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CERTIFIED SHAREHOLDER REPORT OF REGISTERED MANAGEMENT INVESTMENT COMPANIES

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Cohen & Steers REIT and Preferred Income Fund, Inc. (Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

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10017 (Zip code)

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Date of fiscal year December 31

end:

Date of reporting period: June 30, 2014

Item 1. Reports to Stockholders.

To Our Shareholders:

We would like to share with you our report for the six months ended June 30, 2014. The net asset value (NAV) at that date was \$20.63 per common share. The Fund's common stock is traded on the New York Stock Exchange (NYSE) and its share price can differ from its NAV; at period end, the Fund's closing price on the NYSE was \$18.03.

The total returns, including income, for the Fund and its comparative benchmarks were:

	Six Months Ended June 30, 2014
Cohen & Steers REIT and Preferred Income Fund at NAVa	19.56%
Cohen & Steers REIT and Preferred Income Fund at Market	
Value ^a	19.00%
FTSE NAREIT Equity REIT Indexb	17.66%
BofA Merrill Lynch Fixed-Rate Preferred Securities Index ^b	12.04%
Blended Benchmark 50% FTSE NAREIT Equity REIT Index/	
50% BofA Merrill Lynch Fixed-Rate Preferred Securities	
Index ^b	14.83%
S&P 500 Index ^b	7.14%

The performance data quoted represent past performance. Past performance is no guarantee of future results. The investment return and the principal value of an investment will fluctuate and shares, if sold, may be worth more or less than their original cost. Current performance may be lower or higher than the performance data quoted. Performance results reflect the effects of leverage, resulting from borrowings under a credit agreement. Current total returns of the Fund can be obtained by visiting our website at cohenandsteers.com. The Fund's returns assume the reinvestment of all dividends and distributions at prices obtained under the Fund's dividend reinvestment plan. Index performance does not reflect the deduction of any fees, taxes or expenses. An investor cannot invest directly in an index. Performance figures for periods shorter than one year are not annualized.

The Fund implements fair value pricing when the daily change in a specific U.S. market index exceeds a predetermined percentage. Fair value pricing adjusts the valuation of certain non-U.S. equity holdings to account for such index change following the close of foreign markets. This standard practice has been adopted by a majority of the fund industry. In the event fair value pricing is implemented on the first and/or last day of a performance measurement period, the Fund's return may diverge from the relative performance of its benchmark, which does not use fair value pricing.

- ^a As a closed-end investment company, the price of the Fund's NYSE-traded shares will be set by market forces and at times may deviate from the NAV per share of the Fund.
- b The FTSE NAREIT Equity REIT Index is an unmanaged, market-capitalization-weighted index of all publicly traded REITs that invest predominantly in the equity ownership of real estate. The index is designed to reflect the performance of all publicly traded equity REITs as a whole. The BofA Merrill Lynch Fixed-Rate Preferred Securities Index tracks the performance of fixed-rate U.S. dollar denominated preferred securities issued in the U.S. domestic market. The Standard & Poor's 500 Composite Stock Index (S&P 500 Index) is an unmanaged index of 500 large capitalization, publicly traded stocks representing a variety of industries that is frequently used as a general measure of stock market performance.

The Fund makes regular quarterly distributions at a level rate (the Policy). Distributions paid by the Fund are subject to recharacterization for tax purposes and are taxable up to the amount of the Fund's investment company taxable income and net realized gains. As a result of the Policy, the Fund may pay distributions in excess of the Fund's investment company taxable income and realized gains. This excess would be a "return of capital" distributed from the Fund's assets. Distributions of capital decrease the Fund's total assets and, therefore, could have the effect of increasing the Fund's expense ratio. In addition, in order to make these distributions, the Fund may have to sell portfolio securities at a less than opportune time.

Investment Review

After widely underperforming U.S. stocks in 2013, real estate investment trusts (REITs) rebounded in the first half of 2014, with the FTSE NAREIT Equity REIT Index gaining 17.7% compared with 7.1% for the S&P 500 Index. The period began with an easing in long-term bond yields amid signs that economic activity was being negatively impacted by unusually harsh weather. However, in the second quarter, strong job growth and accelerating industrial production painted a more upbeat picture of the economy, lifting investors' confidence that the recovery had sufficient momentum as the Federal Reserve continued to taper its bond purchases. At the same time, bond yields continued their downward trend amid a combination of an accommodative outlook for U.S. monetary policy and aggressive liquidity measures by the European Central Bank (ECB).

Fundamentals continued to improve for all types of real estate, driving solid returns across the REIT landscape. Apartment REITs (23.6% total return°) performed well despite continued pressures of new supply. Many companies exhibited better-than-expected cash flow growth, as continued demand for rental housing enabled them to raise rents on existing tenants, even in markets where new tenants were being signed at lower rates. Revenues at self storage REITs (18.1%) also continued to improve amid rising rents and occupancy rates.

The regional mall (16.4%) and shopping center (16.7%) sectors benefited from growing retail sales and improving tenant demand for in-line storefronts in prime locations. Managements also were relatively successful in improving the productivity of lower-performing assets through redevelopment. In the office sector (17.8%), asset values and rent-growth expectations continued to improve, particularly in New York City and San Francisco. Industrial REITs (13.1%) also saw evidence of strengthening demand and higher rents. However, with developers ramping up construction to meet the demand for built-to-suit multipurpose facilities, investors showed increasing sensitivity to the potential impact of new supply in select markets.

In the preferred securities market, the BofA Merrill Lynch Fixed-Rate Preferred Securities Index gained 12.0% in the first half of 2014, supported by tightening credit spreads and a decline in 10-year Treasury yields from 3.0% to 2.5%. REIT preferred securities, many of which are longer-duration issues, were among the top performers in the first half of the year, following particularly poor returns in 2013. Preferreds issued by financial institutions, which are by far the largest issuers of preferred securities, also performed well. In particular, securities from U.K. and European banks had solid gains, driven by

^c Sectors in U.S. dollars as represented by the FTSE NAREIT Equity REIT Index.

expectations of additional ECB stimulus and further improvements in bank credit fundamentals. Most major U.S. and European banks continued to bolster their balance sheets in the face of new, more stringent regulatory capital requirements, which had a positive effect on their creditworthiness.

There was a significant volume of new preferred securities issuance during the period. Issuance was driven by regulatory changes following the financial crisis that require new preferred structures. However, the pace of issuance picked up as issuers took advantage of the improving backdrop for fixed income, seeing demand for higher-income securities amid low Treasury yields and tightening spreads across credit markets. The added supply had little impact on prices for the broader preferreds market due to the continued demand for income, although select securities were revalued based on the new issues.

Fund Performance

The Fund had a positive total return for the period and outperformed its blended benchmark on a NAV and market value basis. Security selection within the preferred securities portion of the Fund detracted from relative performance. Amid declining long-term rates, the small universe of longer-duration investment-grade REIT preferreds represented in the benchmark outperformed the Fund's preferred securities holdings. The Fund invested largely in higher-yielding, lower-rated securities that we believe are more defensive with respect to interest-rate risk. Contributors to relative performance included stock selection in the diversified REIT sector (15.9% return in the index), as well as in the office and apartment sectors.

Impact of Derivatives on Fund Performance

The Fund used derivatives in the form of forward foreign currency exchange contracts in order to manage currency risk on certain Fund positions denominated in foreign currencies. These contracts did not have a material effect on the Fund's total return during the six-month period ended June 30, 2014.

Impact of Leverage on Fund Performance

The Fund employs leverage as part of a yield-enhancement strategy. Leverage, which can increase total return in rising markets (just as it can have the opposite effect in declining markets), significantly contributed to the Fund's performance during the six-month period ended June 30, 2014 compared to its blended benchmark, which is not leveraged.

Investment Outlook

We expect further improvement in U.S. economic growth and a modest rebound in inflation from historically low levels. We recognize that slower growth trajectories and easy monetary policy conditions in foreign economies, as well as geopolitical uncertainties, may continue to place downward pressure on U.S. bond yields. Nonetheless, we look for bond yields to resume their gradual upward trend over time. We view this as a favorable backdrop for REITs, as the potential for higher asset values and cash flows should outweigh the impact of higher Treasury yields. We also believe that REITs' modest premiums

relative to the net value of their underlying properties are justified given the environment of improving real estate fundamentals and continued job growth.

Our positive outlook for the U.S. economy leads us to prefer cyclically sensitive names, although we have balanced these positions with attractively valued noncyclical assets that may perform better if tepid growth continues. We continue to favor New York City offices given the continued strengthening in fundamentals. We have also begun to take targeted positions in suburban office companies trading at discounts to their underlying property values. We continue to see attractive value in high-quality regional mall and shopping center landlords, as well as some owners of Class-B assets that we believe offer potential for attractive risk-adjusted returns. Within the self storage sector, we expect further upside to cash flow growth amid strong demand and limited new supply.

Within the preferred securities market, we believe the cushions provided by high income and wide credit spreads may help to soften the impact of rising interest rates if Treasury yields revert to more normal historical levels in the coming year. Furthermore, we believe preferreds are more attractively priced than other markets such as high yield bonds, particularly given the powerful credit tailwind of exceptionally strong bank regulation.

Following the run-up in prices of many preferreds year to date, we believe the disparity in valuations across the preferreds market underscores the importance of security selection. We continue to focus on preferreds that we believe offer attractive risk-adjusted returns, emphasizing securities with high income rates that provide a more defensive posture relative to interest-rate risk. These may include below-investment-grade and non-rated securities. Additionally, we generally favor lower-duration securities, including those with fixed-to-float or floating-rate structures.

Sincerely,

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JASON YABLON

Portfolio Manager

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Our Leverage Strategy (Unaudited)

Our current leverage strategy utilizes borrowings up to the maximum permitted by the Investment Company Act of 1940 to provide additional capital for the Fund, with an objective of increasing the net income available for shareholders. As of June 30, 2014, leverage represented 26% of the Fund's managed assets.

Through a combination of variable and fixed rate financing, the Fund has locked in interest rates on a significant portion of this additional capital for periods of five, six and seven years (where we effectively reduce our variable rate obligation and lock in our fixed rate obligation over various terms). Locking in a significant portion of our leveraging costs is designed to protect the dividend-paying ability of the Fund. The use of leverage increases the volatility of the Fund's net asset value in both up and down markets. However, we believe that locking in portions of the Fund's leveraging costs for the various terms partially protects the Fund's expenses from an increase in short-term interest rates.

