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201 King of Prussia Road, Suite 600  
Radnor, Pennsylvania 19087**

**NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS  
TO BE HELD ON MAY 9, 2008**

Notice is hereby given that an Annual Meeting of Shareholders of ING Clarion Real Estate Income Fund (the Real Estate Income Fund ) and ING Clarion Global Real Estate Income Fund (the Global Real Estate Income Fund ) (collectively, the Trusts ) will be held at the offices of ING Clarion Real Estate Securities, L.P., 201 King of Prussia Road, Suite 600, Radnor, Pennsylvania 19087 on May 9, 2008 at 2:00 p.m., Eastern Time (the Annual Meeting ). The Annual Meeting is being held for the purpose of considering the proposal set forth below and to transact such other business as may properly be brought before the Annual Meeting.

1. To elect two Trustees for the Real Estate Income Fund and two Trustees for the Global Real Estate Income Fund, each to hold office for the term indicated in the attached Proxy Statement and until their successors shall have been elected and qualified.
2. To transact such other business as may properly come before the Annual Meeting or any adjournments or postponements thereof.

The Boards of Trustees of each Trust (collectively, the Board ), including the independent trustees, unanimously recommend that you vote FOR the proposal.

We encourage you to contact the Trusts toll free at 1-888-711-4272 from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time if you have any questions. The Board has fixed the close of business on March 31, 2008 as the record date for the determination of shareholders entitled to notice of, and to vote at, the Annual Meeting. We urge you to complete, sign, date, and return the enclosed proxy in the postage-paid envelope provided so your shares will be represented at the Annual Meeting.

ING Clarion Real Estate Income Fund  
By Order of the Board of Trustees

ING Clarion Global Real Estate Income Fund  
By Order of the Board of Trustees

William E. Zitelli, Secretary

April 17, 2008

**It is important that your shares be represented at the Annual Meeting in person or by proxy. Whether or not you plan to attend the Annual Meeting, please complete, sign, date and return the enclosed proxy card in the accompanying postage-paid envelope. If you attend the Annual Meeting and wish to vote in person, you will be able to do so and your vote at the Annual Meeting will revoke any proxy you may have previously submitted. Your vote is extremely important. No matter how many or how few shares you own, please send in your proxy card today. You may revoke your proxy at any time prior to the Annual Meeting.**



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**PROXY STATEMENT**

**ANNUAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS  
TO BE HELD ON MAY 9, 2008**

This joint proxy statement ( Proxy Statement ) is furnished in connection with the solicitation of proxies by the Boards of Trustees (collectively, the Board ) of the ING Clarion Real Estate Income Fund (the Real Estate Income Fund ) and ING Clarion Global Real Estate Income Fund (the Global Real Estate Income Fund ) (collectively, the Trusts ) to be voted at the annual meeting of shareholders of the Trusts to be held on May 9, 2008, and any adjournments or postponements thereof (the Annual Meeting ). The Annual Meeting will be held at the offices of ING Clarion Real Estate Securities L.P. ( ING Clarion RES or the Advisor ), 201 King of Prussia Road, Suite 600, Radnor, Pennsylvania 19087. This Joint Proxy Statement and the enclosed proxy card are first being sent to shareholders on or about April 17, 2008.

A joint proxy statement is being used in light of the similar matters being considered and voted on by shareholders. This Proxy Statement will give you the information you need to vote on the proposal listed on the accompanying Notice of Annual Meeting of Shareholders ( Notice of Annual Meeting ). Much of the information in this Proxy Statement is required by the rules of the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission ( SEC ); some of it is technical. If there is anything you do not understand, please contact us at our toll-free number at 1-888-711-4272.

The cost of soliciting proxies will be borne by the Trusts. In addition, certain officers, directors and employees of the Trust, the Advisor and the Trust s administrator (none of whom will receive additional compensation therefor) may solicit proxies by telephone or mail.

Upon request, the Trusts will furnish to shareholders, without charge, a copy of their respective annual report(s) or more recent semi-annual report succeeding the annual report. The annual or semi-annual report for each Trust may be obtained by calling 1-888-711-4272. Each Trust is registered as a closed-end management investment company under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended (the 1940 Act ), and each Trust s shares are registered under the Securities Act of 1933.

**GENERAL INFORMATION**

**Why is a shareholder meeting being held?**

The common shares of each Trust are listed on the New York Stock Exchange ( NYSE ), which requires the Trusts to hold an annual meeting of shareholders.

**What proposal will be voted on?**

As described in more detail in this Proxy Statement, shareholders of the Real Estate Income Fund are being asked to elect two Class II Trustees and shareholders of the Global Real Estate Income Fund are being asked to elect two

Class I Trustees (collectively, the Proposal ).



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### **Will my vote make a difference?**

Yes! Your vote is important and will make a difference in the governance of each Trust, no matter how many shares you own.

### **Who is asking for my vote?**

The enclosed proxy is being solicited by the Board for use at the Annual Meeting to be held on May 9, 2008, and, if the Annual Meeting is adjourned or postponed, at any later meetings, for the purposes stated in the attached Notice of Annual Meeting.

### **How do I vote?**

If you do not expect to be present at the Annual Meeting and wish to vote your shares, please vote your proxy in accordance with the instructions included on the enclosed proxy card. If your proxy is properly returned, shares represented by it will be voted at the Annual Meeting in accordance with your instructions. However, if no instructions are specified on the proxy, the proxy will be voted FOR the Proposal and in accordance with the judgment of the persons appointed as proxies upon any other matter that may properly come before the Annual Meeting. Shareholders may revoke their proxy at any time prior to the time they are voted by delivering a subsequently dated proxy.

If you wish to vote your shares or revoke a previous proxy at the Annual Meeting, and you own your shares through a bank, broker-dealer or other third party intermediary who holds your shares of record, you must request a legal proxy from the bank, broker-dealer or other third party intermediary. Any previously executed proxy will be revoked, and your vote will not be counted unless you appear at the Annual Meeting and vote in person or legally appoint another proxy to vote on your behalf.

### **How does the Board recommend that shareholders vote on the Proposal?**

The Board unanimously recommends that you vote for the Proposal.

### **Who is eligible to vote?**

Shareholders of record of each Trust at the close of business on March 31, 2008 (the Record Date) are entitled to be present and to vote at the Annual Meeting or any adjournment or postponement thereof. Each share is entitled to one vote. Shares represented by duly executed proxies will be voted in accordance with your instructions. If you sign the proxy, but do not fill in a vote, your shares will be voted in accordance with the Board's recommendation. If any other business is brought before the Annual Meeting, your shares will be voted at the discretion of the persons named as proxies unless you specify otherwise in your proxy.

### **How many shares of each Trust were outstanding as of the record date?**

As of the Record Date, the Real Estate Income Fund had 14,994,030 common shares outstanding and 4,800 preferred shares outstanding. As of the Record Date the Global Real Estate Income Fund had 103,329,091 common shares outstanding and 36,400 preferred shares outstanding.

## **THE PROPOSAL: TO ELECT TRUSTEES**

### **Who are the nominees for Trustee of the Real Estate Income Fund?**

The Trustees of the Real Estate Income Fund are classified into three classes, as set forth below. Trustees with an asterisk (\*) are designated as Trustees elected by the Real Estate Income Fund's preferred shareholders.

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**Class I Trustees**

Mr. T. Ritson Ferguson and Mr. Frederick Hammer are the Class I Trustees. It is currently anticipated that each will stand for re-election at the Trust's 2010 annual meeting of shareholders.

**Class II Trustees**

Mr. Jarrett B. Kling\* and Mr. Asuka Nakahara are the Class II Trustees. Mr. Kling and Mr. Nakahara are standing for re-election at the Annual Meeting.

