FORT DEARBORN INCOME SECURITIES INC

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DEAR SHAREHOLDER:

This financial report covers the fiscal year ended September 30, 2002, which is our thirtieth fiscal year of operations.

Against the backdrop of September 11, conflicting signs of economic health provided the fodder for high levels of interest rate volatility throughout the year. Over the first six months of the fiscal year, the benchmark ten-year Treasury bond yield increased 82 basis points followed by a precipitous drop of 182 basis points by year-end. With a loose monetary policy in place, early 2002 economic data suggested the economy had grown at a rate much higher than the market expected, setting a higher interest rate trend in motion. However, the consensus economic forecast soon shifted toward our view that real economic growth would trend between 2.0% and 3.0%.

As 2002 progressed, the market began to question if consumer spending could continue to keep the real economy on track as unemployment figures rose and consumer confidence indicators fell. Corporate spending continued to decline as entire industries were forced to work off excess financial and operating leverage. In an effort to preserve cash flow, many large U.S. corporations were required to combat declining revenue through reduced head count and capital expenditures. Some companies also needed to address serious flaws in corporate governance, as investor confidence began to wane. Given this environment combined with the recent threat of war against Iraq, markets reacted with risk aversion driving asset prices through equilibrium. As a result, interest rates fell to unsustainable levels.

We currently believe interest rates, across the entire yield curve, are below fair value and have positioned the portfolio accordingly. Our strategy towards spread sectors continues to favor high credit quality bonds issued in the commercial mortgage backed and asset backed sectors in lieu of corporate bonds with similar credit quality. As general corporate bond spreads increased to accommodate the added credit and liquidity risk in the market, we continue to look for attractive lending opportunities to corporations with stable or improving credit fundamentals. We anticipate our total exposure to investment-grade corporate bonds will increase during the next fiscal year. The defensive posture in terms of duration and credit strategy is expected to continue generating strong relative returns while preserving capital in this period of excessive volatility.

Net investment income for the year was \$0.95 per share and net realized and unrealized loss on investments totaled \$0.07 per share. On September 30, 2002, the net asset value per share was \$15.71 and the stock closed that day at \$15.10 per share.

During the fiscal year, the Board of Directors declared regular quarterly dividends of \$0.25 per share payable on December 14, 2001, \$0.24 per share payable on March 22, 2002 and June 14, 2002, and \$0.23 per share payable on September 13, 2002. In addition to the regular dividends, the Board declared a capital gains distribution of \$0.16 per share payable on December 14, 2001.

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No new shares of capital stock were issued in the fiscal year. On September 30, 2002, there were 8,775,665 shares of capital stock outstanding and the net assets applicable to those shares were \$137.9 million.

At the end of the fiscal year the 136 issues in the portfolio had an average market yield of 5.41%, an average Moody's quality rating of A1, an average nominal duration of 7.0, and an average maturity of 14.9 years. The distribution of the portfolio maturities and quality was as follows:

Maturites	
0-1 year 1-3 years 3-5 years 5-10 years 10-20 years 20 plus years	4.2% 12.6 1.9 46.7 11.3 23.3
Quality	100.0%
Treasury, Agency and Aaa Aa A Baa Below Baa	41.7% 9.9 21.9 23.5 3.0
	100.0%

STOCK REPURCHASE PLAN:

On July 28, 1988, the Board of Directors of the Company approved a resolution to repurchase up to 700,000 of its common shares. The Company may repurchase shares, at a price not in excess of market and at a discount from net asset value, if and when such repurchases are deemed appropriate and in the shareholder's best interest. Any repurchases will be made in compliance with applicable requirements of the federal securities law.

Under such law, the Company is required to give written notice to all shareholders of its intention to purchase stock within six months of the actual repurchase of shares. This report is to serve as notice to all shareholders with respect to any shares repurchased within the next six months pursuant to the Company's stock repurchase plan.

Audited financial statements for the year ended September 30, 2002, and a list of the securities owned on that date are included in this report.

Sincerely,

/s/ Jeffrey J. Diermeier

Jeffrey J. Diermeier, CFA PRESIDENT

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FORT DEARBORN INCOME SECURITIES, INC. is a closed-end bond fund investing principally in investment grade long-term fixed income debt securities. The primary objective of Fort Dearborn is to provide its shareholders with:

- a stable stream of current income consistent with external interest rate

conditions, and

- a total return over time that is above what they could receive by investing individually in the investment grade and long-term maturity sectors of the bond market.

EDGAR REPRESENTATION OF DATA POINTS USED IN PRINTED GRAPHIC

Fort Dearborn Income Securities, Inc.
MARKET VALUE OF INDEX AND SHARE PRICE(1) WITH ALL DIVIDENDS REINVESTED AS OF
SEPTEMBER 30, 2002

ANNUALIZED RETURNS

	12 MONTHS	SINCE INCEPTION
Fort Dearborn	9.46%	8.74%
Investment Grade Bond Index	8.96	8.09

\$ WEALTH INDEX

\$ WEALTH	INDEX				
		IN	/ESTM	ENT	FORT
		GRADE	BOND	INDEX	DEARBORN
12/31/72				18.17	18.17
3/31/73				18.16	18.17
6/30/73				18.06	17.10
9/30/73				18.41	17.09
12/31/73				18.23	16.74
3/31/74				17.55	13.73
6/30/74				16.61	15.62
9/30/74				16.07	13.40
12/31/74				17.05	16.33
3/31/75				17.83	16.82
6/30/75				18.43	17.61
9/30/75				17.79	16.79
12/31/75				19.39	16.54
3/31/76				20.17	18.45
6/30/76				20.19	18.37
9/30/76				21.28	20.03
12/31/76				22.83	20.26
3/31/77				22.26	20.50
6/30/77				23.08	21.07
9/30/77				23.28	21.49
12/31/77				23.04	20.68
3/31/78				23.00	20.93
6/30/78				22.70	21.00
9/30/78				23.36	20.90
12/31/78				22.84	19.04
3/31/79				23.16	20.31
6/30/79				24.15	21.40
9/30/79				23.61	20.84
12/31/79				21.70	19.25
3/31/80				18.79	17.16
6/30/80				23.31	20.99
9/30/80				20.76	18.99
12/31/80				20.93	19.11
3/31/81				20.69	19.19
6/30/81				20.24	19.51