Leverage Factsa,b

Leverage (as a % of managed assets)	26%
% Fixed Rate	85%
% Variable Rate	15%
Weighted Average Rate on Financing	1.9%
Weighted Average Term on Financing	4.0 years

The Fund seeks to enhance its dividend yield through leverage. The use of leverage is a speculative technique and there are special risks and costs associated with leverage. The net asset value of the Fund's common shares may be reduced by the issuance and ongoing costs of leverage. So long as the Fund is able to invest in securities that produce an investment yield that is greater than the total cost of leverage, the leverage strategy will produce higher current net investment income for the common shareholders. On the other hand, to the extent that the total cost of leverage exceeds the incremental income gained from employing such leverage, the common shareholders would realize lower net investment income. In addition to the impact on net income, the use of leverage will have an effect of magnifying capital appreciation or depreciation for common shareholders. Specifically, in an up market, leverage will typically generate greater capital appreciation than if the Fund were not employing leverage. Conversely, in down markets, the use of leverage will generally result in greater capital depreciation than if the Fund had been unlevered. To the extent that the Fund is required or elects to reduce its leverage, the Fund may need to liquidate investments, including under adverse economic conditions which may result in capital losses potentially reducing returns to common shareholders. There can be no assurance that a leveraging strategy will be successful during any period in which it is employed.

- ^a Data as of June 30, 2014. Information is subject to change.
- ^b See Note 7 in Notes to Financial Statements.

June 30, 2014 Top Ten Holdings^a (Unaudited)

		% of
		Managed
Security	Value	Assets
Simon Property Group	\$48,927,724	3.7
Equity Residential	40,925,115	3.1
Ventas	38,504,037	2.9
Prologis	38,025,385	2.8
Public Storage	28,239,851	2.1
Vornado Realty Trust	25,364,705	1.9
SL Green Realty Corp.	23,151,813	1.7
General Growth Properties	19,981,990	1.5
Kimco Realty Corp.	18,597,507	1.4
JPMorgan Chase & Co., 7.90%, Series		
1	18,521,250	1.4

^a Top ten holdings are determined on the basis of the value of individual securities held. The Fund may also hold positions in other types of securities issued by the companies listed above. See the Schedule of Investments for additional details on such other positions.

Sector Breakdown

(Based on Managed Assets) (Unaudited)

SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS

		Number of Shares	Value
COMMON STOCK REAL		of Shares	Value
ESTATE	67.7%		
	5.8%		
DIVERSIFIED	5.8%	175.007	Φ 0.050.000
American Assets Trusta		175,367	\$ 6,058,930
American Realty Capital		1 007 571	10.075.405
Properties ^{a,b}		1,027,571	12,875,465
Cousins Propertiesa		674,083	8,392,333
Forest City Enterprises, Class		005.050	4 000 400
Aa,b,c		235,858	4,686,498
Vornado Realty Trust ^{a,b}		237,653	25,364,705
LIEAL TIL CARE	0.00/		57,377,931
HEALTH CARE	6.9%	207.225	0.400.000
Aviv REIT ^{a,b}		287,625	8,102,396
Brookdale Senior Living ^c		85,714	2,857,705
Health Care REITa		154,872	9,705,828
Omega Healthcare Investors		247,989	9,140,875
Ventas ^{a,b}		600,687	38,504,037
			68,310,841
HOTEL	6.8%		
Belmond Ltd., Class A			
(Bermuda) ^c		206,487	3,002,321
Hersha Hospitality Trust ^{a,b}		986,964	6,622,529
Hilton Worldwide Holdings ^c		251,681	5,864,167
Host Hotels & Resortsa,b		779,369	17,153,912
La Quinta Holdingsc		301,514	5,770,978
Strategic Hotels & Resortsa,c		1,229,556	14,398,101
Sunstone Hotel Investors ^a		913,025	13,631,463
			66,443,471
INDUSTRIALS	5.3%		
First Industrial Realty Trusta,b		174,616	3,289,765
Gramercy Property Trust		725,502	4,389,287
Prologis ^{a,b}		925,417	38,025,385
STAG Industrial		279,672	6,714,925
			52,419,362
	See accompanying not	es to financial statements.	
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SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS (Continued)

June 30, 2014 (Unaudited)

		Number	
		of Shares	Value
OFFICE	10.7%		
BioMed Realty Trust		437,478	\$ 9,550,145
Boston Properties ^{a,b}		73,652	8,704,193
Corporate Office Properties		•	, ,
Trust ^{a,b}		243,644	6,775,740
Douglas Emmett ^a		382,532	10,795,053
Empire State Realty Trust, Class		,	2, 22,22
Aa		435,908	7,192,482
Hudson Pacific Properties ^{a,b}		291,826	7,394,871
Kilroy Realty Corp.		209,873	13,070,890
Mack-Cali Realty Corp.		128,090	2,751,373
Parkway Properties ^a		620,448	12,812,251
PS Business Parks ^a		39,311	3,282,075
SL Green Realty Corp.a,b		211,606	23,151,813
on our working compr		,	105,480,886
RESIDENTIAL APARTMENT	9.7%		100,100,000
Apartment Investment &			
Management Co.a,b		264,535	8,536,544
AvalonBay Communities ^a		65,019	9,245,052
Equity Residential ^{a,b}		649,605	40,925,115
Essex Property Trusta		81,664	15,100,490
Home Properties		131,837	8,432,295
UDR ^{a,b}		457,764	13,105,783
		,	95,345,279
SELF STORAGE	5.3%		55,515,215
CubeSmart ^{a,b}	0.070	327,876	6,006,688
Extra Space Storage ^a		154,860	8,246,295
Public Storage ^{a,b}		164,808	28,239,851
Sovran Self Storage ^a		131,376	10,148,796
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SHOPPING CENTERS	16.7%		02,011,000
COMMUNITY CENTER	6.4%		
Brixmor Property Group	0.1.70	349,818	8,028,323
Kimco Realty Corp.a,b		809,291	18,597,507
Ramco-Gershenson Properties		333,231	. 5,551,551
Trust ^{a,b}		557,383	9,263,706
Regency Centers Corp.a,b		249,571	13,896,113
Washington Prime Group ^{a,b,c}		154,520	2,895,705
Weingarten Realty Investors ^{a,b}		317,235	10,417,997
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See accompanying notes to financial statements.

SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS (Continued)

		Number	
		of Shares	Value
FREE STANDING	0.6%	01 0110100	Talas
Realty Income Corp.a,b		120,429	\$ 5,349,456
REGIONAL MALL	9.7%	,	, ,
General Growth Properties ^{a,b}		848,132	19,981,990
Glimcher Realty Trusta		831,850	9,008,935
Macerich Co. (The)a,b		265,189	17,701,366
Pennsylvania REIT		20,772	390,929
Simon Property Group ^{a,b}		294,249	48,927,724
			96,010,944
TOTAL SHOPPING CENTERS			164,459,751
SPECIALTY	0.5%		
CyrusOne		203,388	5,064,361
TOTAL COMMON STOCK			
(Identified cost \$468,471,186)			667,543,512
PREFERRED SECURITIES \$25			
PAR VALUE	23.9%		
BANKS	7.7%		
AgriBank FCB, 6.875%, (\$100			
Par Value)		38,000	4,017,314
Citigroup, 6.875%, Series K		151,050	4,099,497
CoBank ACB, 6.25%, 144A		00.000	0.405.005
(\$100 Par Value) ^{a,d}		33,000	3,435,095
CoBank ACB, 6.125%, Series G (\$100 Par Value)		46,500	4,176,281
Countrywide Capital IV, 6.75%,			
due 4/1/33 ^{a,b}		238,687	6,096,066
Countrywide Capital V, 7.00%,			
due 11/1/36 ^a		262,112	6,814,912
Farm Credit Bank of Texas,			
6.75%, 144A ^d		63,000	6,609,097
Fifth Third Bancorp, 6.625%, Series I		194,842	5,217,869
Huntington Bancshares, 8.50%,		- ,-	-, ,
Series A			
(\$1,000 Par Value)(Convertible)a		4,156	5,537,745
PNC Financial Services Group,			
6.125%, Series Pa		192,500	5,286,050
Regions Financial Corp.,			
6.375%, Series B		226,532	5,830,934
US Bancorp, 6.50%, Series Fa		78,991	2,232,286
Wells Fargo & Co., 5.85%		339,617	8,809,665
Wells Fargo & Co., 6.625%		46,774	1,305,930

Zions Bancorp, 7.90%, Series Fa	160,354	4,504,344
Zions Bancorp, 6.30%, Series G	85,441	2,206,941
		76,180,026

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

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SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS (Continued)

		Number	
DANKS FOREIGN	4 40/	of Shares	Value
BANKS FOREIGN	1.4%		
Barclays Bank PLC, 7.75%, Series IV			
		100 000	\$ 2,577,000
(United Kingdom)		100,000	\$ 2,577,000
Barclays Bank PLC, 8.125%, Series V			
(United Kingdom)		250,000	6,465,000
National Westminster Bank PLC,		250,000	6,465,000
7.76%, Series C			
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(United Kingdom) ^a		172,192	4,523,484 13,565,484
DIVERSIFIED FINANCIAL			13,365,464
SERVICES	0.2%		
State Street Corp., 5.90%, Series	0.2 /6		
D		77,730	2,036,526
ELECTRIC INTEGRATED	0.5%	77,730	2,030,320
Integrys Energy Group, 6.00%,	0.5 /6		
due 8/1/73 ^e		181,652	4,779,264
FINANCE INVESTMENT		101,002	4,773,204
BANKER/BROKER	1.4%		
Goldman Sachs Group, 5.95%,	1.470		
Series I		100,000	2,457,000
Goldman Sachs Group, 6.375%,		100,000	2, 107,000
Series K		200,425	5,275,186
Morgan Stanley, 6.875%		234,598	6,374,028
morgan standy, order over			14,106,214
INDUSTRIALS CHEMICALS	0.7%		,
CHS, 7.10%, Series IIa		260,000	7,061,600
INSURANCE	4.1%	,	.,
LIFE/HEALTH INSURANCE	0.2%		
Principal Financial Group,	<u> </u>		
6.518%, Series B (FRN)		72,226	1,838,874
MULTI-LINE	1.4%	, -	, = = -, =
Hanover Insurance Group/The,			
6.35%,			
due 3/30/53		78,400	1,928,640
Hartford Financial Services		,	, ,
Group, 7.875%,			
due 4/15/42 ^a		213,052	6,378,777
Kemper Corp., 7.375%, due		•	. ,
2/27/54		114,350	2,982,248
		132,737	3,086,135

WR Berkley Corp., 5.625%, due 4/30/53

			14,375,800
MULTI-LINE FOREIGN	1.2%		
ING Groep N.V., 7.05%			
(Netherlands)		149,060	3,823,389
ING Groep N.V., 7.375%			
(Netherlands) ^a		294,873	7,619,518
			11,442,907
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SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS (Continued)

