

GLOBAL HIGH INCOME DOLLAR FUND INC
Form N-CSR
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UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM N-CSR

CERTIFIED SHAREHOLDER REPORT OF REGISTERED
MANAGEMENT INVESTMENT COMPANIES

Investment Company Act file number: 811-07540

Global High Income Dollar Fund Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

51 West 52nd Street, New York, New York 10019-6114

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip code)

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Date of fiscal year end: October 31

Date of reporting period: April 30, 2005

ITEM 1. REPORTS TO STOCKHOLDERS.

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Management

GLOBAL HIGH INCOME
DOLLAR FUND INC.
SEMIANNUAL REPORT
APRIL 30, 2005

GLOBAL HIGH INCOME DOLLAR FUND INC.

June 15, 2005

DEAR SHAREHOLDER,

We present you with the semiannual report for Global High Income Dollar Fund

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Inc. (the "Fund") for the six months ended April 30, 2005.

PERFORMANCE

Over the six-month period ended April 30, 2005, the Fund's net asset value return was 5.45%, compared with the 5.21% return of its peers, as measured by the Lipper Emerging Markets Debt Funds peer group median and the 3.51% return of the J.P. Morgan Emerging Markets Bond Index--Global (the "Index"). On a market price basis, the Fund returned 5.52% over the six-month period, compared with the median's return of 2.09% over the same time frame. After the close of the period, the Fund's managed distribution policy was adjusted and is described further on page 5. (For more on the Fund's performance, please refer to "Performance At A Glance" on page 7.) The Fund did not use leverage during the reporting period, as did some of its peers. Leverage tends to magnify returns on both the upside and downside, and the degree of leverage used can create wider dispersions of returns with in the Fund's peer group.

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INVESTMENT GOALS:

Primarily, high level of current income; secondarily, capital appreciation.

PORTFOLIO MANAGEMENT:

Portfolio management team, including Uwe Schillhorn UBS
Global Asset Management (US) Inc.

COMMENCEMENT:

October 8, 1993

NYSE SYMBOL:

GHI

DIVIDEND PAYMENTS:

Monthly

AN INTERVIEW WITH PORTFOLIO MANAGER UWE SCHILLHORN

Q: HOW DID EMERGING MARKETS DEBT PERFORM OVER THE PERIOD?

A: Emerging markets debt performed moderately well, with the Index returning 3.51% over the six-month period. In comparison, government bonds in developed markets returned 3.40%, as measured by the Citigroup World Government Bond Index (WGBI) in US dollars on a currency-hedged basis. Emerging markets debt in general was supported by relatively low US Treasury yields and generally strong growth in emerging markets economies.

While growth rates remained solid as the period progressed, emerging markets debt spreads (the difference in yield between debt obligations of different categories) widened in the second half of the period, and prices fell. As US interest rates continued to rise and the potential for larger rate hikes in the

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future began to loom, investors became more risk-averse, causing demand for emerging markets debt to fall sharply.

Q: HOW WOULD YOU CHARACTERIZE THE EMERGING MARKETS ECONOMIES FROM A REGIONAL PERSPECTIVE?

A: Considering growth more broadly, the major economies of Latin America generally expanded in concert, a situation that has not taken place in decades, as most economies there are seeing the results of strong economic policies. European Economic Union accession for the economies in Eastern Europe, an increasingly important region for emerging markets debt, also propped up performance for the entire asset class. Moreover, the growth rate for many emerging markets countries outpaced growth rates in many developed countries.

Q: HOW DID YOU RESPOND TO THE VOLATILITY IN EMERGING MARKETS DEBT?

A: Early in the period, we increased the Fund's market exposure. This enhanced results, when emerging market spreads narrowed and prices rose in the first half of the period. We then moved to reduce our market exposure as the reporting period moved on and adopted a more cautious approach for the portfolio. This proved to be beneficial, as the market gave back much of its earlier gains in the second half of the reporting period.

Q: WHAT WERE SOME OF THE PORTFOLIO POSITIONING STRATEGIES YOU EMPLOYED OVER THE PERIOD?

A: Throughout the period, the Fund maintained an underweight exposure in Turkey and an overweight in Argentina. ("Overweight" or "underweight" refers to how much of a particular sector or country the Fund holds versus the composition of its benchmark Index.) We believed that Turkey's debt was overvalued, based on expectations for its membership in the European Economic Union. We held a positive view on Argentina, as it has benefited from an ongoing economic recovery, good fiscal performance and the near completion of its debt restructuring plan.

During the period, we also sought investment opportunities in non-US dollar-denominated local market securities. Given the tight spread environment in the first half of the period, the portfolio had roughly a 9% position in local market securities to take advantage of the higher yield potential they offered. As the period progressed, we continued to identify value in select local markets where fundamentals were favorable and interest rates were relatively high. Consistent with our overall strategy, however, we reduced the portfolio's exposure to these investments toward the end of the period, and then increased them again as the period closed.

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Q: HOW DID YOU VIEW THE DEBT MARKET IN BRAZIL?

A: Brazil's economic growth has moved ahead strongly despite tighter monetary policy, making its debt market attractive. In the first half of the period, we had an overweight exposure in Brazilian debt as the country continued to experience strong economic growth. This enhanced results as spreads in Brazil narrowed. Later in the period, we sold some of our Brazilian securities and moved to an underweight in the country, using the proceeds of

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those sales to increase our Argentinian holdings.

Q: HOW WERE YOU POSITIONED IN OTHER EMERGING MARKETS COUNTRIES?

A: Elsewhere, we had overweights in Russia and Qatar and found Argentinian Bodens, debt created as part of the public debt restructuring efforts in the wake of their currency crisis, to be particularly attractive. Conversely, we found less compelling values in Venezuela and South Africa, and held underweight positions in those countries. As Turkey moved farther along in its efforts to join the European Union, our view on Turkish bonds evolved and we reduced our holdings there, as our research indicated that the benefits of this potential historic event were already accounted for in the securities' prices.

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We thank you for your continued support and welcome any comments or questions you may have. For additional information on the UBS family of funds,* please contact your financial advisor or visit us at www.ubs.com/globalam-us.

Sincerely,

/s/ W. Douglas Beck

W. Douglas Beck, CFA
President
Global High Income Dollar Fund Inc.
Executive Director
UBS Global Asset Management (US) Inc.

/s/ Uwe Schillhorn

Uwe Schillhorn, CFA
Portfolio Management Team Member
Global High Income Dollar Fund Inc.
Executive Director
UBS Global Asset Management (US) Inc.

This letter is intended to assist shareholders in understanding how the Fund performed during the six months ended April 30, 2005. The views and opinions in the letter were current as of June 15, 2005. They are not guarantees of performance or investment results and should not be taken as investment advice. Investment decisions reflect a variety of factors, and we reserve the right to change our views about individual securities, sectors and markets at any time. As a result, the views expressed should not be relied upon as a forecast of the Fund's future investment intent.

We encourage you to consult your financial advisor regarding your personal investment program.

* Mutual funds are sold by prospectus only. You should read it carefully and consider a fund's investment objectives, risks, charges, expenses and other important information contained in the prospectus before investing. Prospectuses for most of our funds can be obtained from your financial advisor, by calling UBS Funds at 800-647 1568 or by visiting our Web site at www.ubs.com/globalam-us.

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INFORMATION REGARDING THE CHANGE TO THE FUND'S MANAGED DISTRIBUTION POLICY:

The Fund adopted a managed distribution policy in December 1999. Pursuant to the policy as in effect from December 1999 through early May 2005, the Fund made regular monthly distributions at an annualized rate equal to 11% of the Fund's net asset value, as determined as of the last day on which the New York Stock Exchange is open for trading during the first week of that month. The annualized rate for distributions pursuant to the policy was reduced from 11% to 9% effective beginning with the June 2005 monthly distribution. The Fund's Board receives recommendations from UBS Global Asset Management (US) Inc. periodically, and no less frequently than annually will reassess the annualized percentage of net assets at which the Fund's monthly distributions will be made. The Fund's Board may change or terminate the managed distribution policy at any time; any such change or termination may have an adverse effect on the market price for the Fund's shares.

