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Franklin Templeton Limited Duration Income Trust

(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

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Date of reporting period: 3/31/14

Item 1. Reports to Stockholders.

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Limited Duration Income Trust

Your Fund's Goals and Main Investments

Franklin Templeton Limited Duration Income Trust seeks to provide high, current income, with a secondary objective of capital appreciation to the extent it is possible and consistent with the Fund's primary objective, through a portfolio consisting primarily of high yield corporate bonds, floating rate corporate loans and mortgage- and other

asset-backed securities.

Performance data represent past performance, which does not guarantee future results. Investment return and principal value will fluctuate, and you may have a gain or loss when you sell your shares. Current performance may differ from figures shown.

Dear Shareholder:

This annual report for Franklin Templeton Limited Duration Income Trust covers the fiscal year ended March 31, 2014.

Performance Overview

For the 12 months under review, Franklin Templeton Limited Duration Income Trust had cumulative total returns of +6.77% based on net asset value and -5.85% based on market price. Net asset value increased from \$14.30 per share on March 31, 2013, to \$14.36 at period-end, and the market price decreased from \$14.82 to \$13.05 over the same period. You can find the Fund's long-term performance data in the Performance Summary on page 8.

The dollar value, number of shares or principal amount, and names of all portfolio holdings are listed in the Fund's Statement of Investments (SOI). The SOI begins on page 21.

Economic and Market Overview

During the 12-month period ended March 31, 2014, especially in the second half of 2013, the U.S. economy showed ongoing signs of recovery supported by consumer and business spending and rising inventories. Harsh winter weather conditions across many states, however, suppressed economic activity early in 2014. Historically low mortgage rates and improving sentiment aided the housing market recovery, evidenced by solid home sales, rising home prices, low inventories and multi-year lows in new foreclosures. Manufacturing activity expanded during the period under review, although adverse weather led to a slowdown in early 2014. The unemployment rate declined to 6.7% in March 2014 from 7.5% in March 2013.¹ Inflation remained well below the U.S. Federal Reserve Board's (Fed's) 2.0% target.

In October 2013, the federal government temporarily shut down after Congress reached a budget impasse. However, Congress passed a spending bill in January to fund the federal government through September 2014. Congress then approved suspension of the debt ceiling until March 2015.

In May 2013, the Fed indicated it might reduce its monthly asset purchases based on improved economic data, triggering a bond market sell-off that raised long-term U.S. Treasury yields to a two-year high. Long-term Treasury yields rose again late in 2013 as the Fed announced it would reduce its bond purchases \$10 billion a month beginning in January 2014 while keeping interest rates low. However, yields declined through period-end as investors shifted from emerging market assets to less risky assets because of concerns over emerging market growth prospects and the potential impact of the Fed's reductions to its asset-purchase program. Although economic data in early 2014 were soft resulting from severe winter weather, Fed Chair Janet Yellen kept the pace of asset-purchase tapering intact in the March meeting while saying the Fed might quicken the expected pace of the central bank's rate-hike cycle and adopting a more qualitative approach to rate-hike guidance.

The 10-year Treasury yield rose from 1.87% at the beginning of the period to a high of 3.04% on December 31, 2013, mainly because of an improved economic environment and market certainty about the Fed's plans. However, some weakening economic data, possibly due to bad weather, and increasing political tension in Ukraine contributed to the 10-year U.S. Treasury yield's decline to 2.73% at period-end.

Below-investment-grade corporate bonds, as measured by the Credit Suisse (CS) High Yield Index,² outperformed investment-grade fixed income markets, as measured by the Barclays U.S. Aggregate Index.³

Investment Strategy

We invest in a diversified mix of fixed income securities, primarily high yield corporate bonds, senior secured floating rate corporate loans, and mortgage- and other asset-backed securities. Our top-down analysis of macroeconomic trends combined with a bottom-up fundamental analysis of market sectors, industries and issuers drives our investment process. We seek to maintain a limited duration, or interest rate sensitivity, to moderate the impact that fluctuating interest rates might have on the Fund's fixed income portfolio. Within the corporate bond and corporate loan sectors, we seek securities trading at reasonable valuations from issuers with characteristics such as strong market positions, stable cash flows, reasonable capital structures, supportive asset values, strong sponsorship and improving credit fundamentals. In the mortgage- and other asset-backed securities sector, we look to capture an attractive income stream and total return through our analysis of security prepayment assumptions, potential pricing inefficiencies and underlying collateral characteristics.