		Number of Shares	Value
REINSURANCE	0.4%		
Reinsurance Group of America, 6.20%,			
due 9/15/42		140,000	\$ 3,841,600
REINSURANCE FOREIGN	0.9%	140,000	Ψ 3,041,000
Aspen Insurance Holdings Ltd.,	0.576		
5.95% (Bermuda)		131,339	3,270,341
Aspen İnsurance Holdings Ltd.,		,	, ,
7.25% (Bermuda)		106,000	2,771,900
Axis Capital Holdings Ltd., 6.875%,			
Series C (Bermuda)		55,284	1,446,782
Endurance Specialty Holdings Ltd., 7.50%,		,	, ,
Series B (Bermuda)		60,769	1,600,048
(2011)			9,089,071
TOTAL INSURANCE			40,588,252
INTEGRATED			
TELECOMMUNICATIONS			
SERVICES	0.4%		
Qwest Corp., 6.125%, due 6/1/53 ^a		80,000	1,862,400
Qwest Corp., 7.00%, due 4/1/52		78,395	2,031,215
Telephone & Data Systems,			
6.875%, due 11/15/59		7,386	187,087
			4,080,702
REAL ESTATE	6.7%		
DIVERSIFIED	1.7%		
Coresite Realty Corp., 7.25%,			
Series A		79,200	1,991,880
Gramercy Property Trust, 8.125%, Series A		202 594	5 120 120
Lexington Realty Trust, 6.50%,		203,584	5,120,138
Series C			
(\$50 Par Value) ^a		96,586	4,708,568
National Retail Properties, 5.70%		73,266	1,673,395
NorthStar Realty Finance Corp.,		70,200	1,070,000
8.50%, Series D		119,300	3,031,413
		,	16,525,394
HOTEL	0.9%		, , - - -
Hersha Hospitality Trust,			
6.875%, Series C		134,345	3,368,029

Hospitality Properties Trust, 7.125%, Series D		95,000	2,420,600
Pebblebrook Hotel Trust,		ŕ	, ,
7.875%, Series A ^{a,b}		100,000	2,635,000
			8,423,629
INDUSTRIALS	0.2%		
Monmouth Real Estate			
Investment Corp.,			
7.875%, Series B ^f		87,500	2,292,500
	See accompanying notes		

SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS (Continued)

		Number		
OFFICE	1.0%	of Shares		Value
American Realty Capital	1.0%			
Properties,				
6.70%, Series F ^a		323,710	\$	7,584,525
Corporate Office Properties		323,713	Ψ	7,001,020
Trust,				
7.375%, Series L ^{a,b}		100,000		2,560,000
,		,		10,144,525
RESIDENTIAL MANUFACTURED				
HOME	0.5%			
Campus Crest Communities,				
8.00%, Series A		119,068		3,042,188
Equity Lifestyle Properties,				
6.75%, Series C		60,843		1,528,680
				4,570,868
SHOPPING CENTERS	2.4%			
COMMUNITY CENTER	1.6%			
Cedar Realty Trust, 7.25%,		010.000		E E04 E00
Series Ba		219,000		5,584,500
DDR Corp., 6.50%, Series J		60,000		1,489,800
Inland Real Estate Corp.,		135,000		3,593,700
8.125%, Series A Saul Centers, 6.875%, Series C		79,140		1,998,285
Weingarten Realty Investors,		79,140		1,990,200
6.50%, Series Fa,b		101,803		2,557,291
0.00 /0, Oches i		101,000		15,223,576
REGIONAL MALL	0.8%			10,220,070
CBL & Associates Properties,	0.070			
7.375%, Series D ^a		324,982		8,238,294
TOTAL SHOPPING CENTERS		,	2	23,461,870
TOTAL REAL ESTATE			(65,418,786
TRANSPORT MARINE FOREIGN	0.5%			
Seaspan Corp., 6.375%, due				
4/30/19 (Hong Kong)		62,325		1,592,403
Seaspan Corp., 9.50%, Series C				
(Hong Kong) ^a		56,054		1,552,696
Teekay Offshore Partners LP,				
7.25%, Series A				
(Marshall Islands)		60,000		1,572,600
	0.00/			4,717,699
UTILITIES	0.3%	110.175		0.001.400
SCE Trust III, 5.75%		112,175		2,961,420

TOTAL PREFERRED SECURITIES \$25 PAR VALUE (Identified cost \$217,713,207)

235,495,973

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SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS (Continued)

		Number of Shares	Value
PREFERRED SECURITIES CAPITAL			
SECURITIES	41.6%		
BANKS	7.6%		
Citigroup Capital III, 7.625%, due 12/1/36a		4,700,000	\$ 5,829,763
Farm Credit Bank of Texas, 10.00%, Series I ^a		6,000	7,280,625
Fifth Third Bancorp, 4.90%, Series J		1,500,000	1,500,000
Goldman Sachs Capital I, 6.345%, due 2/15/34 ^a		3,250,000	3,723,697
Goldman Sachs Capital II, 4.00%, (FRN) ^a		4,340,000	3,493,700
JPMorgan Chase & Co., 7.90%, Series I ^{a,b}		16,500,000	18,521,250
JPMorgan Chase & Co., 6.75%, Series S		5,900,000	6,379,375
JPMorgan Chase & Co., 6.125%, Series U		1,900,000	1,950,730
PNC Financial Services Group, 6.75% ^{a,b}		4,000,000	4,480,628
Wells Fargo & Co, 5.90%, Series S		2,255,000	2,397,629
Wells Fargo & Co., 7.98%, Series K ^{a,b}		13,475,000	15,395,187
Zions Bancorp, 7.20%, Series J		3,997,000	4,256,805
BANKS FOREIGN	16.2%		75,209,389
Baggot Securities Ltd., 10.24%, 144A (EUR) (Ireland)d	10.2 /6	2,474,000	3,734,883
Banco Bilbao Vizcaya Argentaria SA,		2,474,000	3,734,003
7.00% (Spain)		2,600,000	3,768,451
Banco Bilbao Vizcaya Argentaria SA,			
9.00% (Spain)		5,400,000	6,068,250
Banco do Brasil SA/Cayman, 9.00%,			
144A (Brazil) ^d		5,950,000	5,897,937
Banco do Brasil SA/Cayman, 9.25%,		2,150,000	2,235,355

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144A (Brazil) ^{a,d}		
Banco Santander SA, 6.375%,		
Series REGS (Spain)	2,200,000	2,216,500
Barclays Bank PLC, 7.625%,		
due 11/21/22		
(United Kingdom) ^{a,b}	3,375,000	3,861,000
Barclays Bank PLC, 6.86%,		
144A (United Kingdom) ^{a,d}	4,300,000	4,869,750
Barclays PLC, 8.00% (United		
Kingdom) (EUR)	2,050,000	3,070,930
Barclays PLC, 8.25% (United		
Kingdom) ^a	6,520,000	6,924,240
BBVA Bancomer SA Texas,		
6.75%,		
due 9/30/22, 144A (Mexico) ^d	2,800,000	3,213,000
BNP Paribas, 7.195%, 144A		
(France) ^{a,d,g}	3,200,000	3,728,000
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SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS (Continued)

June 30, 2014 (Unaudited)

	Number	
	of Shares	Value
Commerzbank AG, 8.125%, due 9/19/23,		
144A (Germany) ^{a,d}	6,400,000	\$ 7,792,730
Coventry Building Society, 6.375%		
(United Kingdom)	2,000,000	3,418,521
Credit Agricole SA, 7.875%, 144A (France)d	3,109,000	3,400,469
Credit Agricole SA, 8.125%, due 9/19/33,		
144A (France) ^{a,d}	3,200,000	3,651,040
Credit Suisse AG, 6.50%, due 8/8/23,		
144A (Switzerland) ^d	2,800,000	3,115,000
Credit Suisse Group AG, 7.50%,		
144A (Switzerland) ^d	4,005,000	4,443,147
Deutsche Bank AG, 7.125% (Germany)		
(GBP)	2,000,000	3,437,774
Dresdner Funding Trust I, 8.151%, due		
6/30/31,		
144A (Germany) ^{a,d}	7,640,000	9,320,800
HBOS Capital Funding LP, 6.85%		
(United Kingdom)	3,300,000	3,340,013
HSBC Capital Funding LP, 10.176%,		
144A (United Kingdom) ^d	8,442,000	12,641,895
Intesa Sanpaolo SpA, 5.017%, due 6/26/24,		
144A (Italy) ^d	2,800,000	2,838,612
Itau Unibanco Holding SA/Cayman Island,		
5.50%, due 8/6/22, 144A (Brazil) ^d	1,800,000	1,852,560
Lloyds Banking Group PLC, 7.50%		
(United Kingdom)	6,366,000	6,789,339
Nationwide Building Society, 10.25%,		
(United Kingdom) ^g	3,790,000	8,415,851
Nationwide Building Society, 6.875%,		
Series EMTN (United Kingdom)	2,150,000	3,772,417
Rabobank Nederland, 8.40% (Netherlands)	4,000,000	4,520,000
Rabobank Nederland, 11.00%,		
144A (Netherlands) ^{a,d}	4,800,000	6,456,912
Royal Bank of Scotland Group PLC,		
7.648% (United Kingdom) ^a	4,791,000	5,821,065
SMFG Preferred Capital, 9.50%,		
144A (FRN) (Cayman Islands) ^{a,d}	2,500,000	3,143,875
Societe Generale SA, 7.875%, 144A		
(France) ^d	3,400,000	3,626,100
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SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS (Continued)

		Number of Shares	Value
Standard Chartered PLC, 7.014%,		0.0.1	
144A (United Kingdom)a,d		2,250,000	\$ 2,569,948
UBS AG, 7.625%, due 8/17/22 (Switzerland) ^a		5,000,000	6,029,780
`		3,000,000	159,986,144
FINANCE	2.8%		
DIVERSIFIED FINANCIAL SERVICES	2.2%		
General Electric Capital Corp., 7.125%, Series A ^{a,b}		11,800,000	13,948,060
General Electric Capital Corp.,			
6.25%, Series Ba,b		7,000,000	7,800,450 21,748,510
INVESTMENT			21,710,010
BANKER/BROKER	0.6%		
Goldman Sachs Group, 5.70%, Series L		2,750,000	2,855,006
Morgan Stanley, 5.45%, Series		2,730,000	2,000,000
Н		2,770,000	2,823,987
TOTAL INVESTMENT BANKER/BROKER			5,678,993
TOTAL FINANCE			27,427,503
FOOD	0.8%		
Dairy Farmers of America, 7.875%, 144A ^{d,f}		68,100	7,337,775
INSURANCE	9.7%		
LIFE/HEALTH INSURANCE	2.3%		
AIG Life Holdings, 7.57%, due 12/1/45, 144A ^d		2,500,000	3,312,500
AIG Life Holdings, 8.125%, due		2,300,000	3,312,300
3/15/46, 144A ^d		1,975,000	2,743,759
Great-West Life & Annuity			
Insurance Co., 7.153%, due 5/16/46, 144A ^{a,d}		2,700,000	2,808,000
MetLife Capital Trust X, 9.25%,		2,700,000	2,000,000
due 4/8/38, 144A ^{a,b,d}		9,315,000	13,273,875 22,138,134
LIFE/HEALTH			22,100,104
INSURANCE FOREIGN	1.7%		
Aviva PLC, 3.875%, due 7/3/44, Series EMTN		800,000	1,089,703

(United Kingdom) (EUR)		
Groupama SA, 6.375% (France)	2,800,000	3,977,817
La Mondiale Vie, 7.625%		
(France)	6,700,000	7,512,375
Sumitomo Life Insurance Co,		
6.50%,		
due 9/20/73, 144A (Japan) ^{a,d}	3,800,000	4,485,965
		17,065,860
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SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS (Continued)

