11,285	12,460,689	12,399,210	61,479
Expiring 09/02/15	Citigroup Global Markets	EUR 11,285	12,461,343	12,399,210	62,133
Expiring 09/02/15	Deutsche Bank AG	EUR 11,285	12,461,434	12,399,210	62,224
Expiring 09/02/15	Goldman Sachs & Co.	EUR 11,285	12,461,321	12,399,210	62,111
Expiring 09/02/15	JPMorgan Chase	EUR 11,285	12,460,700	12,399,210	61,490
Expiring 09/02/15	UBS AG	EUR 11,285	12,460,644	12,399,210	61,434
			\$ 249,320,391	\$ 247,041,588	\$ 2,278,803
					\$ 1,932,723

Various inputs are used in determining the value of the Fund's investments. These inputs are summarized in the three broad levels listed below.

Level 1 quoted prices generally in active markets for identical securities.

Level 2 quoted prices for similar securities, interest rates and yield curves, prepayment speeds, foreign currency exchange rates and other observable inputs.

Level 3 unobservable inputs for securities valued in accordance with Board approved fair valuation procedures.

The following is a summary of the inputs used as of July 31, 2015 in valuing such portfolio securities:

	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3
<b>Investments in Securities</b>			
Bank Loans	\$	\$ 37,698,755	\$
Corporate Bonds		626,218,833	
Foreign Bonds		274,278,000	
Affiliated Money Market Mutual Fund	13,850,526		

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## Other Financial Instruments\*

Forward Foreign Currency Exchange Contracts		1,932,723	
<b>Total</b>	\$ 13,850,526	\$ 940,128,311	\$

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The following is a reconciliation of assets in which unobservable inputs (Level 3) were used in determining fair value:

	<b>Bank Loans</b>	<b>Corporate Bonds</b>
<b>Balance as of 7/31/14</b>	\$ 9,092,978	\$ 836,409
Realized gain (loss)	314,660	
Change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation)	(496,514)	
Purchases		
Sales	(8,914,873)	
Accrued discount/premium	3,749	
Transfers into Level 3		
Transfers out of Level 3		(836,409)
<b>Balance as of 7/31/15</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>\$</b>

\* Other financial instruments are derivative instruments not reflected in the Portfolio of Investments, such as futures, forwards and exchange-traded swap contracts, which are recorded at the unrealized appreciation/depreciation on the instrument, and over-the-counter swap contracts which are recorded at fair value.

It is the Fund's policy to recognize transfers in and transfers out at the fair value as of the beginning of period. At the reporting period end, securities transferred levels as follows:

<b>Investments in Securities</b>	<b>Amount Transferred</b>	<b>Level Transfer</b>	<b>Logic</b>
Corporate Bonds	\$ 836,409	L3 to L2	Single Broker Quote to Evaluated Bid

The industry classification of investments and liabilities in excess of other assets shown as a percentage of net assets as of July 31, 2015 was as follows (Unaudited):

Technology	15.1%
Healthcare & Pharmaceutical	13.2
Telecommunications	11.7
Building Materials & Construction	9.8
Cable & Satellite	8.1
Metals	8.0
Capital Goods	7.7
Foods	7.0
Gaming	6.1
Media & Entertainment	5.1
Chemicals	4.9
Non-Captive Finance	4.6
Packaging	3.7
Electric	3.6%
Automotive	3.5
Foreign Agency	2.8
Transportation	2.7
Retailers	2.1
Airlines	2.1
Leisure	2.0
Consumer	2.0
Affiliated Money Market Mutual Fund	2.0
Energy Other	1.5
Energy Integrated	1.2
Aerospace & Defense	1.1

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<b>Industry (cont d.)</b>	
Cable	0.8%
Machinery	0.8
Paper	0.8
Pipelines & Other	0.7
Real Estate Investment Trusts	0.4
Insurance	0.1%
Home Construction	0.1
	136.3
Liabilities in excess of other assets	(36.3)
	100.0%

The Fund invested in derivative instruments during the reporting period. The primary type of risk associated with these derivative instruments is foreign exchange risk.

The effect of such derivative instruments on the Fund's financial position and financial performance as reflected in the Statement of Assets and Liabilities and Statement of Operations is presented in the summary below.

Fair values of derivative instruments as of July 31, 2015 as presented in the Statement of Assets and Liabilities:

<b>Derivatives not accounted for as hedging instruments, carried at fair value</b>	<b>Asset Derivatives</b>		<b>Liability Derivatives</b>	
	<b>Balance Sheet Location</b>	<b>Fair Value</b>	<b>Balance Sheet Location</b>	<b>Fair Value</b>
Foreign exchange contracts	Unrealized appreciation on forward foreign currency contracts	\$ 2,451,456	Unrealized depreciation on forward foreign currency contracts	\$ 518,733

The effects of derivative instruments on the Statement of Operations for the year ended July 31, 2015 are as follows:

<b>Amount of Realized Gain or (Loss) on Derivatives Recognized in Income</b>	
<b>Derivatives not accounted for as hedging instruments, carried at fair value</b>	<b>Forward Currency Contracts(1)</b>
Foreign exchange contracts	\$ 38,487,069

**Change in Unrealized Appreciation or (Depreciation) on Derivatives Recognized in Income**

<b>Derivatives not accounted for as hedging instruments, carried at fair value</b>	<b>Forward Currency Contracts(2)</b>
Foreign exchange contracts	\$ (1,956,069)

(1) Included in net realized gain (loss) on foreign currency transactions in the Statement of Operations.

(2) Included in net change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation) on foreign currencies in the Statement of Operations.

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For the year ended July 31, 2015, the Fund's average volume of derivative activities is as follows:

Forward Foreign Currency Exchange Contracts Purchased(1)	Forward Foreign Currency Exchange Contracts Sold(1)	Cross Currency Exchange Contracts(2)
\$ 149,661,278	\$ 337,351,918	\$ 3,531

(1) Value at settlement date.

(2) Notional Amount in USD (000).

### **Offsetting of over-the-counter (OTC) derivative assets and liabilities:**

The Fund invested in OTC derivatives during the reporting period that are either offset in accordance with current requirements or are subject to enforceable master netting arrangements or similar agreements that permit offsetting. The information about offsetting and related netting arrangements for OTC derivatives, where the legal right to set-off exists, is presented in the summary below.

Counterparty	Gross Amounts of Recognized Assets(1)	Gross Amounts Available for Offset	Collateral Received(3)	Net Amount
Bank of America	\$ 294,888	\$ (61,439)	\$ (279,435)	\$ 13,398
Barclays Capital Group	347,204	(61,938)	(271,868)	233,834
Citigroup Global Markets	295,973	(62,139)		233,834
Deutsche Bank AG	296,118	(62,229)	(133,576)	100,313
Goldman Sachs & Co.	626,703	(148,108)	(620,399)	
JPMorgan Chase	295,144	(61,440)		233,704
UBS AG	295,426	(61,440)		233,986
	\$ 2,451,456			

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<b>Counterparty</b>	<b>Gross Amounts of Recognized Liabilities(2)</b>	<b>Gross Amounts Available for Offset</b>	<b>Collateral Pledged(3)</b>	<b>Net Amount</b>
Bank of America	\$ (61,439)	\$ 61,439	\$	\$
Barclays Capital Group	(61,938)	61,938		
Citigroup Global Markets	(62,139)	62,139		
Deutsche Bank AG	(62,229)	62,229		
Goldman Sachs & Co.	(148,108)	148,108		
JPMorgan Chase	(61,440)	61,440		
UBS AG	(61,440)	61,440		
	\$ (518,733)			

(1) Includes unrealized appreciation on swaps and forwards, premiums paid on swap agreements and market value of purchased options.

(2) Includes unrealized depreciation on swaps and forwards, premiums received on swap agreements and market value of written options.

(3) Amounts shown reflect actual collateral received or pledged by the Fund. Such amounts are applied up to 100% of the Fund's OTC derivative exposure by counterparty.

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## Statement of Assets &amp; Liabilities

as of July 31, 2015

<b>Assets</b>	
Investments at value:	
Unaffiliated Investments (cost \$973,393,897)	\$ 938,195,588
Affiliated Investments (cost \$13,850,526)	13,850,526
Cash	12,215
Foreign currency, at value (cost \$4,958,071)	4,964,665
Dividends and interest receivable	15,832,415
Receivable for investments sold	9,026,870
Unrealized appreciation on forward foreign currency exchange contracts	2,451,456
<b>Total assets</b>	<b>984,333,735</b>
<b>Liabilities</b>	
Loan payable (Note 7)	275,000,000
Payable for investments purchased	9,153,738
Management fee payable	704,330
Unrealized depreciation on forward foreign currency exchange contracts	518,733
Dividends payable	220,994
Accrued expenses and other liabilities	116,570
Deferred directors' fees	22,935
Loan interest payable (Note 7)	7,187
<b>Total liabilities</b>	<b>285,744,487</b>
<b>Net Assets</b>	<b>\$ 698,589,248</b>
Net assets were comprised of:	
Common stock, at par	\$ 40,924
Paid-in capital in excess of par	780,305,040
	780,345,964
Undistributed net investment income	9,429,823
Accumulated net realized loss on investment and foreign currency transactions	(57,796,613)
Net unrealized depreciation on investments and foreign currencies	(33,389,926)
<b>Net assets, July 31, 2015</b>	<b>\$ 698,589,248</b>
Net asset value and redemption price per share (\$698,589,248 ÷ 40,923,879 shares of common stock issued and outstanding)	\$ 17.07

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## Statement of Operations

Year Ended July 31, 2015

<b>Net Investment Income</b>	
Income	
Interest income (net of foreign withholding taxes of \$28,662)	\$ 58,638,285
Affiliated dividend income	17,486
<b>Total income</b>	<b>58,655,771</b>
Expenses	
Management fee	8,502,470
Loan interest expense	2,609,323
Custodian and accounting fees	146,000
Shareholders' reports	74,000
Legal fees and expenses	63,000
Directors' fees	53,000
Audit fee	45,000
Registration fees	42,000
Transfer agent's fees and expenses	15,000
Insurance expenses	9,000
Miscellaneous	31,064
<b>Total expenses</b>	<b>11,589,857</b>
Net investment income	47,065,914
<b>Realized And Unrealized Gain (Loss) On Investments And Foreign Currency Transactions</b>	
Net realized gain (loss) on:	
Investment transactions	(34,627,277)
Foreign currency transactions	35,429,428
	802,151
Net change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation) on:	
Investments	(30,410,728)
Foreign currencies	(2,238,663)
	(32,649,391)
Net loss on investment and foreign currency transactions	(31,847,240)
<b>Net Increase In Net Assets Resulting From Operations</b>	<b>\$ 15,218,674</b>

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## Statement of Changes in Net Assets

	Year Ended July 31,	
	2015	2014
<b>Increase (Decrease) in Net Assets</b>		
<b>Operations</b>		
Net investment income	\$ 47,065,914	\$ 50,525,671
Net realized gain (loss) on investment and foreign currency transactions	802,151	(11,199,309)
Net change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation) on investments and foreign currencies	(32,649,391)	11,597,483
Net increase in net assets resulting from operations	15,218,674	50,923,845
Dividends from net investment income (Note 1)	(71,780,484)	(61,385,819)
<b>Fund share transactions (Note 6)</b>		
Common stock offering costs reimbursed (charged) to paid-in capital in excess of par		138,429
Net increase in net assets from Fund share transactions		138,429
Total decrease	(56,561,810)	(10,323,545)
<b>Net Assets:</b>		
Beginning of year	755,151,058	765,474,603
End of year(a)	\$ 698,589,248	\$ 755,151,058
(a) Includes undistributed net investment income of:	\$ 9,429,823	\$

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## Statement of Cash Flows

For the Year Ended July 31, 2015

**Increase (Decrease) in Cash****Cash flows from operating activities:**

Interest and dividends paid (excluding discount and premium amortization of \$(11,597,493))	\$ 72,697,171
Operating expenses paid	(9,038,672)
Loan interest paid	(2,610,080)
Purchases of long-term portfolio investments	(605,388,325)
Proceeds from disposition of long-term portfolio investments	655,819,474
Net purchases and sales of short-term investments	(8,093,509)
Decrease in receivable for investments sold	146,638
Decrease in payable for investments purchased	(26,067,425)
Decrease in deposit with broker	600,000
Net cash received for foreign currency transactions	35,429,428
Effect of exchange rate changes	(1,923,643)

Net cash provided from operating activities 111,571,057

**Cash flows from financing activities:**

Cash dividends paid	(71,831,272)
Decrease in payable to custodian	(238,803)
Decrease in borrowing	(41,000,000)

Net cash used in financing activities (113,070,075)

Net increase /(decrease) in cash (1,499,018)  
Cash at beginning of year 6,475,898

Cash at the end of the year, including foreign currency \$ 4,976,880

**Reconciliation of Net Increase in Net Assets to Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities**

Net increase in net assets resulting from operations	\$ 15,218,674
Increase in investments	53,935,133
Net realized gain on investment and foreign currency transactions	(802,151)
Decrease in net unrealized depreciation on investments and foreign currencies	32,649,391
Net cash received for foreign currency transactions	35,429,428
Effect of exchange rate changes	(1,923,643)
Decrease in interest and dividends receivable	2,443,907
Decrease in receivable for investments sold	146,638
Decrease in deposit with broker	600,000
Decrease in payable for investments purchased	(26,067,425)
Decrease in loan interest payable	(757)
Decrease in accrued expenses and other liabilities	(71,903)
Increase in deferred directors' fees	13,765

Total adjustments 96,352,383

Net cash provided from operating activities \$ 111,571,057



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Prudential Global Short Duration High Yield Fund, Inc. (the Fund) is a diversified, closed-end management investment company, registered under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended (1940 Act). The Fund was incorporated as a Maryland corporation on July 23, 2012. The Fund's investment objective is to provide a high level of current income.

### Note 1. Accounting Policies

The Fund follows investment company accounting and reporting guidance of the Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) Accounting Standard Codification Topic 946 Financial Services-*Investment Companies*. The following accounting policies conform to U.S. generally accepted accounting principles. The Fund consistently follows such policies in the preparation of its financial statements.