To the extent that the Fund's taxable income in any fiscal year exceeds the aggregate amount distributed based on a fixed percentage of its net asset value, the Fund would make an additional distribution in the amount of that excess near the end of the fiscal year. To the extent that the aggregate amount distributed by the Fund based on a fixed percentage of its net asset value exceeds its current and accumulated earnings and profits, the amount of that excess would constitute a return of capital or net realized capital gains for tax purposes.

The actual sources of the Fund's monthly distributions may be net investment income, net realized capital gains, return of capital or a combination of the foregoing and may be subject to retroactive recharacterization at the end of the Fund's fiscal year based on tax regulations. The actual amounts attributable to each of these sources will be reported to shareholders in January of each year on Form 1099-DIV.

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PERFORMANCE AT A GLANCE (UNAUDITED)

AVERAGE ANNUAL RETURNS FOR PERIODS ENDED 4/30/05

| NET ASSET VALUE RETURNS* | 6 months | 1 year | 5 years | 10 years |
|---|----------|--------|---------|----------|
| Global High Income Dollar Fund Inc. | 5.45% | 19.21% | 14.15% | 14.11% |
| Lipper Emerging Markets Debt Funds median** | 5.21% | 15.95% | 15.65% | 15.32% |

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MARKET PRICE RETURNS*

| Global High Income Dollar Fund Inc. | 5.52% | 25.05% | 21.15% | 17.55% |
|---|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| Lipper Emerging Markets Debt Funds median** | 2.09% | 19.88% | 19.23% | 14.97% |

* Past performance does not predict future performance. The return and value of an investment will fluctuate, so that an investor's shares, when sold, may be worth more or less than their original cost. NAV return assumes, for illustration only, that dividends/distributions were reinvested at the net asset value on the payable dates.

Market price returns assume that dividends/distributions were reinvested under the Dividend Reinvestment Plan. NAV and market price returns for periods of less than one year have not been annualized. Returns do not reflect taxes paid on dividends/distributions or brokerage commissions and taxes paid on the sale of shares.

** Lipper peer group data calculated by Lipper Inc.; used with permission. The Lipper median is the return of the fund that places in the middle of the Lipper Emerging Markets Debt Funds peer group.

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PORTFOLIO STATISTICS (UNAUDITED)

| CHARACTERISTICS* | 4/30/05 | | 10/31/04 | |
|-------------------------------------|----------|--------|----------|--------|
| Net Asset Value | \$15.15 | | \$16.43 | |
| Market Price | \$17.31 | | \$18.31 | |
| 12-Month Dividends/Distributions | \$3.0134 | | \$1.7443 | |
| Dividend/Distribution at Period-End | \$0.1391 | | \$0.1488 | |
| Net Assets (mm) | \$294.5 | | \$319.4 | |
| CURRENCY EXPOSURE** | 4/30/05 | | 10/31/04 | |
| U.S. Dollar Denominated | 86.7% | | 98.3% | |
| Foreign Denominated | 13.3 | | 1.7 | |
| TOTAL | 100.0% | | 100.0% | |
| TOP 10 COUNTRIES (EXCLUDING U.S.)** | 4/30/05 | | 10/31/04 | |
| Brazil | 16.9% | Brazil | 22.4% | Brazil |
| Russia | 16.2 | Russia | 13.8 | Russia |
| Mexico | 10.2 | Mexico | 10.1 | Mexico |

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|-------------------------------|---------|-------------|----------|--------|
| Argentina | 10.1 | Argentina | 8.4 | Argent |
| Qatar | 4.6 | Malaysia | 4.4 | Colomb |
| Turkey | 4.5 | Turkey | 4.2 | Venezu |
| Germany | 3.7 | Philippines | 3.6 | Bulgar |
| Philippines | 3.5 | Colombia | 3.5 | Malays |
| Colombia | 3.5 | Germany | 3.1 | Poland |
| Malaysia | 2.9 | Ecuador | 3.1 | South |
| TOTAL | 76.1% | | 76.6% | |
| CREDIT QUALITY** | 4/30/05 | | 10/31/04 | |
| A | 8.5% | | 4.7% | |
| BBB | 27.8 | | 29.7 | |
| BB | 32.8 | | 39.6 | |
| B | 5.7 | | 15.3 | |
| CCC | 3.6 | | 0.7 | |
| Selective Default | 1.8 | | 0.9 | |
| Non-Rated | 10.9 | | 4.9 | |
| Cash Equivalentents | 8.4 | | 3.2 | |
| Other assets less liabilities | 0.5 | | 1.0 | |
| TOTAL | 100.0% | | 100.0% | |

* Prices and other characteristics will vary over time.

** Weightings represent percentages of net assets as of the dates indicated. The Fund's portfolio is actively managed and its composition will vary over time. Credit quality ratings shown are based on those assigned by Standard & Poor's, a division of The McGraw-Hill Companies, Inc. ("S&P"), to individual portfolio holdings. S&P is an independent ratings agency.

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PORTFOLIO OF INVESTMENTS -- APRIL 30, 2005 (UNAUDITED)

PRINCIPAL
AMOUNT
(000)

MATURITY
DATES

INTEREST
RATES

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FOREIGN DEBT SECURITIES --91.02%

| ----- | | | | |
|-----------------------------|--------|-------------------------------------|----------|---------|
| ARGENTINA -- 10.08% | | | | |
| ----- | | | | |
| \$ | 700 | Banco de Galicia y Buenos Aires(5) | 01/01/10 | 6.290%+ |
| ARS | 20,847 | Republic of Argentina | 12/31/33 | 0.015@ |
| \$ | 2,587 | Republic of Argentina | 04/01/07 | 2.000 |
| ARS | 4,270 | Republic of Argentina | 01/03/10 | 2.000 |
| \$ | 7,189 | Republic of Argentina | 12/28/10 | 2.000 |
| | 4,165 | Republic of Argentina | 01/03/16 | 2.000 |
| | 2,820 | Republic of Argentina | 04/30/13 | 2.450@ |
| | 12,357 | Republic of Argentina (1) | 08/03/12 | 3.010+ |
| | 5,000 | Republic of Argentina, PAR (5) | 03/31/23 | 6.000 |
| ----- | | | | |
| BRAZIL -- 16.86% | | | | |
| ----- | | | | |
| \$ | 3,192 | Brazil Real Credit-Linked Note | 01/03/07 | 12.080@ |
| | 1,200 | Federal Republic of Brazil | 01/20/34 | 8.250 |
| | 5,300 | Federal Republic of Brazil | 10/14/19 | 8.875 |
| | 5,270 | Federal Republic of Brazil | 04/15/24 | 8.875 |
| | 2,318 | Federal Republic of Brazil | 05/15/27 | 10.125 |
| | 2,125 | Federal Republic of Brazil | 08/17/40 | 11.000 |
| | 2,111 | Federal Republic of Brazil, C | 04/15/14 | 8.000 |
| | 1,935 | Federal Republic of Brazil, DCB | 04/15/12 | 4.313+ |
| | 6,000 | Federal Republic of Brazil, DISC(5) | 04/15/24 | 4.250+ |
| | 23,360 | Federal Republic of Brazil, PAR(5) | 04/15/24 | 6.000+ |
| ----- | | | | |
| BULGARIA -- 1.03% | | | | |
| ----- | | | | |
| \$ | 2,450 | Republic of Bulgaria | 01/15/15 | 8.250 |
| ----- | | | | |
| COLOMBIA -- 3.50% | | | | |
| ----- | | | | |
| \$ | 7,491 | Republic of Colombia(5) | 04/09/11 | 9.750 |
| | 1,840 | Republic of Colombia | 01/28/33 | 10.375 |
| ----- | | | | |
| DOMINICAN REPUBLIC -- 0.85% | | | | |
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|----|-------|-----------------------|----------|-------|
| \$ | 1,660 | Republic of Dominican | 01/23/13 | 9.040 |
| | 1,000 | Republic of Dominican | 09/27/06 | 9.500 |