**Class III Trustees**

Mr. Richard L. Sutton\* and Mr. John Bartholdson are the Class III Trustees. It is currently anticipated that each will stand for re-election at the Trust's 2009 annual meeting of shareholders.

**What are the different voting rights for the Real Estate Income Fund Class II Nominees elected by the preferred shareholders?**

Shareholders of the Real Estate Income Fund are being asked to elect only Mr. Jarrett B. Kling and Mr. Asuka Nakahara, the Class II Trustees, at the Annual Meeting. Mr. Kling is designated as a Nominee elected by the Fund's preferred shareholders. Holders of outstanding preferred shares, voting separately as a class, are entitled to elect two of the Trust's Trustees. The remaining Trustees are elected by holders of common shares and preferred shares, voting together as a single class. At the Annual Meeting, Mr. Kling will be subject to the vote of the preferred shares, as a class. Mr. Nakahara will be subject to the vote of the common shares and the preferred shares, voting together as a single class.

**Who are the nominees for Trustee of the Global Real Estate Income Fund?**

The Trustees of the Global Real Estate Income Fund are classified into three classes, as set forth below. Trustees with an asterisk (\*) are designated as Trustees elected by the Global Real Estate Income Fund's preferred shareholders.

**ING CLARION GLOBAL REAL ESTATE INCOME FUND**

**Class I Trustees**

Mr. T. Ritson Ferguson and Mr. Frederick Hammer are the Class I Trustees. Mr. Ferguson and Mr. Hammer are standing for re-election at the Annual Meeting.

**Class II Trustees**

Mr. Jarrett B. Kling\* and Mr. Asuka Nakahara are the Class II Trustees. It is currently anticipated that each will stand for re-election at the Trust's 2009 annual meeting of shareholders.

**Class III Trustees**

Mr. Richard L. Sutton\* and Mr. John Bartholdson are the Class III Trustees. It is currently anticipated that each will stand for re-election at the Trust's 2010 annual meeting of shareholders.

**What are the different voting rights for the Global Real Estate Income Fund Class I Nominees elected by the preferred shareholders?**

Shareholders of the Global Real Estate Income Fund are being asked to elect only Mr. T. Ritson Ferguson and Mr. Frederick Hammer, the Class I Trustees, at the Annual Meeting. Neither of the Class I Trustees is designated as a Nominee elected by the Fund's preferred shareholders. Holders of outstanding preferred shares, voting as a class,

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are entitled to elect two of the Trust's Trustees. The remaining Trustees are elected by holders of common shares and preferred shares, voting together as a single class. At the Annual Meeting, Mr. Ferguson and Mr. Hammer will be subject to the vote of the common shares and the preferred shares, voting together as a single class.

The Class II Trustees of the Real Estate Income Fund and the Class I Trustees of the Global Real Estate Income Fund (collectively, the Nominees) will hold office for three years or until his successors shall have been elected and qualified. The other Trustees of each Trust will continue to serve under their current terms and will be elected at subsequent annual meetings of shareholders as indicated above. Each Nominee is currently a Trustee of each Trust. Unless authority is withheld, it is the intention of the persons named in the proxy to vote the proxy FOR the election of the Nominees. Each Nominee has indicated that he has consented to serve as a Trustee if elected at the Annual Meeting. If a Nominee declines or otherwise becomes unavailable for election, however, the proxy confers discretionary power on the persons named therein to vote in favor of a substitute nominee or nominees.

Certain information concerning the Trustees, including the Nominees, is set forth in the table below. Except as indicated in the charts below, each individual has held the office shown or other offices in the same company for the last five years. The interested Trustees (as defined in Section 2(a)(19) of the 1940 Act) are indicated by an asterisk (\*). Independent Trustees are those who are not interested persons of the Trusts or ING Clarion RES and comply with the definition of independent (as defined in Rule 10A-3 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the Exchange Act)) (the Independent Trustees). Each Trustee oversees the Real Estate Income Fund and Global Real Estate Income Fund within the investment company complex, as such term is defined in Form N-2. Each Trustee, except Mr. Bartholdson, has served in such capacity since the Real Estate Income Fund and the Global Real Estate Income Fund commenced operations on September 16, 2003 and February 18, 2004, respectively. Mr. Bartholdson was appointed to the Board of each Trust on August 23, 2004. After a Trustee's initial term, each Trustee is expected to serve a three year term concurrent with the class of Trustees for which he serves. The business address of each Trustee is 201 King of Prussia Road, Suite 600, Radnor, Pennsylvania 19087.

<b>Name (Age)</b>	<b>Positions Held with the Trusts</b>	<b>Principal Occupation(s) During the Past 5 Years</b>	<b>Other Directorships Held</b>
* T. Ritson Ferguson (48)	Trustee, President and Chief Executive Officer	Managing Director and Chief Investment Officer of ING Clarion Real Estate Securities, L.P. since 1995.	Board Member of the Community Coalition of Chester County since 2005; Board Member of ING Business Select Ltd.(UK) since 2007.
* Jarrett B. Kling (64)	Trustee	Managing Director of ING Clarion Real Estate Securities, L.P.	Trustee of The Hirtle and Callaghan Trust since 1995; National Trustee of the Boys and Girls Clubs of America since 1997; Board of Old Mutual Advisor Funds since 2005.

\* Interested person of the Trusts as defined in the 1940 Act. Messrs. Ferguson and Kling are interested persons due to their employment with the Advisor.



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<b>Name (Age) Independent Trustees</b>	<b>Position with the Trusts</b>	<b>Principal Occupation(s) During the Past 5 Years</b>	<b>Other Directorships Held</b>
Asuka Nakahara (52)	Trustee	Associate Director of the Zell-Lurie Real Estate Center at the Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania, since July 1999; Lecturer of Real Estate at the Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania since July 1999; Chief Financial Officer of Trammell Crow Company (1996-1998); Chief Knowledge Officer of Trammell Crow Company (1998-1999).	Advisory Board Member of the HBS Club of Philadelphia since 2000; Board Member of The Philadelphia Foundation since 2004; Board Member of the Children's Hospital of Philadelphia since 2006; Board Member of Merion Golf Club since 2007; Trustee of Ardmore Presbyterian Church (2002-2004).
Frederick S. Hammer (71)	Trustee	Co-Chairman of Inter-Atlantic Group since 1994 and a member of its investment committee; Co-Chairman of Guggenheim Securities Holdings, LLC (2002-2003); non- executive.	Serves on the Boards of E-Duction, Inc. since 2005, Avalon Insurance Holdings, Inc. since 2006 and Homeowners Insurance Corp. since 2006; Director of US Fiduciary Corp. since 2006; Chairman of the Board of Annuity and Life Re (Holdings), Ltd. (1998-2005); Director on the Boards of Tri-Arc Financial Services, Inc. (1989-2004) and Magellan Insurance Company Ltd. (1989-2004); Director of Medallion Financial Corporation (1999-2002), IKON Office Solutions, Inc. (1986-1999) and VISA International (1978-1989); Trustee of the Madison Square Boys and Girls Club (1978 - 2006).
Richard L. Sutton (72)	Trustee	Of Counsel, Morris, Nichols, Arsht & Tunnell since 2000; Partner, Morris, Nichols, Arsht & Tunnell (1966-2000).	Trustee of the Unidel Foundation, Inc. since 2000; Board of Directors of ING Global Real Estate Securities Ltd. since 2006, Wilmington Country Club (1999-2004), Grand Opera House, Inc., (1976-1992), University of Delaware Library Associates, Inc. (1981-1999), Wilmington

Club (1987-2003), and  
American Judicature Society  
(1995-1999).

