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FORM 10-Q
QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE *ACT OF 1934
For the quarterly period ended September 30, 2015
or
TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934
For the transition period fromto
Commission File Number: 001-36638
Medley Management Inc.
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 47-1130638 (State or other jurisdiction of (I.R.S. Employer
incorporation or organization) Identification No.)
375 Park Avenue, 33rd Floor
New York, New York 10152
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(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)
Indicate by check mark whether the registrant: (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. Yes x No "
Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically and posted on its corporate Web site, if any, every Interactive Data File required to be submitted and posted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T (§232.405 of this chapter) during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit and post such files). Yes x No "
Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer or a smaller reporting company. See the definitions of "large accelerated filer," "accelerated filer" and "smaller reporting company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act.
Large accelerated filer " Accelerated filer " Non-accelerated filer x (Do not check if a smaller reporting company) Smaller reporting company "
Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act). Yes "No x

The number of shares of the registrant's Class A common stock, par value \$0.01 per share, outstanding as of November 16, 2015 was 6,009,720. The number of shares of the registrant's Class B common stock, par value \$0.01 per share, outstanding as of November 16, 2015 was 100.

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#### FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS

This Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q ("Form 10-Q") contains forward-looking statements within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act"), and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act") that reflect our current views with respect to, among other things, our operations and financial performance. Forward-looking statements include all statements that are not historical facts. In some cases, you can identify these forward-looking statements by the use of words such as "outlook," "believes," "expects," "potential," "may," "should," "could," "seeks," "approximately," "predicts," "intends," "plans," "estimates," "anticinegative version of these words or other comparable words. Such forward-looking statements are subject to various risks and uncertainties. Accordingly, there are or will be important factors that could cause actual outcomes or results to differ materially from those indicated in these statements. We believe these factors include, but are not limited to, those described under Part I, Item 1A. "Risk Factors" in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2014 (the "Annual Report on Form 10-K") available on the SEC's website at www.sec.gov, which include, but are not limited to, the following:

difficult market and political conditions may adversely affect our business in many ways, including by reducing the value or hampering the performance of the investments made by our funds, each of which could materially and adversely affect our business, results of operations and financial condition;

we derive a substantial portion of our revenues from funds managed pursuant to advisory agreements that may be terminated or fund partnership agreements that permit fund investors to remove us as the general partner;

we may not be able to maintain our current fee structure as a result of industry pressure from fund investors to reduce fees, which could have an adverse effect on our profit margins and results of operations;

a change of control of us could result in termination of our investment advisory agreements;

the historical returns attributable to our funds should not be considered as indicative of the future results of our funds or of our future results or of any returns expected on an investment in our Class A common stock;

if we are unable to consummate or successfully integrate development opportunities, acquisitions or joint ventures, we may not be able to implement our growth strategy successfully;

we depend on third-party distribution sources to market our investment strategies;

an investment strategy focused primarily on privately held companies presents certain challenges, including the lack of available information about these companies;

·our funds' investments in investee companies may be risky, and our funds could lose all or part of their investments;

· prepayments of debt investments by our investee companies could adversely impact our results of operations;

our funds' investee companies may incur debt that ranks equally with, or senior to, our funds' investments in such companies;

subordinated liens on collateral securing loans that our funds make to their investee companies may be subject to control by senior creditors with first priority liens and, if there is a default, the value of the collateral may not be sufficient to repay in full both the first priority creditors and our funds;

there may be circumstances where our funds' debt investments could be subordinated to claims of other creditors or our funds could be subject to lender liability claims;

- our funds may not have the resources or ability to make additional investments in our investee companies;
- · economic recessions or downturns could impair our investee companies and harm our operating results;
  - a covenant breach by our investee companies may harm our operating results;
    - the investment management business is competitive;

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our funds operate in a competitive market for lending that has recently intensified, and competition may limit our funds' ability to originate or acquire desirable loans and investments and could also affect the yields of these assets and have a material adverse effect on our business, results of operations and financial condition;

dependence on leverage by certain of our funds and by our funds' investee companies subjects us to volatility and contractions in the debt financing markets and could adversely affect our ability to achieve attractive rates of return on those investments;

some of our funds may invest in companies that are highly leveraged, which may increase the risk of loss associated with those investments;

we generally do not control the business operations of our investee companies and, due to the illiquid nature of our investments, may not be able to dispose of such investments;

a substantial portion of our investments may be recorded at fair value as determined in good faith by or under the direction of our respective funds' boards of directors or similar bodies and, as a result, there may be uncertainty regarding the value of our funds' investments;

we may need to pay "clawback" obligations if and when they are triggered under the governing agreements with respect to certain of our funds and separately managed accounts;

our funds may face risks relating to undiversified investments;

- third-party investors in our private funds may not satisfy their contractual obligation to fund capital calls when requested, which could adversely affect a fund's operations and performance;
  - our funds may be forced to dispose of investments at a disadvantageous time;
  - · hedging strategies may adversely affect the returns on our funds' investments;

our business depends in large part on our ability to raise capital from investors. If we were unable to raise such capital, we would be unable to collect management fees or deploy such capital into investments, which would materially and adversely affect our business, results of operations and financial condition;

we depend on our senior management team, senior investment professionals and other key personnel, and our ability to retain them and attract additional qualified personnel is critical to our success and our growth prospects;

our failure to appropriately address conflicts of interest could damage our reputation and adversely affect our businesses;

· potential conflicts of interest may arise between our Class A common stockholders and our fund investors;

investors in our funds may be unwilling to commit new capital to our funds as a result of our decision to become a public company, which could have a material adverse effect on our business and financial condition;

rapid growth of our businesses may be difficult to sustain and may place significant demands on our administrative, operational and financial resources;

we may not be able to manage our expanding operations effectively or be able to continue to grow, and any failure to do so could adversely affect our ability to generate revenue and control our expenses;

we may enter into new lines of business and expand into new investment strategies, geographic markets and businesses, each of which may result in additional risks and uncertainties in our businesses;

extensive regulation affects our activities, increases the cost of doing business and creates the potential for significant liabilities and penalties that could adversely affect our business and results of operations;

failure to comply with "pay to play" regulations implemented by the SEC and certain states, and changes to the "pay to play" regulatory regimes, could adversely affect our businesses;

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new or changed laws or regulations governing our funds' operations and changes in the interpretation thereof could adversely affect our business;

present and future business development companies for which we serve as investment adviser are subject to regulatory complexities that limit the way in which they do business and may subject them to a higher level of regulatory scrutiny;

we are subject to risks in using custodians, counterparties, administrators and other agents;

a portion of our revenue and cash flow is variable, which may impact our ability to achieve steady earnings growth on a quarterly basis and may cause the price of our Class A common stock to decline;

· we may be subject to litigation risks and may face liabilities and damage to our professional reputation as a result;

employee misconduct could harm us by impairing our ability to attract and retain investors and subjecting us to significant legal liability, regulatory scrutiny and reputational harm, and fraud and other deceptive practices or other misconduct at our investee companies could similarly subject us to liability and reputational damage and also harm our businesses;

our substantial indebtedness could adversely affect our financial condition, our ability to pay our debts or raise additional capital to fund our operations, our ability to operate our business and our ability to react to changes in the economy or our industry and could divert our cash flow from operations for debt payments;

our Senior Secured Credit Facilities impose significant operating and financial restrictions on us and our subsidiaries, which may prevent us from capitalizing on business opportunities;

servicing our indebtedness will require a significant amount of cash. Our ability to generate sufficient cash depends on many factors, some of which are not within our control;

despite our current level of indebtedness, we may be able to incur substantially more debt and enter into other transactions, which could further exacerbate the risks to our financial condition;

operational risks may disrupt our businesses, result in losses or limit our growth;

Medley Management Inc.'s only material asset is its interest in Medley LLC, and it is accordingly dependent upon distributions from Medley LLC to pay taxes, make payments under the tax receivable agreement or pay dividends;

Medley Management Inc. is controlled by our pre-IPO owners, whose interests may differ from those of our public stockholders:

Medley Management Inc. will be required to pay exchanging holders of LLC Units for most of the benefits relating to any additional tax depreciation or amortization deductions that we may claim as a result of the tax basis step-up we receive in connection with sales or exchanges of LLC Units and related transactions;

in certain cases, payments under the tax receivable agreement may be accelerated and/or significantly exceed the actual benefits Medley Management Inc. realizes in respect of the tax attributes subject to the tax receivable agreement; and

anti-takeover provisions in our organizational documents and Delaware law might discourage or delay acquisition attempts for us that you might consider favorable.

These factors should not be construed as exhaustive and should be read in conjunction with the other cautionary statements that are included in this Form 10-Q. Forward-looking statements speak as of the date on which they are made, and we undertake no obligation to publicly update or review any forward-looking statement, whether as a result of new information, future developments or otherwise, except as required by law.

Medley Management Inc. was incorporated as a Delaware corporation on June 13, 2014, and its sole asset is a controlling equity interest in Medley LLC. Pursuant to a reorganization into a holding corporation structure (the "Reorganization") consummated in connection with Medley Management Inc.'s initial public offering ("IPO"), Medley Management Inc. became a holding corporation and the sole managing member of Medley LLC, operating and controlling all of the business and affairs of Medley LLC and, through Medley LLC and its subsidiaries, conducts its business.

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Unless the context suggests otherwise, references herein to the "Company," "Medley," "we," "us" and "our" refer, (1) prior to consummation of the Offering Transactions (as defined below), to Medley LLC, Medley GP Holdings LLC and their combined and consolidated subsidiaries and, (2) after such Offering Transactions, to Medley Management Inc. and its consolidated subsidiaries.

The "existing owners" and "pre-IPO owners" refer to the senior professionals who were the owners of Medley LLC immediately prior to the Offering Transactions. The "Offering Transactions" refer to Medley Management Inc.'s purchase upon the consummation of its IPO of 6,000,000 newly issued limited liability company units (the "LLC Units") from Medley LLC, which correspondingly diluted the ownership interests of the pre-IPO owners in Medley LLC and resulted in Medley Management Inc.'s holding a number of LLC Units in Medley LLC equal to the number of shares of Class A common stock it issued in its IPO.

Unless the context suggests otherwise, references herein to:

"assets under management" or "AUM" refers to the assets of our funds, which represents the sum of the net asset value of such funds, the drawn and undrawn debt (at the fund level, including amounts subject to restrictions) and uncalled committed capital (including commitments to funds that have yet to commence their investment periods);

"base management fees" refers to fees we earn for advisory services provided to our funds, which are generally based on a defined percentage of assets under management or, in certain cases, a percentage of originated assets in the case of certain of our SMAs;

"BDC" refers to business development company;

"Consolidated Funds" refers to, with respect to the three and nine months periods ended September 30, 2015, MOF II and MOF III and with respect to prior periods MOF I LP, MOF II and MOF III, subsequent to its formation;

"fee earning AUM" refers to the AUM on which we directly earn base management fees;

"long-dated private funds" refers to MOF II, MOF III and any other private funds we may manage in the future, provided that, with respect to periods prior to December 31, 2014, "long-dated private funds" refers to MOF I, MOF II and MOF III and any other private funds we may manage in the future;

"management fees" refers to base management fees and Part I incentive fees;

"Medley LLC" refers to Medley LLC and its consolidated subsidiaries and, prior to our IPO and the related Reorganization, Medley LLC and Medley GP Holdings LLC and their consolidated subsidiaries;

"MOF I" refers to, with respect to the periods prior to October 31, 2014, MOF I LP and MOF I Ltd. and, with respect to the periods subsequent to October 31, 2014, only MOF I LP;

· "MOF I LP" refers to Medley Opportunity Fund LP;

"MOF I Ltd." refers to Medley Opportunity Fund Ltd;

"MOF II" refers to Medley Opportunity Fund II LP;

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"MOF III" refers to Medley Opportunity Fund III LP;

"our funds" refers to the funds, alternative asset companies and other entities and accounts that are managed or co-managed by us and our affiliates;

"Part I incentive fees" refers to fees that we receive from our permanent capital vehicles, which are paid in cash quarterly and are driven primarily by net interest income on senior secured loans subject to hurdle rates. These fees are not subject to clawbacks or netting against realized losses;

"Part II incentive fees" refers to fees related to realized capital gains in our permanent capital vehicles;

"performance fees" refers to incentive allocations in our long-dated private funds and incentive fees from our SMAs, which are typically 15% or 20% of total return after a hurdle rate, accrued quarterly, but paid after the return of all invested capital and in an amount sufficient to achieve the hurdle rate;

"permanent capital" refers to capital of funds that do not have redemption provisions or a requirement to return capital to investors upon exiting the investments made with such capital, except as required by applicable law, which funds currently consist of Medley Capital Corporation (NYSE: MCC) ("MCC") and Sierra Income Corporation ("SIC"). Such funds may be required, or elect, to return all or a portion of capital gains and investment income. In certain circumstances, the investment adviser of such a fund may be removed; and

"SMA" refers to a separately managed account.

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# PART I – FINANCIAL INFORMATION

# **Item 1. Financial Statements**

# Medley Management Inc.

# **Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets**

(Amounts in thousands, except share and per share amounts)

Assets	As of September 30, 2015 (unaudited)	As of December 31, 2014
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 63,754	\$ 87,206
Investments, at fair value	10,884	9,901
Management fees receivable	14,800	15,173
Performance fees receivable	6,493	5,573
Other assets	13,966	9,230
Assets of Consolidated Funds:		
Cash and cash equivalents	105,122	38,111
Investments, at fair value	778,971	734,870
Interest and dividends receivable	6,124	6,654
Other assets	3,803	3,681
Total assets	\$ 1,003,917	\$ 910,399
Liabilities and Equity		
Loans payable	\$ 102,697	\$ 103,057
Accounts payable, accrued expenses and other liabilities	20,739	27,583
Performance fee compensation payable	5,759	11,807
Liabilities of Consolidated Funds:		
Accounts payable, accrued expenses and other liabilities	2,199	5,767
Secured borrowings	134,047	141,135
Total liabilities	265,441	289,349
Commitments and contingencies (Note 9)		
Equity		
	60	60

Class A Common Stock, \$0.01 par value, 3,000,000,000 shares authorized; 6,009,720 and 6,000,000 shares issued and outstanding, at September 30, 2015 and December 31, 2014, respectively

Class B Common Stock, \$0.01 par value, 1,000,000 shares authorized; 100 shares

Class B Common Stock, \$0.01 par value, 1,000,000 shares authorized; 100 shares				
issued and outstanding	-		-	
Capital deficit	(8	)	(2,384	)
Retained earnings	108		272	
Total stockholders' equity (deficit), Medley Management Inc.	160		(2,052	)
Non-controlling interests in Consolidated Funds	755,827		625,548	
Non-controlling interests in consolidated subsidiaries	(708	)	1,526	
Non-controlling interests in Medley LLC	(16,803	)	(3,972	)
Total equity	738,476		621,050	
Total liabilities and equity	\$ 1,003,917		\$ 910,399	

See accompanying notes to unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements

(Prior to September 29, 2014, Medley LLC and Medley GP Holdings LLC)

# **Condensed Consolidated Statements of Operations (unaudited)**

(Amounts in thousands, except share and per share amounts)

	For the Thr September 2015	30,	Ionths Endo	ed	For the Nir September 2015	30,	onths Ende	ed
Revenues								
Management fees	\$ 15,870		\$ 17,013		\$52,280		\$43,466	
Performance fees	(1,948	)	965		920		3,337	
Other revenues and fees	1,891		2,787		5,496		7,183	
Total revenues	15,813		20,765		58,696		53,986	
Expenses								
Compensation and benefits	5,914		5,677		19,532		15,010	
Performance fee compensation	(3,660	)	(921	)	(4,578	)	2,237	
Consolidated Funds expenses	542	-	296		1,969		1,129	
General, administrative and other expenses	1,626		3,458		10,756		12,821	
Total expenses	4,422		8,510		27,679		31,197	
Other income (expense)								
Dividend income	222		222		665		665	
Interest expense	(2,141	)	(2,016	)	(6,335	)	(3,380	)
Other expenses, net	(865	)	(268	)	(1,317	)	(1,586	)
Interest and other income of Consolidated Funds	21,843	-	17,880		61,739		51,476	-
Interest expense of Consolidated Funds	(3,804	)	(2,524	)	(11,418	)	(5,586	)
Net realized gain (loss) on investments of Consolidated Funds	(31,965	)	(499	)	(31,013	)	789	
Net change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation) on investments of Consolidated Funds	16,011		(2,369	)	13,616		(9,540	)
Net change in unrealized depreciation (appreciation) on secured borrowings of Consolidated Funds	1,610		1,300		1,112		103	
Total other income, net	911		11,726		27,049		32,941	
Income before income taxes	12,302		23,981		58,066		55,730	
Provision for (benefit from) income taxes	(77	)	923		2,864		2,174	
Net income	12,379	,	23,058		55,202		53,556	
Net income attributable to non-controlling interests in	13,472		9,933		38,175		22,902	
Consolidated Funds	(2.150	`	612		(1.124	`	2,172	
	(2,150	)	012		(1,134	)	2,1/2	

Net income (loss) attributable to non-controlling interests in consolidated subsidiaries Net income attributable to non-controlling interests in 785 12,135 15,576 28,104 Medley LLC Net income attributable to Medley Management Inc. \$ 272 \$378 \$2,585 \$378 Dividends declared per Class A common stock \$0.20 \$ -\$0.40 \$-Net income per Class A common stock: Basic (Note 11) \$0.04 \$0.05 (1) \$ 0.38 \$0.05 (1) Diluted (Note 11) \$0.04 \$0.05 (1) \$ 0.38 \$0.05 (1) Weighted average shares - Basic and Diluted 6,000,211 6,000,000 6,000,071 6,000,000

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Based on net income attributable to Medley Management Inc. from September 29, 2014 through September 30, 2014.