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9/30/81	18.40	19.39
12/31/81	20.51	20.85
3/31/82	21.47	21.83
6/30/82	21.63	22.26
9/30/82	26.21	26.55
12/31/82	29.02	28.83
3/31/83	30.14	29.96
6/30/83	30.55	31.44
9/30/83	30.40	31.01
12/31/83	30.59	31.22
3/31/84	30.09	32.50
6/30/84	28.94	30.21
9/30/84	32.51	32.66
	35.48	37.09
12/31/84		
3/31/85	35.82	37.34
6/30/85	40.17	43.27
		42.71
9/30/85	40.92	
12/31/85	45.80	46.79
3/31/86	50.64	53.14
6/30/86	50.88	55.71
9/30/86	51.74	56.95
12/31/86	54.47	57.70
3/31/87	55.37	60.37
6/30/87	53.02	58.78
9/30/87	49.70	55.66
12/31/87	53.50	56.99
3/31/88	55.86	62.51
6/30/88	56.58	63.41
9/30/88	57.95	63.23
12/31/88	58.38	65.30
3/31/89	59.10	63.95
6/30/89	64.57	69.00
9/30/89	64.91	71.79
12/31/89	67.02	73.38
3/31/90	65.82	75.08
6/30/90	68.35	75.50
9/30/90	67.72	74.62
12/31/90	71.21	80.42
3/31/91	74.02	83.65
6/30/91	75.16	85.57
9/30/91	80.14	91.67
12/31/91	84.58	96.45
3/31/92	83.43	93.81
6/30/92	87.02	97.18
9/30/92	91.22	102.91
12/31/92	91.65	101.67
3/31/93	96.61	108.40
6/30/93	100.19	113.71
9/30/93	104.21	117.42
12/31/93	103.37	112.65
3/31/94	98.48	107.51
6/30/94	96.30	106.80
9/30/94	96.42	105.14
12/31/94	97.14	101.57
3/31/95	103.18	107.51
6/30/95	111.98	
		116.50
9/30/95	114.54	118.69
12/31/95	121.13	126.33
	116.32	
3/31/96		124.45
6/30/96	116.17	122.62
9/30/96	118.35	129.34
12/31/96	123.00	137.71
14/01/00	123.00	T) / • / T

3/31/97	120.84	135.62
6/30/97	126.34	142.43
9/30/97	131.91	148.57
12/31/97	136.87	156.83
3/31/98	138.88	160.03
6/30/98	142.78	159.51
9/30/98	147.81	166.11
12/31/98	148.73	178.86
3/31/99	146.24	174.77
6/30/99	142.24	164.31
9/30/99	142.02	161.53
12/31/99	140.99	145.64
3/31/00	143.82	157.67
6/30/00	144.71	164.57
9/30/00	149.23	168.54
12/31/00	155.49	176.54
3/31/01	161.70	190.74
6/30/01	162.17	201.75
9/30/01	168.73	200.54
12/31/01	169.83	207.71
3/31/02	168.71	206.82
6/30/02	173.81	217.23
9/30/02	183.85	219.50

Returns are net of fees

(1) Share price return is impacted by changes in the premium or discount to the net asset value (NAV). At September 30, 2002, the share price was at a 3.88% discount to NAV.

Total Return does not reflect the deduction of taxes that a shareholder would pay on fund distributions or the redemption of fund shares.

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STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES SEPTEMBER 30, 2002

ASSETS:

Portfolio of investments: Debt securities, at value (cost \$128,821,240) Short-term securities, at cost, which approximates	
market	4,762,535
Total portfolio of investments	136,216,900 2,016,506 8,363
Total assets	138,241,769
LIABILITIES: Expenses: Accrued investment advisory and administrative fees	314,740
Accrued professional fees	29,300 24,147 11,915
Total liabilities	380,102
NET ASSETS (equivalent to \$15.71 per share for 8,775,665 shares of capital stock outstanding)	\$ 137,861,667

Analysis of Net Assets:	
Shareholder capital	\$ 135,120,133
Accumulated undistributed net investment income	133,939
Accumulated net realized loss on sales of investments	(25,530)
Unrealized appreciation on investments	2,633,125
Net assets applicable to outstanding shares	\$ 137,861,667

See Notes to Financial Statements.

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STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2002

Investment income:	
Interest income earned	\$ 9,312,772
Expenses:	
Investment advisory and administrative fees	647,514
Transfer agent and dividend disbursing agent fees	86,367
Directors fees	77 , 985
Professional fees	52,642
Stockholders reports and annual meeting fees	50,930
Custody fees	41,063
Franchise taxes	9,855
Other expenses	32,169
Total expenses	998,525
Net investment income	
Net realized and unrealized gain (loss) on investments:	
Net realized gain from investment transactions	623,636
Change in unrealized depreciation	(1,229,377)
Total realized and unrealized gain (loss) on investments	 (605,741)
Net increase in net assets from operations	7,708,506 ======

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN NET ASSETS

	FOR	THE 200		ENDED	SEF	TEMBER 2001	30,	
From operations:								-
Net investment income	\$	8,31	4,24	7	\$	9,088,9	903	

Net realized gain from investment transactions	623,636	1,972,541
Change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation) of investments	(1,229,377)	5,958,527
Net increase in net assets from operations	7,708,506	17,019,971
Net investment income	(8,424,638) (1,404,106)	(9,126,692)
Total distributions	(9,828,744)	(9,126,692)
Net increase (decrease) in net assets Net Assets:	(2,120,238)	7,893,279
Beginning of period	139,981,905	132,088,626
End of period (including undistributed net investment income of \$133,939 and		
\$228,941, respectively)	\$137,861,667 ======	\$139,981,905 =======

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FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

Financial highlights for each share of capital stock outstanding through each period:

Ratios of expenses to average net

	YEARS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30,				
			2000		
Net asset value, beginning of period					\$ 16.30
Net investment income (1)	0.95	1.04	1.05		1.05
Net realized and unrealized gain (loss) on investments		0.90	(0.06)	(1.27)	
Total from investment operations Less distributions from:	0.88			(0.22)	1.76
Net investment income	(0.16)			(0.50)	(1.04 (0.15
Total distributions	, ,	(1.04)	(1.05)	(1.54)	(1.19
Net asset value, end of period		\$ 15.95 ======	\$ 15.05	\$ 15.11	\$ 16.87
Market price per share at end of period	\$ 15.10 9.46%	\$ 14.84	\$ 13.38 4.34%	\$ 13.88	\$ 15.75 11.81%
Total return (net asset value) (3) Net assets at end of period (in millions)			6.77% \$ 132.09	(1 1)	11.07% \$ 148.30

assets	0.73%	0.71%	0.74%	0.73%	0.71%
Ratio of net investment income to					
average net assets	6.07%	6.68%	7.01%	6.61%	6.29%
Portfolio turnover	126.8%	142.7%	73.8%	69.9%	63.5%
Number of shares outstanding at end of					
period (in thousands)	8,776	8,776	8,776	8,789	8,789

- (1) Net investment income includes amortization of discounts and premiums.
- (2) Total investment return (market value) reflects the market value experiences of a continuous shareholder who made commission-free acquisitions through distributions in accordance with the shareholder reinvestment plan.
- (3) Total return (net asset value) reflects the Company's portfolio performance and is the combination of reinvested dividend income, reinvested capital gains distributions at NAV, if any, and changes in net asset value per share.