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PORTFOLIO OF INVESTMENTS -- APRIL 30, 2005 (UNAUDITED)

| PRINCIPAL AMOUNT (000) | | | MATURITY DATES | INTEREST RATES |
|--|--------|--|-------------------|-------------------|
| FOREIGN DEBT SECURITIES -- (CONTINUED) | | | | |
| ECUADOR -- 2.36% | | | | |
| \$ | 3,065 | Republic of Ecuador | 08/15/30 | 8.000%++ |
| | 5,500 | Republic of Ecuador, 144A | 08/15/30 | 8.000++ |
| EL SALVADOR -- 0.97% | | | | |
| \$ | 2,770 | Republic of El Salvador | 04/10/32 | 8.250 |
| GERMANY -- 3.66% | | | | |
| \$ | 8,500 | Aries Vermögensverwaltungs, 144A | 10/25/14 | 9.600 |
| INDONESIA -- 0.64% | | | | |
| \$ | 1,970 | Republic of Indonesia, 144A | 04/20/15 | 7.250 |
| MALAYSIA -- 2.93% | | | | |
| MYR | 32,670 | Johor Corp. | 07/31/12 | 1.000++ |
| MEXICO -- 10.20% | | | | |
| \$ | 1,145 | Conproca S.A.de c.v. | 06/16/10 | 12.000 |
| | 615 | PEMEX Finance Ltd. | 05/15/07 | 8.020 |
| | 8,000 | PEMEX Project Funding Master Trust | 02/01/22 | 8.625 |
| | 1,250 | PEMEX Project Funding Master Trust, 144A | 03/30/18 | 9.250 |
| | 8,872 | United Mexican States | 04/08/33 | 7.500 |
| | 3,400 | United Mexican States | 08/15/31 | 8.300 |

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|----------------------|--------|-----------------------|----------|--------|
| MXN | 40,000 | United Mexican States | 12/29/05 | 9.000 |
| NETHERLANDS -- 2.65% | | | | |
| EUR | 781 | ING Bank NV (2) | 05/31/14 | 5.1090 |
| | 1,115 | ING Bank NV (2) | 05/31/13 | 5.5750 |
| | 1,373 | ING Bank NV (2) | 05/31/12 | 6.0890 |
| | 2,136 | ING Bank NV (2) | 05/31/11 | 6.6270 |
| | 1,093 | ING Bank NV (2) | 05/31/10 | 7.2230 |
| | 606 | ING Bank NV (2) | 05/31/09 | 7.8790 |
| UAH | 8,270 | ING Bank NV | 12/30/09 | 11.890 |

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| PRINCIPAL AMOUNT (000) | | | MATURITY DATES | INTEREST RATES |
|--|-------|-------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| FOREIGN DEBT SECURITIES -- (CONCLUDED) | | | | |
| PERU -- 2.10% | | | | |
| \$ | 1,110 | Republic of Peru | 05/03/16 | 8.375% |
| | 1,100 | Republic of Peru | 02/06/15 | 9.875 |
| | 3,990 | Republic of Peru, FLIRB | 03/07/17 | 5.000+ |
| PHILIPPINES -- 3.51% | | | | |
| \$ | 3,545 | Republic of Philippines | 03/16/25 | 10.625 |
| | 6,645 | Republic of Philippines | 02/02/30 | 9.500 |
| POLAND -- 0.83% | | | | |

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| | | | | |
|--|---------|----------------------------|----------|---------|
| PLN | 8,110 | Republic of Poland | 06/24/08 | 5.750 |
| ----- | | | | |
| QATAR -- 4.63% | | | | |
| \$ | 9,120 | State of Qatar | 06/15/30 | 9.750 |
| ----- | | | | |
| RUSSIA -- 13.90% | | | | |
| \$ | 11,630 | Russian Federation | 03/31/30 | 5.000++ |
| | 18,984 | Russian Federation, 144A | 03/31/30 | 5.000++ |
| | 7,640 | Russian Federation | 03/31/10 | 8.250 |
| ----- | | | | |
| SLOVAKIA -- 1.27% | | | | |
| SKK | 120,000 | Republic of Slovakia | 01/14/07 | 3.760@ |
| ----- | | | | |
| TURKEY -- 4.48% | | | | |
| TRL | 3,872 | Turkish Credit Linked Note | 04/27/07 | 0.000@ |
| \$ | 1,060 | Republic of Turkey | 02/14/34 | 8.000 |
| | 2,830 | Republic of Turkey | 06/30/11 | 9.000 |
| | 3,862 | Republic of Turkey | 01/15/30 | 11.875 |
| ----- | | | | |
| UKRAINE -- 2.02% | | | | |
| \$ | 5,560 | Republic of Ukraine | 06/11/13 | 7.650 |
| ----- | | | | |
| VENEZUELA -- 2.55% | | | | |
| \$ | 1,520 | Republic of Venezuela | 10/08/14 | 8.500 |
| | 2,020 | Republic of Venezuela | 09/15/27 | 9.250 |
| | 1,160 | Republic of Venezuela | 09/15/27 | 9.250 |
| | 2,900 | Republic of Venezuela | 01/13/34 | 9.375 |
| ----- | | | | |
| Total Foreign Debt Securities (Cost \$255,664,822) | | | | |
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| NUMBERS OF AMOUNT (000) | | MATURITY DATES | INTEREST RATES |
|--|--|-------------------|-------------------|
| ----- | | | |
| RIGHTS -- 0.03% | | | |
| ----- | | | |
| MEXICO -- 0.03% | | | |
| ----- | | | |
| 1,885 | United Mexican States Value Recovery Rights, Series C, Expiration Date 06/30/05 (3) | | |
| ----- | | | |
| 1,885 | United Mexican States Value Recovery Rights, Series D, Expiration Date 06/30/06 (3) | | |
| ----- | | | |
| 1,885 | United Mexican States Value Recovery Rights, Series E, Expiration Date 06/30/07 (3) | | |
| ----- | | | |
| Total Rights (Cost \$0) | | | |
| ----- | | | |
| PRINCIPAL AMOUNT (000) | | | |
| ----- | | | |
| SHORT-TERM INVESTMENTS -- 8.41% | | | |
| ----- | | | |
| RUSSIA -- 2.30% | | | |
| ----- | | | |
| TIME DEPOSIT -- 2.30% | | | |
| ----- | | | |
| \$ 4,000 | Russia Over the Counter time deposits(2)(4) | 08/22/05 | 3.000%* |
| ----- | | | |
| 2,710 | Russia Over the Counter time deposits(2)(4) | 08/22/05 | 3.500* |
| ----- | | | |
| UNITED STATES -- 6.11% | | | |
| ----- | | | |
| U.S.GOVERNMENT OBLIGATIONS -- 0.67% | | | |
| ----- | | | |
| 2,000 | U.S.Treasury Bills(5) | 07/21/05 | 2.640* |
| ----- | | | |
| NUMBER OF SHARES (000) | | | |
| ----- | | | |
| OTHER -- 5.44%** | | | |
| ----- | | | |
| 16,015 | UBS Supplementary Trust -- U.S.Cash Management Prime Fund | | 2.770* |
| ----- | | | |
| Total Short-Term Investments (Cost \$20,713,151) | | | |
| ----- | | | |
| Total Investments -- 99.46% (Cost \$276,377,973) | | | |

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Cash and other assets, less liabilities -- 0.54%

Net Assets -- 100.00%

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PORTFOLIO OF INVESTMENTS -- APRIL 30, 2005 (UNAUDITED)

Note: The Portfolio of Investments is listed by the issuer's country of origin.