John Bartholdson  
(63)

Trustee/Audit  
Committee  
Financial Expert

Senior Vice President, CFO and  
Treasurer, and a Director of  
Triumph Group, Inc.  
(1993-2007).

Board Member of Old Mutual  
Advisor Funds, Old Mutual  
Advisor Funds, II and Old  
Mutual Insurance Series Fund  
since 2004.



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No Nominee is a party adverse to the Trusts, or any of their affiliates, in any material pending legal proceeding, nor does any Nominee have an interest materially adverse to the Trusts.

**Who are the Officers of the Trusts?**

Information about the Trusts' principal executive officers (the Officers) is set forth below. Mr. Ferguson has served in such capacity since each Trust commenced operations. Mr. Blome was appointed Chief Financial Officer on February 16, 2006. Mr. Zitelli was appointed Secretary and Chief Compliance Officer on December 5, 2007. Each of the Trusts' officers also serves as officers of the Advisor. The business address of each Officer is 201 King of Prussia Road, Suite 600, Radnor, Pennsylvania 19087.

<b>Name (Age)</b>	<b>Position</b>	<b>Principal Occupation(s) During the Past 5 Years</b>
T. Ritson Ferguson(48)	President and Chief Executive Officer	Managing Director and Chief Investment Officer of ING Clarion Real Estate Securities, L.P. since 1995.
Jonathan Blome(30)	Chief Financial Officer	Senior Vice President of ING Clarion RES since 2005; Supervising Senior Auditor of Ernst & Young LLP (2000- 2005).
William E. Zitelli(39)	Secretary and Chief Compliance Officer	Internal Counsel, Senior Vice President and Chief Compliance Officer of ING Clarion RES since 2007; Senior Counsel of Cipperman & Company (2006-2007); Senior Consultant of SEC Compliance Consultants (2005-2006); SEI Investments Company (200-2005).

**What are the Committees of the Board?**

The Trustees have determined that the efficient conduct of the Trusts' affairs makes it desirable to delegate responsibility for certain specific matters to committees of the Board. The committees meet as often as necessary, either in conjunction with regular meetings of the Board or otherwise.

*Audit Committee.* Each Trust has an audit committee, established in accordance with Section 3(a)(58)(A) of the Exchange Act, composed of Independent Trustees who are independent as that term is defined in the NYSE's listing standards pertaining to closed-end funds and as defined in the 1940 Act. The Audit Committee is charged with (i) oversight of the Trusts' financial statements and the independent audit thereof; and (ii) selecting and evaluating a firm of independent accountants for each Trust and reviewing accounting matters with the accountants. The Audit Committee is governed by a written charter, which is attached to this Proxy Statement as Appendix A.

The Audit Committee presents the following report:

The Audit Committee has performed the following functions: (i) the Audit Committee reviewed and discussed the audited financial statements of each Trust with management of each Trust, (ii) the Audit Committee discussed with the independent accountants the matters required to be discussed by the Statement on Auditing Standards No. 61,

(iii) the Audit Committee received the written disclosures and the letter from the independent auditors required by ISB Standard No. 1 and has discussed with the accountants the accountants' independence and (iv) the Audit Committee recommended to the Board of Trustees of each Trust that the financial statements be included in each Trust's Annual Report for the past fiscal year.

*Nominating Committee.* Each Trust has a Nominating Committee, which performs the functions set forth in the Trusts' Nominating Committee Charter. The Nominating Committee is composed of all of the Trust's Independent Trustees. The Nominating Committee Charter is not available on the Trusts' website, but is attached hereto to this Proxy Statement as Appendix B.

As part of its duties, the Nominating Committee nominates individuals for Independent Trustee membership on the Board. The Nominating Committee will consider trustee candidates recommended by shareholders. In

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considering candidates submitted by shareholders, the Nominating Committee will take into consideration the needs of the Board and the qualifications of the candidate. The Nominating Committee may also take into consideration the number of shares held by the recommending shareholder and the length of time that such shares have been held. To have a candidate considered by the Nominating Committee, a shareholder must submit the recommendation in writing, which must include the following information:

The name of the shareholder and evidence of the person's ownership of shares of the Trust for which the shareholder is recommending the nominee for the Board, including the number of shares owned and the length of time of ownership; and

The name of the candidate, the candidate's resume or a listing of his or her qualifications to be a Trustee of the Trust and the nominee's consent to be named as a Trustee if selected by the Nominating Committee and nominated by the Board.

The shareholder recommendation and related information described above must be sent to the Trusts' Secretary, c/o the Advisor at 201 King of Prussia Road, Suite 600, Radnor, Pennsylvania 19087 and must be received by the Secretary no less than 120 days prior to the anniversary date of the Trusts' most recent annual meeting of shareholders. The Nominating Committee believes that the minimum qualifications for serving as a Trustee of the Trust are that a candidate demonstrate, by significant accomplishment in his or her field, an ability to make a meaningful contribution to the respective Board's oversight of the business and affairs of the Trust and have an impeccable record and reputation for honest and ethical conduct in both his or her professional and personal activities. In addition, the Nominating Committee examines a candidate's specific experiences and skills, time availability in light of other commitments, potential conflicts of interest and independence from management and the Trusts. The Nominating Committee also seeks to have the Boards represent a diversity of backgrounds and experience. The Trust does not pay any third party a fee to assist in the process of identifying and evaluating candidates.

**Does the Trust have a policy with respect to the attendance of Trustees at the Annual Meeting?**

It is each Trust's policy to encourage Trustees that are standing for election at an annual meeting to attend such annual meeting. Mr. Ferguson attended the annual meeting of the Real Estate Income Fund and the Global Real Estate Income Fund held on May 7, 2007.

**How can shareholders send communications to the Board?**

Shareholders and other interested parties may contact the Board or any member of the Board by mail. To communicate with the Board or any member of the Board, correspondence should be addressed to the Board or the Board members with whom you wish to communicate by either name or title. All such correspondence should be sent c/o Secretary of the Trusts at 201 King of Prussia Road, Suite 600, Radnor, Pennsylvania 19087.

**Table of Contents****Do the Trustees own shares of the Funds?**

The following table shows the dollar range of equity securities beneficially owned by each Interested Trustee and each Independent Trustee as of as of March 31, 2008 or a more recent date. Dollar amount ranges disclosed are set forth as established by the SEC. Beneficial ownership is determined in accordance with Rule 16a-1(a)(2) under the Exchange Act.

<b>Name of Trustee</b>	<b>Name of Fund</b>	<b>Dollar Range of Equity Securities in the Funds</b>	<b>Aggregate Dollar Range of Equity Securities in All Funds Overseen or to Be Overseen by Nominee in Family of Investment Companies*</b>
<b><u>Interested Trustees</u></b>			
T. Ritson Ferguson	Real Estate Income Fund	Over \$100,000	Over \$100,000
	Global Real Estate Income Fund	Over \$100,000	
Jarrett B. Kling	Real Estate Income Fund	None	Over \$100,000
	Global Real Estate Income Fund	Over \$100,000	
<b><u>Independent Trustees</u></b>			
Asuka Nakahara	Real Estate Income Fund	\$10,001-\$50,000	Over \$100,000
	Global Real Estate Income Fund	\$50,001-\$100,000	
Frederick S. Hammer	Real Estate Income Fund	\$10,001-\$50,000	\$50,001-\$100,000
	Global Real Estate Income Fund	\$10,001-\$50,000	
Richard L. Sutton	Real Estate Income Fund	Over \$100,000	Over \$100,000
	Global Real Estate Income Fund	Over \$100,000	
John Bartholdson	Real Estate Income Fund	\$10,001-\$50,000	\$50,001-\$100,000
	Global Real Estate Income Fund	\$10,001-\$50,000	

(\*) The family of registered investment companies includes the Real Estate Income Fund and Global Real Estate Income Fund.