*Securities Valuation:* The Fund holds securities and other assets that are fair valued at the close of each day the New York Stock Exchange (NYSE) is open for trading. Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants on the measurement date. The Board of Directors (the Board) has adopted Valuation Procedures for security valuation under which fair valuation responsibilities have been delegated to Prudential Investments LLC (PI or Manager). Under the current Valuation Procedures, the established Valuation Committee is responsible for supervising the valuation of portfolio securities and other assets. The Valuation Procedures permit the Fund to utilize independent pricing vendor services, quotations from market makers, and alternative valuation methods when market quotations are either not readily available or not deemed representative of fair value. A record of the Valuation Committee's actions is subject to the Board's review, approval, and ratification at its next regularly-scheduled quarterly meeting.

Various inputs determine how the Fund's investments are valued, all of which are categorized according to the three broad levels (Level 1, 2, or 3) detailed in the table following the Portfolio of Investments.

Common and preferred stocks, exchange-traded funds, and derivative instruments such as futures or options that are traded on a national securities exchange are valued at the last sale price as of the close of trading on the applicable exchange where the security principally trades. Securities traded via NASDAQ are valued at the NASDAQ official

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closing price. To the extent these securities are valued at the last sale price or NASDAQ official closing price, they are classified as Level 1 in the fair value hierarchy.

In the event that no sale or official closing price on valuation date exists, these securities are generally valued at the mean between the last reported bid and ask prices, or at the last bid price in the absence of an ask price. These securities are classified as Level 2 in the fair value hierarchy.

Common and preferred stocks traded on foreign securities exchanges are valued using pricing vendor services that provide model prices derived using adjustment factors based on information such as local closing price, relevant general and sector indices, currency fluctuations, depository receipts, and futures, as applicable. Securities valued using such model prices are classified as Level 2 in the fair value hierarchy. Such securities are valued using model prices to the extent that the valuation meets the established confidence level for each security. If the confidence level is not met or the vendor does not provide a model price, securities are valued in accordance with exchange-traded common and preferred stocks discussed above.

Participatory Notes (P-notes) are generally valued based upon the value of a related underlying security that trades actively in the market and are classified as Level 2 in the fair value hierarchy.

Investments in open-end, non-exchange-traded mutual funds are valued at their net asset values as of the close of the NYSE on the date of valuation. These securities are classified as Level 1 in the fair value hierarchy since they may be purchased or sold at their net asset values on the date of valuation.

Fixed income securities traded in the over-the-counter ( OTC ) market are generally valued at prices provided by approved independent pricing vendors. The pricing vendors provide these prices after evaluating observable inputs including, but not limited to yield curves, yield spreads, credit ratings, deal terms, tranche level attributes, default rates, cash flows, prepayment speeds, broker/dealer quotations, and reported trades. Securities valued using such vendor prices are classified as Level 2 in the fair value hierarchy.

OTC derivative instruments are generally valued using pricing vendor services, which derive the valuation based on inputs such as underlying asset prices, indices, spreads, interest rates, and exchange rates. These instruments are categorized as Level 2 in the fair value hierarchy.

Centrally cleared swaps listed or traded on a multilateral or trade facility platform, such as a registered exchange, are generally valued at the daily settlement price determined by the respective exchange. These securities are classified as Level 2 in the fair value hierarchy, as the daily settlement price is not public.

Securities and other assets that cannot be priced according to the methods described above are valued based on pricing methodologies approved by the Board. In the event that unobservable inputs are used when determining such valuations, the securities will be classified as Level 3 in the fair value hierarchy.

When determining the fair value of securities, some of the factors influencing the valuation include: the nature of any restrictions on disposition of the securities; assessment of the general liquidity of the securities; the issuer's financial condition and the markets in which it does business; the cost of the investment; the size of the holding and the capitalization of the issuer; the prices of any recent transactions or bids/offers for such securities or any comparable securities; any available analyst media or other reports or information deemed reliable by the investment adviser regarding the issuer or the markets or industry in which it operates. Using fair value to price securities may result in a value that is different from a security's most recent closing price and from the price used by other mutual funds to calculate their net asset values.

*Restricted and Illiquid Securities:* The Fund may invest in illiquid securities. Illiquid securities are those that, because of the absence of a readily available market or due to legal or contractual restrictions on resale, cannot be sold within seven days in the ordinary course of business at approximately the amount at which the Fund has valued the investment. Therefore, the Fund may find it difficult to sell illiquid securities at the time considered most advantageous by its Subadviser and may incur expenses that would not be incurred in the sale of securities that were freely marketable. Certain securities that would otherwise be considered illiquid because of legal restrictions on resale to the general public may be traded among qualified institutional buyers under Rule 144A of the Securities Act of 1933. These Rule 144A securities, as well as commercial paper that is sold in private placements under Section 4(2) of the Securities Act, may be deemed liquid by the Fund's Subadviser under the guidelines adopted by the Fund. However, the liquidity of the Fund's investments in Rule 144A securities could be impaired if trading does not develop or declines.

*Forward Currency Contracts:* A forward currency contract is a commitment to purchase or sell a foreign currency at a future date at a negotiated forward rate. The Fund enters into forward currency contracts in order to hedge its exposure to changes

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in foreign currency exchange rates on its foreign portfolio holdings or specific receivables and payables denominated in a foreign currency. The contracts are valued daily at current exchange rates and any unrealized gain or loss is included in net unrealized appreciation or depreciation on foreign currencies. Gain or loss is realized on the settlement date of the contract equal to the difference between the settlement value of the original and negotiated forward contracts. This gain or loss, if any, is included in net realized gain (loss) on foreign currency transactions. Risks may arise upon entering into these contracts from the potential inability of the counterparties to meet the terms of their contracts. Forward currency contracts involve risks from currency exchange rate and credit risk in excess of the amounts reflected on the Statement of Assets and Liabilities. The Fund's maximum risk of loss from counterparty credit risk is the net value of the cash flows to be received from the counterparty at the end of the contract's life.

*Cross Currency Exchange Contracts:* A cross currency contract is a forward contract where a specified amount of one foreign currency will be exchanged for an amount of another foreign currency.

*Master Netting Arrangements:* The Fund is subject to various Master Agreements, or netting arrangements, with select counterparties. These are agreements which a subadviser may have negotiated and entered into on behalf of the Fund. A master netting arrangement between the Fund and the counterparty permits the Fund to offset amounts payable by the Fund to the same counterparty against amounts to be received; and by the receipt of collateral from the counterparty by the Fund to cover the Fund's exposure to the counterparty. However, there is no assurance that such mitigating factors are easily enforceable. The right to set-off exists when all the conditions are met such that each of the parties owes the other determinable amounts, the reporting party has the right to set-off the amount owed with the amount owed by the other party, the reporting party intends to set-off and the right of set-off is enforceable by law. During the reporting period, there were no instances where the right of set-off existed and management has not elected to offset.

The Fund is party to ISDA (International Swaps and Derivatives Association, Inc.) Master Agreements with certain counterparties that govern over-the-counter derivative and foreign exchange contracts entered into from time to time. The Master Agreements may contain provisions regarding, among other things, the parties' general obligations, representations, agreements, collateral requirements, events of default and early termination. With respect to certain counterparties, in accordance

with the terms of the Master Agreements, collateral posted to the Fund is held in a segregated account by the Fund's custodian and with respect to those amounts which can be sold or re-pledged, are presented in the Portfolio of Investments. Collateral pledged by the Fund is segregated by the Fund's custodian and identified in the Portfolio of Investments. Collateral can be in the form of cash or debt securities issued by the U.S. Government or related agencies or other securities as agreed to by the Fund and the applicable counterparty. Collateral requirements are determined based on the Fund's net position with each counterparty. Termination events applicable to the Fund may occur upon a decline in the Fund's net assets below a specified threshold over a certain period of time. Termination events applicable to counterparties may occur upon a decline in the counterparty's long-term and short-term credit ratings below a specified level. In each case, upon occurrence, the other party may elect to terminate early and cause settlement of all derivative and foreign exchange contracts outstanding, including the payment of any losses and costs resulting from such early termination, as reasonably determined by the terminating party. Any decision by one or more of the Fund's counterparties to elect early termination could impact the Fund's future derivative activity.

In addition to each instrument's primary underlying risk exposure (e.g. interest rate, credit, equity or foreign exchange, etc.), swap agreements involve, to varying degrees, elements of credit, market and documentation risk. Such risks involve the possibility that no liquid market for these agreements will exist, the counterparty to the agreement may default on its obligation to perform or disagree on the contractual terms in the agreement, and changes in net interest rates will be unfavorable. In connection with these agreements, securities may be identified or received as collateral from the counterparty in accordance with the terms of the respective swap agreements to provide or receive assets of value and serve as recourse in the event of default or bankruptcy/insolvency of either party. Such over-the-counter derivative agreements include conditions which, when materialized, give the counterparty the right to cause an early termination of the transactions under those agreements. Any election by the counterparty for early termination of the contract(s) may impact the amounts reported on financial statements.

As of July 31, 2015, the Fund has not met conditions under such agreements that give the counterparty the right to call for an early termination.

Forward currency contracts, written options, short sales, swaps and financial futures contracts involve elements of both market and credit risk in excess of the amounts reflected on the Statement of Assets and Liabilities. Such risks may be mitigated by engaging in master netting arrangements.

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*Loan Participations:* The Fund may invest in loan participations. When the Fund purchases a loan participation, the Fund typically enters into a contractual relationship with the lender or third party selling such participations ( Selling Participant ), but not the borrower. As a result, the Fund assumes the credit risk of the borrower and any other persons interpositioned between the Fund and the borrower. The Fund may not directly benefit from the collateral supporting the senior loan in which it has purchased the loan participation.

*Payment In Kind Securities:* The Fund may invest in open market or receive pursuant to debt restructuring, securities that pay in kind (PIK) the interest due on such debt instruments. The PIK interest, computed at the contractual rate specified, is added to the existing principal balance of the debt when issued bonds have the same terms as the bond or recorded as a separate bond when terms are different from the existing debt, and is recorded as interest income. The interest rate on PIK debt is paid out over time.

*Cash Flow Information:* The Fund invests in securities and distributes dividends from net investment income, which are paid in cash or are reinvested at the discretion of stockholders. These activities are reported in the Statement of Changes in Net Assets and additional information on cash receipts and cash payments is presented in the Statement of Cash Flows.

Accounting practices that do not affect reporting activities on a cash basis include carrying investments at value, accruing income on PIK (payment-in-kind) securities and accreting discounts and amortizing premiums on debt obligations.

*Securities Transactions and Net Investment Income:* Securities transactions are recorded on the trade date. Realized gains or losses from security and currency transactions are calculated on the identified cost basis. Dividend income is recorded on the ex-dividend date. Interest income, including amortization of premium and accretion of discount on debt securities, as required, is recorded on the accrual basis. Expenses are recorded on the accrual basis, which may require the use of certain estimates by management, that may differ from actual.

*Dividends and Distributions:* The Fund intends to make a level dividend distribution each month to the holders of Common Stock. The level dividend rate may be modified by the Board from time to time, and will be based upon the past and projected performance and expenses of the Fund. The Fund intends to also make a

distribution during or with respect to each calendar year (which may be combined with a regular monthly distribution), which will generally include any net investment income and net realized capital gain for the year not otherwise distributed.

PI has received an order from the Securities and Exchange Commission granting the Fund an exemption from Section 19(b) of the 1940 Act and Rule 19b-1 thereunder to permit certain closed-end funds managed by PI to include realized long-term capital gains as a part of their respective regular distributions to the holders of Common Stock more frequently than would otherwise be permitted by the 1940 Act (generally once per taxable year). The Fund intends to rely on this exemptive order. The Board may, at the request of PI, adopt a managed distribution policy.

Dividends and distributions to stockholders, which are determined in accordance with federal income tax regulations and which may differ from generally accepted accounting principles, are recorded on the ex-dividend date. Permanent book/tax differences relating to income and gains are reclassified amongst undistributed net investment income, accumulated net realized gain or loss and paid-in capital in excess of par, as appropriate.

*Organization and Offering Costs:* PI has agreed to pay all of the Fund's organizational costs and such amount of the Fund's offering costs (other than sales load) that exceed \$0.04 per share of common stock. Organizational costs are expensed by the Fund as incurred.

*Taxes:* It is the Fund's policy to continue to meet the requirements of the Internal Revenue Code applicable to regulated investment companies and to distribute all of its taxable net income and capital gains, if any, to its stockholders. Therefore, no federal income tax provision is required. Withholding taxes on foreign interest are recorded, net of reclaimable amounts, at the time the related income is earned.

*Estimates:* The preparation of the financial statements requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

## **Note 2. Agreements**

The Fund has a management agreement with PI. Pursuant to this agreement, PI has responsibility for all investment advisory services and supervises the subadviser's performance of such services. PI has entered into a subadvisory agreement with PIM. The subadvisory agreement provides that PIM will furnish investment advisory services in connection with the management of the Fund. In connection therewith,



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PIM is obligated to keep certain books and records of the Fund. PI pays for the services of PIM, the cost of compensation of officers of the Fund, occupancy and certain clerical and bookkeeping costs of the Fund. The Fund bears all other cost and expenses.

The management fee paid to PI is accrued daily and payable monthly, at an annual rate of .85% of the average daily value of the Fund's investable assets. Investable assets refers to the net assets attributable to the outstanding Common Stock of the Fund plus the liquidation preference of any outstanding preferred stock issued by the Fund, the principal amount of any borrowings and the principal on any debt securities issued by the Fund.

PI and PIM are indirect, wholly-owned subsidiaries of Prudential Financial, Inc. ( Prudential ).

### **Note 3. Other Transactions with Affiliates**

The Fund invests in the Prudential Core Taxable Money Market Fund (the Core Fund ), a portfolio of the Prudential Investment Portfolios 2, registered under the 1940 Act, and managed by PI. Earnings from the Core Fund are disclosed on the Statement of Operations as affiliated dividend income.

### **Note 4. Fund Securities**

Purchases and sales of portfolio securities, other than short-term investments, for the year ended July 31, 2015, aggregated \$605,388,325 and \$652,785,016, respectively.