- + Reflects rate at April 30, 2005 on variable rate instruments.
- ++ Reflects rate at April 30, 2005 on step coupon rate instruments.
- @ Reflects annualized yield at April 30, 2005 on zero coupon bonds.
- * Interest rate reflects yield at April 30, 2005.
- ** Security is issued by a fund that is advised by a related entity of UBS Global Asset Management (US) Inc., Global High Income Dollar Fund Inc.'s advisor.

- (1) Bond interest in default.
- (2) Security is illiquid. These securities amounted to \$12,641,296 or 4.29% of net assets.
- (3) Rights do not currently accrue income. Quarterly income, if any, will vary based on several factors including oil exports, prices and inflation.
- (4) Security is being fair valued by a valuation committee under the direction of the Board of Directors. At April 30, 2005, the value of these securities amounted to \$6,771,958 or 2.30% of net assets.
- (5) All or a portion of these securities were pledged to cover margin requirements for futures contracts and/or forward foreign currency contracts.

144A Security exempt from registration under Rule 144A of the Securities Act of 1933. These securities are considered liquid and may be resold in transactions exempt from registration, normally to qualified institutional buyers. At April 30, 2005 the value of these securities amounted to \$38,858,631 or 13.19% of net assets.

ARS Argentina Peso
C Front-Loaded Interest Reduction with Capitalized Interest Bond
DCB Debt Conversion Bond
DISC Discount Bond
EUR Euro
FLIRB Front-Loaded Interest Reduction Bond
MYR Malaysian Ringgit
MXN Mexican Peso
PAR Par Bond
PLN Polish Zloty
SKK Slovakia Koruna
TRL Turkish Lira
UAH Ukraine Hryvnia

FUTURES CONTRACTS

Global High Income Dollar Fund Inc. had the following open futures contracts as of April 30, 2005:

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| | EXPIRATION DATE | COST/ PROCEEDS | CURRENT VALUE |
|--|--------------------|-------------------|------------------|
| U.S. TREASURY NOTE FUTURES BUY CONTRACTS: | | | |
| 5 Year U.S. Treasury Notes, 150 contracts | June 2005 | \$16,176,719 | \$16,267,969 |
| U.S. TREASURY BOND FUTURES SALE CONTRACTS: | | | |
| 10 Year U.S. Treasury Bonds, 424 contracts | June 2005 | 48,051,788 | 48,693,750 |
| Total net unrealized depreciation on futures contracts | | | |

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PORTFOLIO OF INVESTMENTS -- APRIL 30, 2005 (UNAUDITED)

FORWARD FOREIGN CURRENCY CONTRACTS

| | CONTRACTS TO DELIVER | IN EXCHANGE FOR | MATURITY DATES | |
|---|-------------------------|--------------------|-------------------|----------|
| Chinese Renminbi | 47,924,077 | USD | 5,960,706 | 07/05/05 |
| Euro | 9,590,000 | USD | 12,303,251 | 07/21/05 |
| Mexican Peso | 69,916,102 | USD | 6,151,879 | 07/05/05 |
| Mexican Peso | 24,000,000 | USD | 2,154,205 | 05/23/05 |
| United States Dollar | 5,867,656 | CNY | 47,924,077 | 07/05/05 |
| United States Dollar | 5,960,706 | MXN | 69,916,102 | 07/05/05 |
| United States Dollar | 7,436,350 | THB | 295,000,000 | 07/21/05 |
| Total net unrealized appreciation on forward foreign currency contracts | | | | |

CURRENCY TYPE ABBREVIATIONS:

CNY Chinese Renminbi
 MXN Mexican Peso
 THB Thai Baht
 USD United States Dollar

INDUSTRY DIVERSIFICATION
 AS A PERCENT OF NET ASSETS
 AS OF APRIL 30, 2005

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| | |
|---|---------|
| Foreign Debt Securities: | |
| International Corporate Bonds: | |
| Commercial Banks | 2.86% |
| Oil & Gas | 3.67 |
| Diversified Financial Services | 3.66 |
| Construction & Engineering | 0.48 |
| Capital Markets | 0.22 |
| | ----- |
| Total International Corporate Bonds | 10.89 |
| Foreign Government Bonds | 80.13 |
| | ----- |
| Total Foreign Debt Securities | 91.02 |
| | |
| Rights | 0.03 |
| Short-Term Investments | 8.41 |
| | ----- |
| Total Investments | 99.46 |
| Cash and Other Assets, Less Liabilities | 0.54 |
| | ----- |
| Net Assets | 100.00% |
| | ----- |

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GLOBAL HIGH INCOME DOLLAR FUND INC.

STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES -- APRIL 30, 2005 (UNAUDITED)

ASSETS:

| | |
|---|---------------|
| Investments in securities of unaffiliated issuers, at value (cost - \$260,362,936) | \$276,938,563 |
| ----- | |
| Investments in securities of a related entity, at value (cost - \$16,015,037) | 16,015,037 |
| ----- | |
| Cash collateral for futures contracts | 15,628 |
| ----- | |
| Foreign currency, at value (cost - \$292) | 278 |
| ----- | |
| Receivable for investments sold | 4,483,036 |
| ----- | |
| Interest receivable | 2,799,860 |
| ----- | |
| Unrealized appreciation on forward foreign currency contracts | 407,945 |
| ----- | |
| Variation margin receivable | 42,000 |
| ----- | |
| Other assets | 11,970 |
| ----- | |
| Total assets | 300,714,317 |
| ----- | |

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| | |
|--|---------------|
| Payable for investments purchased | 3,789,062 |
| ----- | ----- |
| Due to custodian bank | 1,757,467 |
| ----- | ----- |
| Payable to investment advisor and administrator | 300,364 |
| ----- | ----- |
| Unrealized depreciation on forward foreign currency contracts | 194,514 |
| ----- | ----- |
| Directors fees payable | 3,634 |
| ----- | ----- |
| Accrued expenses and other liabilities | 139,047 |
| ----- | ----- |
| Total liabilities | 6,184,088 |
| ----- | ----- |
| NET ASSETS: | |
| Capital stock - \$0.001 par value; 100,000,000 shares authorized; 19,439,667 shares issued and outstanding | 268,246,555 |
| ----- | ----- |
| Distributions in excess of net investment income | (8,460,710) |
| ----- | ----- |
| Accumulated net realized gain from investment transactions | 18,507,671 |
| ----- | ----- |
| Net unrealized appreciation of investments, futures, forward foreign currency contracts and other assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies | 16,236,713 |
| ----- | ----- |
| Net assets | \$294,530,229 |
| ----- | ----- |
| Net asset value per share | \$15.15 |
| ----- | ----- |

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GLOBAL HIGH INCOME DOLLAR FUND INC.

STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS

FOR THE SIX
MONTHS ENDED
APRIL 30, 2005
(UNAUDITED)

INVESTMENT INCOME:

| | |
|---|--------------|
| Interest income net of foreign withholding taxes of \$9,579 (includes \$135,185 from a related entity) | \$11,004,410 |
| ----- | ----- |

EXPENSES:

| | |
|---|-----------|
| Investment advisory and administration fees | 1,901,734 |
| ----- | ----- |
| Custody and accounting fees | 132,421 |

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| | |
|--|--------------|
| Reports and notices to shareholders | 64,735 |
| Professional fees | 41,213 |
| Directors' fees | 9,044 |
| Transfer agency fees | 8,667 |
| Other expenses | 28,258 |
| | 2,186,072 |
| Net investment income | 8,818,338 |
| REALIZED AND UNREALIZED GAINS (LOSSES) FROM INVESTMENT ACTIVITIES: | |
| Net realized gain (loss) from: | |
| Investment transactions | 18,287,338 + |
| Foreign currency transactions | 264,821 |
| Futures | (285,011) |
| Net change in unrealized appreciation/depreciation of: | |
| Investments | (10,010,500) |
| Futures | (272,126) |
| Other assets, liabilities and forward foreign currency contracts | 357,634 |
| Net realized and unrealized gains from investment activities | 8,342,156 |
| Net increase in net assets resulting from operations | \$17,160,494 |

+ Net of \$25,818 deferred country taxes.