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PORTFOLIO OF INVESTMENTS SEPTEMBER 30, 2002

FACE VALUE		MOODY'S RATING	COST	VALUE
	DEBT SECURITIES(96.5%)			
\$10,000,000	/ / MUNICIPAL SECURITIES(3.0%) New Jersey Economic Development Authority, Zero Coupon Revenue Bond, due 02/15/18	Aaa	\$ 3,175,028	\$ 4,172,300
	/ / U.S. GOVERNMENT SECURITIES(17.3%) AGENCY OBLIGATIONS(11.3%) Fannie Mae Grantor Trust,			
685,000	7.125%, due 01/15/30 Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corp., Guaranteed Mortgage Certificates,	(a)	766 , 899	849,189
85	9.000%, due 08/01/04	(a)	89	91
3,973,362	6.000%, due 11/01/28	(a)	3,929,978	4,087,211
2,670,974	6.500%, due 08/01/32	(a)	2,766,962	2,769,984
985,631	7.000%, due 03/01/31 Federal National Mortgage Association, Guaranteed Mortgage Pass Thru Certificates,	(a)	998,105	1,033,135
2,331,953	6.500%, due 03/01/28	(a)	2,319,929	2,418,396
441,218	7.000%, REMIC, due 06/25/13 Freddie Mac Gold Pool,	(a)	410,283	477 , 973
2,638,021	6.000%, due 04/01/29	(a)	2,701,086	2,718,587
920 , 558	6.500%, due 05/15/29	(a)	849 , 359	960,938

			14,742,690	15,315,504
	DIRECT OBLIGATIONS(6.0%)			
	U.S. Treasury Inflation Indexed Bonds,			
3,800,000	3.000%, due 07/15/12	Aaa	4,022,662	4,096,415
	U.S. Treasury Notes,			
850,000	2.875%, due 06/30/04	Aaa	862,965	867,763
25,000	4.375%, due 05/15/07	Aaa	26,448	26 , 983
320,000	5.000%, due 08/15/11	Aaa	347,770	355 , 388
170,000	6.125%, due 08/15/07	Aaa	193,108	196,988

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PORTFOLIO OF INVESTMENTS--(CONTINUED) SEPTEMBER 30, 2002

FACE VALUE		MOODY'S RATING	COST	VALUE
\$ 2,180,000	6.250%, due 05/15/30	Ааа	\$ 2.583.049	\$ 2,659,770
¥ 2/100/000	5.2500 , ade 05, 15, 50	1144		
			8,036,002	8,203,307
	Total U.S. Government Securities		22,778,692	23,518,811
745 000	/ / CORPORATE BONDS AND NOTES(76.2%) FINANCE(38.4%) Anadarko Finance Co., 7.500%, due			
	05/01/31	Baa1	786 , 076	884,176
·	08/01/09	Baa1	393,623	433,408
_,,,,	01/15/11	Aa3	1,985,461	2,263,486
815,000	Bank One Corp., 7.875%, due 08/01/10	A1	874,741	988,182
1,655,000	Barclays Bank PLC, 144-A, 8.550%, due			
	09/29/49	Aa3	1,652,733	2,005,901
280 , 000	Boeing Capital Corp., 7.375%, due 09/27/10	A.3	300,716	315,732
430,000	Capital One Bank, 6.875%, due 02/01/06	Baa2	418,757	403,960
	ChevronTexaco Capital Co., 3.500%, due	Daaz	410,737	403,900
	09/17/07	Aa2	199,106	203,017
1,995,000	Citigroup, Inc., 7.250%, due 10/01/10	Aa2	2,100,486	2,286,402
335,000	Countrywide Home Loan, Inc., 5.500%, due			
	02/01/07	A3	339,231	352 , 450
3,000,000	CPL Transition Funding LLC, 6.250%, due	_	0.040.001	0.000.016
E0E 000	01/15/17	Aaa	3,243,281	3,289,316
585,000	Credit Suisse First Boston USA, Inc., 6.500%, due 01/15/12	Aa3	577,652	624,577
2,800,000	CS First Boston Mortgage Securities Corp.,	Ado	377,032	024,377
2,000,000	7.545%, due 04/14/62	AAA*	3,026,625	3,326,743
635,000	DLJ Commercial Mortgage Corp., 00-CKP1,			
	Class A1B, 7.180%, due 08/10/10	Aaa	638,274	741,650
2,000,000	DLJ Commercial Mortgage Corp., 99-CG3,			
64.5.000	Class A1B, 7.340%, due 10/10/32	Aaa	2,171,250	
615,000	EOP Operating LP, 7.875%, due 07/15/31	Baa1	624,338	685 , 472

590 , 000	FleetBoston Financial Corp., 7.375%, due			
	12/01/09	A3	628,383	670 , 154
1,805,000	Ford Motor Co., 7.450%, due 07/16/31	Baa1	1,654,746	1,485,526
510,000	Ford Motor Credit Co., 5.800%, due			
	01/12/09	A3	476,279	460,498