(Prior to September 29, 2014, Medley LLC and Medley GP Holdings LLC)

# **Condensed Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity (unaudited)**

(Amounts in thousands, except share and per share amounts)

							Non-controlling	Non-	Non-	Υ.
	C1 .		G1 T	_			Interests	Interests	Interests	3
	Class A		Class I	3			in	in	in	
	Common St	tock	Comm Stock	on	Capital	Retained	Consolidate	edConsolida	te <b>M</b> edley	Total
	Shares	Dolla	rShares	Doll	a <b>B</b> eficit	Earnings	Funds	Subsidiari	eŁLC	Equity
Balance at										
December 31,	6,000,000	\$60	100	\$ -	\$(2,384)	\$272	\$625,548	\$ 1,526	\$(3,972)	\$621,050
2014										
Deconsolidation	_	_	_	_	_	_	(15,321)	_	_	(15,321)
of MOF I LP						0.505			15.576	
Net income	-	-	-	-	-	2,585	38,175	(1,134)	15,576	55,202
Stock-based	-	-	-	-	2,376	-	-	-	-	2,376
compensation Dividends on										
Class A common										
stock (\$0.40 per	-	-	-	-	-	(2,749)	-	-	-	(2,749)
share)										
Issuance of Class										
A common stock										
related to vesting	9,720	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
of restricted stock	. ,									
units										
Contributions	-	-	-	-	-	-	107,425	-	-	107,425
Distributions	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(1,100)	(28,407)	(29,507)
Balance at										
September 30,	6,009,720	\$60	100	\$ -	\$(8)	\$108	\$755,827	\$ (708)	\$(16,803)	\$738,476
2015										

See accompanying notes to unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements

(Prior to September 29, 2014, Medley LLC and Medley GP Holdings LLC)

# **Condensed Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows (unaudited)**

(Amounts in thousands)

	For the Nine Months Endo September 30,			i
	2015		2014	
Cash flows from operating activities				
Net income	\$ 55,202		\$ 53,556	
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash used in operating activities:				
Net change in unrealized depreciation (appreciation) on investments	602		(53	)
Non-cash stock-based compensation	2,376		76	
Depreciation and amortization	341		289	
Provision for (benefit from) deferred taxes	69		318	
Amortization of deferred financing costs	409		609	
Accretion of debt discount	577		412	
Operating adjustments related to Consolidated Funds:				
Provision for (benefit from) deferred taxes	235		(19	)
Interest income paid-in-kind	(3,405	)	(4,397	)
Accretion of original issue discount	1,383		(1,209	)
Net realized (gain) loss on investments	31,013		(789	)
Net change in unrealized depreciation (appreciation) on investments	(13,616	)	9,540	
Net change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation) on secured borrowings of	(1,112	)	(103	`
Consolidated Funds	(1,112	,	(103	)
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:				
Management fees receivable	373		(4,678	)
Performance fees receivable	(920	)	(3,521	)
Other assets	(5,181	)	(546	)
Accounts payable, accrued expenses and other liabilities	(7,089	)	9,785	
Performance fee compensation payable	(6,048	)	797	
Changes in operating assets and liabilities of Consolidated Funds:				
Cash and cash equivalents	(70,346	)	18,749	
Cost of investments purchased	(179,627	)	(391,163	)
Proceeds from sales and repayments of investments	107,383		152,642	
Other assets	(3,439	)	(4,266	)
Change in accounts payable, accrued expenses and other liabilities	(579	)	3,247	
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	(91,399	)	(160,724	)

Cash flows from investing activities

Purchases of property and equipment	(129	)	(400	)
Distributions from equity method investments	184		-	
Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities	55		(400	)

See accompanying notes to unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements

(Prior to September 29, 2014, Medley LLC and Medley GP Holdings LLC)

# Condensed Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows (unaudited) - (continued)

(Amounts in thousands)

	For the Nine Months End September 30,				
	2015	,	2014		
Cash flows from financing activities					
Proceeds from issuance of debt obligations	\$ -		\$ 123,900		
Repayment of loans payable	(937	)	(35,625	)	
Proceeds from Initial Public Offering	-		100,440		
Initial Public Offering costs	-		(3,204	)	
Distributions to members	(29,507	)	(117,193	)	
Debt issuance costs	-		(2,586	)	
Dividends paid	(2,749	)	-		
Financing activities related to Consolidated Funds:					
Contributions from non-controlling interest holders	107,426		120,318		
Distributions to non-controlling interest holders	-		(22,688	)	
Proceeds from secured borrowings	27,239		108,467		
Repayments on secured borrowings	(33,580	)	(14,606	)	
Net cash provided by financing activities	67,892		257,223		
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	(23,452	)	96,099		
Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of period	87,206		5,395		
Cash and cash equivalents, end of period	\$ 63,754	:	\$ 101,494		
Supplemental disclosure of non-cash financing activities					
Non-cash debt	\$ -		\$ 2,500		
Transfer of membership interests to non-controlling interests in consolidated subsidiaries	-		928		
Supplemental disclosure of non-cash investing activities					
Investment in MOF I attributed to deconsolidation	\$ 1,768		\$ -		

See accompanying notes to unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements

(Prior to September 29, 2014, Medley LLC and Medley GP Holdings LLC)

**Notes to Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements (unaudited)** 

#### 1.ORGANIZATION AND BASIS OF PRESENTATION

Medley Management Inc. (the "Corporation") is an asset management firm offering yield solutions to retail and institutional investors. The Corporation's national direct origination franchise provides capital to the middle market in the U.S. The Corporation, through its consolidated subsidiary, Medley LLC, provides investment management services to permanent capital vehicles, long-dated private funds and separately managed accounts and serves as the general partner to the private funds, which are generally organized as pass-through entities. Medley LLC is headquartered in New York City and has an office in San Francisco.

#### Initial Public Offering of Medley Management Inc.

Medley Management Inc. was incorporated on June 13, 2014 and commenced operations on September 29, 2014 upon the completion of its initial public offering ("IPO") of its Class A common stock. Medley Management Inc. raised \$100.4 million, net of underwriting discount, through the issuance of 6,000,000 shares of Class A common stock at an offering price to the public of \$18.00 per share. Medley Management Inc. used the offering proceeds to purchase 6,000,000 newly issued LLC Units (defined below) from Medley LLC. Prior to the IPO, Medley Management Inc. had not engaged in any business or other activities except in connection with its formation and IPO.

In connection with the IPO, Medley Management Inc. issued 100 shares of Class B common stock to Medley Group LLC ("Medley Group"), an entity wholly owned by the pre-IPO members of Medley LLC. For as long as the pre-IPO members and then-current Medley personnel hold at least 10% of the aggregate number of shares of Class A common stock and LLC Units (defined below) (excluding those LLC Units held by Medley Management Inc.) then outstanding, the Class B common stock entitles Medley Group to a number of votes that is equal to 10 times the aggregate number of LLC Units held by all non-managing members of Medley LLC that do not themselves hold shares of Class B common stock and entitle each other holder of Class B common stock, without regard to the number of shares of Class B common stock held by such other holder, to a number of votes that is equal to 10 times the number of membership units held by such holder. The Class B common stock does not participate in dividends and does not have any liquidation rights.

### Medley LLC Reorganization

In connection with the IPO, Medley LLC amended and restated its limited liability agreement to modify its capital structure by reclassifying the 23,333,333 interests held by the pre-IPO members into a single new class of units ("LLC Units"). The pre-IPO members also entered into an exchange agreement under which they (or certain permitted transferees thereof) have the right, from and after the first twelve month anniversary of the date of the closing of the IPO, subject to the terms of an exchange agreement, to exchange their LLC Units for shares of Medley Management Inc.'s Class A common stock on a one-for-one basis, subject to customary conversion rate adjustments for stock splits, stock dividends and reclassifications. In addition, pursuant to the amended and restated limited liability agreement, Medley Management Inc. became the sole managing member of Medley LLC.

The pre-IPO owners, are, subject to limited exceptions, prohibited from transferring any LLC Units held by them or any shares of Class A common stock received upon exchange of such LLC Units, until the third anniversary of the date of the closing of the IPO without the Company's consent. Thereafter and prior to the fourth and fifth anniversaries of the closing of the IPO, such holders may not transfer more than 33 1/3% and 66 2/3%, respectively, of the number of LLC Units held by them, together with the number of any shares of Class A common stock received by them upon exchange therefor, without the Company's consent.

#### Basis of Presentation

The accompanying condensed consolidated financial statements have been prepared on the accrual basis of accounting in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles ("GAAP") and include the accounts of Medley Management Inc., Medley LLC and its consolidated subsidiaries (collectively, "Medley") together with certain funds (individually "Consolidated Funds", collectively, the "Company"). Additionally, the accompanying condensed consolidated financial statements of the Company and related financial information have been prepared pursuant to the requirements for reporting on Form 10-Q and Article 10 of Regulation S-X. Accordingly, certain disclosures accompanying annual financial statements prepared in accordance with GAAP may be omitted. In the opinion of management, the unaudited condensed consolidated financial results included herein contain all adjustments, consisting solely of normal recurring accruals, considered necessary for the fair presentation of financial statements for the interim period included herein. Therefore, this Form 10-Q should be read in conjunction with the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2014 (the "Annual Report on Form 10-K"). The current period's results of operations will not necessarily be indicative of results that ultimately may be achieved for the full year ending December 31, 2015.

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The Consolidated Funds have been consolidated in the accompanying financial statements for the periods presented in accordance with U.S. GAAP. Including the results of the Consolidated Funds significantly increases the reported amounts of the assets, liabilities, revenues, expenses and cash flows of the Company; however, the Consolidated Funds' results included herein have no direct effect on the net income attributable to members or on total equity. The economic ownership interests of the investors in the Consolidated Funds are reflected as "Non-controlling interests in Consolidated Funds" and as "Net income attributable to non-controlling interests in Consolidated Funds" in the accompanying condensed consolidated financial statements.

Prior to the Reorganization and IPO on September 29, 2014, all compensation for services rendered by senior Medley LLC professionals were reflected as distributions from members' capital rather than as compensation expense. Subsequent to the Reorganization and IPO, all guaranteed payments made to these senior professionals are recognized as compensation expense.

### 2.SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### Principles of Consolidation

In accordance with Accounting Standards Codification ("ASC") 810, *Consolidation*, the Company consolidates those entities where it has a direct and indirect controlling financial interest based on either a variable interest model or voting interest model. As such, the Company consolidates entities that the Company concludes are variable interest entities ("VIEs"), for which the Company is deemed to be the primary beneficiary and entities in which it holds a majority voting interest or has majority ownership and control over the operational, financial and investing decisions of that entity.

An entity in which the Company holds a variable interest is a VIE if any one of the following conditions exist: (a) the total equity investment at risk is not sufficient to permit the legal entity to finance its activities without additional subordinated financial support, (b) the holders of equity investment at risk (as a group) lack either the direct or indirect ability through voting rights or similar rights to make decisions about a legal entity's activities that have a

significant effect on the success of the legal entity or the obligation to absorb the expected losses or right to receive the expected residual returns or (c) the voting rights of some investors are disproportionate to their obligation to absorb the expected losses of the legal entity, their rights to receive the expected residual returns of the legal entity, or both, and substantially all of the legal entity's activities either involve or are conducted on behalf of an investor with disproportionately few voting rights. Entities that do not qualify as VIEs are generally assessed for consolidation under the voting interest model.

For those entities that qualify as a VIE, the Company performs an analysis to determine if it is the primary beneficiary. With respect to certain VIEs that qualify for accounting treatment under Accounting Standards Update ("ASU") 2010-10, Consolidation (Topic 810): Amendments for Certain Investment Funds, the Company determines that it is the primary beneficiary only if its involvement, through holding interests directly or indirectly in the VIE or contractually through other variable interests (e.g., carried interest and management fees), would be expected to absorb a majority of the VIE's expected losses, receive a majority of the VIE's expected residual returns, or both. In order to qualify for this accounting treatment, certain conditions have to be met, including if the entities have all the attributes of an investment company and are not securitization or asset-backed financing entities. For all other entities, the Company determines that it is the primary beneficiary if it holds a controlling financial interest defined as possessing both (a) the power to direct the activities of a VIE that most significantly impact the VIE's economic performance and (b) the obligation to absorb losses of the VIE or the right to receive benefits from the VIE that could potentially be significant to the VIE. The Company determines whether it is the primary beneficiary of a VIE at the time it becomes initially involved with the VIE and reconsiders that conclusion continuously. In making its assessment the Company takes into consideration all fee and substantive arrangements, terms and transactions that may exist. The assessment of whether an entity is a VIE and the determination of whether the Company should consolidate such VIE requires judgments and is dependent on the particular facts and circumstances. Each entity is assessed for consolidation on a case-by-case basis.

For those entities evaluated under the voting interest model, the Company consolidates those entities it controls through a majority voting interest or through other means whereby the Company is the general partner and is presumed to have control. The Company would not consolidate an entity in which the presumption of control by the general partner has been overcome through either the granting of substantive rights to the unaffiliated investors to either dissolve the entity or remove the general partner ("kick-out-rights") or the granting of substantive participating rights.

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#### Consolidated Variable Interest Entities

Medley Management Inc. is the sole managing member of Medley LLC and, as such, it operates and controls all of the business and affairs of Medley LLC and, through Medley LLC, conducts its business. Under ASC 810, Medley LLC meets the definition of a variable interest entity because the equity of Medley LLC is not sufficient to permit activities without additional subordinated financial support. Since Medley Management Inc. has the obligation to absorb expected losses that could be significant to Medley LLC and holds 100% of the voting power, Medley Management Inc. is considered to be the primary beneficiary of Medley LLC.

As a result, Medley Management Inc. consolidates the financial results of Medley LLC and its subsidiaries and records a non-controlling interest for the economic interest in Medley LLC held by the non-managing members. Medley Management Inc.'s and the non-managing members' economic interests in Medley LLC is 20.5% and 79.5%, respectively, as of September 30, 2015 and December 31, 2014. Net income attributable to the non-controlling interest in Medley LLC on the consolidated statements of operations represents the portion of earnings attributable to the economic interest in Medley LLC held by its non-managing members. Non-controlling interests in Medley LLC on the consolidated balance sheets represents the portion of net assets of Medley LLC attributable to the non-managing members based on total LLC Units of Medley LLC owned by such non-managing members.

Medley LLC has one majority owned subsidiary, SIC Advisors LLC, that is a consolidated VIE. This entity was organized as a limited liability company and was legally formed to manage a designated fund and to isolate business risk. As of September 30, 2015 and December 31, 2014, total assets, after eliminating entries, of this VIE reflected in the consolidated balance sheets were \$25.3 million and \$18.0 million, respectively. Total liabilities, after eliminating entries, of this VIE were \$17.9 million and \$19.6 million as of September 30, 2015 and December 31, 2014, respectively. Except to the extent of the assets of this VIE that are consolidated, the holders of the consolidated VIE's liabilities generally do not have recourse to the Company.

## Consolidated Funds

With respect to the Consolidated Funds, which represent limited partnerships, Medley LLC earns a fixed management fee based on either (i) limited partners' capital commitments to the funds, (ii) invested capital, (iii) net asset value ("NAV"), or (iv) lower of cost or market value of a fund's portfolio investments. In addition, Medley earns a performance fee based upon the investment returns in excess of a stated hurdle rate. The Company considered the accounting treatment under ASU 2010-10 as all the respective conditions have been met and determined that the funds were not VIEs. However, as the general partner, and due to the lack of substantive kick out or participating rights of the limited partners, these funds have been consolidated under the voting interest model in accordance with ASC 810-20, *Control of Partnerships and Similar Entities*.

In December 2014, the Company formed the Medley Opportunity Fund III LP ("MOF III"), which is structured as a limited partnership. One of the Company's wholly owned subsidiaries is the general partner and investment manager of MOF III. The Company considered the accounting treatment under ASU 2010-10 as all the respective conditions have been met and determined that MOF III was not a VIE. However, as the general partner, and due to the lack of substantive kick out or participating rights of the limited partners, this fund has been consolidated under the voting interest model in accordance with ASC 810-20.

### Deconsolidation of a Fund

The Company had consolidated the Medley Opportunity Fund LP ("MOF I LP") in its consolidated financial statements under the voting interest model in accordance with ASC 810-20, as the Company was the general partner and the limited partners lacked substantive kick out or participating rights. Effective January 1, 2015, the Company completed its role as investment manager of MOF I LP and transitioned the management of the residual assets of this fund to another asset manager. As a result of this transition, the Company deconsolidated the financial statements of this fund, on January 1, 2015. There was no gain or loss recognized upon deconsolidation.

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### **Basis of Accounting**

Management has determined that the Company's Consolidated Funds are investment companies under U.S. GAAP for the purposes of financial reporting. U.S. GAAP requires that investments held by an investment company be recorded at fair value and any unrealized appreciation (depreciation) in an investment's fair value be recognized on a current basis in the consolidated statements of operations. Additionally, the Consolidated Funds do not consolidate their majority-owned and controlled investments in portfolio companies. In the preparation of these consolidated financial statements, the Company has retained the specialized accounting guidance for the Consolidated Funds under U.S. GAAP. As such, all of the investments held by the Consolidated Funds are presented at their estimated fair values in the Company's condensed consolidated balance sheets. Interest income of the Consolidated Funds is included in interest and other income of Consolidated Funds in the Company's condensed consolidated statements of operations.

#### Concentrations of Credit and Market Risk

In the normal course of business, the Company encounters significant credit and market risk. Credit risk is the risk of default on investments in debt securities, loans and derivatives that result from a borrower's or derivative counterparty's inability or unwillingness to make required or expected payments. Credit risk is increased in situations where the Company is investing in distressed assets or unsecured or subordinate loans or in securities that are a material part of its respective business. Market risk reflects changes in the value of investments due to changes in interest rates, credit spreads or other market factors.

The Company may make investments outside of the United States. These non-U.S. investments are subject to the same risks associated with U.S. investments, as well as additional risks, such as fluctuations in foreign currency exchange rates, unexpected changes in regulatory requirements, heightened risk of political and economic instability, difficulties in managing the investments, potentially adverse tax consequences, and the burden of complying with a wide variety of foreign laws.

### Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with U.S. GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosures of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of income and expenses during the reporting period. Management's estimates are based on historical experience and other factors, including expectations of future events that management believes to be reasonable under the circumstances. These assumptions and estimates also require management to exercise judgment in the process of applying the Company's accounting policies. Assumptions and estimates regarding the valuation of investments and their resulting impact on performance fees involve a higher degree of judgment and complexity and these assumptions and estimates may be significant to the condensed consolidated financial statements. Actual results could differ from these estimates and such differences could be material.

## Indemnification

In the normal course of business, the Company enters into contractual agreements that provide general indemnifications against losses, costs, claims and liabilities arising from the performance of individual obligations under such agreements. The Company has not experienced any prior claims or payments pursuant to such agreements. The Company's individual maximum exposure under these arrangements is unknown, as this would involve future claims that may be made against the Company that have not yet occurred. However, based on management's experience, the Company expects the risk of loss to be remote.

#### Non-Controlling Interests in Consolidated Entities

Non-controlling interests in Consolidated Funds and consolidated subsidiaries represent the component of equity in such consolidated entities held by third-party investors. These interests are adjusted for general partner allocations and, for funds, by subscriptions and redemptions that occur during the reporting period.

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Class A Earnings per Share

The Company computes and presents earnings per share using the two-class method. Under the two-class method, the Company allocates earnings between common stock and participating securities. The two-class method includes an earnings allocation formula that determines earnings per share for each class of common stock according to dividends declared and undistributed earnings for the period. For purposes of calculating earnings per share, the Company reduces its reported net earnings by the amount allocated to participating securities to arrive at the earnings allocated to Class A common stockholders. Earnings are then divided by the weighted average number of Class A common stock outstanding to arrive at basic earnings per share. Diluted earnings per share reflects the potential dilution beyond shares for basic earnings per share that could occur if securities or other contracts to issue common stock were exercised, converted into common stock, or resulted in the issuance of common stock that would have shared in our earnings. Participating securities consist of the Company's unvested restricted stock units that contain non-forfeitable rights to dividends or dividend equivalents, whether paid or unpaid, in the number of shares outstanding in its basic and diluted calculations.

#### Investments

Investments include equity method investments that are not consolidated but in which the Company exerts significant influence, and investments held by the Consolidated Funds. The Company measures the fair value of the equity method investments that do not have a readily determinable fair value at net asset value or market value. Unrealized appreciation (depreciation) resulting from changes in fair value of the equity method investees is reflected as a component of other income (expense) in the condensed consolidated statements of operations.

The Consolidated Funds reflect their investments at fair value with unrealized appreciation (depreciation) resulting from changes in fair value reflected as a component of net change in unrealized depreciation on investments of Consolidated Funds in the condensed consolidated statements of operations. Fair value is the amount that would be received to sell an asset, or paid to transfer a liability, in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date (i.e., the exit price).

#### Fair Value Measurements

The Consolidated Funds apply fair value accounting to all of their financial instruments in accordance with ASC 820, Fair Value Measurements and Disclosures. ASC 820 defines fair value, establishes a framework used to measure fair value and requires disclosures for fair value measurements. In accordance with ASC 820, the Consolidated Funds have categorized their financial instruments carried at fair value, based on the priority of the valuation technique, into a three-level fair value hierarchy as discussed in Note 4. Fair value is a market-based measure considered from the perspective of the market participant who holds the financial instrument rather than an entity specific measure. Therefore, when market assumptions are not readily available, the Consolidated Funds' own assumptions are set to reflect those that management believes market participants would use in pricing the financial instrument at the measurement date.

Investments for which market quotations are readily available are valued at such market quotations, which are generally obtained from an independent pricing service or multiple broker-dealers or market makers. The Company weights the use of third-party broker quotes, if any, in determining fair value based on the Company's understanding of the level of actual transactions used by the broker to develop the quote and whether the quote was an indicative price or binding offer. However, debt investments with remaining maturities within 60 days that are not credit impaired are valued at cost plus accreted discount, or minus amortized premium, which approximates fair value. Investments for which market quotations are not readily available are valued at fair value as determined by the Company based upon inputs by third-party valuation firms. Because these investments are illiquid and because there may not be any directly comparable companies whose financial instruments have observable market values, these loans are valued using a fundamental valuation methodology, consistent with traditional asset pricing standards, that is objective and consistently applied across all loans and through time.