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GLOBAL HIGH INCOME DOLLAR FUND INC.

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN NET ASSETS

For the Six
Months Ended
April 30, 2005
(unaudited)

For th
Year End
October 31,

FROM OPERATIONS:

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| | | |
|---|------------------|----------|
| Net investment income | \$8,818,338 | \$19,11 |
| Net realized gain from investment transactions | 18,287,338 | 39,63 |
| Net realized gain (loss) from futures and foreign currency transactions | (20,190) | 81 |
| Net change in unrealized appreciation/depreciation of: | | |
| Investments | (10,010,500) | (15,59 |
| Futures | (272,126) | (22 |
| Other assets, liabilities and forward foreign currency contracts | 357,634 | (|
| Net increase in net assets resulting from operations | 17,160,494 | 43,75 |
| DIVIDENDS AND DISTRIBUTIONS TO SHAREHOLDERS FROM: | | |
| Net investment income | (16,996,101) (1) | (18,95 |
| Net realized gains | (24,993,580) | (14,95 |
| Total dividends and distributions to shareholders | (41,989,681) | (33,90 |
| Net increase (decrease) in net assets | (24,829,187) | 9,84 |
| NET ASSETS: | | |
| Beginning of period | 319,359,416 | 309,51 |
| End of period | \$294,530,229 | \$319,35 |
| Distributions in excess of net investment income | (\$8,460,710) | (\$28 |

(1) The actual sources of the Fund's fiscal year 2005 dividend/distribution may be net investment income, net realized capital gains, return of capital or a combination of the foregoing and may be subject to retroactive recharacterization at the end of the Fund's fiscal year based on tax regulations. Shareholders will be informed of the tax characteristics of dividends/distributions after the close of the 2005 fiscal year.

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GLOBAL HIGH INCOME DOLLAR FUND INC.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED)

ORGANIZATION AND SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Global High Income Dollar Fund Inc. (the "Fund") was incorporated in Maryland on February 23, 1993 and is registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission as a closed-end, non-diversified management investment company whose shares trade on the New York Stock Exchange ("NYSE"). The Fund's primary investment objective is to achieve a high level of current income. As a secondary objective

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the Fund seeks capital appreciation, to the extent consistent with its primary objective.

In the normal course of business the Fund may enter into contracts that contain a variety of representations that provide general indemnification. The Fund's maximum exposure under these arrangements is unknown as this would involve future claims that may be made against the Fund that have not yet occurred. However, the Fund has not had prior claims or losses pursuant to these contracts and expects the risk of loss to be remote.

The preparation of financial statements in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles requires Fund management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. Actual results could differ from those estimates. The following is a summary of significant accounting policies:

VALUATION OF INVESTMENTS--The Fund calculates its net asset value based on the current market value, where available, for its portfolio securities. The Fund normally obtains market values for its securities from independent pricing sources and broker-dealers. Independent pricing sources may use reported last sale prices, current market quotations or valuations from computerized "matrix" systems that derive values based on comparable securities. A matrix system incorporates parameters such as security quality, maturity and coupon, and/or research and evaluations by its staff, including review of broker-dealer market price quotations, if available, in determining the valuation of the portfolio securities. Securities traded in the over-the-counter ("OTC") market and listed on The Nasdaq Stock Market, Inc. ("NASDAQ") normally are valued at the NASDAQ Official Closing Price. Other OTC securities are valued at the last bid price available on the valuation date prior to valuation. Securities which are listed on U.S. and foreign stock exchanges normally are valued at the last sale price on the day the securities are valued or, lacking any sales on such day, at the last available bid price. In cases where securities are traded on more than one exchange, the securities are valued on the exchange designated as the primary market by UBS Global Asset Management (US) Inc. ("UBS Global AM"), the investment advisor and administrator of the Fund. UBS Global AM is an indirect wholly owned asset management subsidiary of UBS AG, an internationally diversified organization with headquarters in Zurich, Switzerland and operations in many areas of the financial services industry. If a market value is not available from an independent pricing source for a particular security, that security is valued at fair value as determined in good faith by or under the direction of the Fund's board of

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directors (the "Board"). All investments quoted in foreign currencies will be valued weekly in U.S. dollars on the basis of the foreign currency exchange rates.

Foreign currency exchange rates are generally determined prior to the close of the NYSE. Occasionally, events affecting the value of foreign investments and such exchange rates occur between the time at which they are determined and the close of the NYSE, which will not be reflected in the computation of the Fund's net asset value. If events materially affecting the value of such securities or currency exchange rates occur during such time periods, the securities will be valued at their fair value as determined in good faith by or under the direction of the Board.

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INVESTMENT TRANSACTIONS AND INVESTMENT INCOME--Investment transactions are recorded on the trade date. Realized gains and losses from investment and foreign exchange transactions are calculated using the identified cost method. Interest income is recorded on an accrual basis. Discounts are accreted and premiums are amortized as adjustments to interest income and the identified cost of investments.

FOREIGN CURRENCY TRANSLATION--The books and records of the Fund are maintained in U.S. dollars using the WM/Reuters closing spot rates as of 4:00 pm London time. For purposes of calculating the U.S. dollar equivalent value of a non-U.S. dollar denominated obligation, foreign currency amounts are translated into U.S. dollars on the following basis: (1) market value of investment securities and other assets and liabilities - at the exchange rates prevailing at the end of the Fund's fiscal period; and (2) purchases and sales of investment securities and income and expenses - at the rates of exchange prevailing on the respective dates of such transactions.

Although the net assets and the market value of the Fund's portfolio are presented at the foreign exchange rates at the end of the Fund's fiscal period, the Fund does not generally isolate the effect of fluctuations in foreign exchange rates from the effect of the changes in market prices of securities. However, the Fund does isolate the effect of fluctuations in foreign exchange rates when determining the gain or loss upon the sale or maturity of foreign currency-denominated securities pursuant to U.S. federal income tax regulations. Certain foreign exchange gains and losses included in realized and unrealized gains and losses are included in or are a reduction of ordinary income in accordance with U.S. federal income tax regulations.

FORWARD FOREIGN CURRENCY CONTRACTS--The Fund may enter into forward foreign currency exchange contracts ("forward contracts") in connection with planned purchases or sales of securities or to hedge the U.S. dollar value of portfolio securities denominated in a particular currency. The Fund may also use forward contracts to enhance income.

The Fund has no specific limitation on the percentage of assets which may be committed to such contracts. The Fund may enter into forward contracts or maintain

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a net exposure to forward contracts only if (1) the consummation of the contracts would not obligate the Fund to deliver an amount of foreign currency in excess of the value of the position being hedged by such contracts or (2) the Fund identifies cash or liquid securities in an amount not less than the value of its total assets committed to the consummation of the forward contracts and not covered as provided in (1) above, as marked-to-market daily.

Risks may arise upon entering into forward contracts from the potential inability of counterparties to meet the terms of their forward contracts and from unanticipated movements in the value of foreign currencies relative to the U.S. dollar.

Fluctuations in the value of forward contracts are recorded for book purposes as unrealized gains or losses by the Fund. Realized gains and losses include net gains and losses recognized by the Fund on contracts which have been sold or

matured.