Manager's Discussion

Performance of the Fund's primary asset classes was positive during the fiscal year under review. The U.S. economy continued to expand and showed signs that growth could potentially be sustainable without active support from the Fed. Concerns about the Fed's tapering of its quantitative easing program led to a sharp rise in interest rates in May and June 2013, but outgoing Fed Chairman Ben Bernanke calmed investor concerns when he reiterated that any tapering would be data dependent and was not imminent. Although initial comments made by new Fed Chair Janet Yellen caused a brief spike in interest rates, overall the transition in Fed leadership went fairly smoothly and expectations were that the Fed would continue the same accommodative policies it has followed in recent years. With short-term interest rates remaining near zero and government bond yields close to historically low levels, investors continued to shift money to the credit markets in search of yield, resulting in strong flows to high yield bonds and term loans.

Given the interest rate spike in mid-2013, financial investments had mixed returns for the period, depending on their degree of rate sensitivity. The broader stock market, as measured by the Standard & Poor's[®] 500 Index, returned +21.86% over the 12-month period.^{4, 5} Yields for 10-year Treasury bonds rose from 1.87% at the beginning of the Fund's fiscal year to 2.73% at period-end, pressuring returns for assets with a high degree of rate sensitivity. In this environment, high yield corporate bonds returned +7.67%, followed

Dividend Distributions*

4/1/13 3/31/14

Month	Dividend per Common Share (cents)
April	7.3
May	7.3
June	7.3
July	7.3
August	7.3
September	7.3
October	7.3
November	7.3
December	7.3
January	7.3
February	7.3
March	7.3
Total	87.60

*All Fund distributions will vary depending upon current market conditions, and past distributions are not indicative of future trends.

by +5.04% for leveraged loans and +0.20% for mortgage-backed securities (MBS), as measured by the CS High Yield,^{2, 4} CS Leveraged Loan (CS LLI)^{2, 4} and Barclays U.S. MBS^{3, 4} Indexes, respectively. Over the course of the year, we initiated positions in municipal securities, which we funded in part by selling certain MBS. Our exposure to leveraged loans and high yield corporate bonds remained relatively unchanged.

High Yield Corporate Bonds

High yield bonds generated coupon-like returns of +7.67% for the year, as spread tightening of nearly 100 basis points (100 basis points equal one percentage point) offset the impact of higher interest rates on Treasury bonds.^{2, 4} The spread tightening was supported by favorable fundamental factors, which included a continued low default rate, as well as by technical factors such as positive inflows into the high yield market. Robust credit markets enabled many companies to refinance debt at lower interest rates and improve cash flows. Although the fundamental outlook remained favorable to us, we began to see early signs of shareholder-friendly activity such as pay-in-kind deals to fund dividends to shareholders and an increased presence by activist investors, which could be detrimental to credit quality going forward. Nevertheless, based on our expectations for continued moderate economic growth and a below average default rate, we remained optimistic on the asset class.

Floating Rate Corporate Loans

For the one-year period, the corporate loan asset class returned +5.04%, as measured by the CS LLI.^{2, 4} Technical conditions in the corporate loan market remained supportive amid robust issuance of new collateralized loan obligations (CLOs) and inflows into corporate loan mutual funds. The strong demand also helped buoy loans trading at significant discounts to par, including securities from lower rated and distressed issuers.

Inflows into loan mutual funds reached the highest level since early 2011 and accelerated amid expectations of Fed tapering. The robust inflows in the loan market reflected a broader trend of many investors moving to credit sectors with shorter duration as they sought a potential hedge against rising interest rates. New CLO issuance also contributed to strong technical factors, as banks drove demand for AAA-rated CLO tranches. CLO activity remained strong during the period despite uncertainty surrounding potential regulations, which could possibly constrain future issuance, as well as a more challenging arbitrage environment amid higher U.S. Treasury yields.

With fund inflows and CLO formation helping lift a majority of loans to trade over par, a wave of repricing transactions took place for a large portion of the loan market. Repricing and refinancing transactions that tightened spreads and lowered LIBOR floors helped increase demand for relatively high-coupon loans with protection against repricing activity, as well as for loans trading at a discount to par. The high demand also allowed issuers to alter the structure of deals as a majority of new issuance launched without maintenance covenants, furthering a market shift away from more restrictive covenants.

