# **Economic Investment Trust Limited**



FIRST QUARTER REPORT MARCH 31, 2016

Economic Investment Trust Limited

# THE PERIOD AT A GLANCE (Unaudited)

	As	at March 31 2016 <sup>(1)</sup>	As at Dec. 31 2015 (1)		
Net equity value per Common Share (2)	\$	126.90	\$	132.62	
Net assets	\$	712,615	\$	744,706	
Number of Common Shares outstanding at period end		5,615,535		5,615,535	

	Three months ended March 31						
	2		2015 (1)				
Net investment income per Common Share (2)	\$	0.50	\$	0.42			
Dividends per Common Share Quarterly Additional <sup>(3)</sup>	\$ \$	0.15 0.85	\$ \$	0.15 0.76			
Net income (loss) per Common Share	\$	(4.71)	\$	4.46			
Net investment income	\$	2,830	\$	2,364			

<sup>(1)</sup> In thousands of Canadian dollars, except number of Common Shares outstanding and per share amounts. <sup>(2)</sup> See Management's Discussion and Analysis for Use of Non-GAAP Measures.

<sup>(3)</sup> This additional dividend represents the distribution of the prior year's net investment income, after payment of quarterly dividends.

The financial statements have been prepared under International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS").

### NOTICE OF NO AUDITOR REVIEW OF INTERIM FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The Company's external auditors, PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP, have not performed a review of these interim financial statements of Economic Investment Trust Limited.

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The following Management's Discussion and Analysis ("MD&A") of the unaudited interim condensed financial performance and financial condition of Economic Investment Trust Limited ("Economic" or the "Company") for the first quarter of 2016 should be read in conjunction with: the December 31, 2015 Annual Report, including the MD&A, the Company's audited annual financial statements and the notes and supplementary financial information; and the unaudited interim condensed financial statements have been prepared in compliance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS"), which are generally accepted accounting principles ("GAAP") as set out in the Handbook of the Chartered Professional Accountants of Canada. The reporting currency for the Company is the Canadian dollar, and all amounts in the following discussion are in Canadian dollars.

This MD&A may contain certain forward-looking statements that are subject to risks and uncertainties that may cause the results or events mentioned in this discussion to differ materially from actual results or events. No assurance can be given that results, performance or achievement expressed in, or implied by, any forward-looking statements within this discussion will occur, or if they do, that any benefits may be derived from them.

#### Overview

Economic is a closed-end investment corporation, the shares of which trade on the Toronto Stock Exchange under the symbol "EVT". Economic is an investment vehicle for long-term growth through investments in common equities, as management believes that over long periods of time, common equities, as an asset class, will outperform fixed-income instruments or balanced funds. From time to time, however, assets of the Company may be invested in interest-bearing short-term securities pending the selection of suitable equity investments.

The Company has been a closed-end investment corporation since 1927 and has never bought back its Common Shares. The Common Shares have historically traded at a discount to their net asset value, generally ranging from a 45% discount to a 20% discount. Management believes that shareholders who have invested in the Common Shares of the Company recognize that the Common Shares of the Company usually trade at a discount to their net asset value.

Closed-end investment corporations have the following benefits: they often allow investors the opportunity to purchase assets at a discounted price; they have management expense ratios which are generally much lower than those for open-ended funds; and the management of a closed-end investment corporation's portfolio is not impacted by shareholder subscription or redemption activities.

Economic has no plans to become an open-ended investment fund.

The Company owns, directly and indirectly, long-term investments in the common shares of some publicly-traded Canadian companies, and a managed global investment portfolio of common shares of publicly-traded global companies.

The long-term investments consist primarily of common shares of E-L Financial Corporation Limited ("E-L Financial"), Algoma Central Corporation ("Algoma"), a public shipping company, and The Bank of Nova Scotia. At March 31, 2016, the three largest long-term investments, as a percentage of total equity investments, are common shares of E-L Financial at 40.1% (December 31, 2015 – 41.2%), Algoma at 4.8% (December 31, 2015 – 5.3%) and The Bank of Nova Scotia at 6.2% (December 31, 2015 – 5.3%). E-L Financial, Algoma and the Company are related parties. In management's view, these investments are consistent with the Company's investment strategy and contribute to achieving the investment objective. Further related party information is provided in Note 12 to the financial statements in the 2015 Annual Report and in the schedule of investment portfolio in this interim report beginning on page 14.

