

BLACKROCK DEBT STRATEGIES FUND, INC.
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UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM N-PX

**ANNUAL REPORT OF PROXY VOTING RECORD OF REGISTERED MANAGEMENT INVESTMENT
COMPANY**

Investment Company Act file number: 811-08603

Name of Fund: BlackRock Debt Strategies Fund, Inc. (DSU)

Fund Address: 100 Bellevue Parkway, Wilmington, DE 19809

Name and address of agent for service: John Perlowski, Chief Executive Officer, BlackRock Debt Strategies Fund, Inc., 55 East 52nd Street, New York City, NY 10055.

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (800) 882-0052, Option 4

Date of fiscal year end: 02/28

Date of reporting period: 07/01/2016 - 06/30/2017

Item 1 Proxy Voting Record Attached hereto.

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ISHARES TRUST

Ticker: Security ID: 464288513
 Meeting Date: JUN 19, 2017 Meeting Type: Special
 Record Date: MAY 02, 2017

| # | Proposal | Mgt Rec | Vote Cast | Sponsor |
|-----|-----------------------------------|---------|-----------|------------|
| 1.1 | Elect Director Jane D. Carlin | For | For | Management |
| 1.2 | Elect Director Richard L. Fagnani | For | For | Management |
| 1.3 | Elect Director Drew E. Lawton | For | For | Management |
| 1.4 | Elect Director Madhav V. Rajan | For | For | Management |
| 1.5 | Elect Director Mark Wiedman | For | For | Management |

LYONDELLBASELL INDUSTRIES N.V.

Ticker: LYB Security ID: N53745100
 Meeting Date: MAY 24, 2017 Meeting Type: Annual
 Record Date: APR 26, 2017

| # | Proposal | Mgt Rec | Vote Cast | Sponsor |
|----|--|---------|-----------|------------|
| 1a | Elect Director Robert G. Gwin | For | For | Management |
| 1b | Elect Director Jacques Aigrain | For | For | Management |
| 1c | Elect Director Lincoln Benet | For | For | Management |
| 1d | Elect Director Jagjeet S. Bindra | For | For | Management |
| 1e | Elect Director Robin Buchanan | For | For | Management |
| 1f | Elect Director Stephen F. Cooper | For | For | Management |
| 1g | Elect Director Nance K. Dicciani | For | For | Management |
| 1h | Elect Director Claire S. Farley | For | For | Management |
| 1i | Elect Director Isabella D. Goren | For | For | Management |
| 1j | Elect Director Bruce A. Smith | For | For | Management |
| 1k | Elect Director Rudy van der Meer | For | For | Management |
| 2 | Adoption of Dutch Statutory Annual Accounts | For | For | Management |
| 3 | Approve Discharge of Management Board | For | For | Management |
| 4 | Approve Discharge of Supervisory Board | For | For | Management |
| 5 | Ratify PricewaterhouseCoopers Accountants N.V. as Auditors | For | For | Management |
| 6 | Ratify PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP as Auditors | For | For | Management |
| 7 | Approve Dividends of EUR 0.85 Per Share | For | For | Management |

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| 8 | Advisory Vote to Ratify Named Executive Officers' Compensation | For | For | Management |
| 9 | Advisory Vote on Say on Pay Frequency | One Year | Three Years | Management |
| 10 | Authorize Repurchase of Up to 10 Percent of Issued Share Capital | For | For | Management |
| 11 | Amend Omnibus Stock Plan | For | For | Management |

SUNPOWER CORPORATION

Ticker: SPWR Security ID: 867652406
 Meeting Date: APR 27, 2017 Meeting Type: Annual
 Record Date: FEB 28, 2017

| # | Proposal | Mgt Rec | Vote Cast | Sponsor |
|-----|--|----------|-----------|------------|
| 1.1 | Elect Director Helle Kristoffersen | For | Withhold | Management |
| 1.2 | Elect Director Thomas R. McDaniel | For | Withhold | Management |
| 1.3 | Elect Director Thomas H. Werner | For | For | Management |
| 2 | Advisory Vote to Ratify Named Executive Officers' Compensation | For | Against | Management |
| 3 | Advisory Vote on Say on Pay Frequency | One Year | One Year | Management |
| 4 | Ratify Ernst & Young LLP as Auditors | For | For | Management |

VANTAGE DRILLING COMPANY

Ticker: VTGDF Security ID: G9325C113
 Meeting Date: AUG 04, 2016 Meeting Type: Special
 Record Date: JUL 11, 2016

| # | Proposal | Mgt Rec | Vote Cast | Sponsor |
|---|-------------------------------|---------|-----------|------------|
| 1 | Amend Articles of Association | For | Against | Management |

VISTRA ENERGY CORP.

Ticker: VST Security ID: 92840M102
 Meeting Date: MAY 16, 2017 Meeting Type: Annual
 Record Date: MAR 24, 2017

| # | Proposal | Mgt Rec | Vote Cast | Sponsor |
|-----|--|---------|-----------|------------|
| 1.1 | Elect Director Gavin R. Baiera | For | For | Management |
| 1.2 | Elect Director Curtis A. Morgan | For | For | Management |
| 2 | Advisory Vote to Ratify Named Executive Officers' Compensation | For | For | Management |
| 3 | Ratify Deloitte & Touche LLP as Auditors | For | For | Management |

===== END NPX REPORT

Pursuant to the requirements of 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.

BlackRock Debt Strategies Fund, Inc.

By: /s/ John Perlowski
John Perlowski
Chief Executive Officer of
BlackRock Debt Strategies Fund, Inc.

Date: August 25, 2017