### **Note 5. Distributions and Tax Information**

Distributions to shareholders, which are determined in accordance with federal income tax regulations and which may differ from generally accepted accounting principles, are recorded on the ex-dividend date. In order to present undistributed net investment income, accumulated net realized loss on investment and foreign currency transactions and paid-in capital in excess of par on the Statement of Assets and Liabilities that more closely represent their tax character, certain adjustments have been made to undistributed net investment income and accumulated net



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realized loss on investment and foreign currency transactions. For the year ended July 31, 2015, the adjustments were to increase undistributed net investment income and increase accumulated net realized loss on investment and foreign currency transactions by \$35,662,928 due to differences in the treatment for book and tax purposes of premium amortization, certain transactions involving foreign currencies and paydown gains/losses. Net investment income, net realized gain (loss) on investments and foreign currency transactions and net assets were not affected by this change.

For the years ended July 31, 2015 and July 31, 2014, the tax character of dividends paid by the Fund were \$71,780,484 and \$61,385,819 of ordinary income, respectively.

As of July 31, 2015, the accumulated undistributed earnings on a tax basis was \$11,815,265 of ordinary income. This differs from the amount shown on the Statement of Assets and Liabilities primarily due to cumulative timing differences between financial and tax reporting.

The United States federal income tax basis of the Fund's investments and the net unrealized depreciation as of July 31, 2015 were as follows:

					<b>Total Net</b>
<b>Tax Basis</b>	<b>Appreciation</b>	<b>Depreciation</b>	<b>Net Unrealized Depreciation</b>	<b>Other Cost Basis Adjustments</b>	<b>Unrealized Depreciation</b>
\$1,002,636,016	\$4,655,844	\$(55,245,746)	\$(50,589,902)	\$(356,065)	\$(50,945,967)

The difference between book basis and tax basis is primarily attributable to deferred losses on wash sales and differences in the treatment of premium amortization for book and tax purposes. The other cost basis adjustments are primarily attributable to appreciation (depreciation) of foreign currencies, mark-to-market of receivables and payables and other book to tax adjustments.

For federal income tax purposes, the Fund had a capital loss carryforward as of July 31, 2015 of approximately \$42,405,000 which can be carried forward for an unlimited period. No capital gains distributions are expected to be paid to shareholders until net gains have been realized in excess of such losses.

Management has analyzed the Fund's tax positions taken on federal, state and local income tax returns for all open tax years and has concluded that no provision for income tax is required in the Fund's financial statements for the current reporting period. The Fund's federal, state and local income and federal excise tax returns for

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tax years for which the applicable statutes of limitations have not expired are subject to examination by the Internal Revenue Service and state departments of revenue.

### **Note 6. Capital**

For the year ended July 31, 2015, the Fund did not issue any shares of Common Stock in connection with the Fund's dividend reinvestment plan. There are 1 billion shares of \$0.001 par value Common Stock authorized. As of July 31, 2015, Prudential owned 6,565 shares of Common Stock of the Fund.

### **Note 7. Borrowings and Re-hypothecation**

The Fund currently is a party to a committed credit facility (the credit facility) with a financial institution. The credit facility provides for a maximum commitment of \$440 million or 50% of the net asset value based on the most recent fiscal year end. Interest on any borrowings under the credit facility is payable at the negotiated rates. The Fund's obligations under the credit facility are secured by the assets of the Fund segregated for the purpose of securing the amount borrowed. The purpose of the credit facility is to provide the Fund with portfolio leverage and to meet its general cash flow requirements.

During the year ended July 31, 2015, the Fund utilized the credit facility and had an average daily outstanding loan balance of \$279,835,616 during the 365 day period that the facility was utilized, at an average interest rate of 0.93%. The maximum amount of loan outstanding during the period was \$316,000,000. There was a balance of \$275,000,000 outstanding at July 31, 2015.

*Re-hypothecation:* The Board recently approved an amendment to the credit facility, whereby the credit facility agreement permits, subject to certain conditions, the financial institution to re-hypothecate, up to the amount outstanding under the facility, portfolio securities segregated by the Fund as collateral. The Fund continues to receive interest on re-hypothecated securities. The Fund also has the right under the agreement to recall the re-hypothecated securities from financial institution on demand. If the financial institution fails to deliver the recalled security in a timely manner, the Fund will be compensated by the financial institution for any fees or losses related to the failed delivery or, in the event a recalled security will not be returned by financial institution, the Fund, upon notice to the financial institution, may reduce the loan balance outstanding by the value of the recalled security failed

to be returned plus accrued interest. The Fund will receive a portion of the fees earned the financial institution in connection with the re-hypothecation of portfolio securities. Such earnings are disclosed in the statement of operations under Other Income. As of July 31, 2015, there were no earnings to be disclosed.

**Note 8. Subsequent Event**

*Dividends and Distributions:* On September 2, 2015 the Fund declared monthly dividends of \$0.1100 per share payable on September 30, 2015, October 30, 2015 and November 30, 2015, respectively, to shareholders of record on September 18, 2015, October 16, 2015, and November 20, 2015, respectively. The ex-dividend dates are September 16, 2015, October 14, 2015, and November 18, 2015, respectively.

**Note 9. New Accounting Pronouncement**

In May 2015, the FASB issued Accounting Standards Update ( ASU ) No. 2015-07 regarding Disclosures for Investments in Certain Entities That Calculate Net Asset Value per Share . The amendments in this update are effective for the Fund for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2015, and interim periods within those fiscal years. ASU No. 2015-07 will eliminate the requirement to categorize investments in the fair value hierarchy if their fair value is measured at net asset value ( NAV ) per share (or its equivalent) using the practical expedient in the FASB 's fair value measurement guidance. At this time, management is evaluating the implications of ASU No. 2015-07 and its impact on the financial statement disclosures has not yet been determined.

## Financial Highlights

	Year Ended July 31,		December 26,
	2015	2014	2012(a) through July 31, 2013(b)
<b>Per Share Operating Performance:</b>			
<b>Net Asset Value, Beginning Of Period</b>	\$18.45	\$18.70	\$19.10*
<b>Income (loss) from investment operations:</b>			
Net investment income	1.15	1.23	.64
Net realized and unrealized gain (loss) on investment transactions	(.78)	.02	(.26)
Total from investment operations	.37	1.25	.38
<b>Less Dividends:</b>			
Dividends from net investment income	(1.75)	(1.50)	(.75)
<b>Fund share transactions:</b>			
Common stock offering costs reimbursed (charged) to paid-in capital in excess of par	-	-(h)	(.04)
Accretion to net asset value from the exercise of the underwriters over-allotment option (Note 6)	-	-	.01
Total of share transactions	-	-	(.03)
Net asset value, end of period	\$17.07	\$18.45	\$18.70
Market price, end of period	\$14.70	\$16.94	\$17.18
<b>Total Investment Return(c)</b>	(3.28)%	7.39%	(10.52)%
<b>Ratios/Supplemental Data:</b>			
Net assets, end of period (000)	\$698,589	\$755,151	\$765,475
Average net assets (000)	\$720,504	\$769,943	\$761,359
Ratios to average net assets(d):			
Expenses after waivers and/or expense reimbursement	1.61%(e)	1.60%(e)	1.40%(e)(f)
Expenses before waivers and/or expense reimbursement	1.61%(e)	1.60%(e)	1.43%(e)(f)
Net investment income	6.53%	6.56%	5.70%(f)
Portfolio turnover rate	62%	65%	34%(g)
Asset coverage	354%	339%	361%
Total debt outstanding at period-end (000)	\$275,000	\$316,000	\$293,000

\* Initial public offering price of \$20.00 per share less sales load of \$0.90 per share.

(a) Commencement of operations.

(b) Calculated based on average shares outstanding during the period.

(c) Total investment return is calculated assuming a purchase of common stock at the current market price on the first day and a sale at the closing market price on the last day of each period reported. Dividends are assumed, for the purpose of this calculation, to be reinvested at prices obtainable under the Fund's dividend reinvestment plan. This amount does not reflect brokerage commissions or sales load. Total returns for periods less than a full year are not annualized.

(d) Does not include expenses of the underlying portfolio in which the Fund invests.

(e) Includes interest expense of 0.36% for the year ended July 31, 2015, 0.36% for the year ended July 31, 2014 and 0.25% for the period ended July 31, 2013.

(f) Annualized.

(g) Not annualized.

(h) Less than \$.005 per share.

See Notes to Financial Statements.



## Report of Independent Registered Public

### Accounting Firm

The Board of Directors and Shareholders

Prudential Global Short Duration High Yield Fund, Inc.:

We have audited the accompanying statement of assets and liabilities of Prudential Global Short Duration High Yield Fund, Inc. (hereafter referred to as the Fund ), including the portfolio of investments, as of July 31, 2015, and the related statements of operations and statement of cash flows for the year then ended, statements of changes in net assets for each of the years in the two-year period then ended and the financial highlights for the two-year period then ended and the period December 26, 2012 (commencement of operations) through July 31, 2013. These financial statements and financial highlights are the responsibility of the Fund's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements and financial highlights based on our audit.

We conducted our audits in accordance with the standards of the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States). Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements and financial highlights are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. Our procedures included confirmation of securities owned as of July 31, 2015, by correspondence with the custodian, transfer agent and brokers or by other appropriate auditing procedures when replies from brokers were not received. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statements and financial highlights referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Fund as of July 31, 2015, and the results of its operations, the cash flows, the changes in its net assets and the financial highlights for the periods described in the first paragraph above, in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles.

New York, New York

September 17, 2015



## Tax Information

(Unaudited)

For the year ended July 31, 2015, the Fund reports the maximum amount allowable but not less than 52.15% as interest related dividends in accordance with Section 871(k)(1) and 881(e)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code.

Interest-related dividends do not include any distributions paid by a fund with respect to Fund tax years beginning after July 31, 2015. Consequently, this provision expires with respect to such distributions paid after the Fund's fiscal year end.

In January 2016, you will be advised on IRS Form 1099-DIV or substitute 1099-DIV as to the federal tax status of dividends received by you in calendar year 2015.

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## Other Information

(Unaudited)

**Dividend Reinvestment Plan.** Unless a holder of Common Stock elects to receive cash by contacting Computershare Trust Company, N.A. (the Plan Administrator), all dividends declared on Common Stock will be automatically reinvested by the Plan Administrator pursuant to the Fund's Automatic Dividend Reinvestment Plan (the Plan), in additional Common Stock. The holders of Common Stock who elect not to participate in the Plan will receive all dividends and other distributions (together, a Dividend) in cash paid by check mailed directly to the stockholder of record (or, if the Common Stock is held in street or other nominee name, then to such nominee) by the Plan Administrator as dividend disbursing agent. Participation in the Plan is completely voluntary and may be terminated or resumed at any time without penalty by notice if received and processed by the Plan Administrator prior to the Dividend record date; otherwise such termination or resumption will be effective with respect to any subsequently declared Dividend. Such notice will be effective with respect to a particular Dividend. Some brokers may automatically elect to receive cash on behalf of the holders of Common Stock and may re-invest that cash in additional Common Stock.

The Plan Administrator will open an account for each common stockholder under the Plan in the same name in which such common stockholder's Common Stock is registered. Whenever the Fund declares a Dividend payable in cash, non-participants in the Plan will receive cash and participants in the Plan will receive the equivalent in Common Stock. The Common Stock will be acquired by the Plan Administrator for the participants' accounts, depending upon the circumstances described below, either (i) through receipt of additional unissued but authorized Common Stock from the Fund (Newly Issued Common Stock) or (ii) by purchase of outstanding Common Stock on the open market (Open-Market Purchases) on the NYSE or elsewhere. If, on the payment date for any Dividend, the closing market price of the Common Stock plus per share fees (as defined below) is equal to or greater than the NAV per share of Common Stock (such condition being referred to as market premium), the Plan Administrator will invest the Dividend amount in Newly Issued Common Stock on behalf of the participants. The number of Newly Issued Common Stock to be credited to each participant's account will be determined by dividing the dollar amount of the Dividend by the NAV per share of Common Stock on the payment date, provided that, if the NAV per share of Common Stock is less than or equal to 95% of the closing market price per share of Common Stock on the payment date, the dollar amount of the Dividend will be divided by 95% of the closing market price per Common Stock on the payment date. If, on the payment date for any Dividend, the NAV per share of Common Stock is greater than the closing market value per share of Common Stock plus per share fees (such condition being referred to as market discount), the Plan Administrator will invest the Dividend amount in shares of Common Stock acquired on behalf of the participants in Open-Market Purchases.

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Per share fees include any applicable brokerage commissions the Plan Administrator is required to pay.

In the event of a market discount on the payment date for any Dividend, the Plan Administrator will have until the last business day before the next date on which the Common Stock trades on an ex-dividend basis or 30 days after the payment date for such Dividend, whichever is sooner (the Last Purchase Date), to invest the Dividend amount in Common Stock acquired in Open-Market Purchases on behalf of participants. If, before the Plan Administrator has completed its Open-Market Purchases, the market price per share of Common Stock exceeds the NAV per share of Common Stock, the average per share purchase price paid by the Plan Administrator for Common Stock may exceed the NAV per share of the Common Stock, resulting in the acquisition of fewer shares of Common Stock than if the Dividend had been paid in Newly Issued Common Stock on the Dividend payment date. Because of the foregoing difficulty with respect to Open-Market Purchases, the Plan provides that if the Plan Administrator is unable to invest the full Dividend amount in Open-Market Purchases during the purchase period or if the market discount shifts to a market premium during the purchase period, the Plan Administrator may cease making Open-Market Purchases and may invest the uninvested portion of the Dividend amount in Newly Issued Common Stock at the NAV per share of Common Stock at the close of business on the Last Purchase Date, provided that, if the NAV is less than or equal to 95% of the then current market price per share of Common Stock, the dollar amount of the Dividend will be divided by 95% of the market price on the payment date for purposes of determining the number of shares issuable under the Plan.