The default rate declined during the period, reflecting favorable loan market fundamentals including strong interest coverage and a lack of near-term maturities across the market.

Mortgage-Backed and Asset-Backed Securities

Agency MBS and high-quality securitized sectors had positive performance over the period and outperformed Treasuries with similar duration. In our view, agency mortgages were fully valued. Investor awareness about the timeline for tapering reduced anxiety. Questions remained about the demand source for agency MBS after the Fed ends its buying program. We felt the demand from banks, mortgage real estate investment trusts, overseas investors and domestic money managers would need to rise to compensate for the Fed's reduced presence in the MBS sector. The recent decline in gross issuance may contribute to tighter spreads, but we believed recent spreads did not fully compensate investors for the risks. As interest rates and mortgage rates have moved higher, actual prepayment levels have declined and could, in our opinion, allow investors to keep a greater portion of their income.

We shifted our MBS allocation to lower coupons during the period. Our heaviest exposure was in 3.0% and 4.0% coupon securities as we decreased exposure to 5.0% through 6.0% coupon MBS, concentrating on specified pools. We continued to invest in bonds from higher quality securitized sectors as we found what we viewed as fundamentally sound bonds at attractive yields. The Fund remained allocated to higher quality asset-backed securities and commercial MBS as credit fundamentals in the sectors have shown signs of improvement. We favored this positioning because we believe commercial real estate fundamentals could slowly and steadily improve over the next few years.

Thank you for your continued participation in Franklin Templeton Limited Duration Income Trust. We look forward to serving your future investment needs.

Sincerely,

Portfolio Management Team
Franklin Templeton Limited Duration Income Trust

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The index is unmanaged and includes reinvestment of any income or distributions. One cannot invest directly in an index, and an index is not representative of the Fund's portfolio.

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Performance Summary as of 3/31/14

Your dividend income will vary depending on dividends or interest paid by securities in the Fund's portfolio, adjusted for operating expenses. Capital gain distributions are net profits realized from the sale of portfolio securities. Total return reflects reinvestment of the Fund's dividends and capital gain distributions, if any, and any unrealized gains or losses. Total returns do not reflect any sales charges paid at inception or brokerage commissions paid on secondary market purchases. The performance table does not reflect any taxes that a shareholder would pay on Fund dividends, capital gain distributions, if any, or any realized gains on the sale of Fund shares.

FTF Share Prices

		3/31/14		3/31/13	Change
Net Asset Value (NAV)	\$	14.36	\$	14.30	+\$ 0.06
Market Price (NYSE MKT)	\$	13.05	\$	14.82	-\$ 1.77

Distributions

	Dividend Income
4/1/13–3/31/14	\$ 0.8760

Performance¹

	Cumulative Total Return ²				Average Annual Total Return ³	
	Based on		Based on		Based on	
	NAV ³ market price ⁴	change in	in	in	change in NAV ³	in market price ⁴
1-Year	+	6.77 %	-5.85 %	+	6.77 %	-5.85 %
5-Year	+	102.22 %	+	112.94 %	+	16.32 %
10-Year	+	104.86 %	+	94.81 %	+	6.90 %

Performance data represent past performance, which does not guarantee future results. Investment return and principal value will fluctuate, and you may have a gain or loss when you sell your shares. Current performance may differ from figures shown.

All investments involve risks, including possible loss of principal. Interest rate movements and mortgage prepayments will affect the Fund's share price and yield. Bond prices generally move in the opposite direction of interest rates. As prices of bonds in a fund adjust to a rise in interest rates, the Fund's share price may decline. Investments in lower rated bonds include higher risk of default and loss of principal. The Fund is actively managed but there is no guarantee that the manager's investment decisions will produce the desired results.

1. Figures are for common shares. As of 3/31/14, the Fund had leverage in the amount of 31.51% of the Fund's total portfolio. The Fund employs leverage through the issuance of Auction Preferred Shares and purchase of Mortgage Dollar Rolls. The use of financial leverage creates an opportunity for increased income but, at the same time, creates special risks (including the likelihood of greater volatility of net asset value and market price of common shares). The cost of leverage rises and falls with changes in short-term interest rates. Such increases/decreases in the cost of the Fund's leverage may be offset by increased/decreased income from the Fund's floating rate investments.

2. Total return calculations represent the cumulative and average annual changes in value of an investment over the periods indicated. Six-month returns have not been annualized.