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E-L Financial operates as an investment and insurance holding company with two operating segments E-L Corporate and The Empire Life Insurance Company ("Empire Life"). E-L Corporate's operations include the oversight of investments in global equities held through direct and indirect holdings of common shares, investment funds, closed-end investment companies and private companies. E-L Financial has a 51.6% (December 31, 2015–51.5%) interest in a closed-end fund, United Corporations Limited ("United"), which is an investment vehicle for long-term growth through investments in common equities. In addition, E-L Corporate has a 36.3% interest in Algoma and a 24.0% interest in Economic. E-L Financial also owns 99.2% of Empire Life which underwrites life and health insurance policies and provides segregated funds, mutual funds and annuity products in Canada. Each of E-L Financial, Empire Life, United and Algoma are related parties and are reporting issuers which trade on the Toronto Stock Exchange and have profiles on SEDAR.

The balance of the investment portfolio is managed by Burgundy Asset Management Ltd. ("Burgundy"), a global equity manager based in Toronto. Burgundy manages the portfolio using a long-term bottom-up investment philosophy, which is to purchase good companies with strong economics and management, whose shares are selling below Burgundy's estimate of intrinsic value. The portfolio, of approximately 40-60 publicly traded companies, invests primarily in mid to large capitalization companies which are publicly traded. At March 31, 2016, 97.9% (December 31, 2015 – 99.3%) of the global investment portfolio was made up of non-Canadian companies.

At March 31, 2016, approximately 52.2% (December 31, 2015 - 52.8%) of the investment portfolio was held in long-term investments and 47.8% (December 31, 2015 - 47.2%) was managed by Burgundy. Over time these percentages will vary based on the market value of the two portfolios and as a result of any purchases or sales of long-term investments.

### **Investment Strategy**

The objective of the Company is to earn an above-average rate of return, primarily through long-term capital appreciation and dividend income. Short-term volatility is expected and tolerated. Management remains confident that the Company's investment strategy will reward shareholders over the long term.

The investment portfolio of the Company comprises a mix of Canadian and foreign investments. Net equity value and net investment income may vary significantly from period to period depending on the economic environment and market conditions.

### **Use of Non-GAAP Measures**

This MD&A contains references to "net equity value per Common Share" and "net investment income per Common Share". These terms do not have any standardized meanings in GAAP and therefore may not be comparable to similar measures presented by other companies. Current Canadian GAAP is IFRS for these financial statements. The Company believes that these measures provide information useful to our shareholders in evaluating the Company's financial results.

Net equity value per Common Share is used by investors and management as a comparison to the market price of its Common Shares to determine the discount or premium at which the Company's Common Shares are trading relative to the net equity value per Common Share.

Net investment income per Common Share is used by both investors and management to assess the approximate amount of dividends to be distributed on Common Shares.

Net equity value per Common Share is calculated as follows (in thousands of dollars, except number of Common Shares and per Common Share amounts):

	March 31 2016	December 31 2015
Net assets	\$ 712,615	\$ 744,706
Common Shares outstanding	5,615,535	5,615,535
Net equity value per Common Share	\$ 126.90	\$ 132.62

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Net investment income per Common Share is calculated as follows (in thousands of dollars, except number of Common Shares and per Common Share amounts):

Three months ended March 31					
2015					
25,050					
(26,151)					
3,465					
2,364					
5,615,535					
0.42					

<sup>1</sup> On an after-tax basis.

#### Net Equity Value per Common Share

The Company's net equity value per Common Share decreased to \$126.90 at March 31, 2016 from \$132.62 at December 31, 2015.

With dividends reinvested at month-end net equity values, the Company's net equity value return was negative 3.6% in 2016, compared to a positive return of 3.6% during 2015. The negative net equity return in 2016 was primarily attributable to changing currency exchange rates. A strengthening Canadian dollar reduced the Canadian dollar return for the global investment portfolio.