The Plan Administrator maintains all stockholder accounts in the Plan and furnishes written confirmation of all transactions in the accounts, including information needed by stockholders for tax records. Common Stock in the account of each Plan participant will be held by the Plan Administrator on behalf of the Plan participant, and each stockholder proxy will include those shares purchased or received pursuant to the Plan. The Plan Administrator will forward all proxy solicitation materials to participants and vote proxies for shares held under the Plan in accordance with the instructions of the participants.

In the case of the holders of Common Stock such as banks, brokers or nominees that hold shares of Common Stock for others who are the beneficial owners, the Plan Administrator will administer the Plan on the basis of the number of shares of Common Stock certified from time to time by the record stockholder's name and held for the account of beneficial owners who participate in the Plan.

The Plan Administrator's service fee, if any, and expenses for administering the plan will be paid for by the Fund. If a participant elects by written, Internet or telephonic notice to the Plan Administrator to have the Plan Administrator sell part or all of the shares held by the Plan Administrator in the participant's account and remit the proceeds to the participant, the Plan Administrator is authorized to deduct a \$15.00 transaction fee plus a \$0.12 per share fee. If a participant elects to sell his or her shares of Common Stock, the Plan Administrator will process all sale instructions received no later than five business days after the date on which the order is received by the Plan Administrator, assuming the relevant markets are open and sufficient market liquidity exists (and except where deferral is required under applicable federal or state laws or regulations). Such sale will be made through the Plan Administrator's broker on the relevant market and the sale price will not be determined until such time as the broker completes the sale. In every case the price to the participant shall be the weighted average sale price obtained by the Plan Administrator's broker net of fees for each aggregate order placed by the participant and executed by the broker. To maximize cost savings, the Plan Administrator will seek to sell shares in round lot transactions. For this purpose the Plan Administrator may combine a participant's shares with those of other selling participants.

There will be no brokerage charges with respect to shares of Common Stock issued directly by the Fund. However, each participant will pay a pro rata share of brokerage commissions incurred in connection with Open-Market Purchases. Each participant will be charged a per share fee (currently \$0.05 per share) on all Open-Market Purchases. The automatic reinvestment of Dividends will not relieve participants of any federal, state or local income tax that may be payable (or required to be withheld) on such Dividends. See Tax Matters. Participants that request a sale of Common Stock through the Plan Administrator are subject to brokerage commissions.

Each participant may terminate the participant's account under the Plan by so notifying the Plan Administrator via the Plan Administrator's website at [www.computershare.com/investor](http://www.computershare.com/investor), by filling out the transaction request form located at the bottom of the participant's Statement and sending it to the Plan Administrator or by calling the Plan Administrator. Such termination will be effective immediately if the participant's notice is received by the Plan Administrator prior to any dividend or distribution record date. Upon any withdrawal or termination, the Plan Administrator will cause to be delivered to each terminating participant a statement of holdings for the appropriate number of the Fund's whole book-entry shares of Common Stock and a check for the cash adjustment of any fractional share at the market value of the Fund's shares of Common Stock as of the close of business on the date the termination is effective less any applicable fees. In the event a participant's notice of

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termination is on or after a record date (but before payment date) for an account whose dividends are reinvested, the Plan Administrator, in its sole discretion, may either distribute such dividends in cash or reinvest them in shares of Common Stock on behalf of the terminating participant. In the event reinvestment is made, the Plan Administrator will process the termination as soon as practicable, but in no event later than five business days after the reinvestment is completed. The Plan may be terminated by the Fund upon notice in writing mailed to each participant at least 30 days prior to any record date for the payment of any dividend or distribution by the Fund.

The Fund reserves the right to amend or terminate the Plan. There is no direct service charge to participants with regard to purchases in the Plan; however, the Fund reserves the right to amend the Plan to include a service charge payable by the participants.

All correspondence or questions concerning the Plan should be directed to the Plan Administrator, Computershare Trust Company, N.A., P.O. Box 43078, Providence, RI 02940-3078 or by calling (toll free) 800-451-6788.

## Supplemental Proxy Information

An Annual Meeting of Stockholders was held on March 13, 2015. At such meeting the stockholders elected the following Class III Directors:

### **Approval of Directors**

<b>Class III</b>	<b>Affirmative Votes Cast</b>	<b>Shares Against/Withheld</b>
Scott E. Benjamin	36,732,216	782,605
Linda W. Bynoe	36,692,592	822,299
Michael S. Hyland	36,673,060	841,761
James E. Quinn	36,691,969	822,852

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## Management of the Fund (Unaudited)

Information about the Directors and Officers of the Fund is set forth below. Directors who are not deemed to be interested persons of the Fund, as defined in the Investment Company Act of 1940 (the "1940 Act"), are referred to as Independent Directors. Directors who are deemed to be interested persons of the Fund are referred to as Interested Directors. The Directors are responsible for the overall supervision of the operations of the Fund and perform the various duties imposed on the directors of investment companies by the 1940 Act. The Board in turn elects the Officers, who are responsible for administering the day-to-day operations of the Fund.

<b>Independent Directors</b>			
<b>Name, Address, Age Position(s) Portfolios Overseen</b>	<b>Principal Occupation(s) During Past Five Years</b>	<b>Term of Office &amp; Length of Time Served</b>	<b>Other Directorships Held</b>
Ellen S. Alberding (57) Director Portfolios Overseen: 66	President and Board Member, The Joyce Foundation (charitable foundation) (since 2002); Vice Chair, City Colleges of Chicago (community college system) (since 2011); Trustee, Skills for America's Future (national initiative to connect employers to community colleges) (since 2011); Trustee, National Park Foundation (charitable foundation for national park system) (since 2009); Trustee, Economic Club of Chicago (since 2009).	Since 2013 (Class I)	None.
Kevin J. Bannon (63) Director Portfolios Overseen: 66	Managing Director (April 2008-May 2015) and Chief Investment Officer (October 2008-November 2013) of Highmount Capital LLC (registered investment adviser); formerly Executive Vice President and Chief Investment Officer (April 1993-August 2007) of Bank of New York Company; President (May 2003-May 2007) of BNY Hamilton Family of Mutual Funds.	Since 2012 (Class II)	Director of Urstadt Biddle Properties (since September 2008).
Linda W. Bynoe (63) Director Portfolios Overseen: 66	President and Chief Executive Officer (since March 1995) and formerly Chief Operating Officer (December 1989-February 1995) of Telemat Ltd. (management consulting); formerly Vice President (January 1985-June 1989) at Morgan Stanley & Co. (broker-dealer).	Since 2012 (Class III)	Director of Simon Property Group, Inc. (retail real estate) (May 2003-May 2012); Director of Anixter International, Inc. (communication products distributor) (since January 2006); Director of Northern Trust Corporation (financial services) (since April 2006); Trustee of Equity Residential (residential real estate) (since December 2009).

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**Independent Directors**

<b>Name, Address, Age Position(s) Portfolios Overseen</b>	<b>Principal Occupation(s) During Past Five Years</b>	<b>Term of Office &amp; Length of Time Served</b>	<b>Other Directorships Held</b>
Keith F. Hartstein (58)  Director  Portfolios Overseen: 66	Retired; Member (since November 2014) of the Governing Council of the Independent Directors Council (organization of independent mutual fund directors); formerly President and Chief Executive Officer (2005-2012), Senior Vice President (2004-2005), Senior Vice President of Sales and Marketing (1997-2004), and various executive management positions (1990-1997), John Hancock Funds, LLC (asset management); Chairman, Investment Company Institute's Sales Force Marketing Committee (2003-2008).	Since 2013 (Class II)	None.
Michael S. Hyland, CFA (69)  Director  Portfolios Overseen: 66	Retired (since February 2005); formerly Senior Managing Director (July 2001-February 2005) of Bear Stearns & Co, Inc.; Global Partner, INVESCO (1999-2001); Managing Director and President of Salomon Brothers Asset Management (1989-1999).	Since 2012 (Class III)	None.
Richard A. Redeker (72)  Director & Independent Chair  Portfolios Overseen: 66	Retired Mutual Fund Senior Executive (47 years); Management Consultant; Director, Mutual Fund Directors Forum (since 2014); Independent Directors Council (organization of independent mutual fund directors)	Since 2012 (Class I)	None.
Stephen G. Stoneburn (72)  Director  Portfolios Overseen: 66	Executive Committee, Chair of Policy Steering Committee, Governing Council. Chairman (since July 2011), President and Chief Executive Officer (since June 1996) of Quadrant Media Corp. (publishing company); formerly President (June 1995-June 1996) of Argus Integrated Media, Inc.; Senior Vice President and Managing Director (January 1993-1995) of Cowles Business Media; Senior Vice President of Fairchild Publications, Inc. (1975-1989).	Since 2012 (Class II)	None.

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## Management of the Fund (continued)

<b>Interested Directors</b>			
<b>Name, Address, Age Position(s) Portfolios Overseen</b>	<b>Principal Occupation(s) During Past Five Years</b>	<b>Term of Office &amp; Length of Time Served</b>	<b>Other Directorships Held</b>
Stuart S. Parker (52) Director & President Portfolios Overseen: 66	President of Prudential Investments LLC (since January 2012); Executive Vice President of Prudential Investment Management Services LLC (since December 2012); Executive Vice President of Jennison Associates LLC and Head of Retail Distribution of Prudential Investments LLC (June 2005-December 2011).	Since 2015 (Class I)	None.
Scott E. Benjamin (42) Director & Vice President Portfolios Overseen: 66	Executive Vice President (since June 2009) of Prudential Investments LLC; Executive Vice President (June 2009-June 2012) and Vice President (since June 2012) of Prudential Investment Management Services LLC; Executive Vice President (since September 2009) of AST Investment Services, Inc.; Senior Vice President of Product Development and Marketing, Prudential Investments (since February 2006); Vice President of Product Development and Product Management, Prudential Investments (2003-2006).	Since 2012 (Class III)	None.
Grace C. Torres (56)* Director Portfolios Overseen: 64	Retired; formerly Treasurer and Principal Financial and Accounting Officer of the Prudential Investments Funds, Target Funds, Advanced Series Trust, Prudential Variable Contract Accounts and The Prudential Series Fund (1998-June 2014); Assistant Treasurer (March 1999-June 2014) and Senior Vice President (September 1999-June 2014) of Prudential Investments LLC; Assistant Treasurer (May 2003-June 2014) and Vice President (June 2005-June 2014) of AST Investment Services, Inc.; Senior Vice President and Assistant Treasurer (May 2003-June 2014) of Prudential Annuities Advisory Services, Inc.	Since 2015 (Class II)	Director (since July 2015) of SunBancorp, Inc. N.A.

\* Note: Prior to her retirement in 2014, Ms. Torres was employed by Prudential Investments LLC. Due to her prior employment, Ms. Torres is considered to be an interested person under the 1940 Act. Ms. Torres serves as a non-management Interested Director, and receives compensation from the Fund for her service as a Director.

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**Fund Officers<sup>(a)</sup>**

<b>Name, Address and Age Position with Fund</b>	<b>Term of Office</b>	<b>Principal Occupation(s) During Past Five Years</b>
Raymond A. O Hara (60) Chief Legal Officer	Since 2012	Vice President and Corporate Counsel (since July 2010) of Prudential Insurance Company of America (Prudential); Vice President (March 2011-Present) of Pruco Life Insurance Company and Pruco Life Insurance Company of New Jersey; Vice President and Corporate Counsel (March 2011-Present) of Prudential Annuities Life Assurance Corporation; Chief Legal Officer of Prudential Investments LLC (since June 2012); Chief Legal Officer of PMFS (since June 2012) and Corporate Counsel of AST Investment Services, Inc. (since June 2012); formerly Assistant Vice President and Corporate Counsel (September 2008-July 2010) of The Hartford Financial Services Group, Inc.; formerly Associate (September 1980-December 1987) and Partner (January 1988-August 2008) of Blazzard & Hasenauer, P.C. (formerly, Blazzard, Grodd & Hasenauer, P.C.).
Chad A. Earnst (40) Chief Compliance Officer	Since 2014	Chief Compliance Officer (September 2014-Present) of Prudential Investments LLC; Chief Compliance Officer (September 2014-Present) of the Prudential Investments Funds, Target Funds, Advanced Series Trust, The Prudential Series Fund, Prudential's Gibraltar Fund, Inc., Prudential Global Short Duration High Yield Income Fund, Inc., Prudential Short Duration High Yield Fund, Inc. and Prudential Jennison MLP Income Fund, Inc.; formerly Assistant Director (March 2010-August 2014) of the Asset Management Unit, Division of Enforcement, US Securities & Exchange Commission; Assistant Regional Director (January 2010-August 2014), Branch Chief (June 2006-December 2009) and Senior Counsel (April 2003-May 2006) of the Miami Regional Office, Division of Enforcement, US Securities & Exchange Commission.
Deborah A. Docs (57) Secretary	Since 2012	Vice President and Corporate Counsel (since January 2001) of Prudential; Vice President (since December 1996) and Assistant Secretary (since March 1999) of Prudential Investments LLC; formerly Vice President and Assistant Secretary (May 2003-June 2005) of AST Investment Services, Inc.
Jonathan D. Shain (57) Assistant Secretary	Since 2012	Vice President and Corporate Counsel (since August 1998) of Prudential; Vice President and Assistant Secretary (since May 2001) of Prudential Investments LLC; Vice President and Assistant Secretary (since February 2001) of PMFS; formerly Vice President and Assistant Secretary (May 2003-June 2005) of AST Investment Services, Inc.
Claudia DiGiacomo (40) Assistant Secretary	Since 2012	Vice President and Corporate Counsel (since January 2005) of Prudential; Vice President and Assistant Secretary of Prudential Investments LLC (since December 2005); Associate at Sidley Austin Brown & Wood LLP (1999-2004).