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The Consolidated Funds use third-party valuation firms to assist in the valuation of its portfolio investments. The valuation reports generated by the third-party valuation firms consider the evaluation of financing and sale transactions with third parties, expected cash flows and market-based information, including comparable transactions, performance multiples, and movement in yields of debt instruments, among other factors. Based on market data obtained from the third-party valuation firms, the Consolidated Funds use a market yield analysis under the income approach or an enterprise model of valuation under the market approach, or a combination thereof. In applying the market yield analysis, the value of the Consolidated Funds' loans is determined based upon inputs such as the coupon rate, current market yield, interest rate spreads of similar securities, the stated value of the loan, and the length to maturity. In applying the enterprise model, the Consolidated Funds use a waterfall analysis that takes into account the specific capital structure of the borrower and the related seniority of the instruments within the borrower's capital structure. To estimate the enterprise value of the portfolio company, some or all of the traditional market valuation methods and factors are weighed based on the individual circumstances of the portfolio company in order to estimate the enterprise value.

The methodologies and information that the Company utilizes when applying the Market Approach for performing investments includes, among other things:

- · valuations of comparable public companies (Guideline Comparable approach);
- recent sales of private and public comparable companies (Guideline Comparable approach);
- · recent acquisition prices of the company, debt securities or equity securities (Acquisition Price approach);

external valuations of the portfolio company, offers from third parties to buy the company (Estimated Sales Proceeds approach);

• subsequent sales made by the company of its investments (Expected Sales Proceeds approach); and

estimating the value to potential buyers.

The methodologies and information that the Company utilizes when applying the Income approach for performing investments includes:

discounting the forecasted cash flows of the portfolio company or securities (Discounted Cash Flow "DCF" approach); and

Black-Scholes model or simulation models or a combination thereof (Income Approach – Option Model) with respect to the valuation of warrants.

For non-performing investments, the Company may estimate the liquidation or collateral value of the portfolio company's assets and liabilities using an expected recovery model (Income Approach – Expected Recovery Analysis or Estimated Liquidation Proceeds).

A multi-step valuation process is undertaken each quarter when valuing portfolio investments for which market quotations are not readily available, as described below:

The quarterly valuation process begins with each portfolio investment being initially valued by the Company's internal valuation team:

An independent valuation firm engaged by the Consolidated Funds prepares an independent valuation report for approximately one-third of the portfolio investments each quarter on a rotating quarterly basis on non-fiscal year-end quarters, such that each of these investments will be valued by independent valuation firms at least twice per annum when combined with the fiscal year-end review of all the investments by independent valuation firms; and

Preliminary valuation conclusions are then documented and discussed with senior management.

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Due to the inherent uncertainty of determining the fair value of investments that do not have a readily available market value, the fair value of the Consolidated Funds' investments may differ significantly from the values that would have been used had a readily available market value existed for such investments, and the differences could be material.

#### Revenues

Management Fees

Medley provides investment management services to both public and private investment vehicles. Management fees include both base management fees, other management fees, and Part I incentive fees, as described below.

Base management fees are calculated based on either (i) the average or ending gross assets balance for the relevant period, (ii) limited partners' capital commitments to the funds, (iii) invested capital, (iv) the net asset value or (v) lower of cost or market value of a fund's portfolio investments. For the private funds, Medley receives base management fees during a specified period of time, which is generally ten years from the initial closing date. However, such termination date may be earlier in certain limited circumstances or later if extended for successive one-year periods, typically up to a maximum of two years. Depending upon the contracted terms of the investment management agreement, management fees are paid either quarterly in advance or quarterly in arrears, and are recognized as earned over the period the services are provided.

Certain management agreements provide for Medley to receive other management fee revenue derived from up front origination fees paid by the portfolio companies of the Consolidated Funds, as well as separately managed accounts. These fees are recognized when Medley becomes entitled to such fees.

Certain management agreements also provide for Medley to receive Part I incentive fee revenue derived from net interest income (excluding gains and losses) above a hurdle rate. These fees are not subject to repayment, clawbacks or netting against realized losses. Part I incentive fees are paid quarterly and are recognized as earned over the period the services are provided.

### Performance Fees

Performance fees consist principally of the allocation of profits from certain funds, including separately managed accounts, to which Medley provides management services. Medley is generally entitled to an allocation of income as a performance fee after returning the invested capital plus a specified preferred return as set forth in each respective agreement. Medley recognizes revenues attributable to performance fees based upon the amount that would be due pursuant to the respective agreement at each period end as if the funds were terminated at that date. Accordingly, the amount recognized reflects Medley's share of the gains and losses of the associated funds' underlying investments measured at their current fair values. Performance fee revenue may include reversals of previously recognized performance fees due to a decrease in the net income of a particular fund that results in a decrease of cumulative performance fees earned to date. Since fund return hurdles are cumulative, previously recognized performance fees also may be reversed in a period of appreciation that is lower than the particular fund's hurdle rate. For the three and nine months ended September 30, 2015, the Company reversed \$14.7 million and \$18.7 million, respectively, of previously recognized performance fees on a standalone basis. For each of the three and nine months ended September 30, 2015, the Company reversed \$2.0 million of previously recognized performance fees on a consolidated basis. For each of the three and nine months ended September 30, 2014, the Company reversed \$0.3 million of previously recognized performance fees on both a standalone and consolidated basis. Cumulative performance fees recognized through September 30, 2015 were \$9.7 million and \$6.5 million on a standalone and consolidated basis, respectively.

Performance fees received in prior periods may be required to be returned by Medley in future periods if the funds' investment performance declines below certain levels. Each fund is considered separately in this regard and, for a given fund, performance fees can never be negative over the life of a fund. If upon a hypothetical liquidation of a fund's investments at their then current fair values previously recognized and distributed performance fees would be required to be returned, a liability is established for the potential clawback obligation. As of September 30, 2015, the Company had not received any performance fee distributions, except for tax distributions related to the Company's allocation of net income, which included an allocation of performance fees. Pursuant to the organizational documents of each respective fund, tax distributions are not subject to clawback. As such, no amounts have been accrued for clawback obligations in the accompanying condensed consolidated financial statements.

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Other Revenues and Fees

Medley provides administrative services to certain affiliated funds and is reimbursed for direct and allocated expenses incurred in providing such administrative services, as set forth in the respective agreement. These fees are recognized as revenue in the period administrative services are rendered.

Included in other revenues and fees are reimbursements received by Medley from SIC under its investment advisory agreement. Expenses incurred by Medley under this agreement are recorded within general, administrative, and other expenses in the consolidated statements of operations. For additional information on these reimbursements, refer to Note 10.

### Performance Fee Compensation

Medley has issued profit interests in certain subsidiaries to select employees. These profit-sharing arrangements are accounted for under ASC 710, *Compensation — General*, which requires compensation expense to be measured at fair value at the grant date and expensed over the vesting period, which is usually the period over which the service is provided. The fair value of the profit interests are re-measured at each balance sheet date and adjusted for changes in estimates of cash flows and vesting percentages. The impact of such changes is recorded in the condensed consolidated statements of operations as an increase or decrease to performance fee compensation.

### **Stock-based Compensation**

The Company accounts for stock-based compensation in accordance with ASC 718, *Compensation – Stock Compensation*. Under the fair value recognition provision of this guidance, stock-based compensation cost is measured at the grant date based on the fair value of the award and is recognized as expense over the requisite service

period.

Stock-based compensation expense recognized for the periods presented is based on awards ultimately expected to vest and have been reduced for estimated forfeitures. ASC 718 requires forfeitures to be estimated at the time of grant and revised, if necessary, in subsequent periods if actual forfeitures differ from those estimates. The effect of such change in estimated forfeitures is recognized through a cumulative catch-up adjustment that is included in the period of the change in estimate.

The value of the portion of the award that is ultimately expected to vest on a straight-line basis over the requisite service period is included within compensation and benefits on the Company's condensed consolidated statements of operations.

### **Income Taxes**

The Company accounts for income taxes using the asset and liability approach, which requires the recognition of tax benefits or expenses for temporary differences between the financial reporting and tax basis of assets and liabilities. A valuation allowance is established when necessary to reduce deferred tax assets to the amounts expected to be realized. The Company also recognizes a tax benefit from uncertain tax positions only if it is "more likely than not" that the position is sustainable based on its technical merits. The Company's policy is to recognize interest and penalties on uncertain tax positions and other tax matters as a component of income tax expense. For interim periods, the Company accounts for income taxes based on its estimate of the effective tax rate for the year. Discrete items and changes in its estimate of the annual effective tax rate are recorded in the period they occur.

Prior to the Company's Reorganization and IPO, no provision was made for U.S. federal income taxes in the accompanying condensed consolidated financial statements since the Company was a group of pass-through entities for U.S. and state income tax purposes and its profits and losses were allocated to the partners who are individually responsible for reporting such amounts. A provision for income taxes was made for certain entities that were subject to New York City's unincorporated business tax.

Following the IPO, Medley LLC and its subsidiaries continue to operate as pass-through entities for U.S. income tax purposes. Accordingly, these entities in some cases continue to be subject to New York City's unincorporated business tax. Medley Management Inc. is subject to U.S. federal, state and local corporate income taxes, which are reflected in the Company's condensed consolidated financial statements.

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Secured Borrowings of Consolidated Funds

The Consolidated Funds follow the guidance in ASC 860, *Transfers and Servicing*, when accounting for loan participations and other partial loan sales. Such guidance provides accounting and reporting standards for transfers and servicing of financial assets and requires a participation or other partial loan sale to meet the definition of a "participating interest," as defined in the guidance. Under ASC 860, the Company applies a control-oriented approach to participating interests whereby control is considered to have been surrendered only if (i) the transferred financial assets have been isolated from the transferor, (ii) the transferee has the right to pledge or exchange the transferred financial assets it received, and (iii) the transferor, its consolidated affiliates in the financial statements being presented, or its agents do not maintain effective control over the transferred financial assets. Participations or other partial loan sales which do not meet all of these conditions remain on the Company's condensed consolidated balance sheets and the proceeds are recorded as a secured borrowing until the definition is met. Secured borrowings are carried at fair value to correspond with the related investments, which are carried at fair value.

For these participations or partial loan sales accounted for as secured borrowings, the interest income earned on the entire loan balance is recorded within interest and other income of Consolidated Funds and the interest income earned by the buyer in the partial loan sale is recorded as interest expense of Consolidated Funds in the accompanying consolidated statements of operations. Changes in the fair value of secured borrowings of Consolidated Funds are included in net change in unrealized depreciation (appreciation) on secured borrowings in the condensed consolidated statements of operations.

#### Revisions to Previously Issued Financial Statements

The Company accounts for certain loan participations as secured borrowings that in previously issued financial statements had been accounted for as true sales, as defined in ASC 860. These loan participation agreements did not contain any prohibited constraints on exchange or transfer and the assets were legally isolated from the transferor. Upon further analysis, the Company determined that a provision in the asset management agreement between the transferee and a consolidated affiliate of the transferor had a standard provision that restricted transfer of the assets for a period of time. As a result of this constraint, the Company determined that, in accordance with ASC 860-10-40-5,

the transactions should be reported as secured borrowings. The Company has determined that the impact on its previously issued financial statements was not material. As a result, prior periods were revised as follows: (i) interest and other income of Consolidated Funds increased by \$2.5 million and \$5.6 million for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2014, respectively, with direct offsetting amounts to interest expense of Consolidated Funds, (ii) the recording of unrealized appreciation (depreciation) on investments of Consolidated Funds of \$1.3 million and \$0.1 million for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2014, respectively, with direct offsetting amounts to unrealized depreciation (appreciation) on secured borrowings of Consolidated Funds, and (iii) a change in net cash used in operating activities of \$93.9 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2014, with offsetting changes in cash provided by financing activities. These changes had no impact on consolidated and standalone equity or net income.

# Recent Accounting Pronouncements

In May 2014, the FASB issued ASU 2014-09, *Revenue from Contracts with Customers (Topic 606)*. This guidance outlines a single comprehensive model for entities to use in accounting for revenue arising from contracts with customers and supersedes most current revenue recognition guidance, including industry-specific guidance. The new standard will become effective for the Company on January 1, 2018. Early application is permitted to the effective date of January 1, 2017. The standard permits the use of either the retrospective or cumulative effect transition method. The Company is evaluating the effect that ASU 2014-09 will have on its consolidated financial statements and related disclosures. The Company has not yet selected a transition method nor has it determined the effect of the standard on its ongoing financial reporting.

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In February 2015, the FASB issued ASU 2015-02, *Consolidation – Principal Versus Agent Analysis*. This guidance requires an entity to evaluate whether it should consolidate certain legal entities. All legal entities are subject to reevaluation under the revised consolidation model. Specifically, the amendments: (i) modify the evaluation of whether limited partnerships and similar legal entities are variable interest entities (VIEs) or voting interest entities; (ii) eliminate the presumption that a general partner should consolidate a limited partnership; (iii) affect the consolidation analysis of reporting entities that are involved with VIEs, particularly those that have fee arrangements and related party relationships; (iv) provide a scope exception from consolidation guidance for reporting entities with interests in legal entities that are required to comply with or operate in accordance with requirements that are similar to those in Rule 2a-7 of the Investment Company Act of 1940 for registered money market funds. This guidance is effective for interim and annual periods beginning after December 15, 2015 and early application is permitted. The Company is currently evaluating the impact, if any, that this ASU will have on its condensed consolidated financial statements.

In April 2015, the FASB issued ASU 2015-03, *Simplifying the Presentation of Debt Issuance Costs*, which requires that debt issuance costs be presented in the balance sheet as a direct deduction from the carrying amount of the related debt liability, consistent with debt discounts. Under current accounting standards, such costs are reflected as an asset on the Company's condensed consolidated balance sheets. Amortization of the costs will continue to be reported as interest expense. While the new guidance is effective for the Company beginning January 1, 2016, early application is permitted. The new guidance will be applied retrospectively to each prior period presented. The Company will implement the provisions of ASU 2015-03 as of January 1, 2016.

In May 2015, the FASB issued ASU 2015-07, Fair Value Measurement (Topic 820): Disclosures for Investments in Certain Entities That Calculate Net Asset Value per Share (or Its Equivalent). Under the amendments in this update, investments for which fair value is measured at net asset value per share (or its equivalent) using the practical expedient should not be categorized in the fair value hierarchy. Removing those investments from the fair value hierarchy not only eliminates the diversity in practice resulting from the way in which investments measured at net asset value per share (or its equivalent) with future redemption dates are classified, but also ensures that all investments categorized in the fair value hierarchy are classified using a consistent approach. Investments that calculate net asset value per share (or its equivalent), but for which the practical expedient is not applied will continue to be included in the fair value hierarchy. The amendments in this update are effective for the Company beginning January 1, 2016. The Company is currently evaluating the impact of adopting this standard on its condensed consolidated financial statements.

The Company does not believe any other recently issued, but not yet effective, revisions to authoritative guidance will have a material effect on its condensed consolidated balance sheets, results of operations or cash flows.

### 3.INVESTMENTS

The composition of investments is as follows:

	As of	
	September	As of
	30,	713 01
	2015	December 31,
	(unaudited)	2014
	(Amounts in	thousands)
Equity method investments, at fair value	\$ 10,884	\$ 9,901
Investments of Consolidated Funds, at fair value	778,971	734,870
Total Investments	\$ 789,855	\$ 744,771

## Equity Method Investments, at Fair Value

Medley measures its equity method investments at net asset value or at market value. Total unrealized appreciation (depreciation) recorded for the Company's equity method investments is included in other income (expense). Equity method investments, at fair value includes Medley's investment in Sierra Income Corporation ("SIC") which amounted to \$9.5 million and \$9.9 million as of September 30, 2015 and December 31, 2014, respectively. The remaining balance as of September 30, 2015 relates to the Company's investment in MOF I LP.

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# **Investments of Consolidated Funds**

The following table presents a summary of the investments held by the Consolidated Funds and as a percentage of total investments of Consolidated Funds.

	Investments of Consolidated Funds				
	Fair Value			Percentage	
	September	• •	Septem		
	30,		30,		
	2015	December 31,	2015	December 31,	
	(unaudited (Amounts	in thousands)	(unaudi	dite <b>21)</b> 14	
Geographic Region/Investment Type/Industry Description:					
North America:					
Senior secured loans and notes:					
Automotive	\$30,595	\$ 21,937	3.9 %	3.0	%
Banking, Finance, Insurance and Real Estate	192,646	206,424	24.7 %	28.1	%
Beverage and Food	21,204	14,934	2.7 %	2.0	%
Capital Equipment	7,795	-	1.0 %	0.0	%
Chemicals, Plastics and Rubber	21,083	21,196	2.7 %	2.9	%
Construction and Building	57,829	53,547	7.4 %	7.3	%
Consumer Goods: Non-durable	24,052	34,687	3.1 %	4.7	%
Containers, Packaging and Glass	26,880	26,823	3.5 %	3.7	%
Energy: Oil and Gas	22,815	32,736	2.9 %	4.6	%
Healthcare and Pharmaceuticals	96,251	81,921	12.4 %	11.1	%
High Tech Industries	34,602	25,329	4.5 %	3.4	%
Hotel, Gaming and Leisure	10,164	11,494	1.4 %	1.6	%
Media: Advertising, Printing and Publishing	-	346	0.0 %	0.0	%
Metals and Mining	24,032	26,042	3.1 %	3.5	%
Retail	37,539	24,886	4.8 %	3.4	%
Services: Business	47,861	34,808	6.1 %	4.7	%
Services: Consumer	38,391	45,545	4.9 %	6.2	%

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<b>Total Senior Secured Loans and Notes, North America</b> (cost of \$729,558 and \$711,398, respectively)	\$693,739	\$ 662,655	89.1 %	90.2	%
South America:					
Senior secured loans and notes:					
Banking, Finance, Insurance and Real Estate	\$-	\$ 1,029	0.0 %	0.1	%
Energy: Oil and Gas	-	424	0.0 %	0.1	%
<b>Total Senior Secured Loans and Notes, South America</b> (cost of \$0 and \$13,049, respectively)	\$-	\$ 1,453	0.0 %	0.2	%
Asia:					
<b>Banking, Finance, Insurance and Real Estate</b> (cost of \$0 and \$1,373, respectively)	\$-	\$ 1,377	0.0 %	0.2	%

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	Investmen Fair Value September 30,	reted Funds Percentage September 30,				
	2015	December 31,	2015		December 31,	
	(unaudited (Amounts	l)2014 in thousands)	(unau	ıdite	<b>2</b> 014	
Geographic Region/Investment Type/Industry Description: North America:		,				
Equity interests in limited liability companies:						
Banking, Finance, Insurance and Real Estate	\$54,108	\$ 42,338	7.0	%	5.8	%
Construction and Building	2,539	3,297	0.3	%	0.4	%
Containers, Packaging and Glass	323	320	0.0	%	0.0	%
Energy: Oil and Gas	-	2,596	0.0	%	0.4	%
Healthcare and Pharmaceuticals	548	63	0.1	%	0.0	%
Telecommunications	-	170	0.0	%	0.0	%
<b>Total Equity Interest in Limited Liability Companies</b> (cost of	\$57,518	\$ 48,784	7.4	%	6.6	%
\$45,032 and \$40,944, respectively)	ψ57,510	φ 40,704	71	70	0.0	70
Equity securities:						
<b>Common Stock</b> (cost of \$1,131 and \$8,913, respectively)	\$1,071	\$ 964	0.1	%	0.1	%
Partnership Interest (cost of \$190 and \$0, respectively)	\$190	\$ -	0.0	%	0.0	%
<b>Preferred Stock</b> (cost of \$0 and \$10,187, respectively) Warrants:	\$-	\$ 545	0.0	%	0.1	%
Banking, Finance, Insurance and Real Estate	\$11,092	\$ 10,363	1.4	%	1.4	%
Construction and Building	101	113	0.0	%	0.0	%
Containers, Packaging and Glass	355	105	0.0	%	0.0	%
Energy: Oil and Gas	4,354	1,793	0.6	%	0.3	%
Healthcare and Pharmaceuticals	9,358	5,137	1.2	%	0.7	%
Retail	614	893	0.1	%	0.1	%
Services: Business	579	-	0.1	%	0.0	%
<b>Total Warrants</b> (cost of \$2,120 and \$3,428, respectively)	26,453	18,404	3.4	%	2.5	%
<b>Total Equity Securities</b> (cost of \$3,888 and \$22,528, respectively)	\$27,714	\$ 19,913	3.5	%	2.7	%
Collectibles (cost of \$0 and \$1,385, respectively)	\$-	\$ 688	0.0	%	0.1	%
<b>Total Investments of Consolidated Funds</b> (cost of \$778,031 and \$790,677, respectively)	\$778,971	\$ 734,870	100.	0%	100.0	%

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### 4. FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS

The Company follows ASC 820 for measuring the fair value of portfolio investments. Fair value is the price that would be received in the sale of an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. Where available, fair value is based on observable market prices or parameters, or derived from such prices or parameters. Where observable prices or inputs are not available, valuation models are applied. These valuation models involve some level of management estimation and judgment, the degree of which is dependent on the price transparency for the instruments or market and the instruments' complexity. The Company's fair value analysis includes an analysis of the value of any unfunded loan commitments. Financial instruments recorded at fair value in the condensed consolidated financial statements are categorized for disclosure purposes based upon the level of judgment associated with the inputs used to measure their value. The valuation hierarchical levels are based upon the transparency of the inputs to the valuation of the investment as of the measurement date. The three levels are defined as follows:

Level I - Valuations based on quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities at the measurement date.