3. Assumes reinvestment of distributions based on net asset value.

4. Assumes reinvestment of distributions based on the dividend reinvestment and cash purchase plan.

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Important Notice to Shareholders

Collateralized Debt Obligations

The Fund may invest in any tranche (other than the equity tranche) of collateralized debt obligations.

Collateralized debt obligations and similarly structured securities, sometimes known generally as CDOs, are interests in a trust or other special purpose entity (SPE) and are typically backed by a diversified pool of bonds, loans or other debt obligations. CDOs are not limited to investments in one type of debt and, accordingly, a CDO may be collateralized by corporate bonds, commercial loans, asset-backed securities, residential mortgage-backed securities, real estate investment trusts (REITs), commercial mortgage-backed securities, emerging market debt, and municipal bonds. Certain CDOs may use derivatives contracts, such as credit default swaps, to create synthetic exposure to assets rather than holding such assets directly, which entails the risks of derivative instruments.

Common varieties of CDOs include the following:

Collateralized loan obligations. Collateralized loan obligations (CLOs) are interests in a trust typically collateralized substantially by a pool of loans, which may include, among others, domestic and foreign senior secured loans, senior unsecured loans, and subordinate corporate loans made to domestic and foreign borrowers, including loans that may be rated below investment grade or equivalent unrated loans.

Collateralized bond obligations. Collateralized bond obligations (CBOs) are interests in a trust typically backed substantially by a diversified pool of high risk, below investment grade fixed income securities.

Structured finance CDOs. Structured finance CDOs are interests in a trust typically backed substantially by structured investment products such as asset-backed securities and commercial mortgage-backed securities.

Synthetic CDOs. In contrast to CDOs that directly own the underlying debt obligations, referred to as cash CDOs, synthetic CDOs are typically collateralized substantially by derivatives contracts, such as credit default swaps, to create synthetic exposure to assets rather than holding such assets directly, which entails the risks of derivative instruments, principally counterparty risk.

CDOs are similar in structure to collateralized mortgage obligations. Unless the context indicates otherwise, the discussion of CDOs below also applies to CLOs, CBOs and other similarly structured securities.

In CDOs, the cash flows from the SPE are split into two or more portions, called tranches (or classes), that vary in risk and yield. The riskiest portion is the equity tranche, which bears the first loss from defaults on the bonds or loans in the SPE and is intended to protect the other, more senior tranches from

severe, and potentially unforeseen, defaults or delinquent collateral payments (though such protection is not complete). Because they may be partially protected from defaults, senior tranches from a CDO typically have higher ratings and lower yields than the underlying collateral securities held by the trust, and may be rated investment grade. Despite protection from the equity tranche, more senior tranches can experience, and may have experienced in the past, substantial losses due to actual defaults, increased sensitivity to defaults due to collateral default, downgrades of the underlying collateral by rating agencies, forced liquidation of a collateral pool due to a failure of coverage tests, disappearance of protecting tranches, market anticipation of defaults, as well as a market aversion to CDO securities as a class.

The risks of an investment in a CDO depend largely on the type of collateral held by the SPE and the tranche of the CDO in which the Fund invests. Investment risk may also be affected by the performance of a CDO's collateral manager (the entity responsible for selecting and managing the pool of collateral securities held by the SPE trust), especially during a period of market volatility like that experienced in 2007-2008. Normally, CDOs are privately offered and sold, and thus, are not registered under the securities laws and traded in a public market. As a result, investments in CDOs may be characterized by the Fund as illiquid securities. However, an active dealer market may exist for CDOs allowing the Fund to trade CDOs with other qualified institutional investors under Rule 144A. To the extent such investments are characterized as illiquid, they will be subject to the Fund's restrictions on investments in illiquid securities. The Fund's investment in unregistered securities such as CDOs will not receive the same investor protection as an investment in registered securities.

All tranches of CDOs, including senior tranches with high credit ratings, can experience, and many have recently experienced, substantial losses due to actual defaults, increased sensitivity to future defaults due to the disappearance of protecting tranches, market anticipation of defaults, as well as market aversion to CDO securities as a class. Prices of CDO tranches have declined considerably. The drop in prices was initially triggered by the subprime mortgage crisis. Subprime mortgages make up a significant portion of the mortgage securities that collateralize many CDOs. As floating interest rates and mortgage default rates increased, the rating agencies that had rated the mortgage securities and CDO transactions backed by such mortgages realized their default assumptions were too low and began to downgrade the credit rating of these transactions. There can be no assurance that additional losses of equal or greater magnitude will not occur in the future.