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PORTFOLIO OF INVESTMENTS--(CONTINUED) SEPTEMBER 30, 2002

FACE VALUE		MOODY'S RATING	 COST		VALUE
\$ 1,185,000	Ford Motor Credit Co., 7.375%, due 02/01/11	A3	\$ 1,167,803	\$	1,117,732
1,835,000	General Electric Capital Corp., 6.750%,		_,,,	·	_,,,
1,130,000	due 03/15/32General Motors Acceptance Corp., 6.875%,	Aaa	1,801,508		1,968,131
1,130,000	due 09/15/11	A2	1,112,815		1,101,516
1,710,000	General Motors Acceptance Corp., 8.000%,	7. 0	1 725 511		1 657 455
665,000	due 11/01/31Goldman Sachs Group, Inc., 6.875%, due	A2	1,735,511		1,657,455
	01/15/11	Aa3	664,898		737,684
2,370,000	Household Finance Corp., 6.750%, due 05/15/11	A2	2,355,474		2,264,175
475,000	Lehman Bros. Holdings, Inc., 6.625%, due	110	2,000,171		2,201,270
390,000	01/18/12Lincoln National Corp., 6.200%, due	A2	472 , 554		520 , 479
390,000	12/15/11	A3	388,534		422,397
1,410,000	Merrill Lynch Mortgage Investors, Inc.,		1 406 740		1 500 776
1,640,000	96-C2, Class A3, 6.960%, due 11/21/28 Morgan Stanley, 6.750%, due 04/15/11	AAA* Aa3	1,496,748 1,645,537		1,532,776 1,792,897
170,000	Morgan Stanley, 7.250%, due 04/01/32	Aa3	170,973		182,647
1,029,919	Norwest Asset Securities Corp., 7.000%, due 09/25/11	AAA*	1,038,287		1,054,349
1,500,000	PNC Mortgage Acceptance Corp., 99-CM1,	717171	1,030,207		1,001,019
1,300,000	Class A1B, 7.330%, due 12/10/32	Aaa	1,608,750		1,759,880
870,000	Prudential Mortgage Capital Funding, LLC,		, ,		,,
•	01-ROCK, Class A2, 6.605%, due				
	05/10/34	Aaa	874,350		989 , 782
1,380,000	PSE&G Transition Funding LLC, 6.450%, due				
	03/15/13	Aaa	1,445,766		1,581,893
3,000,000	PSE&G Transition Funding LLC, 6.610%, due				
1 645 000	06/15/15	Aaa	3,376,875		3,447,221
1,645,000	Qwest Capital Funding, Inc., 7.900%, due 08/15/10	Caa1	1,707,715		740,250
285,000	Sears Roebuck Acceptance, 6.700%, due	oddi	1,707,710		710,200
,	04/15/12	Baa1	289,970		301,923
115,000	SLM Corp., 5.125%, due 08/27/12	A2	114,202		119,248
500,000	U.S. Bank N.A., Minnesota, 6.375%, due		•		•
	08/01/11	Aa3	510,881		564,463
945,000	Unilever Capital Corp., 7.125%, due				
	11/01/10	A1	1,015,849		1,128,577

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PORTFOLIO OF INVESTMENTS--(CONTINUED) SEPTEMBER 30, 2002

FACE VALUE		MOODY'S RATING	COST	VALUE
\$ 1,620,000	Wachovia Bank N.A. (Charlotte), 7.800%,			
	due 08/18/10	A1	\$ 1,719,152	\$ 1,966,635
350,000	Washington Mutual Bank, 6.875%, due	7. 0	200 007	200 061
1,025,000	06/15/11	A3	380,807	398,061
_, ,	02/01/11	Aa2	1,014,812	1,155,865
			50,201,529	
	TNDHOTDIAL (16 20)			
690,000	INDUSTRIAL(16.3%) Alcoa, Inc., 6.000%, due 01/15/12	A2	685,935	763,914
430,000	Amerada Hess Corp., 6.650%, due	AZ	000,933	703, 914
	08/15/11	Baa2	431,576	483,232
940,000	Anheuser-Busch Cos., Inc., 9.000%, due 12/01/09	A1	1,116,416	1,215,241
1,815,000	AOL Time Warner, Inc., 7.625%, due	AI	1,110,410	1,213,241
	04/15/31	Baa1	1,784,067	1,513,256
1,270,000	Avon Products, Inc., 7.150%, due	7.0	1 000 400	1 407 000
185,000	11/15/09 Bristol Myers Squibb Co., 5.750%, due	A2	1,293,488	1,487,203
100,000	10/01/11	Aa2	180,649	199,961
720,000	Caterpillar, Inc., 6.550%, due 05/01/11	A2	721,121	827 , 914
900,000	Cendant Corp., 6.875%, due 08/15/06	Baa1	899,093	905,053
330,000	Centex Corp., 9.750%, due 06/15/05	Baa2	329,993	376 , 669
350,000	Coors Brewing Co., 6.375%, due 05/15/12	Baa2	348,586	396,074
1,005,000	DaimlerChrysler N.A. Holdings Corp.,		,	,
, ,	8.500%, due 01/18/31	A3	1,117,150	1,195,097
825,000	Deere & Co., 7.125%, due 03/03/31	A3	841,553	949,548
150,000	Delhaize America, Inc., 9.000%, due		, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	
	04/15/31	Baa3	138,053	127,260
180,000	Dow Chemical Co., 6.125%, due 02/01/11	A3	182,970	190,375
375 , 000	First Data Corp., 5.625%, due 11/01/11	A1	373 , 845	399 , 969
470,000	Harrah's Operating Co., Inc., 7.125%, due			
	06/01/07	Baa3	469,615	517 , 585
875 , 000	International Paper Co., 6.750%, due			
	09/01/11	Baa2	876 , 162	968,719
285,000	Kohl's Corp., 6.300%, due 03/01/11	A3	288 , 980	318,675
1,120,000	<pre>Kraft Foods, Inc., 6.500%, due 11/01/31</pre>	A2	1,115,166	1,241,323
415,000	Kroger Co., 7.500%, due 04/01/31	Baa3	463,322	456 , 406
735,000	Occidental Petroleum Corp., 8.450%, due 02/15/29	Baa?	831 , 598	947,164
495,000	Pepsi Bottling Holdings, Inc., 144-A,	Baa2	031,390	941 , 104
•	5.625%, due 02/17/09	A1	488,812	538,710
290,000	Rohm & Haas Co., 7.850%, due 07/15/29	A3	319,608	365,149
695,000	Safeway, Inc., 7.250%, due 02/01/31	Baa2	726,441	779,633

See Notes to Financial Statements.