FUTURES CONTRACTS--The Fund may use financial futures contracts for hedging purposes and to adjust exposure to U.S. and foreign fixed income markets in connection with a reallocation of the Fund's assets or to manage the average duration of the Fund. However, imperfect correlations between futures contracts and the related securities or markets, or market disruptions, do not normally permit full control of these risks at all times. Using financial futures contracts involves various market risks. The maximum amount at risk from the purchase of a futures contract is the contract value.

Upon entering into a financial futures contract, the Fund is required to pledge to a broker an amount of cash and/or liquid securities equal to a certain percentage of the contract amount. This amount is known as the "initial margin". Subsequent payments, known as "variation margin" are made or received by the Fund each day, depending on the daily fluctuations in the value of the underlying financial futures contracts. Such variation margin is recorded for financial statement purposes on a daily basis as an unrealized gain or loss on futures until the financial futures contract is closed, at which time the net gain or loss is reclassified to realized gain or loss on futures.

DIVIDENDS AND DISTRIBUTIONS--Dividends and distributions to shareholders are recorded on the ex-dividend date. The amount of dividends from net investment income and distributions from net realized capital gains and/or return of capital is determined in accordance with U.S. federal income tax regulations, which may differ from U.S. generally accepted accounting principles. These "book/tax" differences are either considered temporary or permanent in nature. To the extent these differences are permanent in nature, such amounts are reclassified within the capital accounts based on their federal tax-basis treatment; temporary differences do not require reclassification.

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CONCENTRATION OF RISK

Investing in securities of foreign issuers and currency transactions may involve certain considerations and risks not typically associated with investments in the United States. These risks include revaluation of currencies, adverse fluctuations in foreign currency values and possible adverse political, social and economic developments, including those particular to a specific industry, country or region, which could cause the securities and their markets to be less liquid and prices more volatile than those of comparable U.S. companies and U.S. government securities. These risks are greater with respect to securities of issuers located in emerging market countries in which the Fund invests. The ability of the issuers of debt securities held by the Fund to meet their obligations may be affected by economic and political developments particular to a specific industry, country or region.

INVESTMENT ADVISOR AND ADMINISTRATOR AND OTHER TRANSACTIONS WITH RELATED ENTITIES

The Board has approved an investment advisory and administration contract ("Advisory Contract") with UBS Global AM, under which UBS Global AM serves as investment advisor and administrator of the Fund. In accordance with the Advisory Contract, the Fund pays UBS Global AM an investment advisory and administration fee, which is accrued weekly and paid monthly, at the annual rate

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of 1.25% of the Fund's average weekly net assets.

The Fund invests in shares of the UBS Supplementary Trust -- U.S. Cash Management Prime Fund ("Supplementary Trust"). Supplementary Trust is a business trust managed by UBS Global Asset Management (Americas) Inc., an related entity of UBS Global AM.

The Fund pays no management fees to Supplementary Trust. Distributions from the Supplementary Trust are reflected as interest income on the statement of operations.

Amounts relating to those investments at April 30, 2005 and for the period ended are summarized as follows:

| FUND | PURCHASES | SALES PROCEEDS | INTEREST INCOME | VALUE | % OF NET ASSETS |
|--|---------------|-------------------|--------------------|--------------|-----------------------|
| ----- | | | | | |
| UBS Supplementary Trust -- U.S. Cash Management Prime Fund | \$162,881,312 | \$156,984,823 | \$135,185 | \$16,015,037 | 5.44% |
| ----- | | | | | |

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REGARDING COMPENSATION TO AFFILIATE OF A BOARD MEMBER

Effective March 1, 2005, Professor Meyer Feldberg accepted the position of senior advisor to Morgan Stanley, resulting in his becoming an interested director of

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the Fund. The Fund has been informed that Professor Feldberg's role at Morgan Stanley does not involve matters directly affecting any UBS funds. UBS Global AM may execute Fund portfolio transactions through Morgan Stanley based on that firm's ability to provide best execution of the transactions. For the six months ended April 30, 2005, the Fund did not purchase or sell securities in principal trades with Morgan Stanley.

SECURITIES LENDING

The Fund may lend securities up to 33 1/3% of its total assets to qualified broker-dealers or institutional investors. The loans are secured at all times by cash, cash equivalents or U.S. government securities in an amount at least equal to the market value of the securities loaned, plus accrued interest and dividends, determined on a daily basis and adjusted accordingly. The Fund will regain ownership of loaned securities to exercise certain beneficial rights; however, the Fund may bear the risk of delay in recovery of, or even loss of rights in, the securities loaned should the borrower fail financially. The Fund receives compensation for lending its securities from interest or dividends earned on the cash, cash equivalents or U.S. government securities held as collateral, net of fee rebates paid to the borrower plus reasonable administrative and custody fees. UBS Securities LLC, an indirect wholly owned

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subsidiary of UBS AG, and other affiliated broker-dealers have been approved as borrowers under the Fund's securities lending program. For the six months ended April 30, 2005, the Fund did not have any securities on loan, and the Fund did not owe UBS Securities LLC compensation as the Fund's lending agent.

CAPITAL STOCK

There are 100,000,000 shares of \$0.001 par value common stock authorized and 19,439,667 shares outstanding at April 30, 2005. For the six months ended April 30, 2005 and for the year ended October 31, 2004, the Fund did not repurchase any shares of common stock.

For the period September 17, 1998 (commencement of repurchase program) through February 28, 2001, the Fund repurchased 3,297,000 shares of common stock at an average market price per share of \$11.68 and a weighted average discount from net asset value of 14.88%. As of April 30, 2005, paid-in-capital has been reduced by the cost of \$38,698,693 of capital stock repurchased.

PURCHASES AND SALES OF SECURITIES

For the six months ended April 30, 2005, aggregate purchases and sales of portfolio securities, excluding short-term securities, were \$248,633,954 and \$293,116,936, respectively.

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FEDERAL TAX STATUS

The Fund intends to distribute substantially all of its taxable income and to comply with the other requirements of the Internal Revenue Code applicable to regulated investment companies. Accordingly, no provision for federal income taxes is required. In addition, by distributing during each calendar year, substantially all of its net investment income, realized capital gains and certain other amounts, if any, the Fund intends not to be subject to a federal excise tax.

The tax character of distributions paid during the fiscal year ended October 31, 2004 was as follows:

| DISTRIBUTIONS PAID FROM: | 2004 |
|--------------------------|--------------|
| Net investment income | \$30,792,351 |
| Net realized gains | 3,116,260 |
| Total distributions paid | \$33,908,611 |

At October 31, 2004, the components of accumulated earnings on a tax basis were as follows:

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| | |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|
| Undistributed long-term capital gains | \$24,993,049 |
| ----- | |
| Unrealized appreciation | 26,119,812 |
| ----- | |
| Total accumulated earnings | \$51,112,861 |
| ----- | |

The tax character of distributions paid and the components of accumulated earnings (deficit) on a tax basis for the current fiscal year will be calculated after the Fund's fiscal year ending October 31, 2005.

The difference between book-basis and tax-basis net unrealized appreciation of investments is attributable to premium amortization adjustments and wash sales.

During the fiscal year ended October 31, 2004, the Fund had no capital loss carry-forwards to offset current year gains.

For federal income tax purposes, which was substantially the same for book purposes, the tax cost of investments and the components of net unrealized appreciation of investments at April 30, 2005 were as follows:

| | |
|--|---------------|
| Tax cost of investments | \$276,377,973 |
| ----- | |
| Gross appreciation (investments having an excess of value over cost) | 19,247,564 |
| ----- | |
| Gross depreciation (investments having an excess of cost over value) | (2,671,937) |
| ----- | |
| Net unrealized appreciation of investments | \$ 16,575,627 |
| ----- | |

To reflect reclassifications arising from permanent "book/tax" differences for the year ended October 31, 2004, distributions in excess of net investment income was decreased by \$15,220,861 and accumulated net realized gain from investment activities was decreased by \$15,220,861. These differences are primarily due to tax treatment of foreign currency transactions, paydown gains and losses, distribution reclasses and premium adjustments for certain debt obligations.