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## Management of the Fund (continued)

<b>Fund Officers<sup>(a)</sup></b>		
<b>Name, Address and Age Position with Fund</b>	<b>Term of Office</b>	<b>Principal Occupation(s) During Past Five Years</b>
Andrew R. French (52) Assistant Secretary	Since 2012	Vice President and Corporate Counsel (since February 2010) of Prudential; formerly Director and Corporate Counsel (2006-2010) of Prudential; Vice President and Assistant Secretary (since January 2007) of Prudential Investments LLC; Vice President and Assistant Secretary (since January 2007) of PMFS.
Amanda S. Ryan (37) Assistant Secretary	Since 2012	Director and Corporate Counsel (since March 2012) of Prudential; Director and Assistant Secretary (since June 2012) of Prudential Investments LLC; Associate at Ropes & Gray (2008-2012).
Theresa C. Thompson (53) Deputy Chief Compliance Officer	Since 2013	Vice President, Compliance, Prudential Investments LLC (since April 2004); and Director, Compliance, Prudential Investments LLC (2001-2004).
M. Sadiq Peshimam (51) Treasurer & Principal Financial and Accounting Officer	Since 2012	Assistant Treasurer of funds in the Prudential Mutual Fund Complex (2006-2014); Vice President (since 2005) of Prudential Investments LLC.
Peter Parrella (57) Assistant Treasurer	Since 2012	Vice President (since 2007) and Director (2004-2007) within Prudential Mutual Fund Administration; formerly Tax Manager at SSB Citi Fund Management LLC (1997-2004).
Lana Lomuti (48) Assistant Treasurer	Since 2014	Vice President (since 2007) and Director (2005-2007), within Prudential Mutual Fund Administration; formerly Assistant Treasurer (December 2007-February 2014) of The Greater China Fund, Inc.
Linda McMullin (54) Assistant Treasurer	Since 2014	Vice President (since 2011) and Director (2008-2011) within Prudential Mutual Fund Administration.

<sup>(a)</sup> Excludes Mr. Parker and Mr. Benjamin, Interested Directors of the Fund who also serve as President and Vice President, respectively.

Explanatory Notes to Tables:

Directors are deemed to be Interested, as defined in the 1940 Act, by reason of their affiliation with Prudential Investments LLC and/or an affiliate of Prudential Investments LLC.

Unless otherwise noted, the address of all Directors and Officers is c/o Prudential Investments LLC, Gateway Center Three, 100 Mulberry Street, Newark, New Jersey 07102-4077.

The Board of Directors is divided into three classes, each of which has three year terms. Class I term expires in 2016, Class II term expires in 2017 and Class III term expires in 2018. Officers are generally elected by the Board to one-year terms.

There is no set term of office for Directors or Officers. The Directors have adopted a retirement policy, which calls for the retirement of Directors on December 31 of the year in which they reach the age of 75.

Other Directorships Held includes only directorships of companies required to register or file reports with the SEC under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (that is, public companies) or other investment companies registered under the 1940 Act.

Portfolios Overseen includes all investment companies managed by Prudential Investments LLC. The investment companies for which Prudential Investments LLC serves as manager include the Prudential Investments Mutual Funds, The Prudential Variable Contract Accounts, Target Mutual Funds, Prudential Short Duration High Yield Fund, Inc., Prudential Global Short Duration High Yield Fund, Inc., The Prudential Series Fund, Prudential's Gibraltar Fund, Inc. and the Advanced Series Trust.

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## Approval of Advisory Agreements

### Renewal of the Fund's Management and Subadvisory Agreements

#### *The Fund's Board of Directors*

The Board of Directors (the Board or the Directors) of Prudential Global Short Duration High Yield Fund, Inc. (the Fund) consists of ten individuals, seven of whom are not interested persons of the Fund, as defined in the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended (the 1940 Act) (the Independent Directors). The Board is responsible for the oversight of the Fund and its operations, and performs the various duties imposed on the Directors of investment companies by the 1940 Act. The Independent Directors have retained independent legal counsel to assist them in connection with their duties. The Chair of the Board is an Independent Director. The Board has established two standing committees: the Audit Committee and the Nominating and Governance Committee. Each committee is chaired by, and composed of, Independent Directors.

#### *Annual Approval of the Fund's Advisory Agreements*

As required under the 1940 Act, the Board determines annually whether to renew the Fund's management agreement with Prudential Investments LLC (PI or the Manager) and the Fund's subadvisory agreement with Prudential Investment Management, Inc. (PIM). In considering the renewal of the agreements, the Board, including all of the Independent Directors, met on June 9-11, 2015 and approved the renewal of the agreements through July 31, 2016, after concluding that the renewal of the agreements was in the best interests of the Fund and its shareholders.

In advance of the meetings, the Board requested and received materials relating to the agreements, and had the opportunity to ask questions and request further information in connection with its consideration. Among other things, the Board considered comparative fee information from PI and PIM. Also, the Board considered comparisons with other mutual funds in relevant Peer Universes and Peer Groups, as is further discussed below.

In approving the agreements, the Board, including the Independent Directors advised by independent legal counsel, considered the factors it deemed relevant, including the nature, quality and extent of services provided by PI and PIM, the performance of the Fund, the profitability of PI and its affiliates, expenses and fees, and the potential for economies of scale that may be shared with the Fund and its shareholders as the Fund's assets grow. In their deliberations, the Directors did not identify any single factor which alone was responsible for the Board's decision to approve the agreements with respect to the Fund. In connection with its deliberations, the Board considered information provided by PI throughout the year at regular Board meetings, presentations from portfolio managers and other information, as well as information furnished at or in advance of the meetings on June 9-11, 2015.

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The Directors determined that the overall arrangements between the Fund and PI, which serves as the Fund's investment manager pursuant to a management agreement, and between PI and PIM, which serves as the Fund's subadviser pursuant to the terms of a subadvisory agreement with PI, are in the best interests of the Fund and its shareholders in light of the services performed, fees charged and such other matters as the Directors considered relevant in the exercise of their business judgment.

The material factors and conclusions that formed the basis for the Directors' reaching their determinations to approve the continuance of the agreements are separately discussed below.

### *Nature, Quality and Extent of Services*

The Board received and considered information regarding the nature, quality and extent of services provided to the Fund by PI and PIM. The Board considered the services provided by PI, including but not limited to the oversight of the subadviser for the Fund, as well as the provision of fund recordkeeping, compliance, and other services to the Fund. With respect to PI's oversight of PIM, the Board noted that PI's Strategic Investment Research Group (SIRG), which is a business unit of PI, is responsible for monitoring and reporting to PI's senior management on the performance and operations of PIM. The Board also considered that PI pays the salaries of all of the officers and interested Directors of the Fund who are part of Fund management. The Board also considered the investment subadvisory services provided by PIM, including investment research and security selection, as well as adherence to the Fund's investment restrictions and compliance with applicable Fund policies and procedures. The Board considered PI's evaluation of PIM, as well as PI's recommendation, based on its review of PIM, to renew the subadvisory agreement.

The Board considered the qualifications, backgrounds and responsibilities of PI's senior management responsible for the oversight of the Fund and PIM, and also considered the qualifications, backgrounds and responsibilities of PIM's portfolio managers who are responsible for the day-to-day management of the Fund's portfolio. The Board was provided with information pertaining to PI's and PIM's organizational structure, senior management, investment operations, and other relevant information pertaining to both PI and PIM. The Board also noted that it received favorable compliance reports from the Fund's Chief Compliance Officer (CCO) as to both PI and PIM. The Board noted that PIM is affiliated with PI.

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The Board concluded that it was satisfied with the nature, extent and quality of the investment management services provided by PI and the subadvisory services provided to the Fund by PIM, and that there was a reasonable basis on which to conclude that the Fund benefits from the services provided by PI and PIM under the management and subadvisory agreements.

#### *Costs of Services and Profits Realized by PI*

The Board was provided with information on the profitability of PI and its affiliates in serving as the Fund's investment manager. The Board discussed with PI the methodology utilized in assembling the information regarding profitability and considered its reasonableness. The Board recognized that it is difficult to make comparisons of profitability from fund management contracts because comparative information is not generally publicly available and is affected by numerous factors, including the structure of the particular adviser, the types of funds it manages, its business mix, numerous assumptions regarding allocations and the adviser's capital structure and cost of capital. The Board further noted that PIM is affiliated with PI and that its profitability is reflected in PI's profitability report. Taking these factors into account, the Board concluded that the profitability of PI and its affiliates in relation to the services rendered was not unreasonable.

#### *Economies of Scale*

PI and the Board previously retained an outside business consulting firm to review management fee breakpoint usage and trends in management fees across the mutual fund industry. The consulting firm presented its analysis and conclusions as to the Fund's management fee structures to the Board and PI. The Board and PI have discussed these conclusions extensively since that presentation.

The Board noted that the management fee schedule for the Fund does not contain breakpoints that would reduce the fee rate on assets above specified levels. The Board received and discussed information concerning whether PI realizes economies of scale as the Fund's assets grow beyond current levels. The Board considered that, as a closed-end fund, the Fund would not be expected to have inflows of capital that might produce increasing economies of scale.

The Board recognized the inherent limitations of any analysis of economies of scale, stemming largely from the Board's understanding that most of PI's costs are not specific to any individual funds, but rather are incurred across a variety of products and services. In light of the Fund's current size, performance and expense structure, the Board concluded that the absence of breakpoints in the Fund's fee schedule is acceptable at this time.

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### *Other Benefits to PI and PIM*

The Board considered potential ancillary benefits that might be received by PI and PIM and their affiliates as a result of their relationship with the Fund. The Board concluded that potential benefits to be derived by PI included fees received by affiliates of PI for serving as the Fund's securities lending agent, as well as benefits to its reputation or other intangible benefits resulting from PI's association with the Fund. The Board concluded that the potential benefits to be derived by PIM included the ability to use soft dollar credits, as well as the potential benefits consistent with those generally resulting from an increase in assets under management, specifically, potential access to additional research resources and benefits to its reputation. The Board concluded that the benefits derived by PI and PIM were consistent with the types of benefits generally derived by investment managers and subadvisers to mutual funds.

### *Performance of the Fund / Fees and Expenses*

The Board considered certain additional specific factors and made related conclusions relating to the historical performance of the Fund for the one-year period ended December 31, 2014. The Board considered that the Fund commenced operations on December 26, 2012 and that longer-term performance was not yet available.

The Board also considered the Fund's actual management fee, as well as the Fund's net total expense ratio, for the fiscal year ended July 31, 2014. The Board considered the management fee for the Fund as compared to the management fee charged by PI to other funds and the fee charged by other advisers to comparable funds in a Peer Group. The actual management fee represents the fee rate actually paid by Fund shareholders and includes any fee waivers or reimbursements. The net total expense ratio for the Fund represents the actual expense ratio incurred by Fund shareholders.

The funds included in the Peer Universe (the Lipper Closed End High Yield Leveraged Funds Average) and the Peer Group were objectively determined by Lipper Inc. (Lipper), an independent provider of fund data. The comparisons placed the Fund in various quartiles, with the first quartile being the best 25% of the funds (for performance, the best performing funds and, for expenses, the lowest cost funds).

The section below summarizes key factors considered by the Board and the Board's conclusions regarding the Fund's performance, fees and overall expenses. The table sets forth gross performance comparisons (which do not reflect the impact on performance of fund expenses, or any subsidies, expense caps or waivers that may be applicable) with the Peer Universe, actual management fees with the Peer Group

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(which reflect the impact of any subsidies or fee waivers), and net total expenses with the Peer Group, each of which were key factors considered by the Board.

<i>Performance</i>	<i>1 Year</i>	<i>3 Years</i>	<i>5 Years</i>	<i>10 Years</i>
	4 <sup>th</sup> Quartile	N/A	N/A	N/A
	<i>Actual Management Fees: 2<sup>nd</sup> Quartile</i>			
	<i>Net Total Expenses: 1<sup>st</sup> Quartile</i>			

The Board noted that the Fund underperformed its benchmark index for the one-year period.

The Board noted PI's explanation that the Fund's underperformance against its Peer Universe was attributable to the fact that non-US high yield companies significantly underperformed the US high yield market in 2014.

The Board noted that the Fund does not yet have a three-year performance record and that, therefore, the subadviser should have more time to develop that record.

The Board concluded that, in light of the above, it would be in the best interests of the Fund and its shareholders to allow the Fund's performance record to continue to develop and to renew the agreements.

The Board concluded that the management fees (including subadvisory fees) and total expenses were reasonable in light of the services provided.

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After full consideration of these factors, the Board concluded that the approval of the agreements was in the best interests of the Fund and its shareholders.

#### **Approval of New Sub-Subadvisory Agreement**

As required by the 1940 Act, at an in-person meeting of the Board held on March 3-5, 2015, the Board, including a majority of the Independent Directors, considered and approved a proposed sub-subadvisory agreement (the Sub-Subadvisory Agreement) between PIM (or the Subadviser) and Pramerica Investment Management Limited (PIML or the Sub-Subadviser), under which PIM may delegate subadvisory authority to PIML such that PIML may execute trades directly on behalf of the Fund.

In approving the Sub-Subadvisory Agreement, the Board, including the Independent Directors advised by independent legal counsel, considered the factors it deemed relevant, including the nature, quality and extent of services to be provided to the Funds by the Sub-Subadviser; any relevant comparable performance information; the fees, if any, proposed to be paid by PIM to the Sub-Subadviser under the Sub-Subadvisory Agreement and the potential for economies of scale that may be shared



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with the Fund and its shareholders. In connection with its deliberations, the Board considered information provided by the Manager, PIM and the Sub-Subadviser at or in advance of the meetings on March 3-5, 2015. In their deliberations, the Directors did not identify any single factor which alone was responsible for the Board's decision to approve the Sub-Subadvisory Agreement with respect to the Fund.

The Directors determined that the overall arrangements between the Manager, PIM and the Sub-Subadviser, which will serve as a sub-subadviser to the Fund pursuant to the terms of the Sub-Subadvisory Agreement, are in the best interests of the Fund and its shareholders in light of the services to be performed, the fees to be charged, if any, under the Sub-Subadvisory Agreement and such other matters as the Directors considered relevant in the exercise of their business judgment.

The material factors and conclusions that formed the basis for the Directors' reaching their determinations to approve the Sub-Subadvisory Agreement with respect to the Fund are separately discussed below.

### *Nature, Quality and Extent of Services*

The Board noted that it had received and considered information regarding the nature and extent of services currently provided to the Fund by PIM under the current subadvisory agreement at the meetings on June 9-11, 2014. The Board also noted that PIM proposed to formally delegate trading and limited management authority for the Fund to PIML so that PIML will be authorized to act on behalf of the Fund and conduct real-time trading in either the United States or the United Kingdom, where PIML is organized. The Board noted the Manager's statement that the existing arrangements, which require all trades on behalf of the Fund to be routed through PIM personnel in the US, create delays that potentially disadvantage the Fund and its shareholders.