The global investment portfolio had a pre-tax return, gross of fees, of negative 4.0% in the first quarter of 2016 versus a comparative return of positive 13.3% in 2015.

On a pre-tax basis, the shares of E-L Financial had a negative return of 4.9% during the first quarter of 2016 compared to a negative return of 4.1% for the same period in 2015, the shares of Algoma had a negative return of 11.1% and a positive return of 2.3% in 2015, and the shares of the Bank of Nova Scotia had a positive return of 14.7% compared to a negative return of 3.2% in 2015.

As the Company is a taxable Canadian corporation, the Company's net equity value is net of a provision for income taxes on investment income and realized gains (losses) on investments, and net of a deferred income tax provision on its change in unrealized appreciation of investments.

In Canadian dollar terms, total returns (capital gains plus dividends), for Economic's net equity value and stock market indices, were as follows:

	Three months ended March 31
	(%)
Economic net equity value	(3.6)
S&P/TSX Composite Index	4.5
MSCI All Country World Index	(6.1)
S&P 500 Index	(5.0)

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### Growth in Net Equity Value ("NAV")

For the 10 years ended December 31, 2015 the Company's compound annual growth rate in NAV, including dividends, was 4.3%.

Set out below is a table that shows annual growth in NAV in each of the past 10 years:

#### Annual growth in NAV\*

	NAV per Common Share	Annual Growth %
2006	\$ 123.03	24.3
2007	113.22	(6.9)
2008	73.50	(34.7)
2009	86.24	18.2
2010	91.65	7.0
2011	74.81	(17.8)
2012	83.98	13.9
2013	123.60	48.8
2014	122.43	4.5
2015	132.62	9.5

#### Compound annual growth\*

2006 - 2015 - 10 years

4.3

\*This chart was drawn from the individual annual reports and any NAV amounts prior to 2014 have not been restated for any subsequent changes in accounting policies.

#### **Operating Results**

### Net income

The Company incurred a net loss of \$26,475,000 in the first quarter of 2016 compared to net income of \$25,050,000 in the first quarter of 2015. On a per Common Share basis, the net loss for the quarter was \$4.71 compared to net income of \$4.46 in 2015.

The fair value change in investments for the quarter was a loss of \$33,684,000 in 2016 compared to a gain of \$26,151,000 for 2015.

The global investment portfolio had a fair value loss of \$17,710,000 in the first quarter of 2016 compared to a fair value gain of \$39,986,000 in 2015. The 2016 loss for the global investment portfolio included investment losses from North America of \$10,109,000, Europe \$4,814,000, Asia \$1,249,000 and United Kingdom \$1,156,000. The weakest performers in the portfolio were Novartis AG, BB&T Corporation and AmerisourceBergen Corporation.

The fair value change for long-term investments was a loss of \$15,974,000 in the first quarter of 2016 compared to a loss of \$13,835,000 during the same period in 2015. The Company's long-term investment loss was comprised primarily of losses in E-L Financial of \$16,233,000 and Algoma of \$4,729,000, offset by a fair value gain of \$5,475,000 in The Bank of Nova Scotia.

The Company's net realized gain, all of which relates to the global investment portfolio, was \$17,626,000 in the first quarter of 2016 compared to \$5,066,000 in 2015. The largest contributors during 2016 were realized gains for Deutsche Boerse AG of \$4,379,000, The Sage Group plc of \$3,127,000, and Cisco Systems, Inc. of \$1,597,000.

Prior to 2016, the Company was able to reduce current taxes payable on realized investment gains due to realized capital losses from prior years. As of March 31, 2016, these capital loss carryforwards were fully utilized, and current income taxes will be payable on future realized gains. During the first quarter of 2016, the Company reduced income taxes payable on realized investment gains by \$2,066,000 relating to the utilization of prior year's realized capital losses.

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#### Net investment income

The Company's net investment income in the first quarter of 2016 increased to \$2,830,000 compared to \$2,364,000 in the first quarter of 2015, an increase of 19.7%. On a per Common Share basis, net investment income for the quarter increased to \$0.50 in 2016 compared to \$0.42 in 2015.