In addition to the normal risks associated with debt securities and asset-backed securities (e.g., interest rate risk, credit risk and default risk), CDOs carry

additional risks including, but not limited to: (i) the possibility that distributions from collateral securities will not be adequate to make interest or other payments; (ii) the quality of the collateral may decline in value or quality or go into default or be downgraded; (iii) the Fund may invest in tranches of a CDO that are subordinate to other classes; and (iv) the complex structure of the security may not be fully understood at the time of investment and may produce disputes with the issuer, difficulty in valuing the security or unexpected investment results.

Certain issuers of CDOs may be deemed to be investment companies as defined in the 1940 Act. As a result, the Fund's investment in these structured investments from these issuers may be limited by the restrictions contained in the 1940 Act. CDOs generally charge management fees and administrative expenses that the shareholders of the Fund would pay indirectly.

Swap Agreements

Generally, swap agreements are contracts between the Fund and, typically, a brokerage firm, bank or other institutional buyer (the swap counterparty) for periods ranging from a few days to multiple years. In a basic swap transaction, the Fund agrees with the swap counterparty to exchange the returns (or differentials in rates of return) and/or cash flows earned or realized on a particular notional amount or value of predetermined underlying reference instruments. The notional amount is the set dollar or other value selected by the parties to use as the basis on which to calculate the obligations that the parties to a swap agreement have agreed to exchange. The parties typically do not actually exchange the notional amount. Instead they agree to exchange the returns that would be earned or realized if the notional amount were invested in given investments or at given interest rates. Examples of returns that may be exchanged in a swap agreement are those of a particular security, a particular fixed or variable interest rate, a particular non-U.S. currency, or a basket of securities representing a particular index. The Fund customarily enters into swap agreements that are based on the standard terms and conditions of an International Swaps and Derivatives Association (ISDA) Master Agreement. ISDA is a voluntary industry association of participants in the over-the-counter (OTC) derivatives markets that has developed standardized contracts used by such participants that have agreed to be bound by such standardized contracts.

The Fund will generally enter into swap agreements on a net basis, which means that the two payment streams that are to be made by the Fund and its counter-party are netted out, with the Fund receiving or paying, as the case may be, only the net difference in the two payments. The Fund's obligations (or rights) under a swap agreement that is entered into on a net basis will generally be the

net amount to be paid or received under the agreement based on the relative values of the obligations of each party upon termination of the agreement or at set valuation dates. The Fund will accrue its obligations under a swap agreement daily (offset by any amounts the counterparty owes the Fund). If the swap agreement does not provide for that type of netting, the full amount of the Fund's obligations will be accrued on a daily basis.

During the term of a swap agreement, the Fund is usually required to pledge to the swap counterparty, from time to time, an amount of cash and/or other assets equal to the total net amount (if any) that would be payable by the Fund to the counterparty if the swap were terminated on the date in question, including any early termination payments. Periodically, changes in the amount pledged are made to recognize changes in value of the contract resulting from, among other things, interest on the notional value of the contract, market value changes in the underlying investment, and/or dividends paid by the issuer of the underlying instrument. Likewise, the counterparty may be required to pledge cash or other assets to cover its obligations to the Fund. However, the amount pledged may not always be equal to or more than the amount due to the other party. Therefore, if a counterparty defaults on its obligations to the Fund, the amount pledged by the counterparty and available to the Fund may not be sufficient to cover all the amounts due to the Fund and the Fund may sustain a loss.

Inflation Index Swaps. An inflation index swap is a contract between two parties, whereby one party makes payments based on the cumulative percentage increase in an index that serves as a measure of inflation (typically, the Consumer Price Index) and the other party makes a regular payment based on a compounded fixed rate. Each party's payment obligation is determined by reference to a specified notional amount of money. Typically, an inflation index swap has payment obligations netted and exchanged upon maturity. The value of an inflation index swap is expected to change in response to changes in the rate of inflation. If inflation increases at a faster rate than anticipated at the time the swap is entered into, the swap will increase in value. Similarly, if inflation increases at a rate slower than anticipated at the time the swap is entered into, the swap will decrease in value.