With respect to the quality of services, the Board considered, among other things, the background and experience of the PIML management team and compliance personnel. The Board met with representatives from PIM and PIML and reviewed the qualifications, backgrounds and responsibilities of the personnel who would be authorized to act on behalf of the Funds. The Board was also provided with information pertaining to the organizational structure, senior management, investment operations, and other relevant information pertaining to PIML. The Board noted that it received a favorable compliance report from the Fund's Chief Compliance Officer (CCO) as to PIML.

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The Board concluded that it was satisfied with the nature, extent and quality of the investment sub-subadvisory services anticipated to be provided to the Fund by PIML and that there was a reasonable basis on which to conclude that the Fund would benefit from the additional subadvisory services to be provided by PIML under the new Sub-Subadvisory Agreement. The Board noted the Manager's statement that no member of the PIML portfolio management team would serve as a portfolio manager of the Fund.

#### ***Performance of the Fund***

The Board noted that performance of other accounts managed by PIML was not a relevant factor for its consideration since PIML would not be responsible for managing Fund assets under the Sub-Subadvisory Agreement. The Board noted the Manager's statements that PIML's role would be limited to trading on behalf of the Fund and that PIM portfolio managers will oversee all transactions executed by PIML.

#### ***Investment Subadvisory Fee Rates***

The Board noted that under the Sub-Subadvisory Agreement PIML will be paid a subadvisory fee, if any, by PIM, not the Fund or the Manager. The Board noted the Manager's statement that the fees and expenses of the Fund and the fees paid by the Manager to PIM will not increase as a result of the Sub-Subadvisory Agreement.

#### ***Subadviser's Profitability***

The Board noted that any fee to be paid to PIML for sub-subadvisory services would be paid by PIM, not the Manager or the Fund. The Board further noted that PIML is affiliated with PIM and the Manager and, as a result, the Board will not separately consider PIML's profitability since PIML's profitability will be reflected in the Manager's profitability report.

#### ***Economies of Scale***

The Board noted that any fee to be paid to PIML for sub-subadvisory services would be paid by PIM, not the Manager or the Fund. The Board noted that it would review economies of scale in connection with future annual reviews of advisory agreements.

#### ***Other Benefits to the Sub-Subadviser or its Affiliates from Serving as Sub-Subadviser***

The Board considered potential "fall-out" or ancillary benefits that might be received by PIML and its affiliates as a result of their relationships with the Fund. The Board concluded that any potential benefits to be derived by PIML, which included



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potential access to additional research resources and benefits to its reputation, were consistent with the types of benefits generally derived by subadvisers to mutual funds.

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After full consideration of these factors, the Board concluded that the approval of the Sub-Subadvisory Agreement was in the best interests of the Fund and its shareholders.

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Many Prudential Financial companies are required to send privacy notices to their customers. This notice is being provided to customers of the Prudential Financial companies listed below:

#### **Insurance Companies and Separate Accounts**

Prudential Insurance Company of America, The

Prudential Annuities Life Assurance Corporation

Pruco Life Insurance Company

Pruco Life Insurance Company of New Jersey

Prudential Retirement Insurance and Annuity Company (PRIAC)

PRIAC Variable Contract Account A

CG Variable Annuity Account I & II (Connecticut General)

Prudential Legacy Insurance Company of New Jersey

All separate accounts that include the following names: Prudential, Pruco, or PRIAC

#### **Insurance Agencies**

Prudential Insurance Agency, LLC

#### **Broker-Dealers and Registered Investment Advisers**

AST Investment Services, Inc.

Prudential Annuities Distributors, Inc.

Global Portfolio Strategies, Inc.

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Pruco Securities, LLC

Prudential Investment Management, Inc.

Prudential Investment Management Services LLC

Prudential Investments LLC

Prudential Private Placement Investors, L.P.

**Bank and Trust Companies**

Prudential Bank & Trust, FSB

Prudential Trust Company

**Investment Companies and Other Investment Vehicles**

Asia Pacific Fund, Inc., The

Prudential Investments Mutual Funds

Prudential Capital Partners, L.P.

Target Portfolio Trust, The

Advanced Series Trust

The Prudential Series Fund

Private Placement Trust Investors, LLC

All funds that include the following names: Prudential or PCP

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**PROXY VOTING**

The Board of Directors of the Fund has delegated to the Fund's investment subadviser the responsibility for voting any proxies and maintaining proxy recordkeeping with respect to the Fund. A description of these proxy voting policies and procedures is available without charge, upon request, by calling (800) 451-6788 or by visiting the Securities and Exchange Commission's (the Commission) website at [www.sec.gov](http://www.sec.gov). Information regarding how the Fund voted proxies relating to portfolio securities during the most recent 12-month period ended June 30 is available on the Fund's website and on the Commission's website.

**DIRECTORS**

Ellen S. Alberding   Kevin J. Bannon   Scott E. Benjamin   Linda W. Bynoe   Keith F. Hartstein   Michael S. Hyland   Stuart S. Parker   Richard A. Redeker  
 Stephen G. Stoneburn   Grace C. Torres

**OFFICERS**

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 New York, NY 10019

**SHAREHOLDER COMMUNICATIONS WITH DIRECTORS**

Shareholders can communicate directly with the Board of Directors by writing to the Chair of the Board, Prudential Global Short Duration High Yield Fund, Inc., Prudential Investments, Attn: Board of Directors, 655 Broad Street, Newark, NJ 07102. Shareholders can communicate directly with an individual Director by writing to the same address. Communications are not screened before being delivered to the addressee.

**AVAILABILITY OF PORTFOLIO SCHEDULE**

The Fund files its complete schedule of portfolio holdings with the Commission for the first and third quarters of each fiscal year on Form N-Q. The Fund's Forms N-Q are available on the Commission's website at [www.sec.gov](http://www.sec.gov). The Fund's Forms N-Q may also be reviewed and copied at the Commission's Public Reference Room in Washington, D.C. Information on the operation and location of the Public Reference Room may be obtained by calling 1-800-SEC-0330. The Fund's schedule of portfolio holdings is also available on the Fund's website as of the end of each month.

**CERTIFICATIONS**

The Fund's Chief Executive Officer has submitted to the NYSE the required annual certifications and the Fund has also included the certifications of the Fund's Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer as required by Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act, on the Fund's Form N-CSR filed with the Commission, for the period of this report.

This report is transmitted to shareholders of the Fund for their information. This is not a prospectus, circular, or representation intended for use in the purchase or sale of shares of the Fund or any securities mentioned in this report.

**An investor should consider the investment objective, risks, charges, and expenses of the Fund carefully before investing.**

Notice is hereby given in accordance with Section 23(c) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 that the Fund may purchase, from time to time, shares of its common stock at market prices.

**PRUDENTIAL GLOBAL SHORT DURATION HIGH YIELD FUND, INC.**

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Item 2 Code of Ethics See Exhibit (a)

As of the end of the period covered by this report, the registrant has adopted a code of ethics (the Section 406 Standards for Investment Companies - Ethical Standards for Principal Executive and Financial Officers ) that applies to the registrant's Principal Executive Officer and Principal Financial Officer; the registrant's Principal Financial Officer also serves as the Principal Accounting Officer.

The registrant hereby undertakes to provide any person, without charge, upon request, a copy of the code of ethics. To request a copy of the code of ethics, contact the registrant 973-367-7521, and ask for a copy of the Section 406 Standards for Investment Companies - Ethical Standards for Principal Executive and Financial Officers.

Item 3 Audit Committee Financial Expert

The registrant's Board has determined that Mr. Kevin J. Bannon, member of the Board's Audit Committee is an audit committee financial expert, and that he is independent, for purposes of this Item.

Item 4 Principal Accountant Fees and Services

(a) Audit Fees

For the fiscal years ended July 31, 2015 and July 31, 2014, KPMG, the Registrant's principal accountant, billed the Registrant \$44,625 and \$44,625, respectively, for professional services rendered for the audit of the Registrant's annual financial statements or services that are normally provided in connection with statutory and regulatory filings.

(b) Audit-Related Fees

For the fiscal years ended July 31, 2015 and July 31, 2014: none.

(c) Tax Fees

For the fiscal years ended July 31, 2015 and July 31, 2014: none.

(d) All Other Fees

For the fiscal years ended July 31, 2015 and July 31, 2014: none.

(e) (1) Audit Committee Pre-Approval Policies and Procedures

## THE PRUDENTIAL MUTUAL FUNDS

### AUDIT COMMITTEE POLICY

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#### *Pre-Approval of Services Provided by the Independent Accountants*

The Audit Committee of each Prudential Mutual Fund is charged with the responsibility to monitor the independence of the Fund's independent accountants. As part of this responsibility, the Audit Committee must pre-approve any independent accounting firm's engagement to render audit and/or permissible non-audit services, as required by law. In evaluating a proposed engagement of the independent accountants, the Audit Committee will assess the effect that the engagement might reasonably be expected to have on the accountant's independence. The Committee's evaluation will be based on:

a review of the nature of the professional services expected to be provided,

a review of the safeguards put into place by the accounting firm to safeguard independence, and

periodic meetings with the accounting firm.

#### **Policy for Audit and Non-Audit Services Provided to the Funds**

On an annual basis, the scope of audits for each Fund, audit fees and expenses, and audit-related and non-audit services (and fees proposed in respect thereof) proposed to be performed by the Fund's independent accountants will be presented by the Treasurer and the independent accountants to the Audit Committee for review and, as appropriate, approval prior to the initiation of such services. Such presentation shall be accompanied by confirmation by both the Treasurer and the independent accountants that the proposed services will not adversely affect the independence of the independent accountants. Proposed services shall be described in sufficient detail to enable the Audit Committee to assess the appropriateness of such services and fees, and the compatibility of the provision of such services with the auditor's independence. The Committee shall receive periodic reports on the progress of the audit and other services which are approved by the Committee or by the Committee Chair pursuant to authority delegated in this Policy.

The categories of services enumerated under *Audit Services*, *Audit-related Services*, and *Tax Services* are intended to provide guidance to the Treasurer and the independent accountants as to those categories of services which the Committee believes are generally consistent with the independence of the independent accountants and which the Committee (or the Committee Chair) would expect upon the presentation of specific proposals to pre-approve. The enumerated categories are not intended as an exclusive list of audit, audit-related or tax services, which the Committee (or the Committee Chair) would consider for pre-approval.

#### **Audit Services**

The following categories of audit services are considered to be consistent with the role of the Fund's independent accountants:

Annual Fund financial statement audits

Seed audits (related to new product filings, as required)

SEC and regulatory filings and consents

### **Audit-related Services**

The following categories of audit-related services are considered to be consistent with the role of the Fund's independent accountants:

Accounting consultations

Fund merger support services

Agreed Upon Procedure Reports

Attestation Reports

Other Internal Control Reports

Individual audit-related services that fall within one of these categories and are not presented to the Audit Committee as part of the annual pre-approval process will be subject to pre-approval by the Committee Chair (or any other Committee member on whom this responsibility has been delegated) so long as the estimated fee for those services does not exceed \$30,000.

### **Tax Services**

The following categories of tax services are considered to be consistent with the role of the Fund's independent accountants:

Tax compliance services related to the filing or amendment of the following:

Federal, state and local income tax compliance; and,

Sales and use tax compliance

Timely RIC qualification reviews

Tax distribution analysis and planning

Tax authority examination services

Tax appeals support services

Accounting methods studies

Fund merger support services

Tax consulting services and related projects

Individual tax services that fall within one of these categories and are not presented to the Audit Committee as part of the annual pre-approval process will be subject to pre-approval by the Committee Chair (or any other Committee member on whom this responsibility has been delegated) so long as the estimated fee for those services does not exceed \$30,000.

#### **Other Non-audit Services**

Certain non-audit services that the independent accountants are legally permitted to render will be subject to pre-approval by the Committee or by one or more Committee members to whom the Committee has delegated this authority and who will report to the full Committee any pre-approval decisions made pursuant to this Policy. Non-audit services presented for pre-approval pursuant to this paragraph will be accompanied by a confirmation from both the Treasurer and the independent accountants that the proposed services will not adversely affect the independence of the independent accountants.



## Proscribed Services

The Fund's independent accountants will not render services in the following categories of non-audit services:

Bookkeeping or other services related to the accounting records or financial statements of the Fund

Financial information systems design and implementation

Appraisal or valuation services, fairness opinions, or contribution-in-kind reports

Actuarial services

Internal audit outsourcing services

Management functions or human resources

Broker or dealer, investment adviser, or investment banking services

Legal services and expert services unrelated to the audit

Any other service that the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board determines, by regulation, is impermissible.

## Pre-approval of Non-Audit Services Provided to Other Entities Within the Prudential Fund Complex

Certain non-audit services provided to Prudential Investments LLC or any of its affiliates that also provide ongoing services to the Prudential Mutual Funds will be subject to pre-approval by the Audit Committee. The only non-audit services provided to these entities that will require pre-approval are those related directly to the operations and financial reporting of the Funds. Individual projects that are not presented to the Audit Committee as part of the annual pre-approval process will be subject to pre-approval by the Committee Chair (or any other Committee member on whom this responsibility has been delegated) so long as the estimated fee for those services does not exceed \$30,000. Services presented for pre-approval pursuant to this paragraph will be accompanied by a confirmation from both the Treasurer and the independent accountants that the proposed services will not adversely affect the independence of the independent accountants.

Although the Audit Committee will not pre-approve all services provided to Prudential Investments LLC and its affiliates, the Committee will receive an annual report from the Fund's independent accounting firm showing the aggregate fees for all services provided to Prudential Investments and its affiliates.

(e) (2) Percentage of services referred to in 4(b)-(4)(d) that were approved by the audit committee

For the fiscal years ended July 31, 2015 and July 31, 2014: not applicable.

(f) Percentage of hours expended attributable to work performed by other than full time employees of principal accountant if greater than 50%.