Foreign dividend income in the first quarter of 2016 increased to \$2,659,000 from \$2,570,000 in 2015.

Canadian dividend income in the first quarter of 2016 increased to \$1,512,000 from \$1,040,000 in 2015. The increase year over year resulted primarily from an increase in dividends received from E-L Financial and The Bank of Nova Scotia. During the first quarter, E-L Financial announced an increase in its quarterly dividend on its common shares from \$0.125 per common share to \$1.25 per common share. The impact of this increase amounted to an additional \$434,000 of dividend income compared to the same period in the prior year.

The expenses of the Company increased by 14.7% during the quarter to \$892,000 from \$778,000 in 2015. The majority of the year-over-year increase relates to increased investment management fees as a result of an increase in the average market value of the global investment portfolio.

#### **Quarterly Results**

The following table summarizes various financial results on a quarterly basis for the most recent quarters (in thousands of dollars, except per share amounts):

	March 31 2016	Dec. 31 2015	Sept. 30 2015	June 30 2015	March 31 2015	Dec. 31 2014	Sept. 30 2014	June 30 2014
Net investment income <sup>1</sup>	\$ 2,830	\$ 1,602	\$ 1,775	\$ 2,388	\$ 2,364	\$ 1,302	\$ 1,772	\$ 2,340
Net income (loss)	\$ (26,475)	\$ 29,520	\$ 12,108	\$ (1,829)	\$ 25,050	\$ 18,088	\$ (1,371)	\$ 453
Earnings (loss) per Common Share	\$ (4.71)	\$ 5.26	\$ 2.15	\$ (0.32)	\$ 4.46	\$ 3.22	\$ (0.24)	\$ 0.08
NAV per Common Share	\$ 126.90	\$ 132.62	\$ 127.51	\$ 125.50	\$ 125.98	\$ 122.43	\$ 119.36	\$ 119.75
Quarterly NAV return % <sup>2</sup>	(3.6)	4.1	1.7	(0.3)	3.6	2.7	(0.2)	0.1

<sup>1</sup> On an after-tax basis.

<sup>2</sup> Economic's NAV return includes reinvestment of dividends paid to Common shareholders.

Investment income is derived primarily from dividend income that is earned by the Company. While North American investments usually pay regular quarterly dividends, investments outside of North America often pay less frequently. In general, dividends earned on investments outside of North America peak in the second quarter of the year. There is no guarantee that the Company will receive dividend income on its investments at current dividend payout levels.

Overall returns are determined by the performance of the Company's long-term investments and the performance of the global investment portfolio and may fluctuate significantly as illustrated by the past eight quarters. The returns generated within each portfolio may also not correlate with benchmark returns.

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### Share Data

At March 31, 2016, there are 5,615,535 Common Shares issued and outstanding and each share is entitled to one vote.

### Liquidity and Capital Resources

The Company's dividend policy is to distribute annual net investment income in the form of dividends. The distributions are composed of \$0.15 quarterly dividends together with an additional dividend representing the balance of net investment income for the previous fiscal year. The Company's dividend policy is established by the Board of Directors at its discretion and is subject to change.

During the quarter, quarterly dividends of \$0.15 were paid on the Common Shares. On February 11, 2016, the Board of Directors declared an additional cash dividend of \$0.85 per Common Share that was paid at the quarter end. This dividend represented a distribution of the balance of net investment income for the year ended December 31, 2015.

### **Additional Information**

Additional information relating to Economic, including the Company's Annual Information Form, is available at www.sedar.com.

Economic's website, www.evt.ca, also provides further information on the Company, including historical information on the net equity value per Common Share which is updated weekly.