As of March 31, 2008, each Trustee and the Trustees and officers of the Trust as a group owned less than 1% of the outstanding shares of each Trust.

As of March 31, 2008, or a more recent date, none of the Independent Trustees, or their immediate family members, owned beneficially or of record any securities of ING Clarion RES or any person controlling, controlled by or under common control with the Advisor or the Funds distributor. Beneficial ownership is determined in accordance with Rule 16a-1(a)(2) under the 1934 Act.

**How often do the Trustees meet?**

The Board of Trustees of the Real Estate Income Fund held 4 meetings during the calendar year ended December 31, 2007. The Board of Trustees of the Global Real Estate Income Fund held 4 meetings during the calendar year ended

December 31, 2007. Two meetings of the Audit Committee of each Trust were held during the calendar year ended December 31, 2007. No meetings of the Nominating Committee of either Trust were held during the calendar year ended December 31, 2007. Each Trustee attended at least 75% of the meetings of the Board (and any committee thereof on which he serves) held during the calendar year ended December 31, 2007.

**Table of Contents****What are the Trustees paid for their services?**

The table below sets forth the total compensation paid to each Interested Trustee for the calendar year ended December 31, 2007.

Name of Interested Trustee	Aggregate Compensation		Pension or Retirement Benefits Accrued as Part of Company Expenses	Estimated Annual Benefits upon Retirement	Total Compensation from the Funds and Fund Complex
	from the Real Estate Fund	from the Global Real Estate Fund			
T. Ritson Ferguson	\$ 0	\$ 0	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	\$ 0
Jarrett B. Kling	\$ 0	\$ 0	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	\$ 0

The table below sets forth the total compensation paid to each Independent Trustee for the calendar year ended December 31, 2007.

Name of Independent Trustee	Aggregate Compensation		Pension or Retirement Benefits Accrued as Part of Company Expenses	Estimated Annual Benefits upon Retirement	Total Compensation from the Funds and Fund Complex
	from the Real Estate Fund	from the Global Real Estate Fund			
Asuka Nakahara	\$ 10,000	\$ 30,000	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	\$ 40,000
Frederick S. Hammer	\$ 10,000	\$ 30,000	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	\$ 40,000
Richard L. Sutton	\$ 10,000	\$ 30,000	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	\$ 40,000
John Bartholdson	\$ 11,000	\$ 32,000	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	\$ 43,000

**What is the vote required for the Proposal?****Real Estate Income Fund**

The holders of the Trust's outstanding preferred shares will vote separately as a class, with respect to the election of Mr. Kling. The holders of the Trust's common shares and the holders of the Trust's preferred shares will have equal voting rights (*i.e.*, one vote per share), and will vote together as a single class with respect to the election of Mr. Nakahara. The affirmative vote of a plurality of the shares of the Trust present at the Annual Meeting at which a quorum is present is necessary to approve the Proposal.

**Global Real Estate Income Fund**

The holders of the Trust's common shares and the holders of the Trust's preferred shares will have equal voting rights (*i.e.*, one vote per share), and will vote together as a single class with respect to the election of Mr. Ferguson and Mr. Hammer. The affirmative vote of a plurality of the shares of the Trust present at the Annual Meeting at which a quorum is present is necessary to approve the Proposal.

**THE BOARD, INCLUDING THE INDEPENDENT TRUSTEES, UNANIMOUSLY  
RECOMMENDS THAT YOU VOTE FOR THE PROPOSAL.**

#### **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

##### **Investment Advisor and Sub-Advisor**

ING Clarion RES acts as each Trust's investment advisor. ING Clarion RES is responsible for the day-to-day management of the Global Real Estate Income Fund's assets. ING Clarion RES is also responsible for the allocation of the Real Estate Income Fund's portfolio assets between equity and fixed-income investments and for the selection and monitoring of the Real Estate Income Fund's sub-advisor, ING Clarion Capital, LLC (Clarion Capital or the Sub-Advisor), which will select the Trust's real estate fixed income securities. ING Clarion RES is located at 201 King of Prussia Road, Suite 600, Radnor, Pennsylvania 19087 and Clarion Capital is located at 230 Park Avenue, New York, New York 10169.

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As of December 31, 2007, ING Clarion RES had approximately \$18 billion in assets under management. The Real Estate Income Fund's sub-advisor, Clarion Capital, is a real estate fixed income manager with approximately \$5 billion in assets under management as of December 31, 2007. An affiliate of the Advisor and Sub-Advisor, ING Clarion Partners, manages over \$25 billion of private market real estate with approximately 380 employees operating from 10 offices nationwide as of December 31, 2007. All three entities share a common real estate research platform and manage collectively over \$48 billion in diverse real estate securities and real estate assets. ING Clarion RES, ING Clarion Partners and Clarion Capital are subsidiaries of the ING Groep N.V. (ING Group), a global financial services organization based in The Netherlands and operating in 50 countries with over 124,634 employees and 938 billion in assets under management as of December 31, 2007. ING Group conducts business across all financial markets and asset classes with a significant presence in banking, insurance and investment management. ING Group's Real Estate Division (ING Real Estate) is the third largest global real estate manager and investor with \$157.8 billion in real estate assets under management as of December 31, 2007. ING Real Estate is a global organization with offices in The Netherlands, Belgium, France, Romania, the United Kingdom, Spain, Germany, Italy, the Czech Republic, Poland, Hungary, Japan, Singapore, South Korea, China, the United States, Canada and Australia.

## **Administrator**

The Bank of New York Mellon, located at One Wall Street, New York, New York 10286, serves as each Trust's administrator.

## **Independent Auditors**

Ernst & Young LLP (E&Y) has been selected as the independent auditor by the Audit Committee of each Trust and ratified by a majority of each Trust's Board, including a majority of the Independent Trustees by vote cast in person, to audit the accounts of the Trust for and during each Trust's fiscal year ending in 2008. The Trusts do not know of any direct or indirect financial interest of E&Y in the Trust.

Representatives of E&Y will attend the Annual Meeting, will have the opportunity to make a statement if they desire to do so and will be available to answer questions.

## **Audit Fees**

### **Real Estate Income Fund**

The aggregate fees billed by E&Y to the Real Estate Income Fund for professional services rendered for the audit of the Trust's annual financial statements for the fiscal years ended December 31, 2007 and December 31, 2006 were \$27,000 and \$46,700, respectively.

### **Global Real Estate Income Fund**

The aggregate fees billed by E&Y to the Global Real Estate Income Fund for professional services rendered for the audit of the Trust's annual financial statements for the fiscal years ended December 31, 2007 and December 31, 2006 were \$57,000 and \$77,800, respectively.

## **Audit-Related Fees**

### **Real Estate Income Fund**



The aggregate fees billed by E&Y to the Real Estate Income Fund for assurance and related services reasonably related to the performance of the audit of the Trust's annual financial statements for the calendar years ended December 31, 2007 and December 31, 2006 were \$0 and \$0, respectively.

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**Global Real Estate Income Fund**

The aggregate fees billed by E&Y to the Global Real Estate Income Fund for assurance and related services reasonably related to the performance of the audit of the Fund's annual financial statements for the calendar years ended December 31, 2007 and December 31, 2006 were \$0 and \$0, respectively.

