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5.3 Indemnification. The Trust shall indemnify and hold each Shareholder harmless from and against all claims and liabilities, whether they proceed to judgment or are settled or otherwise brought to a conclusion, to which such Shareholder may become subject by reason of his being or having been a Shareholder, and shall reimburse such Shareholder for all legal and other expenses reasonably incurred by him in connection with any such claim or liability. The rights accruing to a Shareholder under this Section 5.3 shall not exclude any other right to which such Shareholder may be lawfully entitled, nor shall anything herein contained restrict the right of the Trust to indemnify or reimburse a Shareholder in any appropriate situation even though not specifically provided herein; provided, however, that the Trust shall have no liability to reimburse Shareholders for taxes assessed against them by reason of their ownership of Shares, nor for any losses suffered by reason of changes in the market value of Securities of the Trust.

The Trust shall indemnify each of its Trustees, officers, employees and agents (including those who serve at its request as directors, officers, partners, trustees or the like of another organization in which it has any interest as a shareholder, creditor or otherwise), against all liabilities and expenses, including amounts paid in satisfaction of judgments, in compromise or as fines and penalties, and counsel fees, reasonably incurred by him in connection with the defense or disposition of any action, suit or other proceeding by the Trust or any other Person, whether civil or criminal, in which he may be involved or with which he may be threatened, while in office or thereafter, by reason of his being or having been such a Trustee, officer, employee or agent, except in respect of any matter as to which he shall have been adjudicated to have acted in fraud, bad faith or with willful misconduct or reckless disregard of his duties or gross negligence; provided, however, that as to any matter disposed of by a compromise payment by such Trustee, officer, employee or agent, pursuant to a consent decree or otherwise, no indemnification either for said payment or for any other expenses shall be provided unless the Trust shall have received a written opinion from counsel approved by the Trustees to the effect that if the foregoing matters had been adjudicated, they would likely have been adjudicated in favor of such Trustee, officer, employee or agent or unless a meeting of the Trustees at which a quorum consisting of Trustees who are not parties to or threatened with such action, suit or other proceeding shall make such a determination. The rights accruing to any Trustee, officer, employee or agent under these provisions shall not exclude any other right to which he may be lawfully entitled; provided, however, that no Trustee, officer, employee or agent may satisfy any right of indemnity or reimbursement granted herein or to which he may be otherwise entitled except out of the Trust Property, and no Shareholder shall be personally liable to any Person in respect of any claim for indemnity or reimbursement or otherwise. The Trustees may make advance payments in connection with indemnification under this Section 5.3, provided that the indemnified Trustee, officer, employee or agent shall have given a written undertaking to reimburse the Trust in the event it is subsequently determined that he is not entitled to such indemnification.

Any action taken by or conduct on the part of the Adviser, a Trustee, officer, employee or agent of the Trust in conformity with or in good faith reliance upon the provisions of Section 2.17 or Section 3.4 hereof shall not, for the purposes of this Trust (including, without limitation, Sections 5.1 and 5.2 hereof and this Section 5.3) constitute fraud, bad faith, willful misconduct, gross negligence or reckless disregard of his duties.

- 5.4 Surcty Bonds. No Trustee shall, as such, be obligated to give any bond or surety or other security for the performance of any of his duties.
- 5.5 Apparent Authority. Any act of the Trustees or officers of the Trust purporting to be done in their capacity as such, shall, as to any Person dealing with such Trustees or officers,