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May 3, 2016

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# STATEMENTS OF NET ASSETS (Unaudited)

	I	March 31 2016	December 31 2015			
ASSETS		(00	00's)			
Cash and cash equivalents Investments (Note 4) Receivable in respect of investments sold Dividends and interest receivable Other assets	\$	8,771 764,120 13 1,255 180 774,339	\$	23,141 784,764 3,752 487 75 812,219		
LIABILITIES						
Accrued expenses Payable in respect of investments purchased Income taxes payable Deferred tax liabilities		624 — 473 60,627		621 1,410 12 65,470		
		61,724		67,513		
Net assets	\$	712,615	\$	744,706		
SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY						
Share capital Share premium Retained earnings	\$	204,691 1,474 506,450	\$	204,691 1,474 538,541		
Total shareholders' equity	\$	712,615	\$	744,706		

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# STATEMENTS OF INCOME (LOSS) (Unaudited)

	Three months ended March 31							
		2016		2015				
INCOME		(00)	0's)					
Dividends								
Foreign	\$	2,659	\$	2,570				
Canadian		1,512		1,040				
		4,171		3,610				
Interest and securities lending income		26		27				
Fair value change in investments (Note 5)		(33,684)		26,151				
		(29,487)		29,788				
EXPENSES								
Investment management and administrative costs		661		570				
Office and miscellaneous		125		120				
Directors' remuneration		49		43				
Transfer, registrar and custody fees		33		26				
Professional fees		24		19				
		892		778				
INCOME (LOSS) BEFORE INCOME TAXES		(30,379)		29,010				
Provision for (recovery of) income taxes		(3,904)		3,960				
NET INCOME (LOSS)	\$	(26,475)	\$	25,050				
EARNINGS (LOSS) PER COMMON SHARE - BASIC AND DILUTED	\$	(4.71)	\$	4.46				

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# STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN EQUITY (Unaudited)

	Share capital	Share remium	-	Retained earnings	 Total
		(00	0's)		
At January 1, 2016	\$ 204,691	\$ 1,474	\$	538,541	\$ 744,706
Net loss for the period	_	_		(26,475)	(26,475)
Dividends	 _	 _		(5,616)	 (5,616)
At March 31, 2016	\$ 204,691	\$ 1,474	\$	506,450	\$ 712,615
At January 1, 2015	\$ 204,691	\$ 1,474	\$	481,329	\$ 687,494
Net income for the period	—	_		25,050	25,050
Dividends	—	_		(5,110)	(5,110)
At March 31, 2015	\$ 204,691	\$ 1,474	\$	501,269	\$ 707,434

# STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOW (Unaudited)

	Three months ended March 31			
	_	2016	2015	
Net inflow (outflow) of cash related to the following activites:		(000's)		
Operating				
Net income (loss)	\$	(26,475) \$	25,050	
Adjustments for: Fair value change in investments Purchases of investments Proceeds from sale of investments Dividends and interest receivable Deferred taxes Net change in other assets and liabilities		33,684 (59,390) 46,350 (768) (4,843) 2,688 (8,754)	(26,151) (12,261) 17,808 (300) 3,546 2,351 10,043	
Financing		(0,101)	10,010	
Dividends paid to shareholders		(5,616)	(5,110)	
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents		(14,370)	4,933	
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of the period		23,141	8,786	
Cash and cash equivalents at end of the period	\$	8,771 \$	13,719	
Additional information for operating activities:				
Interest received Dividends received, net of withholding taxes Income taxes paid	\$	10 \$ 2,983 169	29 2,932 141	

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### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

### (Unaudited)

### 1. Description of Company and summary of operations

Economic Investment Trust Limited ("Economic" or the "Company") is a closed-end investment corporation. The head office, principal address and registered office of the Company is located at 165 University Avenue, Toronto, Ontario, M5H 3B8.

Economic trades on the Toronto Stock Exchange under the symbol EVT. Economic is an investment vehicle for long-term growth through investments in common equities, as management believes that over long periods of time, common equities, as an asset class, will outperform fixed-income instruments or balanced funds. From time to time, however, assets of the Company may be invested in interest-bearing short-term securities pending the selection of suitable equity investments.

The interim condensed financial statements are presented in Canadian dollars which is the functional and presentation currency. These interim condensed financial statements were approved by the Company's Board of Directors on May 3, 2016.