The percentage of hours expended on the principal accountant's engagement to audit the registrant's financial statements for the most recent fiscal year that were attributed to work performed by persons other than the principal accountant's full-time, permanent employees was 0%.

(g) Non-Audit Fees

The aggregate non-audit fees billed by KPMG for services rendered to the registrant's investment adviser and any entity controlling, controlled by, or under common control with the investment adviser that provides ongoing services to the registrant for the fiscal years ended July 31, 2015 and July 31, 2014 was \$0 and \$0, respectively.

(h) Principal Accountant's Independence

Not applicable as KPMG has not provided non-audit services to the registrant's investment adviser and any entity controlling, controlled by, or under common control with the investment adviser that provides ongoing services to the registrant that were not pre-approved pursuant to Rule 2-01(c)(7)(ii) of Regulation S-X.

Item 5 Audit Committee of Listed Registrants

The registrant has a separately designated standing audit committee (the Audit Committee) established in accordance with Section 3(a)(58)(A) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. The members of the Audit Committee are Kevin J. Bannon (chair), Ellen S. Alberding, Linda W. Bynoe and Richard A. Redeker (ex-officio).

Item 6 Schedule of Investments The schedule is included as part of the report to shareholders filed under Item 1 of this Form.

Item 7 Disclosure of Proxy Voting Policies and Procedures for Closed-End Management Investment Companies

**PROXY VOTING POLICIES OF THE SUBADVISER**

**PRUDENTIAL FIXED INCOME**

Our policy is to vote proxies in the best economic interest of our clients. In the case of pooled accounts, our policy is to vote proxies in the best economic interest of the pooled account. Our proxy voting policy contains detailed voting guidelines on a wide variety of issues commonly voted upon by shareholders. These guidelines reflect our judgment of how to further the best economic interest of our clients through the shareholder or debt-holder voting process.

Prudential Fixed Income invests primarily in debt securities, thus there are few traditional proxies voted by us. We generally vote with management on routine matters such as the appointment of accountants or the election of directors. From time to time, ballot issues arise that are not addressed by our policy or circumstances may suggest a vote not in accordance with our established guidelines. In these cases, voting decisions are made on a case-by-case basis by the applicable portfolio manager taking into consideration the potential economic impact of the

proposal. If a security is held in multiple accounts and two or more portfolio managers are not in agreement with respect to a particular vote, our proxy voting committee will determine the vote. Not all ballots are received by us in advance of voting deadlines, but when ballots are received in a timely fashion, we strive to meet our voting obligations. We cannot, however, guarantee that every proxy will be voted prior to its deadline.

With respect to non-US holdings, we take into account additional restrictions in some countries that might impair our ability to trade those securities or have other potentially adverse economic consequences. We generally vote non-US securities on a best efforts basis if we determine that voting is in the best economic interest of our clients.

Occasionally, a conflict of interest may arise in connection with proxy voting. For example, the issuer of the securities being voted may also be a client of ours. When we identify an actual or potential conflict of interest between the firm and our clients with respect to proxy voting, the matter is presented to senior management who will resolve such issue in consultation with the compliance and legal departments.

Any client may obtain a copy of our proxy voting policy, guidelines and procedures as well as the proxy voting records for that client's securities, by contacting the client service representative responsible for the client's account.

#### Item 8 Portfolio Managers of Closed-End Management Investment Companies

##### **Portfolio Managers**

The following individuals have primary responsibility for the day-to-day implementation of the Fund's investment strategy.

**Paul Appleby, CFA**, is a Managing Director and co-Head of Prudential Fixed Income's Leveraged Finance Team, which includes the US and European High Yield Bond and Bank Loan sector teams. Previously, he was Director of Credit Research and Chief Equity Strategist for Prudential Financial's proprietary portfolios. Mr. Appleby was also a high yield bond credit analyst and worked in Prudential Financial's private placement group. Before joining Prudential Financial in 1987, he was a strategic planner for Amerada Hess. Mr. Appleby received a BS in Economics from The Wharton School of the University of Pennsylvania and an MBA from the Sloan School at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT). He holds the Chartered Financial Analyst (CFA) designation.

**Robert Cignarella, CFA**, is a Managing Director and co-Head of Prudential Fixed Income's Leveraged Finance Team, which includes the US and European High Yield Bond and Bank Loan sector teams. Previously, Mr. Cignarella was a managing director and co-head of high yield and bank loans at Goldman Sachs Asset Management. He also held positions as a high yield portfolio manager and a high yield and investment grade credit analyst. Earlier, he was a financial analyst in the investment banking division of Salomon Brothers. Mr. Cignarella received an MBA from the University of Chicago, and a bachelor's degree in operations research and industrial engineering from Cornell University. He holds the Chartered Financial Analyst (CFA) designation.

**Michael J. Collins, CFA**, is a Managing Director and Senior Investment Officer for Prudential Fixed Income. He is also senior portfolio manager for Core Plus, Absolute Return, and other multi-sector Fixed Income strategies. Previously, Mr. Collins was a High Yield Portfolio Manager and Fixed Income Investment Strategist. He continues to work closely with the high yield team and other credit teams on portfolio strategy and construction. Earlier he was a credit research analyst, covering investment grade and high yield corporate credits. Additionally, he developed proprietary quantitative international interest rate and currency valuation models for our global bond unit. Mr. Collins began his career at Prudential Financial in 1986 as a software applications designer. He received a BS in Mathematics and Computer Science from the State University of New York at Binghamton and an MBA in Finance from New York University. Mr. Collins holds the Chartered Financial Analyst (CFA) designation and is a Fellow of the Life Management Institute (FLMI).

**Daniel Thorogood, CFA**, is a Vice President for Prudential Fixed Income's High Yield Team, responsible for portfolio strategy and managing high yield bond allocations in multi-sector portfolios. Prior to joining the High Yield Team, Mr. Thorogood was a member of Prudential Fixed Income's Quantitative Research and Risk Management Group. Mr. Thorogood was the head of a team of portfolio analysts who support the firm's credit-related strategies, including investment grade corporate, high yield corporate, and emerging market debt sectors. The team was primarily responsible for performing detailed portfolio analysis relative to benchmarks, monitoring portfolio risk exposures, and analyzing performance through proprietary return attribution models. Prior to joining the Quantitative Research and Risk Management Group in 1996, Mr. Thorogood was Associate Manager in Prudential Fixed Income's Trade Support and Operations Unit. He received a BS in Finance from Florida State University and an MBA in Finance from Rutgers University. Mr. Thorogood holds the Chartered Financial Analyst (CFA) designation.

**Terence Wheat, CFA**, is a Principal, global high yield portfolio manager and an emerging markets corporate portfolio manager at Prudential Fixed Income. Previously, he was a high yield portfolio manager for Prudential Fixed Income's High Yield Team for six years. Mr. Wheat also spent 12 years as a credit analyst in Prudential Fixed Income's Credit Research Group, where he was responsible for the consumer products, gaming and leisure, retail, supermarkets, and textile/apparel industries. Mr. Wheat covered high yield bonds from 1998 to 2003, and investment grade issues from 1993 to 1998. Earlier, he worked for Prudential's Financial Management Group. Mr. Wheat joined Prudential Financial in 1988. He received a BS in Accounting and an MBA from Rider University. Mr. Wheat holds the Chartered Financial Analyst (CFA) designation.

**Robert Spano, CFA, CPA**, is a Principal and a high yield portfolio manager for Prudential Fixed Income's High Yield Bond Team. Prior to assuming his current position in 2007, Mr. Spano was a high yield credit analyst for 10 years in Prudential Fixed Income's Credit Research Group, covering the health, lodging, consumer, gaming, restaurants, and chemical industries. Earlier, he worked as an investment analyst in the Project Finance Unit of Prudential Financial's private placement group. Mr. Spano also held positions in the internal audit and risk management units of Prudential Securities. He received a BS in Accounting from the University of Delaware and an MBA from New York University. Mr. Spano holds the Chartered Financial Analyst (CFA) and Certified Public Accountant (CPA) designations.

**Ryan Kelly, CFA**, is a Principal and a high yield portfolio manager for Prudential Fixed Income's High Yield Team. Prior to his current position, Mr. Kelly was a senior high yield credit analyst in Prudential Fixed Income's Credit Research Group, covering the automotive, energy, technology and finance sectors. Previously, Mr. Kelly was a senior high yield bond analyst at Muzinich & Company. Earlier, he was an investment banker at PNC Capital Markets/PNC Bank where he worked in the high yield bond, mergers and acquisition (M&A) and loan syndication groups. Mr. Kelly began his career in investment banking at Chase Manhattan Bank, working on project finance transactions and M&A advisory mandates for the electric power sector. He received a BA in Economics from Michigan State University and holds the Chartered Financial Analyst (CFA) designation.

**Brian Clapp, CFA**, is a Principal and a high yield portfolio manager for Prudential Fixed Income's High Yield Team. Mr. Clapp was previously a senior high yield credit analyst on Prudential Fixed Income's Credit Research team. He joined Prudential Financial in 2006 from Muzinich & Co. While there, Mr. Clapp held several positions, including portfolio manager for a high yield bond based hedge fund, hedge fund credit analyst, and credit analyst covering the chemical, industrial, and transportation sectors. Earlier at Triton Partners, an institutional high yield fund manager, Mr. Clapp was a credit analyst covering the metals and mining, healthcare, homebuilding, building products and transportation sectors. He received a BS in Finance from Bryant College, and an MS in Computational Finance, and an MBA from Carnegie Mellon. Mr. Clapp holds the Chartered Financial Analyst (CFA) designation.

*Other Accounts Managed by the Portfolio Managers.* The following tables set forth certain information with respect to the portfolio managers for the Fund. Unless noted otherwise, all information is provided as of July 31, 2015.

The table below identifies, for each portfolio manager, the number of accounts (other than the Fund) for which the portfolio manager has day-to-day management responsibilities and the total assets in such accounts, within each of the following categories: registered investment companies, other pooled investment vehicles, and other accounts. For each category, the number of accounts and total assets in the accounts whose fees are based on performance is indicated in *italic typeface*. In addition is information about portfolio manager ownership of Fund securities. The Ownership of Fund Securities column shows the dollar range of equity securities of the Fund beneficially owned by the portfolio manager.

Portfolio Managers	Registered Investment Companies/ Total Assets	Other Pooled Investment Vehicles	Other Accounts/ Total Assets	Fund Ownership
		15 / \$5,166,678,572	80 / \$13,540,697,890	
Paul Appleby, CFA	21 / \$12,728,593,174	24 / \$8,132,882,139	1 / \$0	\$ 50,001-\$100,000
Michael J. Collins, CFA	21 / \$36,092,833,024	6 / \$5,511,556,133	40 / \$15,281,451,028	\$ 100,000+
Robert Spano, CFA, CPA	21 / \$12,541,872,718	12 / \$4,620,284,423	80 / \$13,455,413,196	\$ 10,001-\$50,000
Terence Wheat, CFA	21 / \$12,541,872,718	12 / \$4,620,284,423	81 / \$13,480,372,623	\$ 50,001-\$100,000
Daniel Thorogood, CFA	20 / \$9,438,114,211	12 / \$4,620,284,423	77 / \$13,142,787,449	\$ 0
			79 / \$13,416,321,223	
Ryan Kelly, CFA	21 / \$12,541,872,718	12 / \$4,620,284,423	1 / \$0	\$ 0
			75 / \$12,173,018,393	
Brian Clapp, CFA	21 / \$12,541,884,721	12 / \$4,620,284,423	1 / \$0	\$ 0
	21 / \$12,728,604,208	12 / \$4,620,284,423		\$ 0

Robert Cignarella,  
CFA

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*1 / \$0*

Compensation and Conflicts Disclosure:

**Prudential Investment Management, Inc. (PIM)**

*COMPENSATION.* The base salary of an investment professional in the Prudential Fixed Income unit of PIM is based on market data relative to similar positions as well as the past performance, years of experience and scope of responsibility of the individual. Incentive compensation, including the annual cash bonus, the long-term equity grant and grants under Prudential Fixed Income's long-term incentive plan, is primarily based on such person's contribution to Prudential Fixed Income's goal of providing investment performance to clients consistent with portfolio objectives, guidelines and risk parameters and market-based data such as compensation trends and levels of overall compensation for similar positions in the asset management industry. In addition, an investment professional's qualitative contributions to the organization are considered in determining incentive compensation. Incentive compensation is not solely based on the performance of, or value of assets in, any single account or group of client accounts.

An investment professional's annual cash bonus is paid from an annual incentive pool. The pool is developed as a percentage of Prudential Fixed Income's operating income and is refined by business metrics, such as:

business development initiatives, measured primarily by growth in operating income;

the number of investment professionals receiving a bonus; and

investment performance of portfolios relative to appropriate peer groups or market benchmarks.

Long-term compensation consists of Prudential Financial restricted stock and grants under the long-term incentive plan. Grants under the long-term incentive plan are participation interests in notional accounts with a beginning value of a specified dollar amount. The value attributed to these notional accounts increases or decreases over a defined period of time based, in part, on the performance of investment composites representing a number of Prudential Fixed Income's most frequently marketed



investment strategies. An investment composite is an aggregation of accounts with similar investment strategies. The long-term incentive plan is designed to more closely align compensation with investment performance and the growth of Prudential Fixed Income's business. Both the restricted stock and participation interests are subject to vesting requirements.

*CONFLICTS OF INTEREST.* Like other investment advisers, Prudential Fixed Income is subject to various conflicts of interest in the ordinary course of its business. Prudential Fixed Income strives to identify potential risks, including conflicts of interest, that are inherent in its business, and conducts annual conflict of interest reviews. When actual or potential conflicts of interest are identified, Prudential Fixed Income seeks to address such conflicts through one or more of the following methods:

elimination of the conflict;

disclosure of the conflict; or

management of the conflict through the adoption of appropriate policies and procedures.

Prudential Fixed Income follows the policies of Prudential Financial, Inc. (Prudential Financial) on business ethics, personal securities trading by investment personnel, and information barriers. Prudential Fixed Income has adopted a code of ethics, allocation policies and conflicts of interest policies, among others, and has adopted supervisory procedures to monitor compliance with its policies. Prudential Fixed Income cannot guarantee, however, that its policies and procedures will detect and prevent, or assure disclosure of, each and every situation in which a conflict may arise.