Level II - Valuations based on inputs other than quoted prices in active markets included in Level I, which are either directly or indirectly observable at the measurement date. This category includes quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities in active markets, quoted prices for identical or similar assets or liabilities in non-active markets including actionable bids from third parties for privately held assets or liabilities, and observable inputs other than quoted prices such as yield curves and forward currency rates that are entered directly into valuation models to determine the value of derivatives or other assets or liabilities.

·Level III - Valuations based on inputs that are unobservable and where there is little, if any, market activity at the measurement date. The inputs for the determination of fair value may require significant management judgment or estimation and is based upon management's assessment of the assumptions that market participants would use in pricing the assets or liabilities. These investments include debt and equity investments in private companies or assets valued using the market or income approach and may involve pricing models whose inputs require significant judgment or estimation because of the absence of any meaningful current market data for identical or similar investments. The inputs in these valuations may include, but are not limited to, capitalization and discount rates, beta and EBITDA multiples. The information may also include pricing information or broker quotes that include a

disclaimer that the broker would not be held to such a price in an actual transaction. The non-binding nature of consensus pricing and/or quotes accompanied by disclaimer would result in classification as Level III information, assuming no additional corroborating evidence.

### Fair Value Measurement on a Recurring Basis

In certain cases, the inputs used to measure fair value may fall into different levels of the fair value hierarchy. In such cases, the determination of which category within the fair value hierarchy is appropriate for any given financial instrument is based on the lowest level of input that is significant to the fair value measurement. The Company's assessment of the significance of a particular input to the fair value measurement in its entirety requires judgment and considers factors specific to the financial instrument.

In addition to using the above inputs in investment valuations, the Company continues to employ a valuation policy that is consistent with ASC 820 (Note 2). Consistent with the Company's valuation policy, management evaluates the source of inputs, including any markets in which the investments are trading, in determining fair value.

Due to the inherent uncertainty of determining the fair value of investments that do not have a readily available market value, the fair value of the Company's investments may differ significantly from the values that would have been used had a readily available market value existed for such investments, and the differences could be material.

The Company's equity method investments are valued based on their proportionate share of the net assets of the underlying fund. The terms of the investments generally preclude the ability to redeem the investments. Distributions from these investments will be received as the underlying assets in the funds are liquidated, the timing of which cannot be readily determined.

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The following tables present the fair value measurements of investments and secured borrowings, by major class according to the fair value hierarchy:

	As of September 30, 2015 (unaudited)					
	Level II Level III Total					
	(Amounts in thousands)					
Assets Senior secured loans and notes Equity interests in LLCs Equity securities Equity method investments Total assets	\$- \$- \$693,739 \$693,73 57,518 57,518 - 2,006 25,708 27,714 10,884 10,884 \$- \$2,006 \$787,849 \$789,85	3 1 1				
Secured borrowings of Consolidated Funds	\$- \$13 \$134,034 \$134,04	<b>1</b> 7				
Accets	As of December 31, 2014 Level II Level III Total (Amounts in thousands)					
Assets Senior secured loans and notes Equity interests in LLCs Equity securities Investments in tangible assets Equity method investment Total assets	\$- \$ - \$664,108 \$664, 48,784 48,78 62 29 19,822 19,9 2,065 2,065 9,901 9,90 \$62 \$ 29 \$744,680 \$744,78	84 13 5				
Secured borrowings of Consolidated Funds	\$16 \$ - \$141,119 \$141,	135				

A review of fair value hierarchy classifications is conducted on a quarterly basis. Changes in the observability of valuation inputs may result in a reclassification for certain financial assets or liabilities. Reclassifications impacting all

levels of the fair value hierarchy are reported as transfers in or out of Level I, II or III category as of the beginning of the quarter in which the reclassifications occur. During the nine months ended September 30, 2015, one of the Company's warrants with a fair value of \$0.1 million transferred from Level III to Level II because of the increase in availability of the transaction data or the inputs to the valuation became observable. During the nine months ended September 30, 2015, one of the Company's warrants with a fair value of \$0.1 million transferred from Level I to Level II based on changes in valuation methodology.

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The following tables provide a reconciliation of the beginning and ending balances for the Consolidated Funds' Level III investments, secured borrowings and the Company's investments in its equity method investees:

	For the nine (unaudited)	e months en	ded Septem	ber 30, 2015	5		
	Financial A		dated Funds	<b>.</b>			Liabilities Secured
	Senior			Investmen	t		borrowings
	Secured	Equity		in	Equity		of
	Loans and	Interests in	Equity	Tangible	Method		Consolidated
	Notes	LLCs	Securities	Assets	Investmen	nts Total	Funds
	•	n thousands	•				
Balance, beginning of period	\$664,108	\$ 48,784	\$19,822	\$ 2,065	\$ 9,901	\$744,680	\$ 141,119
Deconsolidation of MOF I	(8,252)	(1,370		(2,065)	1,768	(11,336)	) -
Transfer out of level III			(105)	-	-	(105)	) -
Amortization	(1,600)			-	-	(1,600	) -
Paid in-kind interest income	3,931	57		-	-	3,988	-
Purchases	166,319	12,468	452	-	-	179,239	-
Sales and settlements	(106,686)		(699)	-	-	(107,385)	) -
Distributions received from					(102	(102	
equity method investments	-	_	-	-	(183	) (183	) -
Realized and unrealized							
appreciation (depreciation),	(24,081)	(2,421	7,655	_	(602	) (19,449)	) -
net	, , ,		,			, , , ,	
Unrealized appreciation							
(depreciation) on secured							
borrowings of Consolidated	-	-	-	-	-	-	(1,109)
Funds, net							
Proceeds (repayments) from							
secured borrowings, net	-	-	-	-	-	-	(5,976)
•	¢ 602 720	¢ 57 510	¢ 25 700	\$ -	¢ 10 001	¢707 040	¢ 124 024
Balance, end of period	\$693,739	\$ 57,518	\$25,708	φ -	\$ 10,884	\$787,849	\$ 134,034
Changes in unrealized (gains) losses included in earnings	\$(15,505)	\$ (2,421	\$7,392	\$ -	\$ (602	) \$(11,136 )	\$ 2,661

related to financial assets still held at the reporting date

Total realized and unrealized appreciation (depreciation) recorded for the Consolidated Funds' Level III investments is included in net realized gain (loss) on investments of Consolidated Funds and net change in unrealized depreciation on investments of Consolidated Funds in the condensed consolidated statements of operations, respectively.

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The following tables summarize the quantitative inputs and assumptions used for the Consolidated Funds' Level III inputs and the Company's investments in its equity method investees as of September 30, 2015 and December 31, 2014:

Assets	Fair Value as of September 30, 2015 (unaudited) (Amounts in thousands)	Valuation Technique(s)	Unobservable input	Range Minimum	Maximum	Weighted Average
Senior Secured Loans and Notes	\$ 584,484	Income Approach (DCF)	Market Yield	9.17 %	18.38 %	12.18 %
	59,423	Recent Arms-length transaction	Recent Arms-length transaction	N/A	N/A	N/A
	13,799	Income Approach (DCF)	Discount Rate	20.00 %	22.00 %	18.00 %
	4,682	Market Approach (Guideline Comparable)/Income Approach (DCF)	2015 EBITDA Multiple, Discount Rate	6.00x / 20.00 %	8.00x / 25.00%	7.50x / % 22.5
	19,893	Market Approach (Guideline Comparable)	2015 EBITDA Multiple	6.25x	6.75x	6.50x
	1,750	Enterprise Valuation Analysis	Expected Sales Proceeds	\$1.75M	\$1.75M	\$1.75M
	8,797	Market Approach (Guideline Comparable)/Option Model	NTM Revenue Multiple, NTM EBITDA Multiple, Volatility EBITDA	0.90x / 3.00x / % 39.40	0.90x / 4.00x / % 84.20	1.00x / 4.00x / % 70.00
	911	Enterprise Valuation Analysis	Multiple/Estimated Liquidation Proceeds	0.00x / \$44.9M	0.00x / \$73.2M	0.00x / \$59.7M

Equity Interests in LLCs	6,162	Market Approach (Guideline Comparable)	Investment Portfolio Multiple	1.10x	1.20x	1.20x
	27,000	Recent Arms-length transaction	Recent Arms-length transaction	N/A	N/A	N/A
	2,478	Market Approach (Guideline Comparable)	LTM and NTM EBITDA Multiple	6.25x / 6.00x	7.00x / 6.25x	6.83x / 6.06x
	323	Market Approach (Guideline Comparable)		6.50x	7.50x	7.50x
	-	Market Approach (Guideline Comparable)	NTM Revenue Multiple, NTM EBITDA Multiple, Volatility	0.90x / 3.00x / % 39.40	1.00x / 4.00x / % 84.20	1.00x / 4.00x / % 70.00
	609	Income Approach (DCF)	Market Yield	14.63 %	14.63 %	14.63 %
	18,104	Income Approach (DCF)	Discount Rate	12.00 %	18.00 %	17.01 %
	2,842	Market Approach (Guideline Comparable)/Option Model	Tangible Book Value of Invested Capital Multiple/Volatility	1.40x /23.10 %	1.41x / 91.80%	1.41x / 40.00 %
	-	Enterprise Valuation Analysis	Expected Sales Proceeds	\$1.75M	\$1.75M	\$1.75M
Equity Securities	8,076	Market Approach (Guideline Comparable)	LTM and 2015 EBITDA Multiple	5.25x / 4.75x	7.50x / 5.50x	5.28x / 4.76x
	6,349	Market Approach (Guideline Comparable)	LTM and NTM EBITDA Multiple	4.25x / 3.75x	8.50x / 7.50x	5.39x / 4.83x
	-	Enterprise Valuation Analysis	EBITDA Multiple/Estimated Liquidation Proceeds	0.00x / \$44.9M	0.00x / \$73.2M	0.00x / \$59.7M
	11,092	Market Approach (Guideline Comparable)/Option Model	Tangible Book Value of Invested Capital Multiple/Volatility	1.40x / % 23.10	1.41x / 91.80 %	1.41x / 40.00 %
	191	Market Approach (Guideline Comparable)	LTM EBITDA	4.00x	5.00x	4.50x
Equity Method Investments	10,884	Net Asset Value of Underlying Fund	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
III , Commonto	\$ 787,849					

	Fair Value as of				
	September 30, 2015			Range	Weighted
Liability	(unaudited)	Valuation Technique(s)	Unobservable input	Minimum Maximum	Average

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	(Amounts in thousands)						
Secured	,						
Borrowings of	\$ 267	Market Approach	LTM and NTM	8.00x /	9.00x /	8.50x /	
Consolidated	\$ 207	(Guideline Comparable)	EBITDA Multiple	7.00x	8.00x	7.50x	
Funds							
	<i>5</i> ,000	Recent Arms-Length	Recent Arms-Length	NT A	NA	NT A	
	5,000	Transaction	Transaction	tion NA		NA	
	7.460	Market Approach	2015 EBITDA	<i>c.</i> <b>5</b> 0	6.50	6.50	
	7,460	(Guideline Comparable)	Multiple	6.50x	6.50x	6.50x	
	121,307	Income Approach (DCF)	*	9.17 %	13.50 %	11.46 %	
	\$ 134,034	11 ( /					

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Assets	Fair Value as of December 31, 2014 (Amounts in thousands)	Valuation Technique(s)	Unobservable input	Range Minimum	Maximum	Weighted Average
Senior Secured Loans and Notes	\$193	Negotiated Sales Proceeds	Expected Sales Proceeds	\$-	\$4,000,000	\$1,932,000
Notes	4,009	Sales Comparison Approach	Price per Acre	\$8,000	\$41,000	\$24,500
			Price per Room Price per Unit	\$43,200 \$155,734	\$71,429 \$228,009	\$57,315 \$191,872
	403	(Guideline Comparable) Market Approach (Guideline	LTM Revenue Multiple	0.60x	0.60x	0.45x
	346		LTM EBITDA Multiple	3.10x	3.62x	3.60x
	1,167	Market Approach (Guideline Comparable)	LTM EBITDA Multiple	3.10x	5.50x	4.30x
		•	LTM Revenue Multiple	0.50x	0.65x	0.58x
	1,989	Income Approach (DCF)	Discount Rate	12.0	% 35.0	% 20.5 %
	144 566,010	Liquidation Approach Income approach	Asset Coverage Market Yield	\$144,531 10.00	\$144,531 % 15.21	\$144,531 % 12.45 %
	37,600	Recent Arms-length transaction	Recent Arms-length transaction	N/A	N/A	N/A
	21,005	Income approach	Discount Rate	14.00	% 18.00	% 16.45 %
	15,859	Market Approach (Guideline Comparable)	EBITDA Multiple	5.50x	6.00x	5.75x

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	5,095	Enterprise Valuation Analysis	EBITDA Multiple	6.00x		7.00x		7.00x		
	8,910	Market Approach (Guideline Comparable)	Rev Multiple / EBITDA Multiple	0.43x / 4.09x		0.43x / 4.09x		0.43x / 4.09x		
	1,378	Enterprise Valuation Analysis	EBITDA Multiple/Estimated Liquidation Proceeds	2.00x / \$205.8M		2.00x / \$205.8M		2.00x / \$205.8M		
Equity Interests in LLCs	1,370	Market Approach	Unsolicited Offer Price	\$12,000,000	)	\$12,000,000	)	\$12,000,000		
ELCo	5,623	Market Approach (Guideline Comparable)	Investment Portfolio Multiple	1.10x		1.10x		1.10x		
	3,099	(Guideline Comparable)	`				8.50x			
	2,595	Market Approach (Guideline Comparable)	EBITDA Multiple / Volatility	3.75x / 50	%	3.75x / 50	%	3.75x / 50	%	
	581	Income Approach (DCF)	Market Yield	13.14	%	13.14	%	13.14	%	
	14,516	Income Approach (DCF)	Discount Rate	14.00	%	18.00	%	18.00	%	
	15,000	Income Approach (DCF)	Capitalization Rate	8.70	%	8.70	%	8.70	%	
	6,000	Recent Arms-length transaction	Recent Arms-length transaction	N/A		N/A		N/A		
Equity Securities	7,936	Market Approach (Guideline Comparable)	EBITDA Multiple	4.00x 8.31x			5.20x			
	10,364	Option Model	Tangible Book Value Multiple / Volatility  1.30x / 41.5  1.30x / 41.5		%	1.30x / 41.5	%			
	105	Option Model	Volatility	90.80	%	90.80	%	90.80	%	
	194	Market Approach (Guideline Comparable)	LTM EBITDARD Multiple	10.40x		11.10x		10.75x		
		-	NTM EBITDARD Multiple	9.50x		10.80x		10.15x		
	261	Market Approach (Guideline Comparable)	Revenue Multiple	0.30x		0.60x		0.45x		
	417	Income Approach (DCF)	Discount Rate	13.0	%	18.0	%	16.4	%	
	545	Market Approach (Guideline Comparable)	LTM EBITDA Multiple	5.00x		5.50x		5.25x		
		• /		0.50x		0.65x		0.58x		

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			LTM Revenue Multiple			
Tangible Assets	688	Market Approach	Appraisal of assets	\$500,000	\$2,200,000	\$1,350,000
	1,377	Sales Comparison Approach	Price per SQM	1,146	1,274	1,210
Equity Method Investment	9,901	Net Asset Value of Underlying Fund	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	\$744,680					

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Liability	Fair Value as of December 31, 2014 (Amounts in thousands)	Valuation Technique(s)	Unobservable input	Range Minimum	Maximu	ım	Weight Averag	
Secured Borrowings of Consolidated Funds	\$ 130,157	Income approach	Market Yield	10.00%	15.21	%	12.45	%
	5,947	Market Approach (Guideline Comparable)	EBITDA Multiple	5.50x	6.00x		5.75x	
	5,000	Income Approach (DCF)	Capitalization Rate	8.70 %	8.70	%	8.70	%
	15	Market Approach (Guideline Comparable)	EBITDA Multiple	4.00x	8.31x		5.20x	
	\$ 141,119							

The significant unobservable inputs used in the fair value measurement of the Consolidated Funds' investments in senior secured loans include discount rate, market yield, earnings before interest, tax, depreciation and amortization ("EBITDA") and revenue multiples, expected liquidation proceeds, and asset coverage. Significant increases or decreases in discount rates, market yields, EBITDA multiples in isolation would result in a significantly higher or lower fair value measurement.

The significant unobservable inputs used in the fair value measurement of the Consolidated Funds' investments in equity interests in LLCs include discount rates, market yields, volatility, long term growth rates, EBITDA, book value and portfolio multiples. Significant increases or decreases in discount rates, growth rates and portfolio multiples would result in lower or higher fair value measurements.

The significant unobservable inputs used in the fair value measurement of the Consolidated Funds' investments in equity securities include revenue, EBITDA and revenue multiples, expected liquidation proceeds, discount rates and volatility. Significant increases or decreases in these factors would result in a significantly higher or lower fair value measurement.

The significant unobservable inputs used in the fair value measurement of the Consolidated Funds' investments in tangible assets include price per ton, price per acre, price per room, price per unit appraisals and price per square foot. Significant increases or decreases in these factors would result in a significantly higher or lower fair value measurement.