### 2. Basis of presentation

These unaudited interim condensed financial statements have been prepared in accordance with International Accounting Standard ("IAS") 34 - Interim Financial Reporting as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board and follow the same accounting policies and methods as the most recent annual financial statements. These unaudited interim condensed financial statements do not include all of the disclosures required under International Financial Reporting Standards for annual financial statements and should be read in conjunction with the notes to the Company's audited financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2015.

### 3. Critical accounting estimates and judgments

The preparation of financial statements requires management to use judgment in applying its accounting policies and to make estimates and assumptions about the future. The following discusses the most significant accounting judgments and estimates that the Company has made in preparing the financial statements:

### Classification and measurement of investments

In classifying and measuring financial instruments held by the Company, the Company is required to make significant judgments about whether or not the business of the Company is to invest on a total return basis for the purpose of applying the fair value option for financial assets. The most significant judgment made includes the determination that the Company can apply the fair value option to its investments.

### Fair value of investments in private companies

The fair value of investments in private companies is measured using the adjusted net asset method which estimates the fair value of the underlying assets and liabilities of the private companies. Refer to Note 5 in the Company's audited financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2015 for further details.

### Deferred taxes

Estimates and assumptions are used primarily in the determination of the Company's deferred tax liabilities, as the income tax rates used in determining the liability is dependent on an assumption as to when a deferred tax liability is expected to be realized.

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### 4. Financial instruments

The Company classifies fair value measurements using a fair value hierarchy that reflects the significance of the inputs used in making the measurements. The fair value hierarchy has the following levels:

- Quoted unadjusted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (Level 1);
- Inputs other than quoted prices included in Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly or indirectly (Level 2); and
- Inputs for the asset or liability that are not based on observable market data (unobservable inputs) (Level 3).

At March 31, 2016, the Company had \$648,300,000 (December 31, 2015 - \$670,142,000) of Level 1 and \$115,820,000 (December 31, 2015 - \$114,622,000) of Level 3 equity investments. During the quarter, there were no transfers between Level 1, 2 or 3 equity investments.

### 5. Fair value change in investments

The fair value change in investments is comprised as follows:

			-	
	<b>2016</b> 2015			
(000's)				
\$	17,626 (51,310)	\$	5,066 21,085	
\$	(33,684)	\$	26,151	
	\$	ended M 2016 (000 \$ 17,626 (51,310)	(000's) \$ 17,626 \$ (51,310)	

### 6. Related party information

The Company has investments in related parties (see Schedule of Investment Portfolio) with a fair value at March 31, 2016 of \$398,568,000 (December 31, 2015 - \$414,542,000) representing 52.2% (December 31, 2015 - 52.8%) of the total investments. Dividends from these companies for the three months ended March 31, 2016 amounted to \$1,492,000 (2015 - \$998,000).

E-L Financial holds a 24.0% interest in the Company. Included in investment management and administrative costs are fees for administrative services paid to E-L Financial. These fees are calculated at 0.1% per annum of the fair value of the investments managed by the external investment manager and are paid monthly. The total fees for the three months ended March 31, 2016 amounted to \$111,000 (2015 - \$100,000).

The ultimate controlling party of the Company and of these related parties is The Honourable Henry N.R. Jackman together with a trust created in 1969 by his father, Henry R. Jackman.

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### 7. Subsequent event

Common Share dividends of \$0.15 per Common Share were declared by the Board of Directors at its meeting on May 3, 2016, with a record and payable date of June 15, 2016 and June 30, 2016, respectively.

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# SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENT PORTFOLIO AS AT MARCH 31, 2016 (Unaudited)