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GLOBAL HIGH INCOME DOLLAR FUND INC.

FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

Selected data for a share of common stock outstanding throughout each period is presented below:

| FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED APRIL 30, 2005 (UNAUDITED) | FOR THE YEARS ENDED | | |
|--|---------------------|------|-------|
| | 2004 | 2003 | 2002+ |
| ----- | | | |

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| | | | | |
|---|------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| NET ASSET VALUE, BEGINNING OF PERIOD | \$ 16.43 | \$ 15.92 | \$ 14.14 | \$ 14.16 |
| Net investment income | 0.45 | 0.98 | 1.02 | 1.04 |
| Net realized and unrealized gains from investment and foreign currency transactions | 0.43 | 1.27 | 2.44 | 0.52 |
| Net increase from investment operations | 0.88 | 2.25 | 3.46 | 1.56 |
| Dividends from net investment income | (0.87) (2) | (0.97) | (1.13) | (1.31) |
| Distributions from net realized gains from investment transactions | (1.29) | (0.77) | (0.53) | - |
| Distributions from paid-in-capital | - | - | (0.02) | (0.27) |
| Distributions in excess of net investment income | - | - | - | - |
| Total dividends and distributions to shareholders | (2.16) | (1.74) | (1.68) | (1.58) |
| Net increase in net asset value resulting from repurchase of common stock | - | - | - | - |
| NET ASSET VALUE, END OF PERIOD | \$ 15.15 | \$ 16.43 | \$ 15.92 | \$ 14.14 |
| MARKET VALUE, END OF PERIOD | \$ 17.31 | \$ 18.31 | \$ 17.07 | \$ 13.87 |
| TOTAL INVESTMENT RETURN(1) | 5.52% | 18.68% | 36.52% | 19.38% |
| RATIOS/SUPPLEMENTAL DATA: | | | | |
| Net assets, end of period (000's) | \$294,530 | \$319,359 | \$309,516 | \$274,968 |
| Expenses to average net assets | 1.43%* | 1.40% | 1.43% | 1.43% |
| Net investment income to average net assets | 5.78%* | 6.18% | 6.66% | 7.23% |
| Portfolio turnover rate | 86% | 140% | 53% | 57% |

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GLOBAL HIGH INCOME DOLLAR FUND INC.

FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

* Annualized.

1 Total investment return is calculated assuming a \$10,000 purchase of common stock at the current market price on the first day of each period reported and a sale at the current market price on the last day of each period reported, and assuming reinvestment of dividends and other distributions at

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prices obtained under the Fund's Dividend Reinvestment Plan. Total investment return does not reflect brokerage commissions and has not been annualized for the period less than one year. Returns do not reflect the deduction of taxes that a shareholder would pay on Fund dividends/distributions or a sale of Fund shares.

- 2 The actual sources of the Fund's fiscal year 2005 dividends/distributions may be net investment income, net realized capital gains, return of capital or a combination of the foregoing and may be subject to retroactive recharacterization at the end of the Fund's fiscal year based on tax regulations. Shareholders will be informed of the tax characteristics of dividends/distributions after the close of the 2005 fiscal year.
- + As required, effective as of November 1, 2001, the Fund has adopted the provisions of the AICPA Audit and Accounting Guide, Audits of Investment Companies, and began amortizing premium on debt securities for financial statement reporting purposes only. The effect of this change for the year ended October 31, 2002 was to decrease net investment income per share by \$0.02, increase net realized and unrealized gains from investment activities per share by \$0.02, and decrease the ratio of net investment income to average net assets from 7.35% to 7.23%. Per share ratios and supplemental data for years prior to November 1, 2001 have not been restated to reflect this change in presentation.

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GLOBAL HIGH INCOME DOLLAR FUND INC.

GENERAL INFORMATION (UNAUDITED)

THE FUND

Global High Income Dollar Fund Inc. (the "Fund") is a non-diversified, closed-end management investment company whose shares trade on the New York Stock Exchange ("NYSE"). The Fund's primary investment objective is to achieve a high level of current income. As a secondary objective, the Fund seeks capital appreciation to the extent consistent with its primary objective. The Fund's investment advisor and administrator is UBS Global Asset Management (US) Inc. ("UBS Global AM"), an indirect wholly owned asset management subsidiary of UBS AG, which had over \$50.7 billion in assets under management as of March 31, 2005.

SHAREHOLDER INFORMATION

The Fund's NYSE trading symbol is "GHI." Comparative net asset value and market price information about the Fund is published weekly in The Wall Street Journal, The New York Times and Barron's, as well as in numerous other publications.

An annual meeting of shareholders of the Fund was held on February 17, 2005. At the meeting, Margo N. Alexander, Richard Q. Armstrong, David J. Beaubien, Richard R. Burt, Meyer Feldberg, Carl W. Schafer, and William D. White were elected to serve as directors until the next annual meeting of shareholders, or until their successors are elected and qualified or until they resign or are otherwise removed. The shares were voted as indicated below:

| | SHARES | SHARES |
|---|-----------|-----------|
| | VOTED FOR | WITHHOLD |
| TO VOTE FOR OR AGAINST THE ELECTION OF: | | AUTHORITY |

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| | | |
|----------------------|----------------|-------------|
| Margo N. Alexander | 18,198,404.809 | 166,962.261 |
| Richard Q. Armstrong | 18,199,425.809 | 165,941.261 |
| David J. Beaubien | 18,196,028.809 | 169,338.261 |
| Richard R. Burt | 18,179,150.809 | 186,216.261 |
| Meyer Feldberg | 18,202,866.809 | 162,500.261 |
| Carl W. Schafer | 18,174,645.809 | 190,721.261 |
| William D. White | 18,194,455.809 | 170,911.261 |

To the best of the Fund's knowledge, there were no "broker non-votes." (Broker non-votes are shares held in street name for which the broker indicates that instructions have not been received from the beneficial owners or other persons entitled to vote and for which the broker does not have discretionary voting authority.)

QUARTERLY FORM N-Q PORTFOLIO SCHEDULE

The Fund will file its complete schedule of portfolio holdings with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") for the first and third quarter of each fiscal year on Form N-Q. The Fund's Forms N-Q are available on the SEC's Web site at <http://www.sec.gov>. The Fund's Forms N-Q may be reviewed and copied at the

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GENERAL INFORMATION (UNAUDITED)

SEC's Public Reference Room in Washington, D.C. Information on the operation of the SEC's Public Reference Room may be obtained by calling 1-800-SEC-0330. Additionally, you may obtain copies of Forms N-Q from the Fund upon request by calling 1-800-647-1568.

PROXY VOTING POLICIES AND PROCEDURES AND RECORD

You may obtain a description of the Fund's proxy voting policies and procedures (and information regarding how the Fund voted any proxies related to portfolio securities during the 12-month period ended June 30, 2004), without charge, upon request by contacting the Fund directly at 1-800-647-1568, online on the Fund's Web site: www.ubs.com/ubsglobalam-proxy, or on the EDGAR Database on the SEC's Web site (<http://www.sec.gov>).

DIVIDEND REINVESTMENT PLAN

The Fund's Board has established a Dividend Reinvestment Plan (the "Plan") under which all shareholders whose shares are registered in their own names, or in the name of UBS Financial Services Inc. or its nominee, will have all dividends and other distributions on their shares of common stock automatically reinvested in additional shares, unless such shareholders elect to receive cash. Shareholders who elect to hold their shares in the name of another broker or nominee should contact such broker or nominee to determine whether, or how, they may participate in the Plan. The ability of such shareholders to participate in the

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Plan may change if their shares are transferred into the name of another broker or nominee.