Risks of Swaps. The use of swap transactions is a highly specialized activity, which involves investment techniques and risks different from those associated with ordinary portfolio securities transactions. Whether the Fund will be successful in using swap agreements to achieve its investment goal depends on the ability of the investment manager correctly to predict which types of investments are likely to produce greater returns. If the investment manager, in using swap agreements, is incorrect in its forecasts of market values, interest rates, inflation, currency exchange rates or other applicable factors, the investment performance of the Fund will be less than its performance would have been if it had not used the swap agreements.

The risk of loss to the Fund for swap transactions that are entered into on a net basis depends on which party is obligated to pay the net amount to the other party. If the counterparty is obligated to pay the net amount to the Fund, the risk of loss to the Fund is loss of the entire amount that the Fund is entitled to receive. If the Fund is obligated to pay the net amount, the Fund's risk of loss is limited to that net amount. If the swap agreement involves the exchange of the entire principal value of a security, the entire principal value of that security is subject to the risk that the other party to the swap will default on its contractual delivery obligations.

Because swap agreements are two-party contracts and may have terms of greater than seven days, they may be illiquid and, therefore, subject to the Fund's limitation on investments in illiquid securities. If a swap transaction is particularly large or if the relevant market is illiquid, the Fund may not be able to establish or liquidate a position at an advantageous time or price, which may result in significant losses. Participants in the swap markets are not required to make continuous markets in the swap contracts they trade. Participants could refuse to quote prices for swap contracts or quote prices with an unusually wide spread between the price at which they are prepared to buy and the price at which they are prepared to sell. However, the swap markets have grown substantially in recent years, with a large number of financial institutions acting both as principals and agents, utilizing standardized swap documentation. As a result, the swap markets have become increasingly liquid. Some swap agreements entail complex terms and may require a greater degree of subjectivity in their valuation.

Swap agreements currently are not automatically traded on exchanges and are not subject to government regulation. As a result, swap participants are not as protected as participants on organized exchanges. Performance of a swap agreement is the responsibility only of the swap counterparty and not of any exchange or clearinghouse. As a result, the Fund is subject to the risk that a counterparty will be unable or will refuse to perform under such agreement, including because of the counterparty's bankruptcy or insolvency. No limitations on daily price movements or speculative position limits apply to swap transactions. Counterparties may, however, limit the size or duration of a swap agreement with the Fund as a consequence of credit considerations. The Fund risks the loss of the accrued but unpaid amounts under a swap agreement, which could be substantial, in the event of a default, insolvency or bankruptcy by a swap counterparty. In such an event, the Fund will have contractual remedies pursuant to the swap agreements, but bankruptcy and insolvency laws could affect the Fund's rights as a creditor. If the counterparty's creditworthiness declines, the value of a swap agreement would likely decline, potentially resulting in losses. The Fund's investment manager will only approve a swap agreement counterparty for the Fund if the investment manager deems the

counterparty to be creditworthy under the Fund's Counterparty Credit Review Standards, adopted and reviewed annually by the Fund's board. However, in unusual or extreme market conditions, a counterparty's creditworthiness and ability to perform may deteriorate rapidly, and the availability of suitable replacement counterparties may become limited.

As a result of the recent turmoil in the financial markets, legislation has been enacted that will likely result in numerous proposals by various entities to regulate the OTC derivatives markets, including, specifically, most swaps. The Fund cannot predict the outcome or final form of any of these proposals or if or when any of them would become effective. However, any additional regulation or limitation on the OTC markets for derivatives could materially and adversely impact the ability of the Fund to buy or sell OTC derivatives, including certain swaps.

Certain Internal Revenue Service positions may limit the Fund's ability to use swap agreements in a desired tax strategy. It is possible that developments in the swap markets and/or the laws relating to swap agreements, including potential government regulation, could adversely affect the Fund's ability to benefit from using swap agreements, or could have adverse tax consequences.

Derivative Instruments

The performance of derivative instruments (including currency-related derivatives) depends largely on the performance of an underlying currency, security or index and such instruments often have risks similar to their underlying instrument in addition to other risks. Derivative instruments involve costs and can create economic leverage in the Fund's portfolio that may result in significant volatility and cause the Fund to participate in losses (as well as gains) in an amount that significantly exceeds the Fund's initial investment. Certain derivatives have the potential for unlimited loss, regardless of the size of the initial investment. Other risks include illiquidity, mispricing or improper valuation of the derivative instrument, and imperfect correlation between the value of the derivative and the underlying instrument so that the Fund may not realize the intended benefits. Their successful use will usually depend on the investment manager's ability to accurately forecast movements in the market relating to the underlying instrument. Should a market or markets, or prices of particular classes of investments, move in an unexpected manner, especially in unusual or extreme market conditions, the Fund may not achieve the anticipated benefits of the transaction, and it may realize losses, which could be significant. If the investment manager is not successful in using such derivative instruments, the Fund's performance may be worse than if the investment manager did not use