**Tax Fees**

**Real Estate Income Fund**

The aggregate fees billed by E&Y to the Real Estate Income Fund for professional services rendered for tax compliance, tax advice, and tax planning for the calendar years ended December 31, 2007 and December 31, 2006 were \$6,325 and \$11,000, respectively.

**Global Real Estate Income Fund**

The aggregate fees billed by E&Y to the Global Real Estate Income Fund for professional services rendered for tax compliance, tax advice, and tax planning for the calendar years ended December 31, 2007 and December 31, 2006 were \$6,325 and \$11,000, respectively.

**All Other Fees**

**Real Estate Income Fund**

The aggregate fees billed by E&Y to the Real Estate Income Fund for services other than those described above for the calendar years ended December 31, 2007 and December 31, 2006 were \$0 and \$0, respectively.

**Global Real Estate Income Fund**

The aggregate fees billed by E&Y to the Global Real Estate Income Fund for services other than those described above for the calendar years ended December 31, 2007 and December 31, 2006 were \$0 and \$0, respectively.

**Aggregate Non-Audit Fees**

**Real Estate Income Fund**

The aggregate non-audit fees billed by E&Y to the Trust, the Advisor or any entity controlling, controlled by, or under common control with the Advisor that provides ongoing services to the Trust (except for any sub-advisor whose role is primarily portfolio management and is subcontracted with or overseen by another investment advisor) for the calendar years ended December 31, 2007 and December 31, 2006 were \$130,737 and \$117,315, respectively.

**Global Real Estate Income Fund**

The aggregate non-audit fees billed by E&Y to the Trust, the Advisor or any entity controlling, controlled by, or under common control with the Advisor that provides ongoing services to the Trust (except for any sub-advisor whose role is primarily portfolio management and is subcontracted with or overseen by another investment advisor) for the calendar year ended December 31, 2007 and December 31, 2006 were \$130,737 and \$117,315, respectively.

**Audit Committee Pre-Approval Policies and Procedures**

The Audit Committee of each Trust adopted Pre-Approval Policies and Procedures, which are contained in the Audit Committee Charter which appears in Appendix A hereto. The Audit Committee has pre-approved all audit and non-audit services provided by E&Y for each Trust, and all non-audit services provided by E&Y to the Advisor, or any entity controlling, controlled by, or under common control with the Advisor that provides ongoing services to the Trusts, which are related to the operations of the Trust. None of the hours expended on the principal accountant's engagement to audit the Trusts' financial statements for the periods set forth above were attributable to work performed by persons other than the principal accountant's full-time, permanent employees.

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### **Principal Shareholders**

As of the Record Date, to the knowledge of each Trust, no person beneficially owned more than 5% of the voting securities of any class of securities of either Trust.

### **Section 16(a) Beneficial Ownership Reporting Compliance**

Section 16(a) of the Exchange Act and Section 30(h) of the 1940 Act require each Trust's officers and Trustees, certain officers of the Trusts' investment advisor, affiliated persons of the investment advisor, and persons who beneficially own more than ten percent of the Trusts' shares to file certain reports of ownership (Section 16 filings) with the SEC and the NYSE. Based upon the Real Estate Income Fund's review of the copies of such forms effecting the Section 16 filings received by it, the Real Estate Income Fund believes that for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2007, all filings applicable to such persons were completed and filed. Based upon the Global Real Estate Income Fund's review of the copies of such forms effecting the Section 16 filings received by it, the Global Real Estate Income Fund believes that for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2007, all filings applicable to such persons were completed and filed.

### **Deadline for Shareholder Proposals**

Shareholder proposals intended for inclusion in the Trusts' proxy statement in connection with the 2009 annual meeting of shareholders pursuant to Rule 14a-8 under the Exchange Act must be received at the Trusts' principal executive offices by December 13, 2008. In order for proposals made outside of Rule 14a-8 under the Exchange Act to be considered timely within the meaning of Rule 14a-4(c) under the Exchange Act, such proposals must be received by the Trusts at the Trusts' principal executive offices not later than February 26, 2009.

### **Privacy Principles of the Trust**

Each Trust is committed to maintaining the privacy of shareholders and to safeguarding their non-public personal information. The following information is provided to help you understand what personal information each Trust collects, how each Trust protects that information and why, in certain cases, the Trusts may share information with select other parties.

Generally, the Trusts do not receive any non-public personal information relating to their shareholders, although certain non-public personal information of their shareholders may become available to the Trusts. The Trusts do not disclose any non-public personal information about their shareholders or former shareholders to anyone, except as permitted by law or as is necessary in order to service shareholder accounts (for example, to a transfer agent or third party administrator).

Each Trust restricts access to non-public personal information about the shareholders to employees of the Advisor with a legitimate business need for the information. The Trusts maintain physical, electronic and procedural safeguards designed to protect the non-public personal information of their shareholders.

### **Voting**

The Board has fixed the close of business on March 31, 2008 as the record date for the determination of shareholders of each Trust entitled to notice of, and to vote at, the Annual Meeting. Shareholders of each Trust on that date will be entitled to one vote on each matter to be voted on by that Trust for each share held and a fractional vote with respect to fractional shares with no cumulative voting rights. For each Trust, the presence in person or by proxy of shareholders owning a majority of the shares entitled to vote on any matter is necessary to constitute a quorum for the

transaction of business at the Annual Meeting.

In the event that a quorum of shareholders is not represented at the Annual Meeting, the meeting may be adjourned by a majority of the shareholders present in person or by proxy until a quorum exists. If there are insufficient votes to approve any Proposal, the persons named as proxies may propose one or more adjournments of the Annual Meeting to permit additional time for the solicitation of proxies, in accordance with applicable law. Adjourned meetings must be held within a reasonable time after the date originally set for the meeting (but not more than six months beyond the originally scheduled meeting date). Solicitation of votes may continue to be made

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without any obligation to provide any additional notice of the adjournment. The persons named as proxies will vote in favor of such adjournment(s) in their discretion.

For purposes of determining the presence of a quorum for transacting business at the Annual Meeting, executed proxies marked as abstentions and broker non-votes (that is, proxies from brokers or nominees indicating that such persons have not received instructions from the beneficial owner or other persons entitled to vote shares on a particular matter with respect to which the brokers or nominees do not have discretionary power) will be treated as shares that are present for quorum purposes but which have not been voted. Accordingly, abstentions and broker non-votes will effectively be a vote against the Proposals.

**Other Matters**

No business other than the matter described above is expected to come before the Annual Meeting, but should any matter incident to the conduct of the Annual Meeting or any question as to an adjournment of the Annual Meeting arise, the persons named in the enclosed proxy will vote thereon according to their best judgment in the interest of each Trust.

A list of shareholders entitled to be present and to vote at the Annual Meeting will be available at the offices of the Advisor, 201 King of Prussia Road, Suite 600, Radnor, Pennsylvania 19087, for inspection by any shareholder during regular business hours beginning ten days prior to the date of the Annual Meeting.