A shareholder may elect not to participate in the Plan or may terminate participation in the Plan at any time without penalty, and shareholders who have previously terminated participation in the Plan may rejoin it at any time. Changes in elections must be made in writing to the Fund's transfer agent and should include the shareholder's name and address as they appear on that share certificate or in the transfer agent's records. An election to terminate participation in the Plan, until such election is changed, will be deemed an election by a shareholder to take all subsequent distributions in cash. An election will be effective only for distributions declared and having a record date at least ten days after the date on which the election is received.

Additional shares of common stock acquired under the Plan will be purchased in the open market, on the NYSE or otherwise, at prices that may be higher or lower than the net asset value per share at the time of the purchase. Investors should consider whether continued participation in the dividend reinvestment plan is appropriate for them when the Fund's market price exceeds its net asset value; a portion of a dividend may represent a return of capital, which would be reinvested in the Fund at a premium to net asset value. The number of shares of common stock purchased with each dividend will be equal to the result obtained by dividing the amount of

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the dividend payable to a particular shareholder by the average price per share (including applicable brokerage commissions) that the transfer agent was able to obtain in the open market. The Fund will not issue any new shares in connection with the Plan. There currently is no charge to participants for reinvesting dividends or other distributions. The transfer agent's fees for handling the reinvestment of distributions are paid by the Fund. However, each participant pays a pro rata share of brokerage commissions incurred with respect to the transfer agent's open market purchases of common stock in connection with the reinvestment of distributions. The automatic reinvestment of dividends and other distributions in shares of common stock does not relieve participants of any income tax that may be payable on such distributions.

Experience under the Plan may indicate that changes are desirable. Accordingly, the Fund reserves the right to amend or terminate the Plan with respect to any dividend or other distribution if notice of the change is sent to Plan participants at least 30 days before the record date for such distribution. The Plan also may be amended or terminated by the transfer agent by at least 30 days' written notice to all Plan participants. Additional information regarding the Plan may be obtained from, and all correspondence concerning the Plan should be directed to, the transfer agent at PFPC Inc., P.O. Box 43027, Providence, Rhode Island 02940-3027. For further information regarding the Plan, you may also contact the transfer agent directly at 1-800-331-1710.

DISTRIBUTION POLICY

The Fund's Board adopted a managed distribution policy in December 1999. Pursuant to the policy as in effect from December 1999 through early May 2005, the Fund made regular monthly distributions at an annualized rate equal to 11% of the Fund's net asset value, as determined as of the last trading day during the first week of that month (usually a Friday, unless the NYSE is closed that

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Friday). The Board approved reducing the annualized rate for distributions pursuant to the policy from 11% to 9% effective beginning with the June 2005 monthly distribution. Prior to December 20, 1999, the Fund's distributions varied based on the Fund's net investment income and realized capital gains or losses. The Fund's Board may change or terminate the managed distribution policy at any time; any such change or termination may have adverse effect on the market price for the Fund's shares.

To the extent that the Fund's taxable income in any fiscal year exceeds the aggregate amount distributed based on a fixed percentage of its net asset value, the Fund would make an additional distribution in the amount of that excess near the end of the fiscal year. To the extent that the aggregate amount distributed by the Fund (based on a fixed percentage of its net asset value) exceeds its current and accumulated earnings and profits, the amount of that excess would constitute a return of capital or net realized capital gains for tax purposes.

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Monthly distributions based on a fixed percentage of the Fund's net asset value may require the Fund to make multiple distributions of long-term capital gains during a single fiscal year. The Fund has received exemptive relief from the Securities and Exchange Commission that enables it to do so. The Fund's Board will reassess the annualized percentage of net assets at which the Fund's monthly distributions will be made no less frequently than annually.

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Notice is hereby given in accordance with Section 23(c) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 that from time to time the Fund may purchase shares of its common stock in the open market at market prices.

This report is sent to the shareholders of the Fund for their information. It is not a prospectus, circular or representation intended for use in the purchase or sale of shares of the Fund or of any securities mentioned in this report.

The financial information included herein is taken from the records of the Fund without examination by independent registered public accountants who do not express an opinion thereon.

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ITEM 2. CODE OF ETHICS.

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ITEM 3. AUDIT COMMITTEE FINANCIAL EXPERT.

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ITEM 4. PRINCIPAL ACCOUNTANT FEES AND SERVICES.

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ITEM 5. AUDIT COMMITTEE OF LISTED REGISTRANTS.

Form N-CSR disclosure requirement not applicable to this filing of a semi-annual report.

ITEM 6. SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS.

Included as part of the report to shareholders filed under Item 1 of this form.

ITEM 7. DISCLOSURE OF PROXY VOTING POLICIES AND PROCEDURES FOR CLOSED-END

MANAGEMENT INVESTMENT COMPANIES.

Form N-CSR disclosure requirement not applicable to this filing of a semi-annual report.

ITEM 8. PORTFOLIO MANAGERS OF CLOSED-END MANAGEMENT INVESTMENT COMPANIES.

Form N-CSR disclosure requirement not yet effective with respect to the registrant.

ITEM 9. PURCHASES OF EQUITY SECURITIES BY CLOSED-END MANAGEMENT INVESTMENT

COMPANY AND AFFILIATED PURCHASERS.

There were no purchases made by or on behalf of the registrant or any "affiliated purchaser," as defined in Rule 10b-18(a)(3) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, of shares of the registrant's equity securities made in the period covered by this report.

ITEM 10. SUBMISSION OF MATTERS TO A VOTE OF SECURITY HOLDERS.

The registrant's Board has established a Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee. The Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee will consider nominees recommended by shareholders if a vacancy occurs among those board members who are not "interested persons" as defined in Section 2(a)(19) of the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended. In order to recommend a nominee, a shareholder should send a letter to the chairperson of the Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee, Mr. Richard Burt, care of the Secretary of the registrant at UBS Global Asset Management (US) Inc., 51 West 52nd Street, New York, New York 10019-6114, and indicate on the envelope "Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee." The shareholder's letter should state the

nominee's name and should include the nominee's resume or curriculum vitae, and

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must be accompanied by a written consent of the individual to stand for election if nominated for the Board and to serve if elected by shareholders.

ITEM 11. CONTROLS AND PROCEDURES.

- (a) The registrant's principal executive officer and principal financial officer have concluded that the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Rule 30a-3(c) under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended) are effective based on their evaluation of these controls and procedures as of a date within 90 days of the filing date of this document.
- (b) The registrant's principal executive officer and principal financial officer are aware of no changes in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the registrant's most recent fiscal half-year that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

ITEM 12. EXHIBITS.

- (a) (1) Code of Ethics - Form N-CSR disclosure requirement not applicable to this filing of a semi-annual report.
- (a) (2) Certifications of principal executive officer and principal financial officer pursuant to Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002 is attached hereto as Exhibit EX-99.CERT.
- (a) (3) Written solicitation to purchase securities under Rule 23c-1 under the Investment Company Act of 1940 sent or given during the period covered by the report by or on behalf of the registrant to 10 or more persons - The registrant has not engaged in such a solicitation during the period covered by this report.
- (b) Certifications of principal executive officer and principal financial officer pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002 is attached hereto as Exhibit EX-99.906CERT.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the Investment Company Act of 1940, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

Global High Income Dollar Fund Inc.

By: /s/ W. Douglas Beck

W. Douglas Beck
President

Date: July 11, 2005

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the Investment Company Act of 1940, this report has been signed below by the following persons on behalf of the registrant and in the capacities and on the dates indicated.

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By: /s/ W. Douglas Beck

W. Douglas Beck
President

Date: July 11, 2005

By: /s/ Thomas Disbrow

Thomas Disbrow
Treasurer

Date: July 11, 2005