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PORTFOLIO OF INVESTMENTS--(CONTINUED) SEPTEMBER 30, 2002

FACE VALUE		MOODY'S RATING	 COST	 VALUE
\$ 1,060,000 1,135,000 430,000	Target Corp., 7.000%, due 07/15/31 Transocean, Inc., 7.500%, due 04/15/31 United Technologies Corp., 6.100%, due	A2 Baa2	\$ 1,118,748 1,102,267	\$ 1,226,968 1,310,971
475,000 145,000	05/15/12	A2 A3	429,247 472,777	483,420 515,714
315,000	08/10/09 Walt Disney Co., 6.375%, due 03/01/12	Aa2 A3	154,703 314,310	171,113 334,782
310,000	Wendy's International, Inc., 6.200%, due 06/15/14	Baa1	309,095	349,669
	03/15/32	Baa2	 658,430	 716,027
			 20,583,776	 22,272,794
265,000 270,000	UTILITIES (7.6%) Apache Corp., 6.250%, due 04/15/12	A3	263,113	298,653
270,000	Commonwealth Edison Co., 144-A, 6.150%, due 03/15/12	A3	270,632	302,152
680,000 1,400,000	ConocoPhillips, 8.750%, due 05/25/10 Consolidated Edison Co. of New York,	A3	780,545	861,250
670,000	7.500%, due 09/01/10	A1	1,389,332	1,658,633
415,000	09/30/11	Baa2	649,604	752 , 350
,	09/17/12	Baa1	414,718	427,475
1,300,000	Duke Energy Field Services, LLC, 8.125%, due 08/16/30	Baa2	1,406,430	1,280,214
775,000	El Paso Energy Corp., 7.800%, due 08/01/31	Baa2	762,645	488,250
835,000 985,000	First Energy Corp., 6.450%, due 11/15/11	Baa2	826 , 755	785 , 247
·	due 05/01/31	Ba1	1,067,861	472,800
210,000 520,000	Praxair, Inc., 6.375%, due 04/01/12 Progress Energy, Inc., 7.000%, due	A3	213,332	234,814
135,000	10/30/31	Baa1	526 , 565	519,062
	06/15/11	Baa3	130,335	143,190
1,000,000 220,000	Sempra Energy, 7.950%, due 03/01/10 Southern Power Co., 144-A, 6.250%, due	Baa1	997 , 380	1,082,494
	07/15/12	Baa1	219,690	239,020

See Notes to Financial Statements.

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PORTFOLIO OF INVESTMENTS--(CONTINUED) SEPTEMBER 30, 2002

FAC	E VALUE		MOODY'S RATING		COST	VALUE
\$	300,000	Union Oil Co. of California, 7.500%, due 02/15/29	Baa2	\$	316,433	\$ 351,713
	470,000	Valero Energy Corp., 7.500%, due 04/15/32	Baa2		465 , 958	430,694
				1	0,701,328	10,328,011
		COMMUNICATION(5.2%)				
	455,000 140,000	AT&T Corp., 8.000%, due 11/15/31 AT&T Wireless Services, Inc., 7.875%, due	Baa2		396,034	420,875
	760,000	03/01/11	Baa2		116,257	107,800
	315,000	03/01/31	Baa2		837,334	547,200
	340,000	10/15/11	Aa3		322,248	336,321
	,	due 12/15/10	Baa1		374,057	399,432
	260,000 520,000	Cingular Wireless, 6.500%, due 12/15/11 Citizens Communications Co., 9.000%, due	A3	250,905		250,234
	575 , 000	08/15/31	Baa2		538,998	462,800
		01/30/11	Baa3		556 , 670	534,750
1	170,000 ,290,000	Motorola, Inc., 7.625%, due 11/15/10 News America, Inc., 7.125%, due	Baa2		157,015	165,791
	550,000	04/08/28	Baa3		1,148,325	1,153,910
1	,290,000	02/01/12Sprint Capital Corp., 6.875%, due	Aa3		544,764	578 , 905
		11/15/28	Baa3		1,184,989	743,504
	100,000	Tele-Communications, Inc., 7.875%, due 08/01/13	Ваа3		85,173	94,004
	260,000	Verizon New England, Inc., 6.500%, due 09/15/11	Aa2		244,581	270 , 588
	960,000	Verizon New York, Inc., 7.375%, due 04/01/32	A1		856,171	961,258
					7,613,521	7,027,372
		INTERNATIONAL(4.9%)				
2	,500,000	Augusta Funding Ltd., 7.375%, due 04/15/13	Aaa		2,426,113	2,788,725
	180,000	Canadian National Railway Co., 6.900%, due 07/15/28	Baa2		179,068	203,310

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PORTFOLIO OF INVESTMENTS--(CONTINUED) SEPTEMBER 30, 2002

MOODY'S FACE VALUE RATING COST VALUE

\$	625,000	Deutsche Telekom International Finance, 8.750%, due 06/15/30	Baa1	\$ 661,457	\$ 669,900
	530,000	France Telecom, 10.000%, due 03/01/31	ваа1 Ваа3	606,531	•
	365,000	Telus Corp., 8.000%, due 06/01/11	Baa3 Ba1		279,225
	235,000	United Mexican States, 8.125%, due	Dai	303,033	273,223
_,	200,000	12/30/19	Baa2	2,223,851	2,179,125
				6,460,115	6,706,383
		TRANSPORTATION(3.8%)			
	190,000	Burlington Northern Santa Fe Corp.,			
		6.875%, due 12/01/27	Baa2	186,612	208,015
	740,000	Burlington Northern Santa Fe Corp.,			
		7.082%, due 05/13/29	Baa2	733 , 571	831,808
1,	500,000	Delta Airlines, Inc., 10.500%, due			
		04/30/16	Ba1	1,828,950	1,216,905
1,	030,000	Erac U.S.A. Finance Co., 144-A, 8.000%,			
		due 01/15/11	Baa1	1,083,713	1,148,513
	470,000	Union Pacific Corp., 6.650%, due	_		
0		01/15/11	Baa3	474,405	528,468
3,	000,000	United Airlines, Inc., 7.870%, due	~ ^	2 000 000	1 004 000
		01/30/19	Caa2	3,000,000	1,224,030
				7,307,251	5 , 157 , 739
		Total Corporate Bonds and Notes		102,867,520	103,763,254
		Total Debt Securities			131,454,365
SH	IARES				
		SHORT-TERM INVESTMENTS(3.5%)			
4,	762,535	UBS Supplementary Trust U.S. Cash			. =
		Management Prime Fund		4,762,535	4,762,535
		Total Investments (100.0%)			\$136,216,900

REMIC Real Estate Mortgage Investment Conduit

See Notes to Financial Statements.