such derivative instruments at all. To the extent that the Fund uses such instruments for hedging purposes, there is the risk of imperfect correlation between movements in the value of the derivative instrument and the value of the underlying investment or other asset being hedged. There is also the risk, especially under extreme market conditions, that an instrument, which usually would operate as a hedge, provides no hedging benefits at all.

Use of these instruments could also result in a loss if the counterparty to the transaction (with respect to swap agreements, forward currency contracts and other OTC derivatives) does not perform as promised, including because of such counterparty's bankruptcy or insolvency. This risk may be heightened during volatile market conditions. Other risks include the inability to close out a position because the trading market becomes illiquid (particularly in the OTC markets) or the availability of counterparties becomes limited for a period of time. In addition, the presence of speculators in a particular market could lead to price distortions. To the extent that the Fund is unable to close out a position because of market illiquidity, the Fund may not be able to prevent further losses of value in its derivatives holdings and the Fund's liquidity may be impaired to the extent that it has a substantial portion of its otherwise liquid assets marked as segregated to cover its obligations under such derivative instruments. The Fund may also be required to take or make delivery of an underlying instrument that the investment manager would otherwise have attempted to avoid. Some derivatives can be particularly sensitive to changes in interest rates or other market prices. Investors should bear in mind that, while the Fund intends to use derivative strategies on a regular basis, it is not obligated to actively engage in these transactions, generally or in any particular kind of derivative, if the investment manager elects not to do so due to availability, cost or other factors.

The use of derivative strategies may also have a tax impact on the Fund. The timing and character of income, gains or losses from these strategies could impair the ability of the investment manager to utilize derivatives when it wishes to do so.

Annual Shareholders' Meeting

September 19, 2013

At an annual Meeting of Shareholders of the Fund held on September 19, 2013, shareholders approved the election of the following persons as Trustees of the Fund.

The results of the voting are as follows:

Trustees	Shares For	% of Shares	% of Voted	Withheld or Abstain	% of Shares	% of Voted
Harris J. Ashton	23,760,362.40	88.53 %	97.54 %	598,852.00	2.23 %	2.46 %
Edith E. Holiday	23,567,487.40	87.81 %	96.75 %	791,727.00	2.95 %	3.25 %
John B. Wilson	23,880,719.40	88.98 %	98.04 %	478,495.00	1.78 %	1.96 %

Note: Sam Ginn, Gregory E. Johnson, Rupert H. Johnson, Jr., Frank W.T. LaHaye, J. Michael Luttig, Frank A. Olson and Larry D. Thompson are Trustees of the Fund who are currently serving and whose terms of office continued after the meeting.

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Dividend Reinvestment Plan

The Fund's Dividend Reinvestment Plan (Plan) offers you a prompt and simple way to reinvest dividends and capital gain distributions (Distributions) in shares of the Fund. BNY Mellon Investment Servicing (US) Inc. (Agent), P.O. Box 43006, Providence, RI 02940-3006, will act as your Agent in administering the Plan. The Agent will open an account for you under the Plan in the same name as your outstanding shares are registered. The complete Terms and Conditions of the Dividend Reinvestment Plan are contained in the Fund's Dividend Reinvestment Plan Brochure. Participants may contact the Agent at the address above to obtain a copy of the Brochure.

You are automatically enrolled in the Plan unless you elect to receive Distributions in cash. If you own shares in your own name, you should notify the Agent, in writing, if you wish to receive Distributions in cash.

If the Fund declares a Distribution, you, as a participant in the Plan, will automatically receive an equivalent amount of shares of the Fund purchased on your behalf by the Agent.

If on the payment date for a Distribution, the net asset value per share is equal to or less than the market price per share plus estimated brokerage commissions, the Agent shall receive newly issued shares, including fractions, from the Fund for your account. The number of additional shares to be credited shall be determined by dividing the dollar amount of the Distribution by the greater of the net asset value per share on the payment date, or 95% of the then current market price per share.