		Number	
		of Shares	Value
MULTI-LINE	1.5%		
American International Group,			
8.175%, due 5/15/58, (FRN) ^a		7,223,000	\$ 9,985,798
MetLife, 10.75%, due 8/1/69 ^a		3,000,000	4,781,250
MULTILINE FOREION	0.00/		14,767,048
MULTI-LINE FOREIGN	0.9%		
Aviva PLC, 8.25% (United		2 700 000	2.060.621
Kingdom) AXA SA, 8.60%, due 12/15/30		2,700,000	3,060,631
(France) ^a		1,800,000	2,423,250
AXA SA, 6.463%, 144A		1,000,000	2, 120,200
(France) ^{a,d}		3,050,000	3,282,562
(,		-,,	8,766,443
PROPERTY CASUALTY	0.7%		, ,
Liberty Mutual Group, 7.80%,			
due 3/15/37, 144A ^{a,d}		6,000,000	7,110,000
PROPERTY			
CASUALTY FOREIGN	0.9%		
Mitsui Sumitomo Insurance Co.,			
Ltd.,			
7.00%, due 3/15/72, 144A		2.750.000	4 450 105
(Japan) ^{a,d} RL Finance Bonds No. 2 PLC,		3,750,000	4,453,125
6.125%,			
due 11/30/43 (United Kingdom)		2,650,000	4,746,024
dae i 1700/10 (enited i kingdein)		2,000,000	9,199,149
REINSURANCE FOREIGN	1.7%		2,100,110
Aquarius + Investments PLC,			
8.25% (Switzerland)		6,000,000	6,737,640
Catlin Insurance Co., 7.249%,			
144A (Bermuda) ^{a,d}		5,800,000	6,017,500
QBE Capital Funding III Ltd.,			
7.25%,		0.000.000	4.400.070
due 5/24/41, 144A (Australia) ^{a,d}		3,800,000	4,100,079
TOTAL INCLIDANCE			16,855,219
TOTAL INSURANCE INTEGRATED			95,901,853
TELECOMMUNICATIONS			
SERVICES	1.0%		
Centaur Funding Corp., 9.08%,			
due 4/21/20,			
144A (Cayman)a,d		6,254	7,831,181

Embarq Corp., 7.995%, due

6/1/36 2,000,000 2,195,000 10,026,181

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SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS (Continued)

		Number of Shares	Value
PIPELINES	1.6%		
Enbridge Energy Partners LP, 8.05%,			
due 10/1/37 ^a		8,500,000	\$ 9,617,750
Enterprise Products Operating LLC,			
7.034%, due 1/15/68, Series Ba Enterprise Products Operating LP,		2,150,000	2,455,956
8.375%, due 8/1/66ª		3,210,000	3,614,928
			15,688,634
UTILITIES	1.9%		
ELECTRIC UTILITIES	0.6%		
FPL Group Capital, 7.30%, due			
9/1/67, Series D ^a		5,200,000	5,737,077
ELECTRIC UTILITIES FOREIGN	0.5%		
Enel SpA, 8.75%, due 9/24/73,		4 000 000	F 400 400
144A (Italy) ^d	0.00/	4,630,000	5,463,400
MULTI-UTILITIES	0.8%		
Dominion Resources, 7.50%, due 6/30/66, Series A ^{a,b}		4,184,000	4,541,732
PPL Capital Funding, 6.70%,		4,104,000	4,541,732
due 3/30/67, Series A		3,000,000	3,061,899
due 6/66/67, Genes 7t		0,000,000	7,603,631
TOTAL UTILITIES			18,804,108
TOTAL PREFERRED SECURITIES CAPITAL SECURITIES			. 0,00 ,, 00
(Identified cost \$357,199,544)			410,381,587
,		Principal Amount	
CORPORATE BONDS	1.0%		
INSURANCE PROPERTY CASUALTY	0.6%		
Liberty Mutual Insurance, 7.697%,			
due 10/15/97, 144A ^{a,d}		\$ 5,250,000	5,965,864
INTEGRATED TELECOMMUNICATIONS	0.40/		
SERVICES Frontier Communications Corp.	0.4%	2 000 000	2 247 500
Frontier Communications Corp., 9.00%,		3,000,000	3,247,500

due 8/15/31^a
TOTAL CORPORATE BONDS
(Identified cost \$7,778,865)

9,213,364

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SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS (Continued)

June 30, 2014 (Unaudited)

		Number	
		of Shares	Value
SHORT-TERM			
INVESTMENTS	0.8%		
MONEY MARKET FUNDS			
State Street Institutional			
Treasury			
Money Market Fund, 0.00%h		7,600,000	\$ 7,600,000
TOTAL SHORT-TERM			
INVESTMENTS			
(Identified cost \$7,600,000)			7,600,000
TOTAL INVESTMENTS			
(Identified			
cost \$1,058,762,802)	135.0%		1,330,234,436
LIABILITIES IN EXCESS OF			
OTHER ASSETS	(35.0)		(344,517,278)
NET ASSETS (Equivalent to			
\$20.63 per share			
based on 47,769,767 shares			
of common			
stock outstanding)	100.0%		\$ 985,717,158
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Note: Percentages indicated are based on the net assets of the Fund.

^a All or a portion of the security is pledged as collateral in connection with the Fund's revolving credit agreement. \$705,363,551 in aggregate has been pledged as collateral.

^b A portion of the security has been rehypothecated in connection with the Fund's revolving credit agreement. \$317,797,229 in aggregate has been rehypothecated.

^c Non-income producing security.

^d Resale is restricted to qualified institutional investors. Aggregate holdings equal 17.9% of the net assets of the Fund, of which 0.7% are illiquid.

^e A portion of the security is segregated as collateral for open forward foreign currency exchange contracts. \$1,052,400 in aggregate has been segregated as collateral.

f Illiquid security. Aggregate holdings equal 1.0% of the net assets of the Fund.

⁹ Fair valued security. This security has been valued at its fair value as determined in good faith under procedures established by and under the general supervision of the Fund's Board of Directors. Aggregate fair valued securities represent 1.2% of the net assets of the Fund.

^h Rate quoted represents the seven-day yield of the Fund.

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SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS (Continued)

June 30, 2014 (Unaudited)

Forward foreign currency exchange contracts outstanding at June 30, 2014 were as follows:

	Contracts to	In Exchange	Settlement	Unrealized Appreciation
Counterparty	Deliver	For	Date	(Depreciation)
Brown Brothers				
Harriman	EUR11,629,030	USD 15,861,613	7/2/14	\$ (62,021)
Brown Brothers				,
Harriman	GBP11,853,552	USD19,867,324	7/2/14	(418,843)
Brown Brothers				,
Harriman	USD 15,918,700	EUR11,629,030	7/2/14	4,934
Brown Brothers				
Harriman	USD 20,271,850	GBP11,853,552	7/2/14	14,317
Brown Brothers				
Harriman	GBP 2,133,368	USD 3,626,598	8/4/14	(23,509)
Brown Brothers				
Harriman	GBP11,805,639	USD20,182,696	8/4/14	(16,278)
Brown Brothers				
Harriman	EUR11,455,017	USD15,680,819	8/5/14	(6,546)
				\$ (507.946)

Glossary of Portfolio Abbreviations

EUR Euro Currency

FRN Floating Rate Note

GBP Great British Pound

REIT Real Estate Investment Trust

USD United States Dollar

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STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

ASSETS:	
Investments in securities, at value (Identified	
cost \$1,058,762,802)	\$1,330,234,436
Cash	9,315,141
Receivable for:	
Dividends and interest	8,225,616
Investment securities sold	6,377,374
Unrealized appreciation on forward foreign currency	
exchange contracts	19,251
Other assets	72,204
Total Assets	1,354,244,022
LIABILITIES:	
Unrealized depreciation on forward foreign currency	
exchange contracts	527,197
Payable for:	
Revolving credit agreement	350,000,000
Investment securities purchased	16,194,045
Dividends declared on common shares	739,524
Investment management fees	715,249
Interest expense	71,891
Administration fees	60,454
Directors' fees	3,718
Other liabilities	214,786
Total Liabilities	368,526,864
NET ASSETS	\$ 985,717,158
NET ASSETS consist of:	
Paid-in capital	\$ 852,404,758
Dividends in excess of net investment income	(8,424,903)
Accumulated net realized loss	(129,228,697)
Net unrealized appreciation	270,966,000
	\$ 985,717,158
NET ASSET VALUE PER COMMON SHARE:	
(\$985,717,158 ÷ 47,769,767 shares outstanding)	\$ 20.63
MARKET PRICE PER COMMON SHARE	\$ 18.03
MARKET PRICE DISCOUNT TO NET ASSET VALUE	
PER COMMON SHARE	(12.60)%
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STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS

For the Six Months Ended June 30, 2014 (Unaudited)

Investment Income:		
Dividend income	\$ 17,317,072	
Interest income (net of \$14,659 of foreign withholding		
tax)	12,553,229	
Rehypothecation income	38,876	
Total Investment Income	29,909,177	
Expenses:		
Investment management fees	4,140,406	
Interest expense	3,253,522	
Administration fees	443,232	
Custodian fees and expenses	73,341	
Shareholder reporting expenses	64,465	
Professional fees	43,138	
Directors' fees and expenses	26,283	
Transfer agent fees and expenses	10,116	
Miscellaneous	19,420	
Total Expenses	8,073,923	
Net Investment Income	21,835,254	
Net Realized and Unrealized Gain (Loss):		
Net realized gain (loss) on:		
Investments	41,193,221	
Options	57,682	
Foreign currency transactions	(320,574)	
Net realized gain	40,930,329	
Net change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation) on:		
Investments	99,037,252	
Options	29,657	
Foreign currency translations	(290,137)	
Net change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation)	98,776,772	
Net realized and unrealized gain	139,707,101	
Net Increase in Net Assets Resulting from Operations	\$ 161,542,355	
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN NET ASSETS (Unaudited)

		For the	For the
	Six	Months Ended	Year Ended
	J	une 30, 2014	December 31, 2013
Change in Net Assets Applicable to Com		•	,
From Operations:			
Net investment income	\$	21,835,254	\$ 39,816,974
Net realized gain		40,930,329	54,614,968
Net change in unrealized			
appreciation			
(depreciation)		98,776,772	(60,783,577)
Net increase in net assets			
resulting			
from operations		161,542,355	33,648,365
Dividends to Common			
Shareholders from			
Net Investment Income		(30,094,953)	(57,622,528)
Capital Stock Transactions:			
Decrease in net assets from			
Fund share			
transactions			(4,871,290)
Total increase (decrease) in			
net assets			
applicable to common shares		131,447,402	(28,845,453)
Net Assets Applicable to Common Share	s:		
Beginning of period		854,269,756	883,115,209
End of period ^a	\$	985,717,158	\$ 854,269,756

^a Includes dividends in excess of net investment income and accumulated undistributed net investment income of \$8,424,903 and \$165,204, respectively.