Number of shares		Cost	Carrying value	% of Carrying value
		(000		
	North America			
2,126,380 226,100 386,206	Canada Algoma Central Corporation <sup>2</sup> Cenovus Energy Inc E-L Financial Corporation Limited <sup>2</sup>	\$ 2,974 5,174 26,116	\$   26,303 3,821 256,445	
33,101	Ecando Investments Limited Classes A, B and common <sup>2, 3, 5</sup>	4,139	51,223	
176,414 216,900	The Fulcrum Investment Company Limited <sup>2, 3</sup> NVG Holdings Limited	464	12,453	
157,300	Classes B, C, D, E and common <sup>1, 2, 3</sup> PrairieSky Royalty Ltd.	2,115 3,482	40,747 3,876	
4,837	TGV Holdings Limited Class B <sup>1, 2, 3, 4</sup>	318	11,397	
		44,782	406,265	53.2
	United States	<u>·</u>		
175,156	Allison Transmission Holdings Inc.	5,758	6,130	
98,688	AmerisourceBergen Corporation	7,507	11,079	
42,308	Apple Inc	3,855	5,981	
5,745	AutoZone, Inc	5,202	5,937	
131,809	Babcock & Wilcox Enterprises, Inc	3,212	3,659	
214,876	BB&T Corporation	7,815	9,273	
30,408	Becton, Dickinson and Company	2,911	5,988	
144,268	BWX Technologies, Inc	3,508	6,280	
183,915	Cisco Systems, Inc.	4,554	6,792	
156,520	Coca-Cola Co. (The)	8,385	9,418	
43,053	Equifax, Inc	2,486	6,382	
44,182	Gentex Corporation	830	899	
73,547	Harris Corporation	7,248	7,428	
33,599	Humana, Inc.	3,832	7,973	
79,148	Johnson & Johnson	6,297	11,108	
194,163	Leucadia National Corporation	5,381	4,072	
57,293	McDonald's Corporation	6,270	9,340	
162,269	Microsoft Corporation	6,669	11,625	
93,400	Northern Trust Corporation	5,820	7,895	
102,076	Occidental Petroleum Corporation	8,942	9,060	
127,554	Oracle Corporation	4,646	6,769	
68,896	PepsiCo, Inc	5,557	9,158	
88,614	Philip Morris International Inc.	8,434	11,277	
214,089	Sabre Corporation	7,949	8,031	
106,005	Union Pacific Corporation	9,738	10,938	
93,087	United Technologies Corporation	9,220	12,086	
124,278	Walgreen Boots Alliance Inc.	7,969	13,580	
		159,995	218,158	28.6
	Total North America	204,777	624,423	81.8

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### SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENT PORTFOLIO AS AT MARCH 31, 2016 (Unaudited)

Number of shares		(000	Carrying value	% of Carrying value
	Latin America	(000		
979,098	Quinenco S.A.,	\$ 2,906	\$ 2,342	0.3
121,834	Europe, excluding United Kingdom Colruyt S.A	6,546	9,216	
43,734	Hannover Rueckversicherung SE	2,952	6,636	
74,851	Heineken Holding N.V.	3,848	7,584	
99,118 55,223	Henkel AG & Co. KGaA Nestle S.A.	6,431	12,637	
115,659	Novartis AG	3,680 8,787	5,370 10,911	
152,092	Publicis Groupe	10,639	13,867	
22,546	Roche Holding AG	5,488	7,223	
22,010		48,371	73,444	9.6
181,900 165,492 379,266 153,307	United Kingdom British American Tobacco plc Imperial Brands plc Sage Group plc (The) Unilever plc	10,234 6,370 2,111 6,030 24,745	13,877 11,924 4,450 9,015 39,266	5.1
77,300 4,800 161,100 157,900 4,142,000	Asia Kao Corporation Keyence Corporation Komatsu Ltd Unicharm Corporation Want Want China Holdings Ltd	2,665 1,298 3,847 3,538 4,892 16,240	5,355 3,401 3,562 4,462 3,983 20,763	2.7
		10,240	20,703	۷.۱
303,800	<b>Brazil</b> Cielo S.A	3,503	3,882	0.5
	Total investments	\$ 300,542	\$ 764,120	100.0

The net assets of NVG Holdings Limited and TGV Holdings Limited are invested primarily in the shares of The Bank of Nova Scotia. 2

These companies and Economic are related parties. Not listed on a stock exchange. 3

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Investment in associate.

<sup>5</sup> The net assets of Ecando Investments Limited are invested primarily in shares of E-L Financial Corporation Limited.

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### NET EQUITY VALUE

The Company's net equity value per Common Share is published weekly on the Globe and Mail's website (www.globefund.com) and on the Company's website.

### REPORTING PROCEDURE FOR ACCOUNTING AND AUDITING MATTERS

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