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# **5.OTHER ASSETS**

The components of other assets are as follows:

	As of September 30, 2015 (unaudited)	As of December 31, 2014 athousands)
Other Assets of Medley LLC:	(7 timounts in	i mousanus)
Property and equipment, net of accumulated depreciation of \$1,554 and \$1,232, respectively	\$ 1,155	\$ 1,367
Security deposits	3,034	1,218
Administrative fees receivable (Note 10)	1,597	1,500
Deferred tax assets	1,052	874
Deferred financing costs, net of accumulated amortization of \$628 and \$217, respectively	1,968	2,329
Due from affiliates (Note 10)	507	382
Prepaid expenses and taxes	3,821	627
Other receivables	832	933
Total other assets of Medley LLC	13,966	9,230
Other Assets of Consolidated Funds:		
Restricted cash	-	3,000
Deferred tax assets	12	340
Other receivables	3,791	341
Total other assets of Consolidated Funds	3,803	3,681
Total other assets	\$ 17,769	\$ 12,911

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### 6. LOANS PAYABLE

The Company's loans payable consist of the following:

	As of	
	September 30,	As of
	2015	December 31,
	(unaudited)	2014
	(Amounts in	thousands)
Term loans under the Credit Suisse Term Loan Facility, net of unamortized discount of \$834 and \$1,006, respectively	\$ 94,166	\$ 93,994
Non-recourse promissory notes, net of unamortized discount of \$2,094 and \$2,500, respectively	8,531	9,063
Total loans payable	\$102,697	\$ 103,057

### Credit Suisse Term Loan Facility

On August 14, 2014, the Company entered into a \$110.0 million senior secured term loan credit facility ("Term Loan Facility") with Credit Suisse AG, Cayman Islands Branch, as administrative agent and collateral agent thereunder, Credit Suisse Securities (USA) LLC, as bookrunner and lead arranger, and the lenders from time-to-time party thereto, which will mature on June 15, 2019. The proceeds from the term loans amounting to \$108.9 million after a \$1.1 million issuer discount, together with cash on hand, were used to: (i) pay off an existing loan with a different financial institution in the amount of \$33.2 million, (ii) pay fees and expenses incurred in connection with this financing in the amount of \$2.6 million, of which \$2.4 million have been deferred, and (iii) pay a distribution to Medley LLC's members in the amount of \$74.5 million. In connection with this financing, the Company terminated its pre-existing credit agreement with City National Bank.

Borrowings under the Term Loan Facility bear interest, at the borrower's option, at a rate equal to either a Eurodollar margin over an adjusted LIBOR (with a "floor" of 1.0%) or a base rate margin over an adjusted base rate determined by reference to the highest of (i) the term loan administrative agent's prime rate; (ii) the federal funds effective rate in effect on such day plus 0.5%; and (iii) an adjusted LIBOR plus 1.0%. The applicable margins for the Term Loan Facility are 5.5%, in the case of Eurodollar loans and 4.5%, in the case of adjusted base rate loans. Outstanding borrowings under the Term Loan Facility bore interest at a rate of 6.5% as of September 30, 2015 and December 31, 2014. In addition, the Term Loan Facility also provides the borrower with the option to raise incremental credit facilities (including an uncommitted incremental facility that provides the borrower the option to increase the amount available under the Term Loan Credit Facility by an aggregate of up to \$15.0 million, subject to additional increases, provided that the net leverage ratio as of the last day of any four-fiscal quarter period, commencing with the four-fiscal quarter period ending December 31, 2014, shall not exceed 2.0 to 1.0). Borrowings are collateralized by substantially all of the equity interests in Medley LLC and its wholly owned subsidiaries.

The Term Loan Facility requires principal repayments in quarterly installments equal to \$1.4 million (which amount may be adjusted as a result of prepayment or incremental term loans drawn) commencing on March 31, 2015, with the remaining amount payable at maturity. The Company can also make voluntary repayments, without penalty, at any time prior to August 14, 2016, not to exceed \$33.0 million in the aggregate. As of September 30, 2015 and December 31, 2014, outstanding borrowings under this facility were \$94.2 million and \$94.0 million, respectively, which is reflected net of unamortized discount of \$0.8 million and \$1.0 million, respectively. The discount under the term loans is being accreted, using the effective interest method, over the term of the notes. Total interest expense under this Term Loan Facility, including accretion of the note discount, was \$1.7 million and \$1.0 million for the three months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014, respectively and \$4.9 million and \$1.0 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014, respectively. The fair value of the outstanding balance of Term Loan Facility approximated its par value as of September 30, 2015.

In October 2014, the Company voluntarily prepaid \$15.0 million of the outstanding term loans under this facility using a portion of the proceeds received from its initial public offering. The \$15.0 million prepayment was applied against the first installment, which was due on March 31, 2015, and the remaining quarterly installments through June 30, 2017.

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The Term Loan Facility also contains a financial covenant that requires the Company to maintain a Maximum Net Leverage Ratio commencing with the quarter ending on December 31, 2014 of not greater than 3.5 to 1.0, with which the Company is compliant. This ratio is calculated on a trailing twelve months basis and is the ratio of Total Net Debt, as defined, to Core EBITDA, as defined, and is calculated using the Company's standalone financial results and includes the adjustments made to calculate Core EBITDA (Note 14). Non-compliance with any of the financial or non-financial covenants without cure or waiver would constitute an event of default under the Term Loan Facility. The Term Loan Facility also contains other customary events of default, including defaults based on events of bankruptcy and insolvency, dissolution, nonpayment of principal, interest or fees when due, breach of specified covenants, change in control and material inaccuracy of representations and warranties. There were no events of default under the Term Loan Facility as of September 30, 2015.

### CNB Credit Agreement

On August 19, 2014, the Company entered into a \$15.0 million senior secured revolving credit facility with City National Bank (the "Revolving Credit Facility"). The Company intends to use any proceeds from borrowings under the Revolving Credit Facility for general corporate purposes, including funding of its working capital needs. Borrowings under the Revolving Credit Facility bear interest at the option of the Company, either (i) at an Alternate Base Rate, as defined, plus an applicable margin not to exceed 3.25% or (ii) at an Adjusted LIBOR plus an applicable margin not to exceed 4.0%. As of and during the period ended September 30, 2015, there were no amounts drawn under the Revolving Credit Facility.

The Revolving Credit Facility also contains a financial covenant that requires the Company to maintain a Maximum Net Leverage Ratio commencing with the quarter ending on December 31, 2014 of not greater than 3.5 to 1.0, with which the Company is compliant. This ratio is calculated on a trailing twelve months basis and is the ratio of Total Net Debt, as defined, to Core EBITDA, as defined, and is calculated using the Company's standalone financial results and includes the adjustments made to calculate Core EBITDA. Non-compliance with any of the financial or non-financial covenants without cure or waiver would constitute an event of default under the Revolving Credit Facility. The Revolving Credit Facility also contains other customary events of default, including defaults based on events of bankruptcy and insolvency, dissolution, nonpayment of principal, interest or fees when due, breach of specified covenants, change in control and material inaccuracy of representations and warranties. There were no events of default under the Revolving Credit Facility as of September 30, 2015.

### Non-Recourse Promissory Notes

In April 2012, the Company borrowed \$10.0 million under two non-recourse promissory notes. Proceeds from the borrowings were used to purchase 1,108,033 shares of common stock of SIC, which were pledged as collateral for the obligations. Interest on the notes is paid quarterly and is equal to the dividends received by the Company related to the pledged shares. The Company may prepay the notes in whole or in part at any time without penalty and the lenders may call the notes if certain conditions are met. The notes are scheduled to mature in March 2019. The proceeds from the notes were recorded net of issuance costs of \$3.8 million and are being accreted, using the effective interest method, over the term of the non-recourse promissory notes. Total interest expense under these non-recourse promissory notes, including accretion of the note discount, was \$0.4 million for each of the three months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014 and \$1.1 million and \$1.0 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014, respectively. The fair value of the outstanding balance of the notes was \$10.2 million as of September 30, 2015 and December 31, 2014.

In March 2014, the Company issued a promissory note in the amount of \$2.5 million to a former Medley member in connection with the purchase of his membership interests. The promissory note carries no interest, has quarterly amortization payments of \$312,500, and matures in March 2016. As of September 30, 2015 and December 31, 2014, the balance under this note was \$0.6 million and \$1.6 million, respectively.

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# Contractual Maturities of Loans Payable

As of September 30, 2015, future principal payments due under the loans payable are as follows (in thousands):

Remaining 2015	\$313
2016	312
2017	2,875
2018	5,500
2019	96,625
	\$105,625

# 7.ACCOUNTS PAYABLE, ACCRUED EXPENSES AND OTHER LIABILITIES

The components of accounts payable, accrued expenses and other liabilities are as follows:

	As of	
	September 30,	As of
	2015 (unaudited)	December 31, 2014
	(Amounts in	thousands)
Accounts payable, accrued expenses and other liabilities of Medley LLC:		
Accrued compensation and benefits	\$ 6,388	\$ 8,575
Due to affiliates (Note 10)	3,119	6,998
Revenue share payable (Note 9)	6,703	6,669
Dividends payable	-	1,423
Income taxes payable	373	741
Professional fees	700	545
Deferred rent	332	474

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Deferred tax liabilities Accounts payable and accrued expenses Total accounts payable, accrued expenses and other liabilities of Medley LLC	489 2,635 20,739	245 1,913 27,583
Accounts payable, accrued expenses and other liabilities of Consolidated Funds	2,199	5,767
Total accounts payable, accrued expenses and other liabilities	\$ 22,938	\$ 33,350

As of December 31, 2014, dividends payable was comprised of \$1.2 million due to the Company's Class A common stockholders and \$0.2 million payable to the Company's restricted stock unit holders. Dividends payable to Class A common holders represented a \$0.20 per share of Class A common stock dividend that was declared on November 10, 2014, to shareholders of record as of the close of business on December 17, 2014, but not paid until January 5, 2015. As the restricted stock units are participating securities, the Company calculated the amount due to the holders of the restricted stock units based on the \$0.20 per share of Class A common stock dividend declaration amount and the number of restricted stock units expected to vest. There were no dividends payable as of September 30, 2015.

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### 8. SECURED BORROWINGS OF CONSOLIDATED FUNDS

The Consolidated Funds have loan participations which do not meet the definition of a "participating interest", as defined in ASC 860, *Transfers and Servicing*. As such, these loan participations remain on the Company's condensed consolidated balance sheets and are recorded at fair value, as secured borrowings of Consolidated Funds.

As of September 30, 2015, secured borrowings of Consolidated Funds at cost and fair value totaled \$136.1 million and \$134.0 million, respectively. The fair value of the investments that are associated with these secured borrowings was \$134.0 million. The Consolidated Funds received net repayments on secured borrowings of \$6.3 million during the nine months ended September 30, 2015 and net proceeds from secured borrowings of \$93.9 million during the nine months ended September 30, 2014.

As of December 31, 2014, secured borrowings of Consolidated Funds at cost and fair value totaled \$143.0 million and \$141.1 million, respectively. The fair value of the investments that are associated with these secured borrowings was \$141.1 million.

For the three months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014, the Company recorded interest expense related to the secured borrowings of the Consolidated Funds of \$3.8 million and \$2.5 million, respectively. For the nine months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014, the Company recorded interest expense related to the secured borrowings of the Consolidated Funds of \$11.4 million and \$5.6 million, respectively.

Future minimum repayments under the secured borrowings of the Consolidated Funds are \$0.7 million, \$3.7 million, \$8.3 million, \$36.2 million and \$78.4 million for the years ended December 31, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018 and 2019, respectively, and \$8.7 million thereafter.

### 9. COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES

### **Operating Leases**

Medley leases office space in New York City and San Francisco under non-cancelable lease agreements that expire at various times through September 2023. In August 2015, the Company signed a new lease for its office space in New York City. Minimum rent payments are expected to commence in May 2016 and have been included in the future minimum rental payment schedule below. Rent expense was \$0.6 million for each of the three months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014 and \$1.9 million for each of the nine months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014.

Future minimum rental payments under non-cancelable leases are as follows (in thousands):

Remaining in 2015	\$604
2016	2,254
2017	2,683
2018	2,704
2019	2,710
Thereafter	9,522
Total future minimum lease payments	\$20,477

## Capital Commitments to Funds

As of September 30, 2015 and December 31, 2014, the Company had aggregate unfunded commitments of \$0.3 million and \$1.1 million, respectively, to certain long-dated private funds.

### Other Commitments

In April 2012, the Company entered into an obligation to pay a fixed percentage of management and incentive fees received by the Company from SIC. The agreement was entered into contemporaneously with the \$10 million non-recourse promissory notes that were issued to the same parties (Note 6). The two transactions were deemed to be related freestanding contracts and the \$10 million of loan proceeds were allocated to the contracts using their relative fair values. At inception, the Company recognized an obligation of \$4.4 million representing the present value of the future cash flows expected to be paid under this agreement. As of September 30, 2015 and December 31, 2014, the obligation amounted to \$6.7 million and is recorded as revenue share payable, a component of accounts payable, accrued expenses and other liabilities on the condensed consolidated balance sheets. The change in the estimated cash flows for this obligation is recorded in other income (expense) on the condensed consolidated statements of operations.

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Legal Proceedings

One of the Company's subsidiaries, MCC Advisors LLC, was named as a defendant in a lawsuit filed on May 29, 2015, by Moshe Barkat and Modern VideoFilm Holdings, LLC ("MVF Holdings") against Medley Capital Corporation, Medley Opportunity Fund II, MCC Advisors LLC, Deloitte Transactions and Business Analytics LLP A/K/A Deloitte ERG, Scott Avila, Charles Sweet, and Modern VideoFilm, Inc. ("MFV"). The lawsuit is pending in the California Superior Court, Los Angeles County, Central District, and was filed after Medley Capital Corporation, as agent for the lender group, exercised remedies following a series of defaults by MVF and MVF Holdings on a \$70 million secured loan. The lawsuit seeks damages in excess of \$100 million. The defendants dispute the allegations and intend to vigorously defend the lawsuit and pursue affirmative counterclaims against Mr. Barkat and MVF Holdings. Although the Company cannot predict the ultimate outcome of this lawsuit, it believes that such action is without merit, and any resulting loss, not probable.

From time to time, the Company is involved in litigation and legal proceedings arising out of the ordinary course of its business. The Company believes that it is not presently a party to any such matters that would have a material adverse effect on its financial condition, results of operations, or cash flows.

### 10.RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

Substantially all of Medley's revenue is earned through agreements with its consolidated and non-consolidated funds for which it collects management and performance fees for providing investment and management services.

In April 2012, Medley entered into an investment advisory agreement ("IAA") with SIC. Pursuant to the terms of the IAA, Medley agreed to bear all organization and offering expenses ("O&O Expenses") related to SIC until the earlier of the end of the SIC offering period or such time that SIC has raised \$300 million in gross proceeds in connection with the sale of shares of its common stock. The SIC IAA also required SIC to reimburse Medley for O&O Expenses incurred by Medley in an amount equal to 1.25% of the aggregate gross proceeds in connection with the sale of shares of its common stock until the earlier of the end of the SIC offering period, or Medley has been repaid in full. Effective

June 2, 2014, Medley was no longer liable for these expenses as SIC had reached the \$300 million in gross proceeds threshold. As of December 31, 2014, there were no reimbursements that were due to Medley as Medley had been reimbursed in full.

During the nine months ended September 30, 2014, Medley incurred O&O Expenses of \$1.5 million which were recorded within general, administrative, and other expenses in the condensed consolidated statements of operations. The Company did not incur O&O expenses during the three months ended September 30, 2014. Reimbursements of O&O are recorded in other revenues and fees on the condensed consolidated statements of operations and were \$1.5 million and \$3.7 million, respectively, during the three and nine months ended September 30, 2014.

In June 2012, Medley entered into an Expense Support and Reimbursement Agreement ("ESA") with SIC. Under the ESA, until December 31, 2015, unless extended, Medley will pay up to 100% of SIC's operating expenses in order for SIC to achieve a reasonable level of expenses relative to its investment income. Pursuant to the ESA, SIC has a conditional obligation to reimburse Medley for any amounts they funded under the ESA if, within three years of the date on which Medley funded such amounts, SIC meets certain financial levels. For the three months ended September 30, 2015, Medley recorded a \$1.1 million ESA reimbursement under this agreement. For the three months ended September 30, 2014, Medley recorded \$0.8 million of ESA expenses under this agreement. For the nine months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014, Medley recorded \$3.1 million and \$4.3 million, respectively, for ESA expenses under this agreement. The ESA expenses are recorded within general, administrative, and other expense in the condensed consolidated statements of operations. Medley recorded a liability of \$3.2 million and \$5.2 million as of September 30, 2015 and December 31, 2014, respectively, for ESA expenses related to this agreement. These amounts are included in accounts payable, accrued expenses and other liabilities as due to affiliates on the condensed consolidated balance sheets.

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In January 2011, Medley entered into an administration agreement with MCC (the "MCC Admin Agreement"), whereby Medley agreed to provide administrative services necessary for the operations of MCC. MCC agreed to pay Medley for the costs and expenses incurred in providing such administrative services, including an allocable portion of Medley's overhead expenses and an allocable portion of the cost of MCC's officers and their respective staffs. Medley records these administrative fees as revenue in the period when the services are provided and are included in other revenues and fees on the condensed consolidated statement of operations. The Company recorded revenue related to the MCC Admin Agreement of \$1.0 million for each of the three months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014. During the nine months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014, the Company recorded \$3.1 million and \$2.7 million, respectively, of revenue related to the MCC Admin Agreement. The administrative fees receivable under the MCC Admin Agreement was \$1.0 million and \$1.1 million, respectively, as of September 30, 2015 and December 31, 2014, and is included as a component of other assets on the condensed consolidated balance sheets.

In April 2012, Medley entered into an administration agreement with SIC (the "SIC Admin Agreement"), whereby Medley agreed to provide administrative services necessary for the operations of SIC. SIC agreed to pay Medley for the costs and expenses incurred in providing such administrative services including an allocable portion of Medley's overhead expenses and an allocable portion of the cost of SIC's officers and their respective staffs. Medley records these administrative fees as revenue in the period when the services are provided and are included in other revenues and fees on the condensed consolidated statement of operations. For the three months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014, the Company recorded \$0.5 million and \$0.4 million, respectively, of revenue related to the SIC Admin Agreement. For the nine months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014, the Company recorded \$1.6 million and \$0.9 million, respectively, of revenue related to the SIC Admin Agreement. The administrative fees receivable under the SIC Admin Agreement was \$0.5 million and \$0.4 million, respectively, as of September 30, 2015 and December 31, 2014, and is included as a component of other assets on the condensed consolidated balance sheets.

#### **Promissory Note**

In March 2014, the Company issued a promissory note in the amount of \$2.5 million to a former Medley member in connection with the purchase of his membership interests. The promissory note carries no interest, has quarterly amortization payments of \$312,500, and matures in March 2016. As of September 30, 2015 and December 31, 2014, the balance under this note was \$0.6 million and \$1.6 million, respectively.

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### 11. EARNINGS PER CLASS A SHARE

The table below presents basic and diluted net income per Class A share using the two-class method for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2015:

	For the Three Months Ended September 30, 2015 (unaudited) (Amounts in thousan amounts)		E S (t	For the Nine Mont Ended eptember 30, 201 unaudited) except per share	
Basic and diluted net income per share: Numerator					
Net income attributable to Medley Management Inc.	\$ 272		\$	2,585	
Less: Dividends declared on Class A common stock (1)	(1,200	)		(2,400	)
Less: Dividends paid to participating securities (2)	(183	)		(349	)
Less: Allocated undistributed net loss to participating securities (2)	175			26	
Allocation of undistributed net loss to Class A common stockholders	\$ (936	)	\$	(138	)
Denominator Weighted average shares of Class A shares outstanding, including participating securities	7,122,463			7,122,993	
Less: weighted average of participating securities (2)	(1,122,252	)		(1,122,922	)
Weighted average Class A common stock outstanding: Basic	6,000,211			6,000,071	
Weighted average shares of Class A shares outstanding: Diluted Add: dilutive effects of conversion of LLC Units (3) Weighted average dilutive shares outstanding	6,000,211 - 6,000,211			6,000,071 - 6,000,071	
Net income per Class A share: Basic and Diluted					
Distributed earnings	\$ 0.20		\$	0.40	
Undistributed net loss	(0.16	)		(0.02	)
Net income per Class A share	\$ 0.04		\$	0.38	

- The Company declared a \$0.20 per share dividend on Class A common stock on March 29, 2015 and August 10, 2015.
- Participating securities relate to the Company's grant of restricted stock units in connection with its IPO, adjusted for actual forfeitures and additional grants during the period.
- Excludes the assumed conversion of 23,333,333 LLC units to shares of Class A common stock as the impact would be antidilutive.