⁽a) Moody's as a matter of policy, does not rate this issue.

^{*} Standard & Poor's Corporation rating. Security is not rated by Moody's Investor Service, Inc.

¹⁴⁴⁻A Securities exempt from registration under Rule 144-A of the Securities Act of 1933. These securities may be resold in transactions exempt from registration, normally to qualified institutional buyers. At September 30, 2002, the value of these securities amounted to \$5,466,037 or 4.01% of the total portfolio of investments.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS SEPTEMBER 30, 2002

1. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Fort Dearborn Income Securities, Inc. ("the Company") is registered under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended, as a diversified closed-end management company. The Company invests principally in investment grade long-term fixed income debt securities with the primary objective of providing its shareholders with:

- a stable stream of current income consistent with external interest rate conditions, and
- a total return over time that is above what they could receive by investing individually in the investment grade and long-term maturity sectors of the bond market.

The following is a summary of the significant accounting policies followed by the Company in the preparation of its financial statements. The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

- A. SECURITY VALUATIONS -- Investments are valued based on available quoted bid prices on the valuation date. Short-term securities are valued at amortized cost, which approximates value.
- B. INVESTMENT INCOME AND SECURITY TRANSACTIONS -- Interest income is recorded on the accrual basis. Dividend income is recorded on the ex-dividend date. Security transactions are accounted for on the trade date. The Company has elected to amortize market discount and premium on all issues purchased. Realized gains and losses from security transactions and unrealized appreciation and depreciation of investments are reported on a first-in first-out basis.
- C. FEDERAL INCOME TAXES -- It is the Company's policy to comply with the requirements of the Internal Revenue Code applicable to regulated investment companies and to distribute substantially all of its taxable income to its shareholders. Therefore, no provision for federal income taxes is required.

At September 30, 2002, the components of accumulated earnings on a tax basis were as follows:

Accumulated earnings	\$ 320 , 064
Undistributed long term capital gains	166,223
Accumulated capital and other losses	(354,379)
Unrealized appreciation	2,609,625
Total accumulated earnings	\$2,741,533

The differences between book-basis and tax-basis unrealized appreciation is attributable to the tax deferral of losses on wash sales.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS--(CONTINUED)
SEPTEMBER 30, 2002

1. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Net realized gains or losses may differ for financial and tax reporting purposes as a result of post October 31 losses, which are not recognized for tax purposes until the first day of the following fiscal year along with losses from wash sales.

At September 30, 2002 for federal income tax purposes, the cost for long and short-term investments is \$133,607,275, the aggregate gross unrealized appreciation is \$8,775,489, and the aggregate gross unrealized depreciation is \$6,165,864, resulting in net unrealized appreciation of investments of \$2,609,625.

2. NET ASSET VALUATIONS

The net asset value of the Company's shares is determined each week as of the close of business on the last day on which the New York Stock Exchange is open, on the last business day of each month, on the eighth trading day prior to the dividend payment date and on the last business day of each calendar quarter, if such days are other than the last business day of the week.

3. DISTRIBUTIONS

The tax character of distributions paid during the fiscal years ended September 30, 2002 and September 30, 2001 were as follows:

DISTRIBUTIONS PAID FROM:	2002	2001
Ordinary income Capital gains	\$8,424,638 1,404,106	\$9,126,692
	\$9,828,744	\$9 , 126 , 692
	========	

Dividends and distributions payable to shareholders are recorded by the Company on the record date. Net realized gains from the sale of investments, if any, are distributed annually. Net investment income and realized gains and losses for federal income tax purposes may differ from that reported on the financial statements because of permanent and temporary book and tax basis differences. Permanent book and tax differences of \$15,389 were reclassified from accumulated net realized gain (loss) on investments to undistributed net investment income due to gains from paydown adjustments related to mortgage-backed securities.

Distributions from net realized gains for book purposes may include short-term capital gains, which are included as ordinary income for tax purposes.

4. CAPITAL STOCK

At September 30, 2002, there were 12,000,000 shares of \$.01 par value capital stock authorized, and shareholder capital of \$135,120,133. During the year ended September 30, 2002 no new shares were issued as part of the dividend reinvestment plan and no shares were repurchased in the open market.

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NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS--(CONTINUED) SEPTEMBER 30, 2002

5. PURCHASES AND SALES OF SECURITIES

Purchases and sales (including maturities) of portfolio securities during the year ended September 30, 2002, were as follows: debt securities and preferred stock, \$68,677,583 and \$82,410,898, respectively; short-term securities, \$47,012,015 and \$42,868,693, respectively: and United States government debt obligations, \$100,412,532 and \$91,917,258, respectively.

6. MANAGEMENT AND OTHER FEES

Under an agreement between the Company and UBS Global Asset Management (Americas) Inc. (formerly Brinson Partners, Inc.) ("the Advisor"), the Advisor manages the Company's investment portfolio, maintains its accounts and records, and furnishes the services of individuals to perform executive and administrative functions for the Company. In return for these services, the Company pays the Advisor a quarterly fee of 1/8 of 1% (annually 1/2 of 1%) of the Company's average weekly net assets up to \$100,000,000 and 1/10 of 1% (annually 2/5 of 1%) of average weekly net assets in excess of \$100,000,000.

The Company pays each of its directors (except the Chairman) at the rate of \$9,000 annually to serve as directors and \$750 for each Board of Directors meeting attended. The Company pays the Chairman at the rate of \$13,000 annually to serve in such capacity and \$750 for each Board of Directors meeting attended.

The following table sets forth as to each Director the compensation paid to such Director in the fiscal year ended September 30, 2002 for service on the Board of the Company and, in the case of Messrs. Reilly and Roob, on the boards of three other investment companies for which the Advisor performed investment advisory services.

		PENSION OR RETIREMENT BENEFITS ACCRUED AS		
	AGGREGATE	PART OF	ESTIMATED	TOTAL COMPE
	COMPENSATION	COMPANY	ANNUAL BENEFITS	FROM COMPA
NAME OF DIRECTOR	FROM COMPANY	EXPENSES	UPON RETIREMENT	FUND COM
Adela Cepeda	\$12 , 750			\$12 , 75
C. Roderick O'Neil	15 , 750			15 , 75
Frank K. Reilly	12,750			64 , 35
Edward M. Roob	12,750			64 , 35
J. Mikesell Thomas	7,000			7,00

All Company officers serve without direct compensation from the Company.