ING Clarion Real Estate Income Fund  
By Order of the Board of Trustees

ING Clarion Global Real Estate Income Fund  
By Order of the Board of Trustees

T. Ritson Ferguson  
*Chairman and President*

Dated: April 17, 2008

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**APPENDIX A**

**FORM OF AMENDED AND RESTATED  
AUDIT COMMITTEE CHARTER<sup>1</sup>  
OF  
ING CLARION REAL ESTATE INCOME FUND AND  
ING CLARION GLOBAL REAL ESTATE INCOME FUND**

**I. PURPOSE OF THE AUDIT COMMITTEE**

The purpose of the Audit Committee (the "Audit Committee") of the respective Boards of Trustees (hereinafter, the "Board") of ING Clarion Real Estate Income Fund and ING Clarion Global Real Estate Income Fund (hereinafter, the "Trusts") is to oversee the accounting and financial reporting processes of the Trusts and oversee the audits of the Trusts financial statements. In particular, and as more fully set forth in Sections IV, V and IX of this Audit Committee Charter ("Charter"), the Audit Committee will:

(a) assist in the Board's oversight of:

(i) the integrity of the Trusts' financial statements;

(ii) the Trusts' compliance with legal and regulatory requirements;

(iii) the qualifications and independence of the Trusts' independent auditor (the "Independent Auditor"); and

(iv) the performance of the Trusts' internal audit function and the Independent Auditor;

(b) prepare an Audit Committee report in accordance with the rules of the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") for inclusion in the Trusts' annual proxy statement;

(c) be directly responsible for the approval, compensation, retention and oversight of the work of the Independent Auditor and ensuring that the Independent Auditor reports directly to the Audit Committee. The Board and the Trusts' shareholders shall have such rights to approve, ratify and replace the Independent Auditor as required by applicable law; and

(d) assist the Board with respect to its obligation to ensure that the Audit Committee functions in a manner consistent with the requirements of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002 ("Sarbanes-Oxley"), the rules and regulations promulgated by the SEC pursuant to that Act and the listing standards ("NYSE Company Guide") promulgated by the New York Stock Exchange ("NYSE").

**II. COMPOSITION OF THE AUDIT COMMITTEE**

The Audit Committee shall be comprised of three or more trustees as determined from time to time by resolution of the Board. Each member of the Audit Committee shall be:

(a) a trustee ("Independent Trustee") who is not an interested person of the Trusts as defined in Section 2(a)(19) of the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended (the "1940 Act"); and

(b) a trustee whom the Board has affirmatively determined does not have a material relationship with the Trusts that would interfere with the exercise of independent judgment.

Service by a trustee on the board of directors/trustees of any other public company (or companies) shall not be an impediment to the qualification of such trustee to serve on the Audit Committee unless the Board determines that

<sup>1</sup> This Amended and Restated Audit Committee Charter was first ratified and approved by the Audit Committee of the Board of Trustees of each of the named Trusts on August 30, 2006 and amended on February 15, 2007.

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such service will impair the ability of such trustee to serve effectively on the Audit Committee, or unless such service would otherwise render such trustee unable to meet the qualification standards set forth in this charter.

Each member of the Audit Committee must be able to read and understand fundamental financial statements, including the Trusts' balance sheets, income statements and cash flow statements. Further, at least one member of the Audit Committee must be determined to be an audit committee financial expert (as such term is defined in the rules and regulations promulgated by the SEC pursuant to the Act) by the Board.

The chairperson of the Audit Committee shall be designated by the Board by a majority vote.

Any vacancy on the Audit Committee shall be filled by the affirmative vote of a majority of the members of the Board at the next meeting of the Audit Committee following the occurrence of the vacancy. No member of the Audit Committee shall be removed except by the affirmative vote of a majority of the members of the Board.

### **III. MEETINGS OF THE AUDIT COMMITTEE**

The Audit Committee shall fix its own rules of procedure, which shall be consistent with the Declaration of Trust of the Trusts (or other charter document of the Trusts, the By-Laws of the Trusts and this Audit Committee Charter. The Audit Committee shall meet on a regular basis and special meetings shall be called, as circumstances require and at the discretion of the Audit Committee chair or by majority vote of the members of the Audit Committee. The Audit Committee, in its discretion, may ask members of management or others to attend its meetings (or portions thereof) and to provide pertinent information as necessary.

The Audit Committee shall periodically, and at least annually, meet separately with the Independent Auditor. The Audit Committee shall, at the discretion of the Audit Committee and in accordance with its authority under this Charter, meet with (a) the chief financial officer of the Trusts and those officers (collectively, Financial Officers) of the Trusts and/or the Trusts' investment adviser who are responsible for the Trusts' internal audit function and/or for assisting with the preparation of the Trusts' financial statements. Such meetings shall also, at the discretion of the Audit Committee, be periodically conducted separately and outside the presence of any or all other representatives of management and will be conducted separately in the event that the Independent Auditor or Financial Officer(s) desire to discuss any matter privately with the Audit Committee.

A majority of the members of the Audit Committee present in person or by means of a conference telephone or other communication equipment by means of which all persons participating in the meeting can communicate with each other shall constitute a quorum. The Audit Committee may also take action by the written consent of a majority of its members, except to the extent an in-person meeting is required by the 1940 Act.

The Audit Committee shall cause to be maintained minutes of all meetings and records relating to those meetings and provide copies of such minutes to the Board and the Trusts.

### **IV. AUTHORITY**

The Audit Committee shall have the authority to carry out its duties and responsibilities, as set forth in this Audit Committee Charter, to institute investigations of suspected improprieties and to retain independent counsel or seek assistance from such experts and consultants as the Audit Committee may deem appropriate. Such authority includes, without limitation, the authority to cause the Trusts to provide the necessary funding, as determined by the Audit Committee (i) to compensate the Independent Auditor and any advisers, experts or consultants employed by or at the direction of the Audit Committee and (ii) to pay such other administrative expenses of the Audit Committee that are necessary or appropriate, in the judgment of the Audit Committee, to carry out the duties and responsibilities of the

Audit Committee.

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**V. DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE AUDIT COMMITTEE**

In carrying out its duties and responsibilities, the Audit Committee's policies and procedures will remain flexible, so that it may be in a position to best react or respond to changing circumstances or conditions. The following are the duties and responsibilities of the Audit Committee:

**(a) Oversight of the Auditor's Engagement/Independence**

(i) Approve the selection and retention (subject to ratification by a majority of the Independent Trustees), termination and compensation of the Independent Auditor to audit the books and accounts of the Trusts and their subsidiaries, if any, for each fiscal year;

(ii) Review and, in its sole discretion, approve the Independent Auditor's annual engagement letters as related to any audit or permitted non-audit services, including the proposed fees contained therein, prior to the commencement of the audit or delivery of non-audit services;

(iii) Pre-approve

(A) all engagements for audit services to be provided by the Independent Auditor to the Trust; and

(B) all engagements ( Covered Non-Audit Engagements ) for non-audit services to be provided by the Independent Auditor

(i) to the Trusts; and/or

(ii) to the Trusts' investment adviser or any entity ( Related Entity ) controlling, controlled by or under common control with an investment adviser; **provided**

1. that such pre-approval shall be required only with respect to non-audit services (i) related directly to the operations and financial reporting of the Trusts and (ii) provided to a Related Entity that furnishes ongoing services to the Trusts;

2. that such pre-approval shall not apply to non-audit services provided to any sub-adviser whose role is primarily portfolio management and is subcontracted with or overseen by another investment adviser;

3. that pre-approval by the Audit Committee of such non-audit services shall be effected pursuant to the pre-approval procedures described in Section VI; and

4. this Charter shall not be violated if pre-approval of any such non-audit service is not obtained in circumstances in which the pre-approval requirement is waived under applicable rules promulgated by the SEC or the NYSE, in accordance with the Sarbanes Oxley Act.