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STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

For the Six Months Ended June 30, 2014 (Unaudited)

Increase in Cash:	
Cash Flows from Operating Activities:	
Net increase in net assets resulting from operations	\$ 161,542,355
Adjustments to reconcile net increase in net assets resulting from	
operations to net cash provided by operating activities:	
Purchases of long-term investments	(330,741,152)
Net purchases, sales and maturities of short-term	
investments	(1,600,000)
Net amortization of premium	299,031
Proceeds from sales and maturities of long-term	
investments	342,024,181
Net decrease in dividends and interest receivable and	
other assets	822,326
Net increase in interest expense payable, accrued	
expenses and	22.2
other liabilities	91,213
Decrease in premiums received from options	(57,682)
Net change in unrealized appreciation on options	(29,657)
Net change in unrealized appreciation on investments	(99,037,252)
Net change in unrealized depreciation on forward foreign	
currency	202 704
exchange contracts	280,781
Net realized loss on investments	(41,193,221)
Cash provided by operating activities	32,400,923
Cash Flows from Financing Activities:	(00,000,745)
Distributions paid on common shares	(30,098,715)
Increase in cash	2,302,208
Cash at beginning of period	7,012,933
Cash at end of period	\$ 9,315,141
Supplemental Disclosure of Cash Flow Information:	

During the six months ended June 30, 2014, interest paid was \$3,217,625.

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FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS (Unaudited)

The following table includes selected data for a common share outstanding throughout each period and other performance information derived from the financial statements. It should be read in conjunction with the financial statements and notes thereto.

Per Share	For the Six Months Ended		For the Ye	ear Ended Dec	ember 31,	
Operating Performance:	June 30, 2014	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009
Net asset value per common share, beginning of period Income (loss) f operations:	\$ 17.88 rom investment	\$18.37	\$ 15.34	\$15.63	\$12.83	\$ 8.51
Net investment						
income	0.46a	0.83a	0.95 _a	1.21	1.02	0.73
Net realized and unrealized						
gain (loss)	2.92	(0.13) ^b	3.28	(0.30)	2.76	4.46
Total from investment operations	3.38	0.70	4.23	0.91	3.78	5.19
	and distributions					
to preferred sna Net	areholders from:					
investment income						(0.03)
Total dividends and distributions to preferred						
shareholders						(0.03)
Total from investment operations applicable to common						
shares	3.38	0.70	4.23	0.91	3.78	5.16

Less dividends and distributions to common shareholders from: Net investment (1.20)income (0.63)(1.20)(1.20)(1.00)(0.71)Tax return of capital (0.13)Total dividends and distributions to common (1.00)shareholders (1.20)(1.20)(1.20)(0.63)(0.84)Anti-dilutive effect from the issuance of reinvested common 0.00cshares Anti-dilutive effect from the purchase of common shares 0.01 0.02 Net increase (decrease) in net asset value per common share 2.75 (0.49)3.03 (0.29)2.80 4.32 Net asset value, per common share, end 20.63 \$17.88 \$18.37 \$15.34 \$15.63 \$12.83 of period Market value, per common share. end of \$15.70 period 18.03 \$16.99 \$14.15 \$14.29 \$10.35 Total net asset value returnd 4.48% 28.45% 6.46% 31.63% 69.85% 19.56%e

Total market

19.00%e

0.80%

28.79%

7.41%

49.18%

value return^d

87.76%

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FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS (Unaudited) (Continued)

Ratios/Supple	For the Six Months Ended mental					
Data:	June 30, 2014	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009
Net assets applicable to common shares, end of period (in	Cano Co, 2011		2012	2011	2010	2000
millions)	\$ 985.7	\$854.3	\$883.1	\$737.7	\$750.9	\$620.3
Ratio of expenses to average daily net assets applicable to common						
shares	1.74% ^f	1.82%	1.63%	1.72%	1.87%	2.62% ^g
Ratio of expenses to average daily net assets applicable to common shares (excluding interest	<i>.</i>					
expense) Ratio of net investment income to average daily net assets applicable to common	1.04% ^f	1.10%	1.10%	1.13%	1.22%	2.06% ⁹
shares	4.71% ^f	4.38%	5.45%	5.62%	6.08%	9.02% ^g
Ratio of expenses to average daily managed assets ^h	1.27% ^f	1.31%	1.15%	1.18%	1.26%	1.56% ⁹
400010	1.21 /0	1.01/0	1.10/0	1.10/0	1.20/0	1.00 /00

Portfolio						
turnover						
rate	27% ^e	51%	49%	52%	66%	81%
Preferred Share	s/Revolving Cred	it Agreement:				
Asset						
coverage						
ratio for						
revolving						
credit						
agreement	382%	344%	352%	311%	315% ⁱ	286% ⁱ
Asset						
coverage						
per \$1,000						
for						
revolving						
credit						
agreement	\$ 3,816	\$3,441	\$3,523	\$3,108	\$3,145	\$2,862

^a Calculation based on average shares outstanding.

- c Amount is less than \$0.005.
- ^d Total net asset value return measures the change in net asset value per share over the period indicated. Total market value return is computed based upon the Fund's NYSE market price per share and excludes the effects of brokerage commissions. Dividends and distributions are assumed, for purposes of these calculations, to be reinvested at prices obtained under the Fund's dividend reinvestment plan.
- e Not annualized.
- f Annualized.
- g Ratios do not reflect dividend payments to preferred shareholders, where applicable.
- h Average daily managed assets represent net assets applicable to common shares plus liquidation preference of preferred shares and/or the outstanding balance of the revolving credit agreement.
- ⁱ For the period June 1, 2009 through June 15, 2010, the Fund utilized temporary relief from the Securities and Exchange Commission permitting the Fund to maintain 200% asset coverage.

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

b Includes gains resulting from class action litigation payments on securities owned in prior years. Without these gains, the net realized and unrealized gains (losses) on investments per share would have been \$(0.17) and the total return on an NAV basis would have been 4.33%.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Unaudited)

Note 1. Organization and Significant Accounting Policies

Cohen & Steers REIT and Preferred Income Fund, Inc. (the Fund) was incorporated under the laws of the State of Maryland on March 25, 2003 and is registered under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended (the 1940 Act), as a diversified, closed-end management investment company. The Fund's investment objective is high current income.

The following is a summary of significant accounting policies consistently followed by the Fund in the preparation of its financial statements. The policies are in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP). The preparation of the financial statements in accordance with GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of income and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Portfolio Valuation: Investments in securities that are listed on the NYSE are valued, except as indicated below, at the last sale price reflected at the close of the NYSE on the business day as of which such value is being determined. If there has been no sale on such day, the securities are valued at the mean of the closing bid and ask prices on such day or, if no ask price is available, at the bid price. Exchange traded options are valued at their last sale price as of the close of options trading on applicable exchanges on the valuation date. In the absence of a sale on such day, options are valued at the average of the quoted bid and ask prices as of the close of business. Over-the-counter options are valued based upon prices provided by the respective counterparty. Forward contracts are valued daily at the prevailing forward exchange rate.

Securities not listed on the NYSE but listed on other domestic or foreign securities exchanges are valued in a similar manner. Securities traded on more than one securities exchange are valued at the last sale price reflected at the close of the exchange representing the principal market for such securities on the business day as of which such value is being determined. If after the close of a foreign market, but prior to the close of business on the day the securities are being valued, market conditions change significantly, certain non-U.S. equity holdings may be fair valued pursuant to procedures established by the Board of Directors.

Readily marketable securities traded in the over-the-counter market, including listed securities whose primary market is believed by Cohen & Steers Capital Management, Inc. (the investment manager) to be over-the-counter, are valued at the last sale price on the valuation date as reported by sources deemed appropriate by the Board of Directors to reflect their fair market value. If there has been no sale on such day, the securities are valued at the mean of the closing bid and ask prices on such day or, if no ask price is available, at the bid price. However, certain fixed-income securities may be valued on the basis of prices provided by a pricing service when such prices are believed by the investment manager, pursuant to delegation by the Board of Directors, to reflect the fair market value of such securities.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Unaudited) (Continued)

Short-term debt securities with a maturity date of 60 days or less are valued at amortized cost, which approximates fair value. Investments in open-end mutual funds are valued at their closing net asset value.

The policies and procedures approved by the Fund's Board of Directors delegate authority to make fair value determinations to the investment manager, subject to the oversight of the Board of Directors. The investment manager has established a valuation committee (Valuation Committee) to administer, implement and oversee the fair valuation process according to the policies and procedures approved annually by the Board of Directors. Among other things, these procedures allow the Fund to utilize independent pricing services, quotations from securities and financial instrument dealers and other market sources to determine fair value.

Securities for which market prices are unavailable, or securities for which the investment manager determines that the bid and/or ask price or a counterparty valuation does not reflect market value, will be valued at fair value, as determined in good faith by the Valuation Committee, pursuant to procedures approved by the Fund's Board of Directors. Circumstances in which market prices may be unavailable include, but are not limited to, when trading in a security is suspended, the exchange on which the security is traded is subject to an unscheduled close or disruption or material events occur after the close of the exchange on which the security is principally traded. In these circumstances, the Fund determines fair value in a manner that fairly reflects the market value of the security on the valuation date based on consideration of any information or factors it deems appropriate. These may include, but are not limited to, recent transactions in comparable securities, information relating to the specific security and developments in the markets.

Foreign equity fair value pricing procedures utilized by the Fund may cause certain non-U.S. equity holdings to be fair valued on the basis of fair value factors provided by a pricing service to reflect any significant market movements between the time the Fund values such securities and the earlier closing of foreign markets.

The Fund's use of fair value pricing may cause the net asset value of Fund shares to differ from the net asset value that would be calculated using market quotations. Fair value pricing involves subjective judgments and it is possible that the fair value determined for a security may be materially different than the value that could be realized upon the sale of that security.

Fair value is defined as the price that the Fund would expect to receive upon the sale of an investment or expect to pay to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction with an independent buyer in the principal market or, in the absence of a principal market, the most advantageous market for the investment or liability. The hierarchy of inputs that are used in determining the fair value of the Fund's investments is summarized below.

- Level 1 guoted prices in active markets for identical investments
- Level 2 other significant observable inputs (including quoted prices for similar investments, interest rates, credit risk, etc.)
- Level 3 significant unobservable inputs (including the Fund's own assumptions in determining the fair value of investments)

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Unaudited) (Continued)

The inputs or methodology used for valuing securities are not necessarily an indication of the risk associated with investing in those securities.

For movements between the levels within the fair value hierarchy, the Fund has adopted a policy of recognizing the transfer at the end of the period in which the underlying event causing the movement occurred. Changes in valuation techniques may result in transfers into or out of an assigned level within the disclosure hierarchy. There were no transfers between Level 1 and Level 2 securities as of June 30, 2014.