If the net asset value per share exceeds the market price plus estimated brokerage commissions on the payment date for a Distribution, the Agent (or a broker-dealer selected by the Agent) shall try, for a purchase period of 30 days, to apply the amount of such Distribution on your shares (less your pro rata share of brokerage commissions incurred) to purchase shares on the open market. The weighted average price (including brokerage commissions) of all shares it purchases shall be your allocated price per share. If, before the Agent has completed its purchases, the market price plus estimated brokerage commissions exceeds the net asset value of the shares as of the payment date, the purchase price the Agent paid may exceed the net asset value of the shares, resulting in the acquisition of fewer shares than if such Distribution had been paid in shares issued by the Fund. Participants should note that they will not be able to instruct the Agent to purchase shares at a specific time or at a specific price. The Agent may make open-market purchases on any securities exchange where shares are traded, in the over-the-counter market or in negotiated transactions, and may be on such terms as to price, delivery and otherwise as the Agent shall determine.

The market price of shares on a particular date shall be the last sales price on NYSE MKT, or, if there is no sale on the exchange on that date, then the mean between the closing bid and asked quotations on the exchange on such date. The net asset value per share on a particular date shall be the amount most recently calculated by or on behalf of the Fund as required by law.

The Agent shall at all times act in good faith and agree to use its best efforts within reasonable limits to ensure the accuracy of all services performed under this agreement and to comply with applicable law, but assumes no responsibility and shall not be liable for loss or damage due to errors unless such error is caused by the Agent's negligence, bad faith, or willful misconduct or that of its employees. Your uninvested funds held by the Agent will not bear interest. The Agent shall have no responsibility for the value of shares acquired. For the purpose of cash investments, the Agent may commingle your funds with those of other participants in the same Fund.

There is no direct charge to participants for reinvesting Distributions, since the Agent's fees are paid by the Fund. However, when shares are purchased in the open market, each participant will pay a pro rata portion of any brokerage commissions incurred. If you elect by notice to the Agent to have it sell part or all of your shares and remit the proceeds, the Agent will deduct brokerage commissions from the proceeds.

The automatic reinvestment of Distributions does not relieve you of any taxes that may be payable on Distributions. In connection with the reinvestment of Distributions, shareholders generally will be treated as having received a Distribution equal to the cash Distribution that would have been paid.

The Agent will forward to you any proxy solicitation material and will vote any shares so held for you first in accordance with the instructions set forth on proxies you return to the Fund, and then with respect to any proxies you do not return to the Fund in the same portion as the Agent votes proxies the participants return to the Fund.

As long as you participate in the Plan, the Agent will hold the shares it has acquired for you in safekeeping, in its name or in the name of its nominee. This convenience provides added protection against loss, theft or inadvertent destruction of certificates. However, you may request that a certificate representing your Plan shares be issued to you. Upon your written request, the Agent will deliver to you, without charge, a certificate or certificates for the full shares. The Agent will send you a confirmation of each acquisition made for your account as soon as practicable, but not later than 60 days after the

acquisition date. Although from time to time you may have an undivided fractional interest in a share of the Fund, no certificates for a fractional share will be issued. Distributions on fractional shares will be credited to your account. If you terminate your account under the Plan, the Agent will adjust for any such undivided fractional interest in cash at the market value of shares at the time of termination.

You may withdraw from the Plan at any time, without penalty, by notifying the Agent in writing at the address above or by telephone at (866) 340-2909. Such termination will be effective with respect to a Distribution if the Agent receives your notice prior to the Distribution record date. The Agent or the Fund may terminate the Plan upon notice to you in writing mailed at least 30 days prior to any record date for the payment of any Distribution. Upon any termination, the Agent will issue, without charge, stock certificates for all full shares you own and will convert any fractional shares you hold at the time of termination to cash at current market price and send you a check for the proceeds.

The Fund or the Agent may amend the Plan. You will receive written notice at least 30 days before the effective date of any amendment.

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Financial Highlights

	Year Ended March 31,				
	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010
Per common share operating performance					
(for a common share outstanding throughout the year)					
Net asset value, beginning of year	\$ 14.30	\$ 13.82	\$ 14.01	\$ 13.48	\$ 10.15
Income from investment operations:					
Net investment income	0.80	0.90	0.92	0.98	0.93
Net realized and unrealized gains (losses)	0.20	0.62	(0.04)	0.65	3.40
Dividends to preferred shareholders from net investment income	(0.06)	(0.05)	(0.05)	(0.05)	