(iv) Ensure receipt of a formal written statement delineating all relationships between the Independent Auditor and the Trusts, as consistent with applicable standards adopted by the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board ( PCOAB Standards );

(v) RESERVED

(vi) In connection with the pre-approval of audit services to be provided to the Trusts by the Independent Auditor, review the qualifications, performance and independence of the Independent Auditor with a view to forming a basis for decisions regarding the retention, replacement or termination of the Independent Auditor when circumstances warrant;

(vii) Oversee the independence of the Independent Auditor by, among other things:

(A) actively engaging in a dialogue with the Independent Auditor with respect to any disclosed relationships or services that may impact the objectivity and independence of the Independent Auditor, and taking appropriate action to satisfy itself of the Independent Auditor's independence;

(B) monitoring compliance by the Independent Auditor with the audit partner rotation requirements contained in the Act and the rules and regulations promulgated by the SEC thereunder;

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(C) setting clear hiring policies for compliance by the Trusts, their investment adviser and the Independent Auditor with the employee conflict of interest requirements contained in the Act and the rules and regulations promulgated by the SEC thereunder; and

(D) considering whether there should be a regular rotation of the Independent Auditor; and

(viii) Instruct the Independent Auditor that the Independent Auditor is ultimately accountable to the Audit Committee, and that the Audit Committee is responsible for the retention, compensation, and termination of the Independent Auditor.

**(b) Oversight of the Audit**

(i) Review the annual audit plan of the Independent Auditor, including the scope of audit activities, monitor such plan's progress, changes thereto and results, periodically during the year and review the results of the year-end audit of the Trusts, including any comments or recommendations of the Independent Auditor;

(ii) Obtain, at least annually, from the Independent Auditor and review a report describing:

(A) all critical accounting policies and practices used for the Trusts;

(B) the Independent Auditor's internal quality-control procedures;

(C) any material issues raised by the most recent internal quality-control review, or peer review of the Independent Auditor;

(D) any inquiry or investigation by governmental or professional authorities within the preceding five years respecting one or more independent audits carried out by the Independent Auditor and any steps taken to deal with any such issues;

(E) (to assess the Independent Auditor's independence) all relationships between the Independent Auditor and the Trusts;

(F) all alternative treatments within United States Generally Accepted Accounting Principles for policies and practices related to material items that have been discussed with management of the Trusts, including (1) ramifications of the use of such alternative disclosures and treatments, and (2) the treatment preferred by the Independent Auditor; and

(G) other material written communications between the Independent Auditor and management of the Trusts, such as any management letter or schedule of unadjusted differences;

(iii) Review, as the Audit Committee may deem appropriate to carry out its oversight functions, with the Independent Auditor, the chief financial officer of the Trusts and such other officers of the Trusts or its investment adviser as may be responsible for the Trusts' internal audit function and for assisting with the preparation of the Trusts' financial statements:

(A) the Trusts' annual audited financial statements and interim financial statements, and any major issues related thereto;

(B) critical accounting policies and such other accounting policies of the Trusts as are deemed appropriate for review by the Audit Committee prior to any interim or year-end filings with the SEC or other regulatory body, including any

financial reporting issues which could have a material impact on the Trusts' financial statements;

(C) the effect of regulatory, accounting and financial reporting initiatives on the financial statements of the Trust; and

(iv) Review on a regular basis with the Independent Auditor any problems or difficulties encountered by the Independent Auditor in the course of any audit work, including management's response with respect thereto, any restrictions on the scope of the Independent Auditor's activities or on access to requested information, and any

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significant disagreements with management. In connection therewith, the Audit Committee will review with the Independent Auditor the following:

(A) any accounting adjustments that were noted or proposed by the Independent Auditor but were rejected by management (as immaterial or otherwise);

(B) any communications between the audit team and the Independent Auditor's national office respecting auditing or accounting issues presented by the engagement; and

(C) any management or internal control letter issued, or proposed to be issued, by the Independent Auditor to the Trusts;

(v) Attempt to resolve all disagreements between the Independent Auditor and management regarding financial reporting; and

(vi) Review information obtained from the Independent Auditor pursuant to Section 10A of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

**(c) Oversight of Internal Audit Function and Controls and Procedures**

(i) To the extent, and at such times, as deemed appropriate by the Audit Committee in light of its oversight functions, review periodically with the Trusts' chief executive officer, chief financial officer and Independent Auditor the following:

(A) all significant deficiencies in the design or operation of internal controls relating to financial reporting of the Trusts and any Related Entity, or, to the knowledge of such persons, other service providers, which could adversely affect the Trusts' ability to record, process, summarize, and report financial data, including any material weaknesses in internal controls identified by the Independent Auditor;

(B) any fraud, whether or not material, that involves management or other employees of the Trusts, Related Entities, or, to the knowledge of such persons, other service providers to the Trusts who have a significant role in the Trusts' internal controls; and

(C) any significant changes in internal controls relating to financial reporting or in other factors that could significantly affect such internal controls over financial reporting, including any corrective actions with regard to significant deficiencies and material weaknesses related to the Trusts, the Related Entities, or, to the knowledge of such persons, other service providers to the Trusts.

**(d) Compliance**

(i) Establish and maintain free and open means of communication between and among the Board, the Audit Committee, the Independent Auditor and the Trusts' management (including the chief financial officer, management of the Trusts' investment adviser and management of other relevant service providers of the Trusts) and ensure that such procedures afford such parties with appropriate opportunities to meet separately and privately with the Audit Committee on a periodic basis and as the Audit Committee may deem necessary or appropriate;

(ii) Establish procedures for

(A) the receipt, retention and treatment of complaints received by the Trusts regarding accounting, internal accounting controls or auditing matters, and

(B) the confidential, anonymous submission by employees of the Trusts investment adviser and other service providers responsible for such services, or other persons, of concerns regarding questionable accounting or auditing matters;

(iii) Consistent with the Audit Committee s authority as set forth in Section IV of this Charter, secure independent expert advice to the extent the Audit Committee determines it to be appropriate, including retaining, with or without further approval of the Board, independent counsel, accountants, consultants or others, to assist the Audit Committee in fulfilling its duties and responsibilities, the cost of such independent expert advisors to be borne by the Trusts.

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- (iv) Discuss policies with respect to risk assessment and risk management; and
- (v) Discuss generally the Trusts' dividends press releases, as well as related financial information and guidance provided to analysts and rating agencies, if any.

(e) **Miscellaneous**

The Audit Committee shall:

- (i) Report regularly to the Board on its activities, as appropriate;
- (ii) Perform such additional activities, and consider such other matters, within the scope of its duties and responsibilities, as the Audit Committee or the Board deems necessary or appropriate; and
- (iii) Perform an annual performance evaluation of the Audit Committee.

**VI. PRE-APPROVAL POLICY/PROCEDURES**

All audit and non-audit services shall be specifically pre-approved by the Audit Committee to be provided to the Trusts or, to the extent set forth in Section V of this charter, to its investment adviser and/or any Related Entity.

Requests for pre-approval of Covered Non-Audit Engagements should be submitted to the Audit Committee by the Independent Auditor and by the chief financial officer of the Related Entity for which the non-audit services are to be performed. Such requests should include a statement as to whether, in the view of the Independent Auditor and such officer, (a) the request is consistent with the SEC's rules on auditor independence and (b) the requested service is or is not a non-audit service prohibited by the SEC. A request submitted between scheduled meetings of the Audit Committee should state the reason that approval is being sought prior to the next regularly scheduled meeting of the Audit Committee.

Between regularly scheduled meetings of the Audit Committee, the Committee Chairman or Audit Committee financial expert shall have the authority to pre-approve Covered Non-Audit Engagements, provided that fees associated with such engagement do not exceed \$10,000 and the services to be provided do not involve provision of any of the following services by the Independent Auditor: (i) bookkeeping or other services related to the accounting records or financial statements of the audit client; (ii) financial information systems design and implementation; (iii) appraisal or valuation services, fairness opinions, or contribution-in-kind reports; (iv) actuarial services; (v) internal audit outsourcing services; (vi) management functions; (vii) human resources; (viii) broker dealer, investment advisor or investment banking services; (ix) legal services; or (x) expert services unrelated to the audit.