Fort Dearborn Income Securities, Inc. invest in shares of the UBS Supplementary Trust U.S. Cash Management Prime Fund ("Supplementary Trust"). The Supplementary Trust is an investment company managed by the Advisor. The Supplementary Trust is offered as a cash management option only to mutual funds and other accounts managed by the Advisor.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS--(CONTINUED)
SEPTEMBER 30, 2002

6. MANAGEMENT AND OTHER FEES (CONTINUED)

The Supplementary Trust pays no management fees. Distributions from the Supplementary Trust are reflected as interest income on the statement of operations. Amounts relating to those investments at September 30, 2002 and for the period ended are summarized as follows:

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	COST OF	SALES	INTEREST		N
FUND	PURCHASE	PROCEEDS	INCOME	VALUE	AS
UBS Supplementary Trust U.S. Cash					
Management Prime Fund	\$47,012,015	\$42,868,693	\$53,802	\$4,762,535	3

7. MORTGAGE BACKED SECURITIES AND OTHER INVESTMENTS

The Company invests in Mortgage Backed Securities (MBS), representing interests in pools of mortgage loans. These securities provide shareholders with payments consisting of both principal and interest as the mortgages in the underlying mortgage pools are paid. Most of the securities are guaranteed by federally sponsored agencies — Government National Mortgage Association (GNMA), Federal National Mortgage Association (FNMA) or Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation (FHLMC). However, some securities may be issued by private, non-governmental corporations. MBS issued by private entities are not government securities and are not directly guaranteed by any government agency. They are secured by the underlying collateral of the private issuer. Yields on privately issued MBS tend to be higher than those of government backed issues. However, risk of loss due to default and sensitivity to interest rate fluctuations is also higher.

The Company invests in Collateralized Mortgage Obligations (CMOs). A CMO is a bond, which is collateralized by a pool of MBS. The Company also invests in REMICs (Real Estate Mortgage Investment Conduit) which are simply another form of CMO. These MBS pools are divided into classes or tranches with each class having its own characteristics. The different classes are retired in sequence as the underlying mortgages are repaid. For instance, a Planned Amortization Class (PAC) is a specific class of mortgages, which over its life will generally have the most stable cash flows and the lowest prepayment risk. A GPM (Graduated Payment Mortgage) is a negative amortization mortgage where the payment amount gradually increases over the life of the mortgage. The early payment amounts are not sufficient to cover the interest due, and therefore, the unpaid interest is added to the principal, thus increasing the borrower's mortgage balance. Prepayment may shorten the stated maturity of the CMO and can result in a loss of premium, if any has been paid.

The Company invests in Asset Backed Securities, representing interests in pools of certain types of underlying installment loans or leases or by revolving lines of credit. They often include credit enhancement that help limit investors' exposure to the underlying credit. These securities are valued on the basis of timing and certainty of cash flows compared to investments with similar durations.

REPORT OF INDEPENDENT AUDITORS

To the Shareholders and Board of Directors of Fort Dearborn Income Securities, Inc.

We have audited the accompanying statement of assets and liabilities, including the portfolio of investments, of Fort Dearborn Income Securities, Inc., (the "Company") as of September 30, 2002, and the related statement of operations for the year then ended, and the statement of changes in net assets and the financial highlights for each of the two years in the period ended September 30, 2002. These financial statements and financial highlights are the responsibility of the Company's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements and financial highlights based on our audits. The financial highlights for each of the three years in the period ended September 30, 2000, were audited by other auditors whose report dated October 26, 2000, expressed an unqualified opinion on the financial highlights.

We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audits to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements and financial highlights are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements and financial highlights. Our procedures included confirmation of securities owned as of September 30, 2002, by correspondence with the custodian and others. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statements and financial highlights referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Fort Dearborn Income Securities, Inc. as of September 30, 2002, and the results of its operations for the year then ended and the changes in its net assets and financial highlights for each of the two years in the period then ended, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States.

/s/ Ernst & Young LLP

New York, New York November 8, 2002

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REPORT ON THE AUTOMATIC DIVIDEND INVESTMENT PLAN (UNAUDITED)

THE COMPANY'S AUTOMATIC DIVIDEND INVESTMENT PLAN, OPERATED FOR THE CONVENIENCE OF THE SHAREHOLDERS, HAS BEEN IN OPERATION SINCE THE DIVIDEND PAYMENT OF MAY 5, 1973.

For the year ended September 30, 2002, 79,406 shares were purchased for the Plan participants. The breakdown of these shares is listed below:

		WHERE
NO. OF		SHARES
SHARES	AVERAGE	WERE
PURCHASED	PRICE	PURCHASED
31,512	\$15.31	Open Market
16,450	\$14.95	Open Market
	SHARES PURCHASED	SHARES AVERAGE PURCHASED PRICE 31,512 \$15.31

June 14, 2002	16,082	\$15.25	Open Market
September 13, 2002	15,362	\$15.16	Open Market

As explained in the Plan, shares are purchased at the lower of the market value (including commission) or net asset value, depending upon availability. The expense of maintaining the Plan, \$1.35 for each participating account per dividend payment, is borne by the Company. Shareholders who have not elected to participate in the Plan receive all dividends in cash.

The Plan had 779 participants on September 13, 2002. Under the terms of the Plan, any shareholder may terminate participation by giving written notice to the Company. Upon termination, a certificate for all full shares, plus a check for the value of any fractional interest in shares, will be sent to the withdrawing shareholders, unless the sale of all or part of such shares is requested. ANY REGISTERED SHAREHOLDER WHO WISHES TO PARTICIPATE IN THE PLAN MAY DO SO BY WRITING TO EQUISERVE TRUST COMPANY N.A. OF NEW YORK, P.O. BOX 2500, JERSEY CITY, NJ 07303-2500 OR CALLING THEM AT (800) 446-2617. A copy of the Plan and enrollment card will be mailed to you. Shareholders who own shares in nominee name should contact their brokerage firm. All new shareholders will receive a copy of the Plan and a card, which may be signed to authorize reinvestment of dividends pursuant to the Plan.

