

Flaherty & Crumrine PREFERRED INCOME OPPORTUNITY FUND INC
Form 5

February 17, 2016

FORM 5

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Conwell Chad

(Last) (First) (Middle)

301 E. COLORADO BLVD., SUITE
720

(Street)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
Flaherty & Crumrine PREFERRED
INCOME OPPORTUNITY FUND
INC [PFO]

3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended
(Month/Day/Year)
11/30/2015

4. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

☐ Director ☐ 10% Owner
☒ Officer (give title below) ☒ Other (specify
below)
CCO, Vice President, Secretary / Affiliated
Person of Adviser

6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting

(check applicable line)

PASADENA, CA 91101

(City) (State) (Zip)

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Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or Amount (D) Price	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	11/30/2015	Â	J ⁽¹⁾	0 A \$ 0 500 ⁽²⁾	D	Â	

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securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. of D S B O E I F (I
					(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Conwell Chad 301 E. COLORADO BLVD., SUITE 720 PASADENA, CA 91101	Â	Â	Â CCO, Vice President, Secretary	Affiliated Person of Adviser

Signatures

/s/Chad Conwell 02/09/2016

**Signature of
Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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- (1) Due to his ownership of 15.2% of Flaherty & Crumrine Incorporated, Mr. Conwell also has an indirect interest in the 8,603 shares of common stock held by Flaherty & Crumrine Incorporated.
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