**VII. REPORTING**

The Audit Committee shall report its activities to the Board on a regular basis, so that the Board is kept informed of its activities on a current basis. In connection therewith, the Audit Committee will review with the Board any issues that arise with respect to the quality or integrity of the Trusts' financial statements, the Trusts' compliance with related legal or regulatory requirements, the performance and independence of the Independent Auditor, or the performance of the Trusts' internal audit function. In particular, the Audit Committee will also report to the Board its conclusions with respect to matters the Audit Committee considers to be of interest or the Board requests. Reports to the Board may take the form of an oral report by the chairperson of the Audit Committee or any other member of the Audit Committee designated by the Audit Committee to make this report.

The Audit Committee shall approve the Audit Committee Statement required by the rules of the SEC to be included in the Trusts annual proxy statement and determine to its satisfaction that the Audit Committee has: (a) reviewed and discussed the audited financial statements with management of the Trusts; (b) discussed with the Independent Auditor the matters required to be discussed under applicable PCOAB Standards; (c) received the written disclosures and the letter from the Independent Auditor required under applicable PCOAB Standards and have discussed with the Independent Auditor the auditor s independence; and (d) made a recommendation to the Board as to whether the financial statements should be included in the Trusts annual report for the past fiscal year, as filed with the SEC.

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**VIII. RESOURCES**

The Board shall ensure that the Audit Committee has adequate resources, as determined by the Audit Committee, with which to discharge its responsibilities, including for the payment of (a) compensation (i) to any firm of Independent Auditor engaged for the purpose of preparing or issuing an audit report or performing other audit, review or attest services for the Trusts, and (ii) to any advisors employed by the Audit Committee, including independent counsel, consultants or other advisors, as the Audit Committee determines necessary to carry out its duties, and (b) ordinary administrative expenses of the Audit Committee that are necessary or appropriate in carrying out its duties.

**IX. LIMITS ON ROLE OF AUDIT COMMITTEE**

The function of the Committee is oversight; it is management's responsibility to maintain appropriate systems for accounting and internal control over financial reporting, and the Independent Auditor's responsibility to plan and carry out a proper audit. Specifically, management is responsible for: (1) the preparation, presentation and integrity of the Trusts' financial statements; (2) the maintenance of appropriate accounting and financial reporting principles and policies; and (3) the maintenance of internal controls over financial reporting and other procedures designed to assure compliance with accounting standards and related laws and regulations. The Independent Auditor is responsible for planning and carrying out an audit consistent with applicable legal and professional standards and the terms of its engagement letter. Nothing in this Charter shall be construed to reduce the responsibilities or liabilities of the Trusts' service providers, including the Independent Auditor.

The review of the Trusts' financial statements by the Committee is not an audit, nor does the Committee's review substitute for the responsibilities of management for preparing, or the Independent Auditor for auditing, the financial statements. Members of the Committee are not full-time employees of the Trusts and, in serving on the Committee, are not, and do not hold themselves out to be, acting as accountants or auditors. As such, it is not the duty or responsibility of the Committee or its members to conduct field work or other types of auditing or accounting reviews or procedures.

In discharging their duties, the members of the Committee are entitled to rely on information, opinions, reports or statements, including financial statements and other financial data, if prepared or presented by: (1) one or more officers of the Trusts whom the Committee members reasonably believe to be reliable and competent in the matters presented; (2) legal counsel, public accountants or other persons as to matters the Committee member reasonably believes are within the person's professional or expert competence; or (3) a Board committee of which the Committee member is not a member.

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**APPENDIX B**

**ING CLARION GLOBAL REAL ESTATE INCOME FUND AND  
ING CLARION GLOBAL REAL ESTATE INCOME FUND**

**FORM OF NOMINATING COMMITTEE CHARTER**

There shall be a nominating committee of the Board of Trustees which shall be composed of all of the Trustees (the Independent Trustees ) who are not interested persons of the investment advisor to the investment companies named above (the Funds ).

The function of the nominating committee is to search for appropriate candidates for nomination to the Board of Trustees when vacancies occur or the Board is seeking to increase the size of the Board, to review the qualifications of individuals recommended as potential nominees and to develop procedures and policies regarding minimum qualifications of Trustees, sources of recommendations and processes for considering recommendations.

The nominating committee may, if it so chooses, also review periodically the functioning of the Board and Trustees subject to re-election.

The nominating committee shall act by majority of its members present at a meeting at which at least half of its members are present or by written consent of a majority of its members.

The nominating committee is authorized to consult independent counsel and other service providers and to subscribe for or otherwise obtain information it considers useful in performing its responsibilities.

The committee shall review and reassess the adequacy of this charter on an annual basis and propose any changes for approval by the Independent Trustees.

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**ING CLARION REAL ESTATE INCOME FUND  
PROXY SOLICITED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES**

The undersigned holder of the above-referenced Fund, a Delaware statutory trust (the Fund ), hereby appoints Jonathan A. Blome and William E. Zitelli, attorneys and proxies for the undersigned, with full powers of substitution and revocation to represent the undersigned and to vote on behalf of the undersigned all shares that the undersigned is entitled to vote at the Annual Meeting of Shareholders of the Fund (the Meeting ) to be held at the offices of ING Clarion Real Estate Securities, L.P., 201 King of Prussia Road, Suite 600, Radnor, Pennsylvania 19087 on May 9, 2008 at 2:00 p.m. (Eastern time), and any adjournments thereof. The undersigned hereby acknowledges receipt of the Notice of Annual Meeting and Proxy Statement and hereby instructs said attorneys and proxies to vote said shares as indicated hereon. In their discretion, the proxies are authorized to vote upon such other business as may properly come before the Meeting. A majority of the proxies present and acting at the Meeting in person or by substitute (or, if only one shall be so present, then that one) shall have and may exercise all of the power and authority of said proxies hereunder. The undersigned hereby revokes any proxy previously given.

**THIS CARD IS VALID ONLY WHEN SIGNED AND DATED.**

**This proxy, if properly executed, will be voted in the manner directed by the undersigned shareholder. If NO DIRECTION IS MADE, THIS PROXY WILL BE VOTED FOR THE ELECTION OF THE NOMINEES AS TRUSTEES. Please refer to the Proxy Statement for a discussion of the Proposal.**

**Please fill in box(es) as shown using black or blue ink or number 2 pencil.**

**PLEASE DO NOT USE FINE POINT PENS.**

<b>PROPOSAL</b>	<b>FOR ALL</b>	<b>WITHHOLD ALL</b>	<b>FOR ALL EXCEPT*</b>
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**To elect Trustees:**

**Real Estate Income Fund Class II Trustees**

(01) Jarrett B. Kling preferred shareholders only	o	o	o
(02) Asuka Nakahara			

**\*Instruction: To withhold authority to vote for any Nominee, mark FOR ALL EXCEPT and write the number(s) of the Nominee(s) on the line above.**

Your signature(s) on this proxy should be exactly as your name or names appear on this proxy. If signing is by attorney, executor, administrator, trustee or guardian, please print your full title below your signature.

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_, 2008

Signature

Signature

**PLEASE DATE, SIGN AND RETURN PROMPTLY USING THE ENCLOSED, POSTAGE-PAID ENVELOPE.**

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**ING CLARION GLOBAL REAL ESTATE INCOME FUND  
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<b>PROPOSAL</b>	<b>ALL</b>	<b>EXCEPT*</b>
	<b>FOR ALL</b>	

**To elect Trustees:**

**Global Real Estate Income Fund Class I Trustees**

(01) T. Ritson Ferguson	o	o	o
(02) Frederick S. Hammer			

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