Madison Strategic Sector Premium Fund Form 3 February 21, 2017 FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> Karpus Management, Inc.			-	Statement (Month/Day/Year)	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Madison Strategic Sector Premium Fund [MSP]			
(Las	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	First)	(Middle)	02/08/2017	4. Relationshi Person(s) to Is			5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)
183 SU	JLLY'S T	ΓRAIL,Â						
(Street)					(Check all applicable)			6. Individual or Joint/Group
PITTS	FORD,Â	. NYÂ 14	1534		Director Officer (give title below	X10% Other (specify belo		Filing(Check Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person _X_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
(City	(5	State)	(Zip)	Table I - N	Non-Derivat	ive Securiti	es Bei	neficially Owned
1.Title o (Instr. 4)	f Security)			2. Amount or Beneficially (Instr. 4)		3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nat Owne (Instr.	
Comm	on Stock	(1)		1,371,629		D (2)	Â	
Comm	on Stock	(1)		16,450		D (3)	Â	
	er: Report of irectly or in	-	te line for each	ch class of securities benefici	ially SI	EC 1473 (7-02)	

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security	2. Date Exercisable and	3. Title and Amount of	4.	5.	6. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 4)	Expiration Date	Securities Underlying	Conversion	Ownership	Beneficial Ownership
	(Month/Day/Year)	Derivative Security	or Exercise	Form of	(Instr. 5)
		(Instr. 4)	Price of	Derivative	
			Derivative	Security:	

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Date	Expiration	Title	Amount or	Security	Direct (D)
Exercisable	Date		Number of		or Indirect
			Shares		(I)
					(Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
FB	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Karpus Management, Inc. 183 SULLY'S TRAIL PITTSFORD, NY 14534	Â	ÂX	Â	Â		
KARPUS GEORGE W KARPUS MANAGEMENT, INC. 183 SULLY'S TRAIL PITTSFORD, NY 14534	Â	X	Â	Â		

Signatures

Karpus Management, Inc. by Daniel L. Lippincott, CFA, Sr. Tax-Sensitive Mgr. & Director of Investment Personnel				
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date			
George W. Karpus	02/21/2017			

<u>**Signature of Reporting Person</u> Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

This Form 3 is filed by Karpus Management, Inc., d/b/a Karpus Investment Management ("Karpus") and George W. Karpus (collectively, the "Reporting Persons"). Each Reporting Person may be deemed to be a member of a Section 13(d) group that owns more than 10% of

- (1) the Issuer's outstanding shares of common stock. Both Karpus and Mr. Karpus disclaim any beneficial ownership (as that term is defined in SEC Rule 16a-1(2)) of shares of the Issuer except to the extent of their pecuniary interest, if any, therein. This filing shall not be an admission by either of the Reporting Persons and the filers disclaim any such obligation.
- (2) Shares of Common Stock beneficially owned by Karpus.

Mr. Karpus does not directly own any Shares. However, Mr. Karpus may be deemed to beneficially own 16,450 Shares held by the

(3) Karpus Investment Management Profit Sharing Plan Fund C - Growth Common Stock Fund and The Karpus Family Foundation, Inc. entities.

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