The following is a summary of the inputs used as of June 30, 2014 in valuing the Fund's investments carried at value:

	Total	Quoted Prices In Active Markets for Identical Investments (Level 1)	Other Significant Observable Inputs (Level 2)	Significant Unobservable Inputs (Level 3)ª
Common	Φ 007.540.540	Φ 007 Ε40 Ε40	Φ	ф
Stock Preferred Securities \$25 Par	\$ 667,543,512	\$ 667,543,512	\$	\$
Value Banks	76,180,026	57,942,239	11,628,690	6,609,097 _b
Preferred Securities \$25 Par Value Other				
Industries	159,315,947	159,315,947		
Preferred Securities Capita Securities Banks				
Foreign Preferred	159,986,144		156,567,623	3,418,521 _c
Securities Capita	I			
Securities Food	7,337,775			7,337,775 _b
Preferred Securities Capita Securities Other	I			
Industries	243,057,668		243,057,668	
Corporate Bonds	9,213,364		9,213,364	
Money Market Funds	7,600,000		7,600,000	
Total	7,000,000		7,000,000	
Investmentsd	\$1,330,234,436	\$ 884,801,698	\$428,067,345	\$ 17,365,393

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Unaudited) (Continued)

	Total	Quoted Prices In Active Markets for Identical Investments (Level 1)	0	Other Significant Ibservable Inputs (Level 2)	Significant Unobservable Inputs (Level 3)ª
Forward foreign currency exchange contracts	\$ 19,251	\$	\$	19,251	\$
Total Appreciation in Other Financial Instruments ^d	\$ 19,251	\$	\$	19,251	\$
Forward foreign currency exchange contracts	\$ (527,197)	\$	\$	(527,197)	\$
Total Depreciation in Other Financial Instruments ^d	\$ (527,197)	\$	\$	(527,197)	\$

^a Certain of the Fund's investments are categorized as Level 3 and were valued utilizing third party pricing information without adjustment. Such valuations are based on significant unobservable inputs. A change in the significant unobservable inputs could result in a significantly lower or higher value in such Level 3 investments.

^b Valued by a pricing service utilizing independent broker quotes.

^c Valued utilizing independent broker quotes.

^d Portfolio holdings are disclosed individually on the Schedule of Investments.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Unaudited) (Continued)

Following is a reconciliation of investments for which significant unobservable inputs (Level 3) were used in determining fair value:

	Total Investments in Securities	Common Stock Real Estate Industrials	Preferred Securities \$25 Par Value Banks	Preferred Securities Capital Securities Banks Foreign	Preferred Securities Capital Securities Food
Balance as of December 31, 2013	\$ 20,824,973	\$ 3,866,999	\$5,329,812	\$ 4,418,074	\$7,210,088
Purchases	7,378,827	, , ,	1,018,750	6,360,077	. , ,
Amortization	(59)			(59)	
Change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation)	1,966,790	522,288	260,535	1,056,280	127,687
Transfers out of Level 3 ^a	(12,805,138)	(4,389,287)		(8,415,851)	
Balance as of June 30, 2014	\$ 17,365,393	\$	\$6,609,097	\$ 3,418,521	\$7,337,775
i ne change in	unrealized apprecia	ation (depreciation)	attributable to se	ecurities owned on J	une 30, 2014

The change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation) attributable to securities owned on June 30, 2014 which were valued using significant unobservable inputs (Level 3) amounted to \$377,463.

Security Transactions and Investment Income: Security transactions are recorded on trade date. Realized gains and losses on investments sold are recorded on the basis of identified cost. Interest income is recorded on the accrual basis. Discounts are accreted and premiums are amortized over the life of the respective securities. Dividend income is recorded on the ex-dividend date, except for certain dividends on foreign securities, which are recorded as soon as the Fund is informed after the ex-dividend date. Distributions from Real Estate Investment Trusts (REITs) are recorded as ordinary income, net realized capital gain or return of capital based on information reported by the REITs and management's estimates of such amounts based on historical information. These estimates are adjusted when the actual source of distributions is disclosed by the REITs and actual amounts may differ from the estimated amounts.

Options: The Fund writes covered call options on securities and may write put or call options on an index and put options on securities with the intention of earning option premiums. Option premiums may increase the Fund's realized gains and therefore may help increase distributable income. When the Fund writes (sells) an option, an amount equal to the premium received by the Fund is recorded on the Statement of

^a As of December 31, 2013, the Fund used significant unobservable inputs in determining the value of certain investments. As of June 30, 2014, the Fund used significant observable inputs and/or quoted prices in determining the value of the same investments.

Assets and Liabilities as a liability. The amount of the liability is subsequently marked-to-market to reflect the current market value of the option written. When an option expires, the

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Unaudited) (Continued)

Fund realizes a gain on the option to the extent of the premium received. Premiums received from writing options which are exercised or closed are added to or offset against the proceeds or amount paid on the transaction to determine the realized gain or loss. If a put option on a security is exercised, the premium reduces the cost basis of the security purchased by the Fund. If a call option is exercised, the premium is added to the proceeds of the security sold to determine the realized gain or loss. The Fund, as writer of an option, bears the market risk of an unfavorable change in the price of the underlying index or security. Other risks include the possibility of an illiquid options market or the inability of the counterparties to fulfill their obligations under the contracts.

At June 30, 2014, the Fund did not have any written option contracts outstanding.

Foreign Currency Translation: The books and records of the Fund are maintained in U.S. dollars. Investment securities and other assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated into U.S. dollars based upon prevailing exchange rates on the date of valuation. Purchases and sales of investment securities and income and expense items denominated in foreign currencies are translated into U.S. dollars based upon prevailing exchange rates on the respective dates of such transactions. The Fund does not isolate that portion of the results of operations resulting from fluctuations in foreign exchange rates on investments from the fluctuations arising from changes in market prices of securities held. Such fluctuations are included with the net realized and unrealized gain or loss on investments.

Net realized foreign exchange gains or losses arise from sales of foreign currencies, including gains and losses on forward foreign currency exchange contracts, currency gains or losses realized between the trade and settlement dates on securities transactions, and the difference between the amounts of dividends, interest, and foreign withholding taxes recorded on the Fund's books and the U.S. dollar equivalent of the amounts actually received or paid. Net unrealized foreign exchange gains and losses arise from changes in the values of assets and liabilities, other than investments in securities, on the date of valuation, resulting from changes in exchange rates. Pursuant to U.S. federal income tax regulations, certain foreign currency gains/losses included in realized and unrealized gains/losses are included in or are a reduction of ordinary income for federal income tax purposes.

Foreign Securities: The Fund may directly purchase securities of foreign issuers. Investing in securities of foreign issuers involves special risks not typically associated with investing in securities of U.S. issuers. The risks include possible revaluation of currencies, the ability to repatriate funds, less complete financial information about companies and possible future adverse political and economic developments. Moreover, securities of many foreign issuers and their markets may be less liquid and their prices more volatile than securities of comparable U.S. issuers.

Forward Foreign Currency Exchange Contracts: The Fund enters into forward foreign currency exchange contracts to hedge the currency exposure associated with certain of its non-U.S. dollar denominated securities. A forward foreign currency exchange contract is a commitment between two parties to purchase or sell foreign currency at a set price on a future date. The market value of a foreign forward currency exchange contract fluctuates with changes in foreign currency exchange rates. These contracts are marked to market daily and the change in value is recorded by the Fund as unrealized appreciation and/or depreciation on foreign currency translations. Realized gains or losses equal to the difference between the value of the contract at the time it was opened and the value at the time it was

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Unaudited) (Continued)

closed are included in net realized gain or loss on foreign currency transactions. For federal income tax purposes, the Fund has made an election to treat gains and losses from forward foreign currency exchange contracts as capital gains and losses.

Forward foreign currency exchange contracts involve elements of market risk in excess of the amounts reflected on the Statement of Assets and Liabilities. The Fund bears the risk of an unfavorable change in the foreign exchange rate underlying the contract. Risks may also arise upon entering these contracts from the potential inability of the counterparties to meet the terms of their contracts. In connection with these contracts, securities may be identified as collateral in accordance with the terms of the respective contracts.

Dividends and Distributions to Shareholders: Dividends from net investment income and capital gain distributions are determined in accordance with U.S. federal income tax regulations, which may differ from GAAP. Dividends from net investment income, if any, are declared and paid quarterly. Net realized capital gains, unless offset by any available capital loss carryforward, are typically distributed to shareholders at least annually. Dividends and distributions to shareholders are recorded on the ex-dividend date and are automatically reinvested in full and fractional shares of the Fund in accordance with the Fund's Reinvestment Plan, unless the shareholder has elected to have them paid in cash. Distributions paid by the Fund are subject to recharacterization for tax purposes.

Income Taxes: It is the policy of the Fund to continue to qualify as a regulated investment company, if such qualification is in the best interest of the shareholders, by complying with the requirements of Subchapter M of the Internal Revenue Code applicable to regulated investment companies, and by distributing substantially all of its taxable earnings to its shareholders. Accordingly, no provision for federal income or excise tax is necessary. Dividend and interest income from holdings in non-U.S. securities is recorded net of non-U.S. taxes paid. Management has analyzed the Fund's tax positions taken on federal income tax returns as well as its tax positions in non-U.S. jurisdictions in which it trades for all open tax years and has concluded that as of June 30, 2014, no additional provisions for income tax are required in the Fund's financial statements. The Fund's tax positions for the tax years for which the applicable statutes of limitations have not expired are subject to examination by the Internal Revenue Service, state departments of revenue and by foreign tax authorities.

Note 2. Investment Management Fees, Administration Fees and Other Transactions with Affiliates

Investment Management Fees: The investment manager serves as the Fund's investment manager pursuant to an investment management agreement (the investment management agreement). Under the terms of the investment management agreement, the investment manager provides the Fund with day-to-day investment decisions and generally manages the Fund's investments in accordance with the stated policies of the Fund, subject to the supervision of the Board of Directors.

For the services provided to the Fund, the investment manager receives a fee, accrued daily and paid monthly, at the annual rate of 0.65% of the average daily managed assets of the Fund. Managed assets are equal to the net assets of the common shares plus the amount of any borrowings, used for leverage, outstanding.

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Administration Fees: The Fund has entered into an administration agreement with the investment manager under which the investment manager performs certain administrative functions for the Fund and receives a fee, accrued daily and paid monthly, at the annual rate of 0.06% of the average daily managed assets of the Fund in excess of \$1 billion and up to \$1 billion and 0.02% of the average daily managed assets of the Fund in excess of \$1.5 billion. For the six months ended June 30, 2014, the Fund incurred \$353,972 in fees under this administration agreement. Additionally, the Fund pays State Street Bank and Trust Company as co-administrator under a fund accounting and administration agreement.

Directors' and Officers' Fees: Certain directors and officers of the Fund are also directors, officers and/or employees of the investment manager. The Fund does not pay compensation to directors and officers affiliated with the investment manager except for the Chief Compliance Officer, who received compensation from the investment manager, which was reimbursed by the Fund, in the amount of \$7,325 for the six months ended June 30, 2014.

Note 3. Purchases and Sales of Securities

Purchases and sales of securities, excluding short-term investments, for the six months ended June 30, 2014, totaled \$346,734,659 and \$341,346,390, respectively.

Transactions in written options during the six months ended June 30, 2014, were as follows:

	Number	
	of Contracts	Premiums
Options outstanding at December 31,		
2013	2,832	\$ 57,682
Options expired	(2,832)	(57,682)
Options outstanding at June 30, 2014		\$

Note 4. Derivative Investments

a master netting arrangement or another similar agreement.