### 12. INCOME TAXES

Deferred income taxes reflect the net effect of temporary differences between the tax basis of an asset or liability and its reported amount in the Company's condensed consolidated balance sheets. These temporary differences result in taxable or deductible amounts in future years. As of September 30, 2015 and December 31, 2014, the Company had total deferred tax assets of \$1.1 million and \$1.2 million, respectively, which consists primarily of temporary differences relating to certain accrued expenses, net unrealized losses, and, as of September 30, 2015, stock compensation and a tax benefit relating to tax goodwill. Total deferred tax liabilities were \$0.5 million and \$0.3 million as of September 30, 2015 and December 31, 2014, respectively, which consists primarily of temporary differences relating to accrued fee income and other timing differences. The tax provision for deferred income taxes results from temporary differences arising principally from certain accrued expenses, deferred rent, fee income accruals, and depreciation.

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The Company's effective tax rate was (0.6%) and 3.8% for the three months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014, respectively and 4.9% and 3.9% for the nine months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014, respectively. The quarterly provision for income taxes is determined based on the Company's estimated full year effective tax rate adjusted by the amount of tax attributable to infrequent or unusual items that are separately recognized on a discrete basis in the income tax provision in the quarter in which they occur. The Company's effective tax rate includes a rate benefit attributable to the fact that the Company's subsidiaries operate as limited liability companies, which are not subject to federal or state income tax. Accordingly, a portion of the Company's earnings attributable to the non-controlling interest are not subject to corporate level taxes. For the three and nine months ended September 30, 2015, the Company was only subject to federal, state and city corporate income taxes on its pre-tax income attributable to Medley Management Inc. For the three and nine months ended September 30, 2014, the Company was only subject to federal taxes for a two day period on pre-tax income attributable Medley Management Inc.

Interest expense and penalties related to income tax matters are recognized as a component of the provision for income taxes. There were no such amounts incurred during the three and nine months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014. As of September 30, 2015 and December 31, 2014 and during the three and nine months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014, there were no uncertain tax positions taken that were not more likely than not to be sustained.

#### 13. COMPENSATION EXPENSE

Compensation generally includes salaries, bonuses, and profit sharing awards. Bonuses and profit sharing awards are accrued over the service period to which they relate. Prior to the Company's Reorganization and IPO, all payments made to the Medley LLC's members were accounted for as distributions on the equity held by such members rather than as employee compensation. Subsequent to the Company's Reorganization and IPO, guaranteed payments paid to Medley LLC's members who are senior professionals are accounted for as employee compensation.

### Performance Fee Compensation

In October 2010, the Company granted shares of vested profits interests in certain subsidiaries to select employees. These awards are viewed as a profit-sharing arrangement and are accounted for under ASC 710, which requires

compensation expense to be recognized over the vesting period, which is usually the period over which service is provided. The shares were vested at grant date, subject to a divestiture percentage based on percentage of service completed from the award grant date to the employee's termination date. The Company adjusts the related liability quarterly based on changes in estimated cash flows for the profit interests.

In January 2014, the Company granted additional shares of profit interests in certain subsidiaries to select employees. The shares were fully vested at grant date and were not subject to a divestiture percentage.

In February 2015, the Company granted incentive cash bonus awards to select employees. These awards entitle employees to receive cash compensation based on distributed performance fees received by the Company from certain institutional funds. Eligibility to receive payments pursuant to these incentive awards is based on continued employment and ceases automatically upon termination of employment. Performance compensation expense is recorded based on the fair value of the incentive awards at the date of grant and is recognized on a straight-line basis over the expected requisite service period. The performance compensation liability is subject to re-measurement at the end of each reporting period and any changes in the liability are recognized in the then current reporting period.

For the three months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014, performance compensation was \$(3.7) million and \$(0.9) million, respectively. For the nine months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014, performance compensation was \$(4.6) million and \$2.2 million, respectively. As of September 30, 2015 and December 31, 2014, the total performance fee compensation payable for these awards was \$5.8 million and \$11.8 million, respectively.

### Retirement Plan

The Company sponsors a defined-contribution 401(k) retirement plan that covers all employees. Employees are eligible to participate in the plan immediately, and participants are 100% vested from the date of eligibility. The Company makes contributions to the Plan of 3% of an employee's eligible wages, up to a maximum limit as determined by the Internal Revenue Service. The Company also pays all administrative fees related to the plan. The Company's accrued contributions to the plan was \$0.1 million for each of the three months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014. For the nine months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014, the Company's accrued contributions to the plan were \$0.3 million and \$0.4 million, respectively.

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**Stock-Based Compensation** 

In connection with the IPO, the Company adopted the Medley Management Inc. 2014 Omnibus Incentive Plan (the "Plan"). The purpose of the Plan is to provide a means through which the Company may attract and retain key personnel and to provide a means whereby directors, officers, employees, consultants and advisors (and prospective directors, officers, employees, consultants and advisors) of the Company can acquire and maintain an equity interest in the Company, or be paid incentive compensation, including incentive compensation measured by reference to the value of Medley Management Inc.'s class A common stock or Medley LLC's unit interests, thereby strengthening their commitment to the welfare of the Company and aligning their interests with those of the Company's stockholders. The Plan provides for the issuance of incentive stock options ("ISOs"), nonqualified stock options, stock appreciation rights ("SARs"), restricted stock, restricted stock units ("RSUs"), stock bonuses, other stock-based awards and cash awards. The maximum aggregate number of awards available to be granted under the plan, as amended, is 4,500,000, of which all or any portion may be issued as shares of Medley Management Inc.'s Class A common stock or Medley LLC's unit interests. Shares of Class A common stock issued by the Company in settlement of awards may be authorized and unissued shares, shares held in the treasury of the Company, shares purchased on the market or by private purchase or a combination of the foregoing. As of September 30, 2015, there were 3.4 million awards available to be granted under the Plan.

The fair value of the RSUs granted is determined to be the fair value of the underlying shares on the date of grant. The aggregate fair value, which is then adjusted for anticipated forfeitures of up to 9% per annum, is charged to compensation expense on a straight-line basis over the vesting period, which is generally up to five years. For the three and nine months ended September 30, 2015, stock-based compensation was \$0.8 million and \$2.4 million, respectively. For each of the three and nine months ended September 30, 2014, stock-based compensation was \$0.1 million.

The following summarizes RSU activity for the nine months ended September 30, 2015:

Weighted
Average Grant
Number of RSUs Date Fair Value

Balance at December 31, 2014	1,197,915	\$	17.91
Granted	157,000		10.75
Forfeited	(209,000	)	17.99
Vested	(9,720	)	18.00
Balance at September 30, 2015	1,136,195	\$	16.90

As of September 30, 2015 there were approximately 960,000 RSUs outstanding net of estimated forfeitures, which are expected to vest. Unamortized compensation cost related to unvested RSUs at September 30, 2015 was \$13.0 million and is expected to be recognized over a weighted average period of 4.0 years.

### 14.MARKET AND OTHER RISK FACTORS

Due to the nature of the Consolidated Funds' investment strategy, their portfolio of investments has significant market and credit risk. As a result, the Company is subject to market and other risk factors, including, but not limited to the following:

#### Market Risk

The market price of investments may significantly fluctuate during the period of investment. Investments may decline in value due to factors affecting securities markets generally or particular industries represented in the securities markets. The value of an investment may decline due to general market conditions that are not specifically related to such investment, such as real or perceived adverse economic conditions, changes in the general outlook for corporate earnings, changes in interest or currency rates or adverse investor sentiment generally. They may also decline due to factors that affect a particular industry or industries, such as labor shortages or increased production costs and competitive conditions within an industry.

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#### Credit Risk

There are no restrictions on the credit quality of the investments the Company intends to make. Investments may be deemed by nationally recognized rating agencies to have substantial vulnerability to default in payment of interest and/or principal. Some investments may have low-quality ratings or be unrated. Lower rated and unrated investments have major risk exposure to adverse conditions and are considered to be predominantly speculative. Generally, such investments offer a higher return potential than higher rated investments, but involve greater volatility of price and greater risk of loss of income and principal.

In general, the ratings of nationally recognized rating organizations represent the opinions of agencies as to the quality of the securities they rate. Such ratings, however, are relative and subjective; they are not absolute standards of quality and do not evaluate the market value risk of the relevant securities. It is also possible that a rating agency might not change its rating of a particular issue on a timely basis to reflect subsequent events. The Company may use these ratings as initial criteria for the selection of portfolio assets for the Company but is not required to utilize them.

#### Limited Liquidity of Investments

The Company intends to invest in investments that may not be readily marketable. Illiquid investments may trade at a discount from comparable, more liquid investments and, at times there may be no market at all for such investments. Subordinate investments may be less marketable, or in some instances illiquid, because of the absence of registration under federal securities laws, contractual restrictions on transfer, the small size of the market or the small size of the issue (relative to issues of comparable interests). As a result, the Company may encounter difficulty in selling its investments or may, if required to liquidate investments to satisfy redemption requests of its investors or debt service obligations, be compelled to sell such investments at less than fair value.

#### Counterparty Risk

Some of the markets in which the Company may affect its transactions are "over-the-counter" or "interdealer" markets. The participants in such markets are typically not subject to credit evaluation and regulatory oversight, unlike members of exchange-based markets. This exposes the Company to the risk that a counterparty will not settle a transaction in accordance with its terms and conditions because of a dispute over the terms of the applicable contract (whether or not such dispute is bona fide) or because of a credit or liquidity problem, causing the Company to suffer loss. Such "counterparty risk" is accentuated for contracts with longer maturities where events may intervene to prevent settlement, or where the Company has concentrated its transactions with a single or small group of counterparties.

### Currency Risk

The Company may invest in financial instruments and enter into transactions denominated in currencies other than its functional currency. Although the Company may seek to hedge currency exposure through financial instruments, the Company may still be exposed to risks that the exchange rate of its currency relative to other foreign currencies may change in a manner that has an adverse effect on the value of that portion of the Company's assets or liabilities denominated in currencies other than the functional currency.

The Company may enter into derivative contracts to manage the risk associated with foreign currency exchange fluctuations on its non-U.S. dollar denominated holdings.

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#### 15. SEGMENT REPORTING

The Company's business is currently comprised of only one reportable segment, the investment management segment, and substantially all Company operations are conducted through this segment. The investment management segment provides investment management services to permanent capital vehicles, long-dated private funds and separately managed accounts. The Company conducts its investment management business in the United States, where substantially all of its revenues are generated.

In addition to analyzing the Company's results on a GAAP basis, management also makes operating decisions and assesses business performance based on the financial and operating metrics and data that are presented without the consolidation of any funds. Core Net Income and Core EBITDA are income measures that are used by management to assess the performance of its business.

Core Net Income. Core Net Income is an income measure that is used by management to assess the performance of the business through the removal of non-core items, as well as other non-recurring expenses. It is calculated by adjusting standalone net income attributable to members of Medley to exclude reimbursable expenses associated with the launch of funds, certain one-time severance costs and stock-based compensation associated with RSUs that were granted to employees in connection with the Company's IPO.

Core Earnings before interest, income taxes, depreciation and amortization (Core EBITDA). Core EBITDA is calculated as Core Net Income before interest expense, income taxes and depreciation.

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The following presents the standalone financial results of the Company's operating results for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014:

	For the Three Months Ended September 30, (unaudited) 2015 2014 (Amounts in thousan	For the Nine M Ended September 30, (unaudited) 2015 ads)	Ionths 2014
Revenues Management fees Performance fees Other revenues and fees Total revenues	\$18,135 \$17,616	\$ 56,578	\$ 47,516
	(14,595) 3,395	(10,627 )	11,471
	1,891 2,787	5,496	7,183
	5,431 23,798	51,447	66,170
Expenses Compensation and benefits Performance fee compensation General, administrative and other expenses Total expenses	5,914 5,677	19,532	15,010
	(3,660 ) (921 )	) (4,578 )	2,237
	1,626 3,458	10,756	12,821
	3,880 8,214	25,710	30,068
Other income (expense) Dividend income Interest expense Other expenses, net Total other expense, net Income before income taxes Provision for (benefit from) income taxes Net income (loss) Net income (loss) attributable to non-controlling interests in	222 222 (2,141 ) (2,016) (838 ) (87 ) (2,757 ) (1,881) \$(1,206 ) \$13,703 (113 ) 578 (1,093 ) 13,125 (2,150 ) 612	(1,087 ) (6,757 )	665 (3,380 ) (1,707 ) (4,422 ) \$ 31,680 1,026 30,654 2,172
consolidated subsidiaries  Net income attributable to Medley Management Inc. and non-controlling interests in Medley LLC  Reimbursable fund startup expenses (1)  Severance expense (1)  IPO date award stock-based compensation (1)	\$1,057 \$12,513	\$ 18,161	\$ 28,482
	(943 ) 1,195	2,751	4,591
		121	(5
	587 74	1,844	74

Adjustment for pre-IPO guaranteed payments to members (1)(2)	-	(1,069)	-	(3,284	)
Core Net Income	\$701	\$12,713	\$ 22,877	\$ 29,858	
Interest expense	2,141	2,016	6,335	3,380	
Income taxes	(161	) 584	2,557	1,067	
Depreciation and amortization	109	103	341	289	
Core EBITDA	\$2,790	\$15,416	\$ 32,110	\$ 34,594	

(1) Presented net of income taxes.

Represents a pro-forma adjustment to reflect guaranteed payments to Medley LLC members as compensation (2) expense. Prior to the Company's Reorganization and IPO, these payments were recorded as distributions from members' capital.

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The following tables reconcile the Company's segment results to its consolidated results of operations for the three months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014:

For the Three Months Ended September 30,	
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	Adjustments and					
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	Standalone	:	Items		Results	
	(Amounts in	ı th	ousands)			
Revenues	\$ 5,431		\$ 10,382	(1)	\$ 15,813	
Expenses	3,880		542	(2)	4,422	
Other income (expense), net	(2,757	)	3,668	(3)	911	
Provision for (benefit from) income taxes	(113	)	36	(4)	(77	)
Net income (loss) attributable to non-controlling interests in consolidated subsidiaries	(2,150	)	-		(2,150	)
Net income attributable to non-controlling interests in Consolidated Funds	-		13,472		13,472	
Net income attributable to non-controlling interests in Medley LLC	785		-		785	
Net income attributable to Medley Management Inc.	272		-		272	
Add: Net income attributable to non-controlling interests in Medley LLC	785		-		785	
Net income attributable to Medley Management Inc. and non-controlling interests in Medley LLC	1,057		-		1,057	
Reimbursable fund startup expenses	(943	)	-		(943	)
Severance expense	_		-		-	
IPO date award stock-based compensation	587		-		587	
Core Net Income	\$ 701		\$ -		\$ 701	

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		Reconciling	Consolidated
	Standalone	Items	Results
	(Amounts in	thousands)	
Revenues	\$ 23,798	\$ (3,033)(1)	\$ 20,765
Expenses	8,214	296 (2)	8,510
Other income (expense)	(1,881	) 13,607 (3)	11,726
Provision for income taxes	578	345 (4)	923
Net income attributable to non-controlling interests in consolidated subsidiaries	612		612
Net income attributable to non-controlling interests in Consolidated Funds	l -	9,933	9,933
Net income attributable to non-controlling interests in Medley LLC	12,135	-	12,135
Net income attributed to Medley Management Inc.	378	-	378
Add: Net income attributable to non-controlling interests in Medley LLC	12,135	-	12,135
Net income attributable to Medley Management Inc. and non-controlling interests in Medley LLC	12,513	-	12,513
Reimbursable fund startup expenses	1,195	-	1,195
Severance expense	-	-	-
IPO date award stock-based compensation	74	-	74
Adjustment for pre-IPO guaranteed payments to members	(1,069	) -	(1,069 )
Core Net Income	\$ 12,713	\$ -	\$ 12,713

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### **Notes to Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements (unaudited)**

Adjustments and reconciling items to revenues represent management and performance fees earned from (1)Consolidated Funds which were eliminated in consolidation. For the three months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014, such adjustments and reconciling items were as follows:

	2015	2014
	(Amounts	s in thousands)
Management fees from Consolidated Funds eliminated in consolidation	\$ (2,265	) \$ (603 )
Performance fees eliminated in consolidation	12,647	(2,430 )
Total consolidated adjustments and reconciling items	\$ 10,382	\$ (3,033)

Adjustments and reconciling items to expenses represent expenses from Consolidated Funds which were (2) eliminated in consolidation. For the three months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014, such adjustments and reconciling items were as follows:

	2015		2014	
	(A	Amounts i	n tho	ousands)
Consolidated Funds Expenses	\$	542	\$	296
Total consolidated adjustments and reconciling items	\$	542	\$	296

Adjustments and reconciling items to other income primarily represent net interest income and net investment (3) income from Consolidated Funds. For the three months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014, such adjustments and reconciling items were as follows:

	2015		2014	
	(Amounts	in 1	thousands)	)
Interest and other income of Consolidated Funds	\$ 21,843		\$ 17,880	
Interest expense of Consolidated Funds	(3,804	)	(2,524	)
Net realized gain (loss) on investments of Consolidated Funds	(31,965	)	(499	)
Net change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation) on investments of Consolidated Funds	16,011		(2,369	)
Net change in unrealized depreciation (appreciation) on secured borrowings of Consolidated Funds	1,610		1,300	
Elimination of equity income (loss) from Consolidated Funds Total consolidated adjustments and reconciling items	(27 \$ 3,668	)	(181 \$ 13,607	)
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Adjustments and reconciling items to the provision for income taxes represent income taxes from Consolidated (4)Funds. For the three months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014, such adjustments and reconciling items were as follows:

	20	)15	2014
	(A	moun	its in thousands)
Consolidated Funds provision for income taxes	\$	36	\$ 345
Total consolidated adjustments and reconciling items	\$	36	\$ 345

(Prior to September 29, 2014, Medley LLC and Medley GP Holdings LLC)

### Notes to Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements (unaudited)

The following tables reconcile the Company's segment results to its consolidated results of operations for the nine months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014:

For the Nine Months Ended September 30, 2015

(unaudited)

		Consolidation Adjustments and Reconciling	Consolidated
	Standalone	Items	Results
	(Amounts in	thousands)	
Revenues	\$ 51,447	\$ 7,249 (1)	\$ 58,696
Expenses	25,710	1,969 (2)	27,679
Other income (expense), net	(6,757	33,806 (3)	27,049
Provision for income taxes	1,953	911 (4)	2,864
Net income (loss) attributable to non-controlling interests in consolidated subsidiaries	(1,134	) -	(1,134 )
Net income attributable to non-controlling interests in Consolidated Funds	-	38,175	38,175
Net income attributable to non-controlling interests in Medley LLC	15,576	-	15,576
Net income attributable to Medley Management Inc.	2,585	-	2,585
Add: Net income attributable to non-controlling interests in Medley LLC	15,576	-	15,576
Net income attributable to Medley Management Inc. and non-controlling interests in Medley LLC	18,161	-	18,161
Reimbursable fund startup expenses	2,751	-	2,751
Severance expense	121	-	121
IPO date award stock-based compensation	1,844	-	1,844
Core Net Income	\$ 22,877	\$ -	\$ 22,877

For the Nine Months Ended September 30, 2014

(unaudited)

Consolidation Adjustments and

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		Reconciling	Consolidated
	Standalone	Items	Results
	(Amounts in		
Revenues	\$ 66,170	$(12,184)^{(1)}$	\$ 53,986
Expenses	30,068	1,129 (2)	31,197
Other income (expense)	(4,422	) 37,363 (3)	32,941
Provision for income taxes	1,026	1,148 (4)	2,174
Net income attributable to non-controlling interests in consolidated subsidiaries	2,172	-	2,172
Net income attributable to non-controlling interests in Consolidated Funds	-	22,902	22,902
Net income attributable to non-controlling interests in Medley LLC	28,104	-	28,104
Net income attributed to Medley Management Inc.	378	-	378
Add: Net income attributable to non-controlling interests in Medley LLC	28,104	-	28,104
Net income attributable to Medley Management Inc. and	28,482	-	28,482
non-controlling interests in Medley LLC			•
Reimbursable fund startup expenses	4,591	-	4,591
Severance expense	(5	) -	(5)
IPO date award stock-based compensation	74	-	74
Adjustment for pre-IPO guaranteed payments to members	(3,284	) -	(3,284)
Core Net Income	\$ 29,858	\$ -	\$ 29,858

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Adjustments and reconciling items to revenues represent management and performance fees earned from (1)Consolidated Funds which were eliminated in consolidation. For the nine months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014, such adjustments and reconciling items were as follows:

	2015	2014
	(Amounts	in thousands)
Management fees from Consolidated Funds eliminated in consolidation	\$ (4,298	) \$ (4,050 )
Performance fees eliminated in consolidation	11,547	(8,134)
Total consolidated adjustments and reconciling items	\$ 7,249	\$ (12,184)

Adjustments and reconciling items to expenses represent expenses from Consolidated Funds which were (2) eliminated in consolidation. For the nine months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014, such adjustments and reconciling items were as follows:

	2015	2014
	(Amounts in	thousands)
Consolidated Funds Expenses	\$ 1,969	\$ 1,129
Total consolidated adjustments and reconciling items	\$ 1,969	\$ 1,129

Adjustments and reconciling items to other income primarily represent net interest income and net investment (3) income from Consolidated Funds. For the nine months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014, such adjustments and reconciling items were as follows:

	2015	2014
	(Amounts	in thousands)
Interest and other income of Consolidated Funds	\$61,739	\$ 51,476
Interest expense of Consolidated Funds	(11,418	) (5,586 )
Net realized gain (loss) on investments of Consolidated Funds	(31,013	) 789
Net change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation) on investments of Consolidated Funds	13,616	(9,540)
Net change in unrealized depreciation (appreciation) on secured borrowings of Consolidated Funds	1,112	103
Elimination of equity income (loss) from Consolidated Funds	(230	) 121
Total consolidated adjustments and reconciling items	\$ 33,806	\$ 37,363

Adjustments and reconciling items to the provision for income taxes represent income taxes from Consolidated (4)Funds. For the nine months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014, such adjustments and reconciling items were as follows:

	2015	2014
	(Amounts	in thousands)
Consolidated Funds provision for income taxes	\$ 911	\$ 1,148
Total consolidated adjustments and reconciling items	\$ 911	\$ 1,148

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### 16. CONSOLIDATING SCHEDULES

The following supplemental financial information illustrates the consolidating effects of the Consolidated Funds on the Company's financial condition as of September 30, 2015 and December 31, 2014, and the Company's results from operations for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014. The financial condition and results of operations for Medley are presented in the tables below under the "Standalone" column.

