ARTICLE VII

RECORD AND TRANSFER OF SHARES

- 7.1 Share Register. A register shall be kept by or on behalf of the Trustees, under the direction of the Trustees, which shall contain the names and addresses of the Shareholders and the number of Shares held by them respectively and the numbers of the certificates representing such Shares and a record of all transfers thereof. Only Shareholders whose certificates are recorded on such register shall be entitled to vote or to receive distributions or otherwise to exercise or enjoy the rights of Shareholders. No Shareholder shall be entitled to receive any distribution, nor to have notice given to him as herein provided, until he has given his address to a transfer agent or such other officer or agent of the Trust as shall keep the register for entry thereon.
- 7.2 Transfer Agent. The Trustees shall have power to employ, within or without the Commonwealth of Kentucky, a transfer agent or transfer agents and, if they so determine, a registrar or registrars. The transfer agent or transfer agents may keep the register and record therein the original issues and transfers of Shares and countersign certificates for Shares issued to the persons entitled thereto. Any such transfer agents and registrars shall perform the duties usually performed by transfer agents and registrars of certificates of stock in a corporation, except as modified by the Trustees. Any such transfer agents or registrars may be Affiliates of a Trustee or of an officer, director or shareholder of the Adviser. The provisions of this Article VII relative to transfer agents shall apply so far as appropriate to warrant agents.
- 7.3 Blank Certificates. In accordance with the usual custom of corporations having a transfer agent, signed certificates for Shares in blank may be deposited with any transfer agent of the Trust, to be used by such transfer agent in accordance with authority conferred upon it as occasion may require, and in so doing the signers of such certificates shall not be responsible for any loss resulting therefrom.
- 7.4 Owner of Record. Any person becoming entitled to any Shares in consequence of the death, bankruptcy or insolvency of any Shareholder, or otherwise by operation of law, shall be recorded as the holder of such Shares and receive a new certificate for the same upon production of the proper evidence thereof and delivery of the existing certificate to the Trustees or a transfer agent of the Trust. But until such record is made, the Shareholder of record shall be deemed to be the holder of such Shares for all purposes hereof and neither the Trustees nor any transfer agent or registrar nor any officer or agent of the Trust shall be affected by any notice of such death, bankruptcy, insolvency or other event.
- than by operation of law) only by the record holder thereof or by his agent thereunto duly authorized in writing upon delivery to the Trust or a transfer agent of the Trust of the certificate or certificates therefor, with all transfer tax stamps affixed or duly provided for, properly endorsed or accompanied by duly executed instrument or instruments of transfer, together with such evidence of the genuineness of each such endorsement, execution and authorization and of other matters as may reasonably be required by the Trust or the transfer agent. Upon such delivery the transfer shall be recorded on the register of the Trust and a new certificate for the Shares so transferred shall be issued to the transferee, and, in case of a transfer of enly a part of the Shares represented by any certificate, a new certificate for the residue thereof shall be issued to the transferor. But until such record is made, the Shareholder of record shall be deemed to be the holder of such Shares for all purposes hereof and neither the Trustees nor the Trust nor any transfer agent or registrar nor any officer or agent of the