The following tables present the value of derivatives held at June 30, 2014 and the effect of derivatives held during the six months ended June 30, 2014, along with the respective location in the financial statements.

Statement of Asse	ets and Liabilities				
		Assets		Li	iabilities
Derivatives	Location	F	air Value	Location	Fair Value
Forward					
foreign					
currency					
exchange	Unrealized			Unrealized	
contracts ^a	appreciation	\$	19,251	depreciation	\$ 527,197
a Forward foreign	currency exchang	ge contracts	executed	with Brown Brothers Har	riman are not subject to

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Unaudited) (Continued)

Statement of Oper	rations		
		Realized	Change in Unrealized Appreciation
Derivatives Forward foreign currency	Location	Gain (Loss)	(Depreciation)
exchange	Net Realized and Unrealized		
contracts	Gain (Loss)	\$ (297,588)	\$ (280,781)
Option	Net Realized and Unrealized		
contracts	Gain (Loss)	\$ 57,682	\$ 29,657

The following summarizes the volume of the Fund's forward foreign currency exchange contracts activity during the six months ended June 30, 2014:

	Forward Foreign Currency Exchange		
	Contracts		
Average Notional Amount	\$ 27,365,203		
Ending Notional Amount	39,490,113		
Note 5 Income Tax Information			

As of June 30, 2014, the federal tax cost and net unrealized appreciation and depreciation in value of securities held were as follows:

Cost for federal income tax purposes	\$1,058,762,802
Gross unrealized appreciation	\$ 275,995,978
Gross unrealized depreciation	(4,524,344)
Net unrealized appreciation	\$ 271,471,634

As of December 31, 2013, the Fund had a net capital loss carryforward of \$164,486,678, which may be used to offset future capital gains. These losses are comprised of short-term capital loss carryovers, of which \$33,525,762 will expire on December 31, 2016 and \$130,960,916 will expire on December 31, 2017. In addition, the Fund incurred short-term capital losses of \$4,231,066, that it has elected to treat as arising in the following fiscal year.

Note 6. Capital Stock

The Fund is authorized to issue 100 million shares of common stock at a par value of \$0.001 per share.

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During the six months ended June 30, 2014 and the year ended December 31, 2013, the Fund did not issue any shares of common stock for the reinvestment of dividends.

On December 10, 2013, the Board of Directors approved the continuation of the delegation of its authority to management to effect repurchases, pursuant to management's discretion and subject to market conditions and investment considerations, of up to 10% of the Fund's common shares outstanding (Share Repurchase Program) from January 1, 2014 through the fiscal year ended December 31, 2014.

During the six months ended June 30, 2014, the Fund did not effect any repurchases. During the year ended December 31, 2013, the Fund repurchased 305,767 Treasury shares of its common stock at an average price of \$15.93 per share (including brokerage commissions) at a weighted average discount of 12.8%. These repurchases, which had a total cost of \$4,871,290, resulted in an increase of \$0.01 to the Fund's net asset value per share.

Note 7. Borrowings

The Fund has entered into an amended and restated credit agreement (the credit agreement) with BNP Paribas Prime Brokerage International, Ltd. (BNPP) in which the Fund began paying a monthly financing charge based on a combination of LIBOR-based variable and fixed rates. The commitment amount of the credit agreement is \$350,000,000. The Fund also pays a fee of 0.55% per annum on the unused portion of the credit agreement. BNPP may not change certain terms of the credit agreement except upon 360 days' notice; however, if the Fund exceeds certain net asset value triggers. BNPP may make such changes upon 60 days' notice to the Fund. Also, if the Fund violates certain other conditions, the credit agreement may be terminated. The Fund is required to pledge portfolio securities as collateral in an amount up to two times the loan balance outstanding (or more depending on the terms of the credit agreement) and has granted a security interest in the securities pledged to, and in favor of, BNPP as security for the loan balance outstanding. If the Fund fails to meet certain requirements, or maintain other financial covenants required under the credit agreement, the Fund may be required to repay immediately, in part or in full, the loan balance outstanding under the credit agreement, necessitating the sale of portfolio securities at potentially inopportune times. The credit agreement also permits, subject to certain conditions, BNPP to rehypothecate portfolio securities pledged by the Fund up to the amount of the loan balance outstanding. The Fund continues to receive dividends and interest on rehypothecated securities. The Fund also has the right under the credit agreement to recall the rehypothecated securities from BNPP on demand. If BNPP fails to deliver the recalled security in a timely manner, the Fund will be compensated by BNPP for any fees or losses related to the failed delivery or, in the event a recalled security will not be returned by BNPP, the Fund, upon notice to BNPP, may reduce the loan balance outstanding by the amount of the recalled security failed to be returned. The Fund will receive a portion of the fees earned by BNPP in connection with the rehypothecation of portfolio securities.

As of June 30, 2014, the Fund had outstanding borrowings of \$350,000,000. During the six months ended June 30, 2014, the Fund borrowed an average daily balance of \$350,000,000 at a weighted average borrowing cost of 1.9%. As of June 30, 2014, the aggregate value of rehypothecated securities,

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which are reflected as part of investments in securities on the Statement of Assets and Liabilities, was \$317,797,229. The value of the outstanding borrowings under the credit agreement exceeded the value of the rehypothecated securities at June 30, 2014. During the six months ended June 30, 2014, the Fund earned \$38,876 in fees from rehypothecated securities.

Note 8. Other

In the normal course of business, the Fund enters into contracts that provide general indemnifications. The Fund's maximum exposure under these arrangements is dependent on claims that may be made against the Fund in the future and, therefore, cannot be estimated; however, based on experience, the risk of material loss from such claims is considered remote.

Note 9. Subsequent Events

Management has evaluated events and transactions occurring after June 30, 2014 through the date that the financial statements were issued, and has determined that no additional disclosure in the financial statements is required.

PROXY RESULTS (Unaudited)

Cohen & Steers REIT and Preferred Income Fund, Inc. shareholders voted on the following proposals at the annual meeting held on April 24, 2014. The description of each proposal and number of shares voted are as follows:

Common Shares

	Shares Voted For	Authority Withheld				
To elect Directors:						
Bonnie Cohen	39,223,216.148	1,141,813.573				
Michael Clark	39,454,816.402	910,213.319				
Richard E. Kroon	39,393,127.237	971,902.484				
20						
38						

AVERAGE ANNUAL TOTAL RETURNS

(Periods ended June 30, 2014) (Unaudited)

Based on Net Asset Value				Based on Market Value					
				Since				Since	
				Inception				Inception	
	One Year	Five Years	Ten Years	(6/27/03)	One Year	Five Years	Ten Years	(6/27/03)	
	18.92%	29.68%	8.96%	9.76%	12.29%	29.05%	8.84%	7.97%	

The performance data quoted represent past performance. Past performance is no guarantee of future results. The investment return will vary and the principal value of an investment will fluctuate and shares, if sold, may be worth more or less than their original cost. Current performance may be lower or higher than the performance data quoted. Performance results reflect the effect of leverage from utilization of borrowings under a credit agreement and/or from the issuance of preferred shares. Current total returns of the Fund can be obtained by visiting our website at cohenandsteers.com. The Fund's returns assume the reinvestment of all dividends and distributions at prices obtained under the Fund's dividend reinvestment plan.

REINVESTMENT PLAN

We urge shareholders who want to take advantage of this plan and whose shares are held in 'Street Name' to consult your broker as soon as possible to determine if you must change registration into your own name to participate.

OTHER INFORMATION

A description of the policies and procedures that the Fund uses to determine how to vote proxies relating to portfolio securities is available (i) without charge, upon request, by calling 800-330-7348, (ii) on our website at cohenandsteers.com or (iii) on the Securities and Exchange Commission's (the SEC) website at http://www.sec.gov. In addition, the Fund's proxy voting record for the most recent 12-month period ended June 30 is available by August 31 of each year (i) without charge, upon request, by calling 800-330-7348 or (ii) on the SEC's website at http://www.sec.gov.

The Fund files its complete schedule of portfolio holdings with the SEC for the first and third quarters of each fiscal year on Form N-Q. The Fund's Forms N-Q are available (i) without charge, upon request, by calling 800-330-7348 or (ii) on the SEC's website at http://www.sec.gov. In addition, the Forms N-Q may be reviewed and copied at the SEC's Public Reference Room in Washington, DC. Information on the operation of the Public Reference Room may be obtained by calling 800-SEC-0330.

Please note that distributions paid by the Fund to shareholders are subject to recharacterization for tax purposes and are taxable up to the amount of the Fund's investment company taxable income and net realized gains. Distributions in excess of the Fund's net investment company taxable income and realized gains are a return of capital distributed from the Fund's assets. To the extent this occurs, the Fund's shareholders of record will be notified of the estimated amount of capital returned to shareholders for each such distribution and this information will also be available at cohenandsteers.com. The final tax treatment of all distributions is reported to shareholders on their 1099-DIV forms, which are mailed after the close of each calendar year. Distributions of capital decrease the Fund's total assets and, therefore, could have the effect of increasing the Fund's expense ratio. In addition, in order to make these distributions, the Fund

Edgar Filing: COHEN & STEERS REIT & PREFERRED INCOME FUND INC - Form N-CSRS may have to sell portfolio securities at a less than opportune time.

Notice is hereby given in accordance with Rule 23c-1 under the 1940 Act that the Fund may purchase, from time to time, shares of its common stock in the open market.

Changes to the Board of Directors

Effective June 30, 2014, Martin Cohen ceased being a Director and officer of the Fund. The Board of Directors has elected Joseph M. Harvey as a Director of the Fund to serve out Mr. Cohen's remaining term, which expires at the 2016 Annual Meeting of Stockholders and when his successor is elected and qualifies.

APPROVAL OF INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT AGREEMENT

The Board of Directors of the Fund, including a majority of the directors who are not parties to the Fund's investment management agreement (the Management Agreement), or interested persons of any such party (Independent Directors), has the responsibility under the 1940 Act to approve the Fund's Management Agreement for its initial two year term and its continuation annually thereafter at a meeting of the Board of Directors called for the purpose of voting on the approval or continuation. At a telephonic meeting of the Board of Directors held on June 11, 2014 and at a meeting held in person on June 17, 2014, the Management Agreement was discussed and was unanimously continued for a term ending June 30, 2015 by the Fund's Board of Directors, including the Independent Directors. The Independent Directors were represented by independent counsel who assisted them in their deliberations during the meeting and executive session.