	For the Three Months Ended September 30, 2015 (unaudited)						
		Consolidated					
		Funds	Elimination	s (	Consolidat	ed	
	(Amounts in	thousands)					
Revenues:							
Management fees	\$ 18,135	\$ -	\$ (2,265	) \$	5 15,870		
Performance fees	(14,595)	-	12,647		(1,948	)	
Other revenues and fees	1,891	-	-		1,891		
Total revenues	5,431	-	10,382		15,813		
Expenses:							
Compensation and benefits	5,914	-	-		5,914		
Performance fee compensation	(3,660)	-	-		(3,660	)	
Consolidated Funds expenses	-	2,807	(2,265	)	542		
General, administrative and other expenses	1,626	-	-		1,626		
Total expenses	3,880	2,807	(2,265	)	4,422		
•							
Other income (expense):							
Dividend income	222	-	-		222		
Interest expense	(2,141)	-	-		(2,141	)	
Other income (expenses), net	(838)	-	(27	)	(865	)	
Interest and other income of Consolidated Funds	-	21,843	-		21,843		
Interest expense of Consolidated Funds	-	(3,804)	-		(3,804	)	
Net realized gain (loss) on investments of Consolidated							
Funds	-	(31,965)	-		(31,965	)	
Net change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation) on investments of Consolidated Funds	-	16,011	-		16,011		

Net change in unrealized depreciation (appreciation) on secured borrowings of Consolidated Funds	-		1,610	-		1,610	
Total other income (expense), net	(2,757	)	3,695	(27	)	911	
Income (loss) before income taxes	(1,206	)	888	12,620		12,302	
Provision for (benefit from) income taxes	(113	)	36	-		(77	)
Net income (loss)	(1,093	)	852	12,620		12,379	
Net income attributable to non-controlling interests in Consolidated Funds	-		-	13,472		13,472	
Net income (loss) attributable to non-controlling interests in consolidated subsidiaries	(2,150	)	-	-		(2,150	)
Net income attributable to non-controlling interests in Medley LLC	785		-	-		785	
Net income attributable to Medley Management Inc.	\$ 272		\$ 852	\$ (852	)	\$ 272	

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	For the Nine Months Ended September 30, 2015 (unaudited)  Consolidated						
	Standalon (Amounts		Funds thousands)	Elimination	ons	Consolidat	ed
Revenues:							
Management fees	\$56,578		\$ -	\$ (4,298	)	\$ 52,280	
Performance fees	(10,627	)	-	11,547		920	
Other revenues and fees	5,496		-	-		5,496	
Total revenues	51,447		-	7,249		58,696	
Expenses:							
Compensation and benefits	19,532		-	-		19,532	
Performance fee compensation	(4,578	)	-	-		(4,578	)
Consolidated Funds expenses	-		6,267	(4,298	)	1,969	
General, administrative and other expenses	10,756		-	-		10,756	
Total expenses	25,710		6,267	(4,298	)	27,679	
Other income (expense):							
Dividend income	665		-	-		665	
Interest expense	(6,335	)	-	-		(6,335	)
Other income (expenses), net	(1,087	)	-	(230	)	•	)
Interest and other income of Consolidated Funds	-		61,739	-		61,739	
Interest expense of Consolidated Funds	-		(11,418)	-		(11,418	)
Net realized gain (loss) on investments of Consolidated Funds	<b>3</b> -		(31,013)	-		(31,013	)
Net change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation) on	_		13,616	_		13,616	
investments of Consolidated Funds			15,010			15,010	
Net change in unrealized depreciation (appreciation) on secured borrowings of Consolidated Funds	-		1,112	-		1,112	
Total other income (expense), net	(6,757	)	34,036	(230	)	27,049	
Income before income taxes	18,980	_	27,769	11,317		58,066	
Provision for income taxes	1,953		911	-		2,864	
Net income	17,027		26,858	11,317		55,202	
Net income attributable to non-controlling interests in	•		,	•		·	
Consolidated Funds	-		-	38,175		38,175	
Net income (loss) attributable to non-controlling interests in	(1 124	`				(1.124	`
consolidated subsidiaries	(1,134	)	-	-		(1,134	)
	15,576		-	-		15,576	

Net income attributable to non-controlling interests in Medley

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Net income attributable to Medley Management Inc. \$2,585 \$26,858 \$(26,858) \$2,585

# (Prior to September 29, 2014, Medley LLC and Medley GP Holdings LLC)

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Accepte	(unaudited) Standalone	Consolidated	5 Elimination	ıs (	Consolidate	ed
Assets Cash and cash equivalents	\$63,754	\$ -	\$ -		\$ 63,754	
Investments, at fair value	11,114	φ -	(230	)	10,884	
Management fees receivable	15,215	_	(415	)	14,800	
Performance fees receivable	6,493	_	(413	,	6,493	
Other assets	15,268	_	(1,302	)	13,966	
Other assets	13,200	_	(1,302	,	13,700	
Assets of Consolidated Funds:						
Cash and cash equivalents	_	105,122	_		105,122	
Investments, at fair value	_	778,971	_		778,971	
Interest and dividends receivable	_	6,124	_		6,124	
Other assets	_	3,803	_		3,803	
Total assets	\$111,844	\$ 894,020	\$ (1,947	) :	\$ 1,003,917	,
Liabilities and equity Loans payable Accounts payable, accrued expenses and other liabilities Performance fee compensation payable	\$102,697 20,739 5,759	\$ - - -	\$ - - -	;	\$ 102,697 20,739 5,759	
Liabilities of Consolidated Funds:						
Accounts payable, accrued expenses and other liabilities	_	3,916	(1,717	)	2,199	
Secured borrowings	_	134,047	(1,/1/	,	134,047	
Total liabilities	129,195	137,963	(1,717	)	265,441	
Equity Class A Common Stock Class B Common Stock Capital deficit Retained earnings	60 - (8 ) 108		- - -	,	60 - (8 108	)
Total stockholders' equity (deficit), Medley Management Inc.		-	- 755 997		160	
Non-controlling interests in Consolidated Funds	- (700 )	-	755,827		755,827	`
Non-controlling interests in consolidated subsidiaries	(708)	-	-		(708	)
Non-controlling interests in Medley LLC	(16,803)	-	-		(16,803	)

Members' equity of consolidated funds	-	756,057	(756,057	) -
Total (deficit) equity	(17,351)	756,057	(230	) 738,476
Total liabilities and equity	\$111,844	\$ 894,020	\$ (1,947	) \$1,003,917

# (Prior to September 29, 2014, Medley LLC and Medley GP Holdings LLC)

# **Notes to Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements (unaudited)**

	For the Three Months Ended September 30, 2014 (unaudited)  Consolidated							
	Standalor (Amounts				Eliminatio	ons	Consolidate	ed
Revenues:								
Management fees	\$ 17,616		\$ -		\$ (603	)	\$ 17,013	
Performance fees	3,395		-		(2,430	)	965	
Other revenues and fees	2,787		-		-		2,787	
Total revenues	23,798		-		(3,033	)	20,765	
Expenses:								
Compensation and benefits	5,677		-		-		5,677	
Performance fee compensation	(921	)	-		-		(921	)
Consolidated Funds expenses	-	_	899		(603	)	296	
General, administrative and other expenses	3,458		-		-		3,458	
Total expenses	8,214		899		(603	)	8,510	
Other income (expense):								
Dividend income	222		-		_		222	
Interest expense	(2,016	)	_		_		(2,016	)
Other income (expenses), net	(87	)	_		(181	)	(268	)
Interest and other income of Consolidated Funds	-	,	17,880		-	,	17,880	,
Interest expense of Consolidated Funds	_		(2,524	)	_		(2,524	)
Net realized gain (loss) on investments of Consolidated Funds	_		(499	)	_		(499	)
Net change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation) on	_		(2,369	)	_		(2,369	)
investments of Consolidated Funds							,	
Net change in unrealized depreciation (appreciation) on secured borrowings of Consolidated Funds	-		1,300		-		1,300	
Total other income (expense), net	(1,881	)	13,788		(181	)	11,726	
Income before income taxes	13,703		12,889		(2,611	)	23,981	
Provision for income taxes	578		345		-		923	
Net income	13,125		12,544		(2,611	)	23,058	
Net income attributable to non-controlling interests in							0.022	
Consolidated Funds	-		-		9,933		9,933	
Net income attributable to non-controlling interests in	612						612	
consolidated subsidiaries	012		-		-		612	
	12,135		-		-		12,135	

Net income attributable to non-controlling interests in Medley

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Net income attributable to Medley LLC \$ 378 \$ 12,544 \$ (12,544 ) \$ 378

# (Prior to September 29, 2014, Medley LLC and Medley GP Holdings LLC)

# **Notes to Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements (unaudited)**

	For the Nine Months Ended September 30, 2014 (unaudited)  Consolidated					
	Standalone (Amounts		Eliminatio	Consolidat	ed	
Revenues:						
Management fees	\$47,516	\$ -	\$ (4,050	) 5	\$ 43,466	
Performance fees	11,471	-	(8,134	)	3,337	
Other revenues and fees	7,183	-	-		7,183	
Total revenues	66,170	-	(12,184	)	53,986	
Expenses:						
Compensation and benefits	15,010	-	-		15,010	
Performance fee compensation	2,237	-	-		2,237	
Consolidated Funds expenses	-	5,179	(4,050	)	1,129	
General, administrative and other expenses	12,821	-	-		12,821	
Total expenses	30,068	5,179	(4,050	)	31,197	
Other income (expense):						
Dividend income	665	-	-		665	
Interest expense	(3,380	) -	-		(3,380	)
Other income (expenses), net	(1,707	) -	121		(1,586	)
Interest and other income of Consolidated Funds	-	51,476	-		51,476	
Interest expense of Consolidated Funds	-	(5,586)	-		(5,586	)
Net realized gain (loss) on investments of Consolidated Funds	-	789	-		789	
Net change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation) on		(0.540			(0.540	`
investments of Consolidated Funds	-	(9,540)	-		(9,540	)
Net change in unrealized depreciation (appreciation) on		103			102	
secured borrowings of Consolidated Funds	-	103	-		103	
Total other income (expense), net	(4,422	37,242	121		32,941	
Income before income taxes	31,680	32,063	(8,013	)	55,730	
Provision for income taxes	1,026	1,148	-		2,174	
Net income	30,654	30,915	(8,013	)	53,556	
Net income attributable to non-controlling interests in			22,902		22 002	
Consolidated Funds	-	-	22,902		22,902	
Net income attributable to non-controlling interests in consolidated subsidiaries	2,172	-	-		2,172	
Net income attributable to non-controlling interests in Medley LLC	28,104	-	-		28,104	
Net income attributable to Medley LLC	\$ 378	\$ 30,915	\$ (30,915	) 5	\$ 378	

# (Prior to September 29, 2014, Medley LLC and Medley GP Holdings LLC)

# **Notes to Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements (unaudited)**

	As of December 31, 2014 Consolidated				
	Standalone	e Funds	Elimination	s Consolidated	
	(Amounts	in thousands)			
Assets					
Cash and cash equivalents	\$87,206	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 87,206	
Investments, at fair value	22,143	-	(12,242	) 9,901	
Management fees receivable	15,173	-	-	15,173	
Performance fees receivable	5,573	-	-	5,573	
Other assets	9,230	-	-	9,230	
Assets of Consolidated Funds:					
Cash and cash equivalents	_	38,111	_	38,111	
Investments, at fair value	_	734,870	_	734,870	
Interest and dividends receivable	_	6,654	_	6,654	
Other assets	_	5,057	(1,376	) 3,681	
Total assets	\$139,325	\$ 784,692	\$ (13,618	) \$ 910,399	
Liabilities and equity					
Loans payable	\$103,057	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 103,057	
	28,959	φ-	(1,376		
Accounts payable, accrued expenses and other liabilities	11,807	-	(1,370	) 27,583 11,807	
Performance fee compensation payable	11,807	-	-	11,607	
Liabilities of Consolidated Funds:					
Accounts payable, accrued expenses and other liabilities	-	5,767	-	5,767	
Secured borrowings	-	141,135	-	141,135	
Total liabilities	143,823	146,902	(1,376	) 289,349	
Equity					
Class A Common Stock	60	_	_	60	
Class B Common Stock	_	_	_	-	
Capital deficit	(2,384)	-	_	(2,384)	
Retained earnings	272	_	_	272	
Total stockholders' equity (deficit), Medley Management Inc		-	_	(2,052)	
Non-controlling interests in Consolidated Funds	-	_	625,548	625,548	
Non-controlling interests in consolidated subsidiaries	1,526	_	-	1,526	
Non-controlling interests in Medley LLC	(3,972)	-	_	(3,972)	
Members' equity of consolidated funds	- · · · · · · · · · · ·	637,790	(637,790	) -	
Total (deficit) equity	(4,498)		(12,242	) 621,050	
Total liabilities and equity	\$139,325	\$ 784,692	\$ (13,618	) \$ 910,399	

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**Notes to Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements (unaudited)** 

## 17. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

On November 12, 2015, the Company's Board of Directors declared a dividend of \$0.20 per share of Class A common stock for the third quarter of 2015. The dividend is payable on December 4, 2015 to stockholders of record as of November 25, 2015.

### Item 2. Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations

The following discussion and analysis should be read in conjunction with our unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements and related notes included elsewhere in this Form 10-Q and our annual financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2014 included in our Annual Report on Form 10-K.

#### Overview

We are an asset management firm offering yield solutions to retail and institutional investors. We focus on credit-related investment strategies, primarily originating senior secured loans to private middle market companies in the United States that have revenues between \$50 million and \$1 billion. We generally hold these loans to maturity. Our national direct origination franchise, with over 80 people, provides capital to the middle market in the U.S. As of September 30, 2015, we have in excess of \$4.0 billion of AUM in two business development companies, MCC and SIC, as well as private investment vehicles. Over the past 13 years, we have invested in excess of \$5.9 billion to help over 300 companies grow across 35 industries in North America.

We manage two permanent capital vehicles, both of which are BDCs, as well as long-dated private funds and SMAs. Our focus on senior secured credit, combined with the permanent and long-dated nature of our vehicles, leads to predictable management fee and incentive fee income. Our year to date AUM growth as of September 30, 2015 was 9% and our compounded annual growth rate of AUM from December 31, 2010 through September 30, 2015 was 34%, which have been driven in large part by the growth in our permanent capital vehicles.

• Permanent capital vehicles: MCC and SIC, have a total AUM of \$2.6 billion as of September 30, 2015. Long-dated private funds and SMAs: MOF II, MOF III and SMAs, have a total AUM of \$1.4 billion as of September 30, 2015.

Since the launch of our first permanent capital vehicle in January 2011, permanent capital has grown to represent 64% of our AUM as of September 30, 2015. We expect that AUM growth in MCC and SIC and the launch of new permanent capital vehicles will continue to increase the proportion of our AUM derived from permanent capital vehicles over time.

For the three and nine months ended September 30, 2015, 65% and 89% of our standalone revenues were generated from management fees and performance fees derived primarily from net interest income on senior secured loans.

Direct origination, careful structuring and active monitoring of the loan portfolios we manage are important success factors in our business, which can be adversely affected by difficult market and political conditions, such as the turmoil in the global capital markets from 2007 to 2009. Since our inception in 2006, we have adhered to a disciplined investment process that employs these principles with the goal of delivering strong risk-adjusted investment returns while protecting investor capital. We believe that our ability to directly originate, structure and lead deals enables us to consistently lend at higher yields with better terms. In addition, the loans we manage generally have a contractual maturity of between three and seven years and are typically floating rate, which we believe positions our business well for rising interest rates.

Our senior management team has, on average, over 20 years of experience in credit, including originating, underwriting, principal investing and loan structuring. We have made significant investments in our corporate infrastructure and have over 75 employees, including over 44 investment, origination and credit management professionals, and over 36 operations, accounting, legal, compliance and marketing professionals, each with extensive experience in their respective disciplines.

We believe that our revenue is consistent and predictable due to our investment strategy and nature of our fees. The significant majority of our standalone revenue is derived from management fees, which include base management fees earned on all of our investment products as well as Part I incentive fees earned from our permanent capital vehicles. Our base management fees are generally calculated based upon fee earning assets and paid quarterly in cash. Our Part I incentive fees from our permanent capital vehicles are generally equal to 20% of net investment income, subject to a hurdle rate, and are also paid quarterly in cash.

We also earn performance fees from our long-dated private funds and SMAs. Typically, these performance fees are 15% or 20% of the total return above a hurdle rate. These performance fees are accrued quarterly and paid after return of all invested capital and an amount sufficient to achieve the hurdle rate of return.

We also receive incentive fees related to realized capital gains in our permanent capital vehicles that we refer to as Part II incentive fees. Part II incentive fees are payable annually and are calculated at the end of each applicable year by subtracting (i) the sum of cumulative realized capital losses and unrealized capital depreciation from (ii) cumulative aggregate realized capital gains. If the amount calculated is positive, then the Part II incentive fee for such year is equal to 20% of such amount, less the aggregate amount of Part II incentive fees paid in all prior years. If such amount is negative, then no Part II incentive fee will be payable for such year. As our investment strategy is focused on generating yield from senior secured credit, historically we have not generated Part II incentive fees.