THE INVESTMENT OF DIVIDENDS DOES NOT RELIEVE PARTICIPANTS OF ANY INCOME TAX WHICH MAY BE PAYABLE THEREON. THE COMPANY STRONGLY RECOMMENDS THAT ALL AUTOMATIC DIVIDEND INVESTMENT PLAN PARTICIPANTS RETAIN EACH YEAR'S FINAL STATEMENTS ON THEIR PLAN PARTICIPATION AS A PART OF THEIR PERMANENT TAX RECORD. THIS WILL ENSURE THAT COST INFORMATION IS AVAILABLE IF AND WHEN IT IS NEEDED.

FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2002, THERE WERE: (I) NO MATERIAL CHANGES IN THE COMPANY'S INVESTMENT OBJECTIVES OR POLICIES, (II) NO CHANGES IN THE COMPANY'S CHARTER OR BY-LAWS THAT WOULD DELAY OR PREVENT A CHANGE OF CONTROL OF THE COMPANY, (III) NO MATERIAL CHANGES IN THE PRINCIPAL RISK FACTORS ASSOCIATED WITH INVESTMENT IN THE COMPANY, AND (IV) NO CHANGE IN THE PERSON PRIMARILY RESPONSIBLE FOR THE DAY-TO DAY MANAGEMENT OF THE COMPANY'S PORTFOLIO.

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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION (UNAUDITED)

BOARD OF DIRECTORS & OFFICERS

The Company is governed by a Board of Directors which oversees the Company's operations. Each Director serves until the next annual meeting of shareholders or until his or her successor is elected and qualified. Officers are appointed by the Directors and serve at the pleasure of the Board. The table below shows, for each Director and Officer, his or her name, address and age, the position held with the Company, the length of time served as a Director or Officer of the Company, the Director's or Officer's principal occupations during the last five years, other directorships held by the Director or Officer, the number of funds in the Fort Dearborn fund complex overseen by the Director or for which a person served as an Officer, and shares owned by the Director or Officer.

POSITION/
TERM/TIME PRINCIPAL OCCUPATIONS
NAME, AGE AND ADDRESS SERVED AND OTHER DIRECTORSHIPS

NUMBER OF PORTFOLIOS FUND COMPIONERSEEN DIRECTOR

DIRECTORS:

C. Roderick O'Neil, CFA, 71 O'Neil & Associates P.O. Box 405 South Glastonbury, CT 06073	Director and Chairman of the Board of Directors since 1992	(formerly Greenspan O'Neil Associates), an investment and financial consulting firm;	1
Adela Cepeda, 44 A.C. Advisory, Inc. Three First National Plaza, Suite 1515 Chicago, Illinois 60602	Director since 2000		1

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NAME, AGE AND ADDRESS	POSITION/ TERM/TIME SERVED	NUMBER C PORTFOLIOS FUND COMPL OVERSEEN DIRECTOR
Frank K. Reilly, CFA, 66 College of Business Administration, Room 307A University of Notre Dame Notre Dame, IN 46556-0399	Director since 1993	4

Research (since 1996).

Edward M. Roob, 68

Fort Dearborn Income Securities, Inc. since 1993

C/o UBS Global Asset Management
(Americas) Inc.

One N. Wacker Drive

Chicago, Illinois 60606

Director Senior Vice President, Date of Chicago (1986–1993); Senior Vice President, Inc.

Securities America, Inc.

President, First National of Chicago (1975–1985);

Director, The UBS Funds;

Senior Vice President, Daiwa (1986-1993); Senior Vice President, First National Bank of Chicago (1975-1985); Director, The UBS Funds; Director, The UBS Relationship Funds; Trustee, UBS Global Asset Management Trust Company; Trustee, CCM Advisors Funds; Trustee, CCMA Select Investment Trust; Trustee A.H.A. Investment Funds; Member, Board of Governors Chicago Stock Exchange, (1988-1991); Member U.S. Treasury and Federal Agency Advisory Committee, (1972-1985). Member, Committee for Specialist Assignment and Evaluation, Chicago Stock Exchange, (1993-1999).

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NAME, AGE AND ADDRESS	,	PRINCIPAL OCCUPATIONS AND OTHER DIRECTORSHIPS	DIRECTOR
J. Mikesell Thomas, 51 Fort Dearborn Income Securities, Inc. C/o UBS Global Asset Management (Americas) Inc. One N. Wacker Drive Chicago, Illinois 60606		Independent Financial Advisor, (April, 2001-Present); Managing Director, Lazard Freres & Co. (1995-2001); First Chicago Corporation, (1973-1994) Executive Vice President and Co-Head Corporate and Institutional Banking, (1992-1995), Executive Vice President and Co-Head, Merchant Banking, (1989-1992), Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer, (1986-1989), Senior Vice President and Treasurer, (1980-1986), Assistant Treasurer, (1976-1980), First Scholar Management Development Program, (1973-1976). Director and Chairman of Finance Committee, Evanston Northwestern Healthcare; Vice President of Board of Trustees, Mid-Day Club;	1

Leadership Greater Chicago Association.

OFFICERS:

Jeffrey J. Diermeier,
CFA, B.B.A., M.B.A., 50*

Since 2000

UBS Global Asset Management
(Americas) Inc.
(1998-Present); Director,
Chief Investment Officer and
Managing Director and
Investment Committee member,
UBS Global Asset Management
(Americas) Inc.
(2000-Present); Managing
Director, First Chicago
Invest-ment Advisors, N.A.
(1975-1989).

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NAME, AGE AND ADDRESS	,	PRINCIPAL OCCUPATIONS AND OTHER DIRECTORSHIPS
Craig G. Ellinger, CFA, 32*	Vice President & Portfolio Manager since 2001	Portfolio Manager in the Fixed Income Group at UBS Global Asset Management (Americas) Inc. (since 2000). He previously served in a similar position at PPM America, Inc (1997-2000) and was a Commissioned Bank Examiner at the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (1992-1997).
Joseph A. Anderson, 40*	Secretary & Treasurer since 1992	Executive Director of UBS Global Asset Management (Americas) Inc. (since 1991) and is currently the Vice President of UBS Global Asset Management Trust Company (since 1995).
Robert M. Fascia, 29*	Assistant Secretary & Assistant Treasurer since 2000	Associate Director of UBS Global Asset Management (Americas) Inc., (since 1999). He was previously employed by Stein Roe & Farnham.

^{*} This person's business address is UBS Global Asset Management (Americas) Inc., UBS Tower, One North Wacker Drive, Chicago, IL 60606.

FORT DEARBORN INCOME SECURITIES, INC.

NUMBER OF PORTFOLIOS FUND COMPLOVERSEEN DIRECTOR

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