In considering whether to continue the Management Agreement, the Board of Directors reviewed materials provided by the Fund's investment manager (the Investment Manager) and Fund counsel which included, among other things, fee, expense and performance information compared to peer funds (Peer Funds) and performance comparisons to a larger category universe, prepared by an independent data provider; summary information prepared by the Investment Manager; and a memorandum outlining the legal duties of the Board of Directors. The Board of Directors also spoke directly with representatives of the independent data provider and met with investment management personnel. In addition, the Board of Directors considered information provided from time to time by the Investment Manager throughout the year at meetings of the Board of Directors, including presentations by portfolio managers relating to the investment performance of the Fund and the investment strategies used in pursuing the Fund's objective. In particular, the Board of Directors considered the following:

(i) The nature, extent and quality of services to be provided by the Investment Manager: The Board of Directors reviewed the services that the Investment Manager provides to the Fund, including, but not limited to, making the day-to-day investment decisions for the Fund, and generally managing the Fund's investments in accordance with the stated policies of the Fund. The Board of Directors also discussed with officers and portfolio managers of the Fund the types of transactions that were being done on behalf of the Fund. Additionally, the Board of Directors took into account the services provided by the Investment Manager to its other funds, including those that have investment objectives and strategies similar to the Fund. The Board of Directors next considered the education, background and experience of the Investment Manager's personnel, noting particularly that the favorable history and reputation of the portfolio managers for the Fund has had, and would likely continue to have, a favorable impact on the Fund. The Board of Directors further noted the Investment Manager's ability to attract qualified and

experienced personnel. The Board of Directors also considered the administrative services provided by the Investment Manager, including compliance and accounting services. After consideration of the above factors, among others, the Board of Directors concluded that the nature, extent and quality of services provided by the Investment Manager are adequate and appropriate.

(ii) Investment performance of the Fund and the Investment Manager: The Board of Directors considered the investment performance of the Fund compared to Peer Funds and compared to a relevant blended benchmark. The Board of Directors noted that the Fund's dual focus on REITs and preferred securities is uncommon and as a result, the Peer Funds generally consisted of real-estate only or preferred-only funds, making it difficult to make quantitative comparisons of the Fund's performance with that of the Peer Funds. The Board of Directors noted that the Fund outperformed the Peer Funds' median for the one-, three-, five- and ten-year periods ended March 31, 2014, ranking in the first, first and second quintiles, respectively. The Board of Directors noted that the Fund outperformed its blended benchmark for the one-, three-, five- and ten-year periods ended March 31, 2014. The Board of Directors engaged in discussions with the Investment Manager regarding the contributors to and detractors from the Fund's performance during the periods, as well as the impact of leverage on the Fund's performance. The Board of Directors also considered supplemental information provided by the Investment Manager, including a narrative summary of various factors affecting performance and the Investment Manager's performance in managing other funds investing in real estate and preferred securities. The Board of Directors then determined that Fund performance, in light of all the considerations noted above, was satisfactory.

(iii) Cost of the services to be provided and profits to be realized by the Investment Manager from the relationship with the Fund: Next, the Board of Directors considered the advisory fees and administrative fees payable by the Fund, as well as total expense ratios. As part of its analysis, the Board of Directors gave consideration to the fee and expense analyses provided by the independent data provider. The Board of Directors considered that the Fund's actual management fees at managed and common asset levels and contractual management fee at managed asset levels were lower than the Peer Funds' median, ranking in the first, second, and first quintiles, respectively. The Board of Directors noted that the Fund's total expense ratios including investment-related expenses at managed and common asset levels were higher than the Peer Funds' medians, ranking in the fifth quintile for each. The Board of Directors also noted that the Fund's total expense ratios excluding investment-related expenses were lower than the median of the Peer Funds at managed and common asset levels, ranking in the first and second quintiles, respectively. The Board of Directors then considered the administrative services provided by the Investment Manager, including compliance and accounting services, and further noted that the Fund pays an administration fee to the Investment Manager. The Board of Directors concluded that the Fund's current expense structure was satisfactory.

The Board of Directors also reviewed information regarding the profitability to the Investment Manager of its relationship with the Fund. The Board of Directors considered the level of the Investment Manager's profits and whether the profits were reasonable for the Investment Manager. The Board of Directors took into consideration other benefits to be derived by the Investment Manager in connection with the Management Agreement, noting particularly the research and related services, within the meaning of Section 28(e) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, that the Investment Manager receives by allocating the Fund's brokerage transactions. The Board of Directors also

considered the fees received by the Investment Manager under the administration agreement, and noted the significant services received, such as compliance, accounting and operational services and furnishing office space and facilities for the Fund, and providing persons satisfactory to the Board of Directors to serve as officers of the Fund, and that these services were beneficial to the Fund. The Board of Directors concluded that the profits realized by the Investment Manager from its relationship with the Fund were reasonable and consistent with the Investment Manager's fiduciary duties.

- (iv) The extent to which economies of scale would be realized as the Fund grows and whether fee levels would reflect such economies of scale: The Board of Directors noted 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 of Directors determined that, given the Fund's closed-end structure, there were no significant economies of scale that were not being shared with shareholders.
- (v) Comparison of services to be rendered and fees to be paid to those under other investment management contracts, such as contracts of the same and other investment advisers or other clients: As discussed above in (iii), the Board of Directors compared the fees paid under the Management Agreement to those under other investment management contracts of other investment advisers managing Peer Funds. The Board of Directors also compared the services rendered, fees paid and profitability under the Management Agreement to those under the Investment Manager's other fund management agreements and advisory contracts with institutional and other clients with similar investment mandates. The Board of Directors also considered the entrepreneurial risk and financial exposure assumed by the Investment Manager in developing and managing the Fund that the Investment Manager does not have with institutional and other clients and other differences in the management of registered investment companies and institutional accounts. The Board of Directors determined that on a comparative basis the fees under the Management Agreement were reasonable in relation to the services provided.

No single factor was cited as determinative to the decision of the Board of Directors. Rather, after weighing all of the considerations and conclusions discussed above, the Board of Directors, including the Independent Directors, unanimously approved the continuation of the Management Agreement.

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Why?	Financial companies choose how they share your personal information.
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For our affiliates' everyday business purposes information about your creditworthiness	No	We don't share
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Cohen & Steers Investment Solutions

COHEN & STEERS GLOBAL REALTY SHARES

- Designed for investors seeking total return, investing primarily in global real estate equity securities
- Symbols: CSFAX, CSFBX*, CSFCX, CSSPX

COHEN & STEERS INSTITUTIONAL REALTY SHARES

- Designed for institutional investors seeking total return, investing primarily in REITs
- Symbol: CSRIX

COHEN & STEERS REAL ESTATE SECURITIES FUND (FORMERLY KNOWN AS "COHEN & STEERS REALTY INCOME FUND")

- Designed for investors seeking total return, investing primarily in real estate securities with an emphasis on both income and capital appreciation
 - Symbols: CSEIX, CSBIX*, CSCIX, CSDIX

COHEN & STEERS INTERNATIONAL REALTY FUND

- Designed for investors seeking total return, investing primarily in international real estate securities
- Symbols: IRFAX, IRFCX, IRFIX

COHEN & STEERS REALTY SHARES

- Designed for investors seeking total return, investing primarily in REITs
- Symbol: CSRSX

COHEN & STEERS INSTITUTIONAL GLOBAL REALTY SHARES

- Designed for institutional investors seeking total return, investing primarily in global real estate securities
- Symbol: GRSIX

COHEN & STEERS GLOBAL INFRASTRUCTURE FUND

- Designed for investors seeking total return, investing primarily in global infrastructure securities
- Symbols: CSUAX, CSUBX*, CSUCX, CSUIX

COHEN & STEERS DIVIDEND VALUE FUND

- Designed for investors seeking long-term growth of income and capital appreciation, investing primarily in dividend paying common stocks and preferred stocks
 - Symbols: DVFAX, DVFCX, DVFIX

COHEN & STEERS PREFERRED SECURITIES AND INCOME FUND

- Designed for investors seeking total return (high current income and capital appreciation), investing primarily in preferred and debt securities
 - Symbols: CPXAX, CPXCX, CPXIX

COHEN & STEERS REAL ASSETS FUND

- Designed for investors seeking total return and the maximization of real returns during inflationary environments by investing primarily in real assets
 - Symbols: RAPAX, RAPCX, RAPIX, RAPRX, RAPZX

COHEN & STEERS MLP & ENERGY OPPORTUNITY FUND

- Designed for investors seeking total return, investing primarily in midstream energy master limited partnership (MLP) units and related stocks
 - Symbols: MLOAX, MLOCX, MLOIX, MLOZX

COHEN & STEERS ACTIVE COMMODITIES STRATEGY FUND

- Designed for investors seeking total return, investing primarily in a diversified portfolio of exchange-traded commodity future contracts and other commodity-related derivative instruments
 - Symbols: CDFAX, CDFCX, CDFIX, CDFZX

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COHEN & STEERS GLOBAL REALTY MAJORS ETF

- Designed for investors who seek a relatively low-cost "passive" approach for investing in a portfolio of real estate equity securities of companies in a specified index
 - · Symbol: GRI

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- Designed for investors who seek a relatively low-cost "passive" approach for investing in a portfolio of real estate equity securities of companies in a specified index
 - · Symbol: ICF

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Item 2. Code of Ethics.
Not applicable.
Item 3. Audit Committee Financial Expert.
Not applicable.
Item 4. Principal Accountant Fees and Services.
Not applicable.
Item 5. Audit Committee of Listed Registrants.
Not applicable.
Item 6. Schedule of Investments.
Included in Item 1 above.
Item 7. Disclosure of Proxy Voting Policies and Procedures for Closed-End Management Investment Companies.
Not applicable.
Item 8. Portfolio Managers of Closed-End Management Investment Companies.

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Not applicable.
Item 9. Purchases of Equity Securities by Closed-End Management Investment Company and Affiliated Purchasers.
None.
Item 10. Submission of Matters to a Vote of Security Holders.
None.
Item 11. Controls and Procedures.
(a) The registrant s principal executive officer and principal financial officer have concluded, based upon their evaluation of the registrant s disclosure controls and procedures as conducted within 90 days of the filing date of this report, that these disclosure controls and procedures provide reasonable assurance that material information required to be disclosed by the registrant in the report it files or submits on Form N-CSR
is recorded, processed, summarized and reported within the time periods specified in the Securities and Exchange Commission s rules and form

and that such material information is accumulated and communicated to the registrant s management, including its principal executive officer and principal financial officer, as appropriate, in order to allow timely decisions regarding required disclosure.
(b) There were no changes in the registrant s internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the second fiscal quarter of the period covered by this report that have materially affected, or are reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant s internal control over financial reporting.
Item 12. Exhibits.
(a)(1) Not applicable.
(a)(2) Certifications of principal executive officer and principal financial officer as required by Rule 30a-2(a) under the Investment Company Act of 1940.
(a)(3) Not applicable.
(b) Certifications of chief executive officer and chief financial officer as required by Rule 30a- 2(b) under the Investment Company Act of 1940.

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.

COHEN & STEERS REIT AND PREFERRED INCOME FUND, INC.

By: /s/ Adam M. Derechin

Name: Adam M. Derechin

Title: President and Chief Executive Officer

Date: September 5, 2014

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/ Adam M. Derechin

Name: Adam M. Derechin

Title: President and Chief Executive Officer

(Principal Executive Officer)

By: /s/ James Giallanza

Name: James Giallanza

Title: Treasurer and Chief Financial Officer

(Principal Financial Officer)

Date: September 5, 2014