*Side-by-Side Management of Accounts and Related Conflicts of Interest.* Prudential Fixed Income's side-by-side management of multiple accounts can create conflicts of interest. Examples are detailed below, followed by a discussion of how Prudential Fixed Income addresses these conflicts.

**Performance Fees** Prudential Fixed Income manages accounts with asset-based fees alongside accounts with performance-based fees. This side-by-side management may be deemed to create an incentive for Prudential Fixed Income and its investment professionals to favor one account over another. Specifically, Prudential Fixed Income could be considered to have the incentive to favor accounts for which it receives performance fees, and possibly take greater investment risks in those accounts, in order to bolster performance and increase its fees.

**Affiliated accounts** Prudential Fixed Income manages accounts on behalf of its affiliates as well as unaffiliated accounts. Prudential Fixed Income could be considered to have an incentive to favor accounts of affiliates over others.

**Large accounts** large accounts typically generate more revenue than do smaller accounts and certain of Prudential Fixed Income's strategies have higher fees than others. As a result, a portfolio manager could be considered to have an incentive when allocating scarce investment opportunities to favor accounts that pay a higher fee or generate more income for Prudential Fixed Income.

**Long only and long/short accounts** Prudential Fixed Income manages accounts that only allow it to hold securities long as well as accounts that permit short selling. Prudential Fixed Income may, therefore, sell a security short in some client accounts while holding the same security long in other client accounts. These short sales could reduce the value of the securities held in the long only accounts. In addition, purchases for long only accounts could have a negative impact on the short positions.

**Securities of the same kind or class** Prudential Fixed Income may buy or sell for one client account securities of the same kind or class that are purchased or sold for another client at prices that may be different. Prudential Fixed Income may also, at any time, execute trades of securities of the same kind or class in one direction for an account and in the opposite direction for another account due to differences in investment strategy or client direction. Different strategies trading in the same securities or types of securities may appear as inconsistencies in Prudential Fixed Income's management of multiple accounts side-by-side.

**Financial interests of investment professionals** Prudential Fixed Income investment professionals may invest in investment vehicles that it advises. Also, certain of these investment vehicles are options under the 401(k) and deferred compensation plans offered by Prudential Financial. In addition, the value of grants under Prudential Fixed Income's long-term incentive plan is affected by the performance of certain client accounts. As a result, Prudential Fixed Income investment professionals may have financial interests in accounts managed by Prudential Fixed Income or that are related to the performance of certain client accounts.

**Non-discretionary accounts or models** Prudential Fixed Income provides non-discretionary investment advice and non-discretionary model portfolios to some clients and manages others on a discretionary basis. Trades in non-discretionary accounts could occur before, in concert with, or after Prudential Fixed Income executes similar trades in its discretionary accounts. The non-discretionary clients may be disadvantaged if Prudential Fixed Income delivers the model investment portfolio or investment advice to them after it initiates trading for the discretionary clients, or vice versa.

*How Prudential Fixed Income Addresses These Conflicts of Interest.* Prudential Fixed Income has developed policies and procedures designed to address the conflicts of interest with respect to its different types of side-by-side management described above.

The head of Prudential Fixed Income and its chief investment officer periodically review and compare performance and performance attribution for each client account within its various strategies.

In keeping with Prudential Fixed Income's fiduciary obligations, its policy with respect to trade aggregation and allocation is to treat all of its accounts fairly and equitably over time. Prudential Fixed Income's trade management oversight committee, which generally meets quarterly, is responsible for providing oversight with respect to trade aggregation and allocation. Prudential Fixed Income has compliance procedures with respect to its aggregation and allocation policy that include independent monitoring by its compliance group of the timing, allocation and aggregation of trades and the allocation of investment opportunities. In addition, its compliance group reviews a sampling of new issue allocations and related documentation each month to confirm compliance with the allocation procedures. Prudential Fixed Income's compliance group reports the results of the monitoring processes to its trade management oversight committee. Prudential Fixed Income's trade management oversight committee reviews forensic reports of new issue allocation throughout the year so that new issue allocation in each of its strategies is reviewed at least once during each year. This forensic analysis includes such data as: (i) the number of new issues allocated in the strategy; (ii) the size of new issue allocations to each portfolio in the strategy; and (iii) the profitability of new issue transactions. The results of these analyses are reviewed and discussed at Prudential Fixed Income's trade management oversight committee meetings. Prudential Fixed Income's trade management oversight committee also reviews forensic reports on the allocation of trading opportunities in the secondary market. The procedures above are designed to detect patterns and anomalies in Prudential Fixed Income's side-by-side management and trading so that it may assess and improve its processes.

Prudential Fixed Income has policies and procedures that specifically address its side-by-side management of long/short and long only portfolios. These policies address potential conflicts that could arise from differing positions between long/short and long only portfolios. In addition, lending opportunities with respect to securities for which the market is demanding a slight premium rate over normal market rates are allocated to long only accounts prior to allocating the opportunities to long/short accounts.

*Conflicts Related to Prudential Fixed Income's Affiliations.* As an indirect wholly-owned subsidiary of Prudential Financial, Prudential Fixed Income is part of a diversified, global financial services organization. Prudential Fixed Income is affiliated with many types of U.S. and non-U.S. financial service providers, including insurance companies, broker-dealers, commodity trading advisors, commodity pool operators and other investment advisers. Some of its employees are officers of some of these affiliates.

*Conflicts Arising Out of Legal Restrictions.* Prudential Fixed Income may be restricted by law, regulation or contract as to how much, if any, of a particular

security it may purchase or sell on behalf of a client, and as to the timing of such purchase or sale. These restrictions may apply as a result of its relationship with Prudential Financial and its other affiliates. For example, Prudential Fixed Income's holdings of a security on behalf of its clients may, under some SEC rules, be aggregated with the holdings of that security by other Prudential Financial affiliates. These holdings could, on an aggregate basis, exceed certain reporting thresholds that are monitored, and Prudential Fixed Income may restrict purchases to avoid exceeding these thresholds. In addition, Prudential Fixed Income could receive material, non-public information with respect to a particular issuer and, as a result, be unable to execute transactions in securities of that issuer for its clients. For example, Prudential Fixed Income's bank loan team often invests in private bank loans in connection with which the borrower provides material, non-public information, resulting in restrictions on trading securities issued by those borrowers. Prudential Fixed Income has procedures in place to carefully consider whether to intentionally accept material, non-public information with respect to certain issuers. Prudential Fixed Income is generally able to avoid receiving material, non-public information from its affiliates and other units within PIM by maintaining information barriers. In some instances, it may create an isolated information barrier around a small number of its employees so that material, non-public information received by such employees is not attributed to the rest of Prudential Fixed Income.

*Conflicts Related to Outside Business Activity.* From time to time, certain of Prudential Fixed Income employees or officers may engage in outside business activity, including outside directorships. Any outside business activity is subject to prior approval pursuant to Prudential Fixed Income's personal conflicts of interest and outside business activities policy. Actual and potential conflicts of interest are analyzed during such approval process. Prudential Fixed Income could be restricted in trading the securities of certain issuers in client portfolios in the unlikely event that an employee or officer, as a result of outside business activity, obtains material, nonpublic information regarding an issuer. The head of Prudential Fixed Income serves on the board of directors of the operator of an electronic trading platform. Prudential Fixed Income has adopted procedures to address the conflict relating to trading on this platform. The procedures include independent monitoring by Prudential Fixed Income's chief investment officer and chief compliance officer and reporting on Prudential Fixed Income's use of this platform to the President of PIM.

*Conflicts Related to Investment of Client Assets in Affiliated Funds.* Prudential Fixed Income may invest client assets in funds that it manages or subadvises for an affiliate. Prudential Fixed Income may also invest cash collateral from securities lending transactions in these funds. These investments benefit both Prudential Fixed Income and its affiliate.

*PICA General Account.* Because of the substantial size of the general account of The Prudential Insurance Company of America (PICA), trading by PICA's general account, including Prudential Fixed Income's trades on behalf of the account, may affect market prices. Although Prudential Fixed Income doesn't expect that PICA's general account will execute transactions that will move a market frequently, and generally only in response to unusual market or issuer events, the execution of these transactions could have an adverse effect on transactions for or positions held by other clients.

*Conflicts Related to Securities Holdings and Other Financial Interests*

*Securities Holdings.* PIM, Prudential Financial, PICA's general account and accounts of other affiliates of Prudential Fixed Income (collectively, affiliated accounts) hold public and private debt and equity securities of a large number of issuers and may invest in some of the same companies as other client accounts but at different levels in the capital structure. These investments can result in conflicts between the interests of the affiliated accounts and the interests of Prudential Fixed Income's clients. For example: (i) Affiliated accounts can hold the senior debt of an issuer whose subordinated debt is held by Prudential Fixed Income's clients or hold secured debt of an issuer whose public unsecured debt is held in client accounts. In the event of restructuring or insolvency, the affiliated accounts as holders of senior debt may exercise remedies and take other actions that are not in the interest of, or are adverse to, other clients that are the holders of junior debt. (ii) To the extent permitted by applicable law, Prudential Fixed Income may also invest client assets in offerings of securities the proceeds of which are used to repay debt obligations held in affiliated accounts or other client accounts. Prudential Fixed Income's interest in having the debt repaid creates a conflict of interest. Prudential Fixed Income has adopted a refinancing policy to address this conflict. Prudential Fixed Income may be unable to invest client assets in the securities of certain issuers as a result of the investments described above.

*Conflicts Related to the Offer and Sale of Securities.* Certain of Prudential Fixed Income's employees may offer and sell securities of, and interests in, commingled funds that it manages or subadvises. There is an incentive for Prudential Fixed Income's employees to offer these securities to investors regardless of whether the investment is appropriate for such investor since increased assets in these vehicles will result in increased advisory fees to it. In addition, such sales could result in increased compensation to the employee.

*Conflicts Related to Long-Term Compensation.* The performance of many client accounts is not reflected in the calculation of changes in the value of participation interests under Prudential Fixed Income's long-term incentive plan. This may be because the composite representing the strategy in which the account is managed is not one of the composites included in the calculation or because the account is excluded from a specified composite due to guideline restrictions or other factors. As a result of the long-term incentive plan, Prudential Fixed Income's portfolio managers from time to time have financial interests related to the investment performance of some, but not all, of the accounts they manage. To address potential conflicts related to these financial interests, Prudential Fixed Income has procedures, including trade allocation and supervisory review procedures, designed to ensure that each of its client accounts is managed in a manner that is consistent with Prudential Fixed Income's fiduciary obligations, as well as with the account's investment objectives, investment strategies and restrictions. Specifically, Prudential Fixed Income's chief investment officer reviews performance among similarly managed accounts to confirm that performance is consistent with expectations. The results of this review process are discussed at meetings of Prudential Fixed Income's trade management oversight committee.

*Other Financial Interests.* Prudential Fixed Income and its affiliates may also have financial interests or relationships with issuers whose securities it invests in for client accounts. These interests can include debt or equity financing, strategic corporate relationships or investments, and the offering of investment advice in various forms. For example, Prudential Fixed Income may invest client assets in the securities of issuers that are also its advisory clients.

In general, conflicts related to the securities holdings and financial interests described above are addressed by the fact that Prudential Fixed Income makes investment decisions for each client independently considering the best economic interests of such client.

*Conflicts Related to Valuation and Fees.*

When client accounts hold illiquid or difficult to value investments, Prudential Fixed Income faces a conflict of interest when making recommendations regarding the value of such investments since its management fees are generally based on the value of assets under management. Prudential Fixed Income believes that its valuation policies and procedures mitigate this conflict effectively and enable it to value client assets fairly and in a manner that is consistent with the client's best interests.

*Conflicts Related to Securities Lending Fees*

When Prudential Fixed Income manages a client account and also serves as securities lending agent for the account, it could be considered to have the incentive to invest in securities that would yield higher securities lending rates. This conflict is mitigated by

the fact that Prudential Fixed Income's advisory fees are generally based on the value of assets in a client's account. In addition, Prudential Fixed Income's securities lending function has a separate reporting line to its chief operating officer (rather than its chief investment officer).

**Item 9 Purchases of Equity Securities by Closed-End Management Investment Company and Affiliated Purchasers**  
There have been no purchases of equity securities by the registrant or any affiliated purchasers during the period covered by this report.

**Item 10 Submission of Matters to a Vote of Security Holders** Not applicable.

**Item 11 Controls and Procedures**

(a) It is the conclusion of the registrant's principal executive officer and principal financial officer that the effectiveness of the registrant's current disclosure controls and procedures (such disclosure controls and procedures having been evaluated within 90 days of the date of this filing) provide reasonable assurance that the information required to be disclosed by the registrant has been recorded, processed, summarized and reported within the time period specified in the Commission's rules and forms and that the information required to be disclosed by the registrant has been accumulated and communicated to the registrant's principal executive officer and principal financial officer in order to allow timely decisions regarding required disclosure.

(b) There has been no significant change in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the registrant's most recent fiscal quarter of the period covered by this report that has materially affected, or is likely to materially affect, the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

**Item 12 Exhibits**

(a) (1) Code of Ethics Attached hereto as Exhibit EX-99.CODE-ETH

(2) Certifications pursuant to Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act Attached hereto as Exhibit EX-99.CERT.

(3) Any written solicitation to purchase securities under Rule 23c-1. Not applicable.

(b) Certifications pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act Attached hereto as Exhibit EX-99.906CERT.

## SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the Investment Company Act of 1940, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

Registrant: Prudential Global Short Duration High Yield Fund, Inc.

By: /s/ Deborah A. Docs  
Deborah A. Docs  
Secretary

Date: September 18, 2015

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the Investment Company Act of 1940, this report has been signed below by the following persons on behalf of the registrant and in the capacities and on the dates indicated.

By: /s/ Stuart S. Parker  
Stuart S. Parker  
President and Principal Executive Officer

Date: September 18, 2015

By: /s/ M. Sadiq Peshimam  
M. Sadiq Peshimam  
Treasurer and Principal Financial and Accounting Officer

Date: September 18, 2015