Our primary expenses are compensation to our employees and general, administrative and other expenses. Compensation includes salaries, discretionary bonuses and benefits paid and payable to our employees as well as the performance fee compensation that is directly related to performance fees, generally consisting of incentive allocations in our long-dated private funds that we grant to certain of our professionals. General and administrative expenses include costs primarily related to professional services, office rent and equipment expenses, expense support agreement expenses related to SIC, depreciation and amortization, travel and related expenses, information technology, communication and information services, placement fees and third-party marketing expenses and other general operating items.

# **Reorganization and Initial Public Offering**

Medley Management Inc. was incorporated on June 13, 2014 and commenced operations on September 29, 2014 upon the completion of its IPO of its Class A common stock. We raised \$100.4 million, net of underwriting discounts, through the issuance of 6,000,000 shares of Class A common stock at a public offering price of \$18.00 per share. The offering proceeds were used to purchase 6,000,000 newly issued LLC Units from Medley LLC. Prior to the IPO, Medley Management Inc. had not engaged in any business or other activities except in connection with its formation and IPO.

In connection with the IPO, Medley Management Inc. issued 100 shares of Class B common stock to Medley Group LLC ("Medley Group"), an entity wholly owned by the pre-IPO members of Medley LLC. For so long as the pre-IPO members and then-current Medley personnel hold at least 10% of the aggregate number of shares of Class A common stock and LLC Units (excluding those LLC Units held by Medley Management Inc.) then outstanding, the Class B common stock entitles Medley Group to a number of votes that is equal to 10 times the aggregate number of LLC Units held by all non-managing members of Medley LLC that do not themselves hold shares of Class B common stock and entitle each other holder of Class B common stock, without regard to the number of shares of Class B common stock held by such other holder, to a number of votes that is equal to 10 times the number of membership units held by such holder.

In connection with the IPO, Medley LLC amended and restated its limited liability agreement to modify its capital structure by reclassifying the 23,333,333 interests held by the pre-IPO members into a single new class of units. The

pre-IPO members also entered into an exchange agreement under which they (or certain permitted transferees thereof) have the right, subject to the terms of the exchange agreement, to exchange their LLC Units for shares of Medley Management Inc.'s Class A common stock on a one-for-one basis, subject to customary conversion rate adjustments for stock splits, stock dividends and reclassifications. In addition, pursuant to the amended and restated limited liability agreement, Medley Management Inc. became the sole managing member of Medley LLC.

### **Trends Affecting Our Business**

We believe that our disciplined investment philosophy contributes to the stability of our firm's performance. As of September 30, 2015, approximately 64% of our AUM was in permanent capital vehicles, which have unlimited duration, attractive total returns and strong growth. Our results of operations, including the fair value of our AUM, are affected by a variety of factors, including conditions in the global financial markets as well as economic and political environments, particularly in the United States.

In general, the full year of 2014 and the first half of 2015 were characterized by economic recovery and continued investor demand for yield products given historically low interest rates, which drove corporate credit issuance to record levels in the United States. Private debt markets did not experience the same level of credit spread tightening seen in the broader markets, which allowed us to continue to deliver strong total returns to investors and grow AUM.

In the third quarter of 2015, equity indices all experienced declines, commodity index prices fell and public and private debt spreads widened. These factors drove significant market volatility, which led to a reversal in performance fees.

In addition to these macroeconomic trends and market factors, our future performance is dependent on our ability to attract new capital. We believe the following factors will influence our future performance:

The extent to which investors favor directly originated private credit investments. Our ability to attract additional capital is dependent on investors' views of directly originated private credit investments relative to traditional assets. We believe fundraising efforts will continue to be impacted by certain fundamental asset management trends that include: (i) the increasing importance of directly originated private credit investment strategies for institutional investors; (ii) increasing demand for directly originated private credit investments from retail investors; (iii) recognition by the consultant channel, which serves endowment and pension fund investors, that directly originated private credit is an important component of asset allocation; (iv) increasing demand from insurance companies seeking alternatives to investing in the liquid credit markets; and (v) de-leveraging of the global banking system, bank consolidation and increased bank regulatory requirements.

Our ability to generate strong, stable returns and retain investor capital throughout market cycles. The capital we are able to attract and retain drives the growth of our AUM, fee earning AUM and management fees. We believe we are well positioned to invest through market cycles given our AUM is in either permanent capital vehicles or long-dated private funds and SMAs.

Our ability to source investments with attractive risk-adjusted returns. Our ability to grow our revenue is dependent on our continued ability to source attractive investments and deploy the capital that we have raised. We believe that the current economic environment provides attractive investment opportunities. Our ability to identify attractive investments and execute on those investments is dependent on a number of factors, including the general macroeconomic environment, valuation, size and the liquidity of these investment opportunities. A significant decrease in the quality or quantity of investment opportunities in the directly originated private credit market, a substantial increase in corporate default rates, an increase in competition from new entrants providing capital to the private debt market and a decrease in recovery rates of directly originated private credit could adversely affect our ability to source investments with attractive risk-adjusted returns.

The attractiveness of our product offering to investors. We believe defined contribution plans, retail investors, public institutional investors, pension funds, endowments, sovereign wealth funds and insurance companies are increasing exposure to directly originated private credit investment products to seek differentiated returns and current yield. Our permanent capital vehicles benefit from this demand by offering institutional and retail investors the ability to invest in our private credit investment strategy. We believe that the breadth, diversity and number of investment vehicles we offer allow us to maximize our reach with investors.

The strength of our investment process, operating platform and client servicing capabilities. Following the most recent financial crisis, investors in alternative investments, including those managed by us, have heightened their focus on matters such as manager due diligence, reporting transparency and compliance infrastructure. Since inception, we have invested heavily in our investment monitoring systems, compliance and enterprise risk management systems to proactively address investor expectations and the evolving regulatory landscape. We believe these investments in operating infrastructure will continue to support our growth in AUM.

# **Consolidated Variable Interest Entities**

As the sole managing member of Medley LLC, Medley Management Inc. operates and controls all of the business and affairs of Medley LLC and, through Medley LLC and its subsidiaries, conducts our business. Under U.S. GAAP, Medley LLC meets the definition of a variable interest entity because the equity of Medley LLC is not sufficient to permit activities without additional subordinated financial support. Medley Management Inc. is the primary beneficiary of Medley LLC as a result of its 100% voting power and control over Medley LLC and as a result of its obligation to absorb losses and its right to receive benefits of Medley LLC that could potentially be significant to Medley LLC. Medley Management Inc. consolidates Medley LLC on its consolidated financial statements and records a non-controlling interest related to the LLC Units held by our pre-IPO owners on its consolidated balance sheets and statements of operations.

Medley LLC has one majority owned subsidiary, SIC Advisors LLC, that is a consolidated VIE. This entity was organized as a limited liability company and was legally formed to manage a designated fund and to isolate business risk. Except to the extent of the assets of this VIE that are consolidated, the holders of the consolidated VIE's liabilities generally do not have recourse to us.

# **Consolidation and Deconsolidation of Medley Funds**

We consolidate certain funds in our consolidated financial statements presented elsewhere in this Form 10-Q. These funds represented approximately 20% of our fee earning AUM as of September 30, 2015. For the three and nine months ended September 30, 2015, management fees from these funds represented 14% and 15%, respectively, on a standalone basis. For the three and nine months ended September 30, 2015, performance fees for these funds represented \$(12.6) million and \$(11.5) million, respectively, of total standalone performance fees of \$(14.6) million and \$(10.6) million, respectively.

Under GAAP, we are required to consolidate (i) entities in which we hold a majority voting interest or have majority ownership and control over the operational, financial and investing decisions of that entity, including affiliates and affiliated funds for which we are the general partner and are presumed to have control, and (ii) entities that we concluded are Variable Interest Entities ("VIEs"), for which we are deemed to be the primary beneficiary. However, we are not required under GAAP to consolidate in our consolidated financial statements certain investment funds that we advise because such funds provide the limited partners with the right to dissolve the fund without cause by a simple majority vote of the non-affiliated limited partners, which overcomes the presumption of control by us.

The assets and liabilities of our Consolidated Funds are held within separate legal entities and, as a result, the liabilities of our Consolidated Funds are non-recourse to us. Generally, the consolidation of our Consolidated Funds has a significant gross-up effect on our assets, liabilities and cash flows but has no net effect on the net income attributable to our consolidated results or on our total controlling equity. The majority of the net economic ownership interests of our Consolidated Funds are reflected as non-controlling interests in Consolidated Funds on our condensed consolidated financial statements.

We had consolidated MOF I LP in our consolidated financial statements under the voting interest model in accordance with ASC 810-20, as we were the general partner and the limited partners lacked substantive kick out or participating rights. Effective January 1, 2015, we completed our role as investment manager of MOF I LP and transitioned the management of the residual assets of this fund to another asset manager. As a result of this transition, we deconsolidated the financial statements of this fund, on January 1, 2015.

# **Components of Our Results of Operations**

*Management Fees.* Management fees include both base management fees as well as Part I incentive fees. In our consolidated results, our base management fees attributable to our Consolidated Funds are eliminated in our consolidated results of operations.

Base Management Fees. Base management fees are generally based on a defined percentage of (i) average or total gross assets, including assets acquired with leverage, (ii) total commitments, (iii) net invested capital, (iv) NAV or (v) ·lower of cost or market value of a fund's portfolio investments. These fees are calculated quarterly and are paid in cash in advance or in arrears depending on each specific fund. Base management fees are recognized as revenue in the period advisory services are rendered, subject to our assessment of collectability.

In addition, we also receive non-asset based management fees that may include special fees such as origination fees, transaction fees and similar fees paid to us in connection with portfolio investments of our funds. These fees are specific to particular transactions and the contractual terms of the portfolio investments, and are recognized when earned.

Part I Incentive Fees. We also include Part I incentive fees that we receive from our permanent capital vehicles in Management Fees due to their predictable and consistent nature. Part I incentive fees are paid quarterly, in cash, and are driven primarily by net interest income on senior secured loans. These fees are not subject to clawbacks or netting against realized losses, which would benefit us during a time of asset price distress, as we would continue to earn fees so long as the loans we invest in are paying current interest. Given we are primarily an asset manager of yield-oriented products and our incentive fees are primarily derived from spread income rather than trading or capital gains, we believe Part I incentive fees will continue to be consistent and predictable. In addition, we also carefully manage interest rate risk. We are generally positioned to benefit from a raising rate environment, which should benefit fees paid to us from our vehicles and funds.

MCC Part I incentive fees are equal to 20.0% of net investment income (before MCC Part I incentive fees and MCC Part II incentive fees), subject to a fixed "hurdle rate" of 2.0% per quarter, calculated on the prior quarter net asset value. No fee is earned until MCC's net investment income exceeds the 2.0% hurdle rate. There is a "catch-up" provision that allocates to us all investment income above the hurdle rate but below a 2.5% return on the prior quarter net asset value. Thereafter, we receive 20.0% of MCC's net investment income above a 2.5% return on the prior quarter net asset value. We believe MCC Part I incentive fees are predictable and are recurring in nature. MCC Part I incentive fees are not subject to repayment (or clawback), and are paid quarterly in cash.

SIC Part I incentive fees are equal to 20.0% of its net investment income (before SIC Part I incentive fees and SIC Part II incentive fees), subject to a fixed "hurdle rate" of 1.75% per quarter, calculated on the prior quarter net asset value. No fee is earned until SIC's net investment income exceeds the 1.75% hurdle rate. There is a "catch-up" provision that allocates to us all investment income above the hurdle rate but below a 2.1875% return on the prior quarter net asset value. Thereafter, we receive 20.0% of SIC's net investment income above a 2.1875% return on the prior quarter net assets value. We believe SIC Part I incentive fees are predictable and are recurring in nature. SIC Part I incentive fees are not subject to repayment (or clawback), and are paid quarterly in cash.

*Performance Fees.* Our long-dated private funds and SMAs have industry standard carried interest performance fee structures and are typically 15% or 20% of the total return over a 6.0% or 8.0% annualized preferred return. We record these fees on an accrual basis, to the extent such amounts are contractually due but not paid, and we present this revenue as a separate line item on our consolidated statements of operations. These fees are subject to clawbacks, and netted against unrealized and realized losses.

The timing and amount of performance fees generated by our funds is uncertain. If we were to have a realization event in a particular quarter or year, it may have a significant impact on our results for that particular quarter or year that may not be replicated in subsequent periods. Refer to "Risk Factors – Risks Related to Our Business and Industry" included in our Annual Report on Form 10-K.

We may be liable to certain funds for previously realized performance fees if the fund's investment values decline, which vary from fund to fund, and in all cases each investment fund is considered separately in evaluating performance fees. If upon a liquidation of a fund's investments at the then current fair values, previously recognized and distributed performance fees could be required to be returned. As of September 30, 2015 and December 31, 2014, we had not received any performance fee distributions, except for tax distributions related to our allocation of net income, which included an allocation of performance fees. Pursuant to the organizational documents of each respective fund, tax distributions are not subject to clawback. If the funds were liquidated at their fair values at September 30, 2015 and December 31, 2014, there would have been no clawback obligation or liability. Additionally, if we assumed that all existing investments were valued at \$0 at September 30, 2015, there would have been no clawback obligation or liability.

For any given period, performance fee revenue on our consolidated statements of operations may include reversals of previously recognized performance fees due to a decrease in the value of a particular fund that results in a decrease of cumulative performance fees earned to date. Since fund return hurdles are cumulative, previously recognized fees also may be reversed in a period of appreciation that is lower than the particular fund's hurdle rate. For the three and nine months ended September 30, 2015, the Company reversed \$14.7 million and \$18.7 million of previously recognized performance fees on a standalone basis, respectively. For each of the three and nine months ended September 30, 2015, the Company reversed \$2.0 million of previously recognized performance fees on a consolidated basis. For the three and nine months ended September 30, 2014, the Company reversed \$0.3 million of previously recognized performance fees on both a standalone and consolidated basis. Cumulative performance fees recognized through September 30, 2015 were \$9.7 million and \$6.5 million on a standalone and consolidated basis, respectively.

Part II Incentive Fees. For our permanent capital vehicles, Part II incentive fees generally represent 20.0% of each fund's cumulative realized capital gains (net of realized capital losses and unrealized capital depreciation). We have not received these fees historically, and do not expect such fees to be material in the future given our focus on senior secured lending.

Other Revenues and Fees. We provide administrative services to certain of our affiliated funds that are reported as other revenues and fees. Such fees are recognized as revenue in the period that administrative services are rendered. These fees are generally based on expense reimbursements for the portion of overhead and other expenses incurred by certain professionals directly attributable to each respective fund. These fees are reported within total revenues in our unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements included in this Form 10-Q.

In certain cases, the entities that receive management and incentive fees from our funds are owned by Medley LLC together with other persons. See Part I., Item 1., of our Annual Report on Form 10-K. See "Critical Accounting Policies" and Note 2, "Summary of Significant Accounting Policies," to our unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements included in this Form 10-Q for additional information regarding the manner in which management fees, performance fees and other fees are generated.

# **Expenses**

Compensation and Benefits. Compensation and benefits generally includes salaries, discretionary bonuses and benefits paid and payable to our employees. Compensation also includes stock-based compensation associated with the grants of equity-based awards to our employees. Compensation expenses relating to restricted stock units are measured at fair value as of the grant date, taking into consideration expected forfeitures, and are expensed over the vesting period on a straight line basis. Bonuses are accrued over the service period to which they relate.

Prior to the Reorganization and IPO on September 29, 2014, all payments made to our senior professionals who are members of Medley LLC, including guaranteed payments, were reflected as distributions from members' capital. Subsequent to the reorganization and IPO, all guaranteed payments made to our senior professionals who are members of Medley LLC are recognized as compensation expense.

Performance Fee Compensation. Performance fee compensation includes compensation directly related to performance fees, which generally consists of profit interests that we grant to our employees. Depending on the nature of each fund, the performance fee participation is generally structured as a fixed percentage or as an annual award. The liability is recorded subject to the vesting of the profits interest granted and is calculated based upon the net present value of the projected performance fees. Payments to profit interest holders are payable when the performance fees are paid to Medley LLC by the respective fund. It is possible that we may record performance fee compensation during a period in which we do not record any performance fee revenue or we have a reversal of previously recognized performance fee revenue. We have an obligation to pay our employees a portion of the performance fees earned from certain funds, including revenue from Consolidated Funds that is eliminated in consolidation.

Consolidated Funds Expenses. Consolidated Funds expenses consist primarily of costs incurred by our Consolidated Funds, including professional fees, research expenses, trustee fees and other costs associated with administering these funds. These expenses are generally attributable to the related funds' limited partners and are allocated to non-controlling interests. As such, these expenses have no material impact on the net income attributable to Medley and its consolidated subsidiaries.

General, Administrative and Other Expenses. General and administrative expenses include costs primarily related to professional services, office rent and equipment expenses, depreciation and amortization, general insurance, recruiting, travel and related expenses, information technology, communication and information services, placement fees, SIC expenses under an investment advisory and expense support and reimbursement agreements and other general operating items. These expenses are not borne by fund investors and are not offset by credits attributable to fund investors' non-controlling interests in Consolidated Funds. Depreciation of fixed assets is normally calculated using the straight-line method over their estimated useful lives, ranging from three to seven years, taking into consideration any residual value. Leasehold improvements are amortized over the shorter of the useful life of the asset or the expected term of the lease.

# Other Income/Expense

*Dividend Income*. Dividend income consists of dividends associated with our equity method investment in SIC. Dividends are recognized on an accrual basis to the extent that such amounts are declared and expected to be collected.

*Interest Expense*. Interest expense consists primarily of interest expense relating to debt incurred by us.

*Other Expenses, Net.* Other expenses, net consists primarily of expenses associated with our revenue share payable and unrealized gains (losses) associated with our equity method investments.

Interest and Other Income of Consolidated Funds. Interest and other income of Consolidated Funds relates to interest and dividend income generated from the underlying investments securities. Interest and other income are recognized on an accrual basis to the extent such amounts are expected to be collected. These sources of revenue are generally attributable to the related funds' limited partners and are allocated to non-controlling interests. As such, these sources of revenue have no direct material impact on the net income attributable to Medley Management Inc. and non-controlling interests in Medley LLC.

Interest Expense of Consolidated Funds. Interest expense of Consolidated Funds relates to interest and dividend income generated from the underlying investments securities attributable to the counterparty to the loan participations. Interest expense on secured borrowings of our Consolidated Funds is recognized on the same basis as the underlying interest and other income. As such, this interest expense has no direct material impact on the net income attributable to Medley Management Inc. and non-controlling interests in Medley LLC.

Net Realized Gain (Loss) on Investments of Consolidated Funds. Net realized gain (loss) on investments of Consolidated Funds consists of realized gains and losses arising from dispositions of investments held by our Consolidated Funds. Substantially all of the net investment gains (losses) of our Consolidated Funds are generally attributable to the related funds' limited partners and allocated to non-controlling interests.

Net Change in Unrealized Appreciation (Depreciation) on Investments of Consolidated Funds. Net change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation) on investments of Consolidated Funds reflects both unrealized gains and losses on investments from periodic changes in fair value of investments held by our Consolidated Funds and the reversal upon disposition of investments of unrealized gains and losses previously recognized for those investments. The net change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation) on investments of Consolidated Funds is generally attributable to the related funds' limited partners and allocated to non-controlling interests.

Net Change in Unrealized Depreciation (Appreciation) on Secured Borrowings of Consolidated Funds. Net change in unrealized depreciation (appreciation) on secured borrowings of Consolidated Funds reflects both unrealized gains and losses from periodic changes in the fair value of these secured borrowings attributable to loan participations of our Consolidated Funds and the reversal upon repayments of these secured borrowings of unrealized gains and losses previously recognized for these secured borrowings. The net change in unrealized depreciation (appreciation) on secured borrowings of Consolidated Funds is attributable to the counterparty to the loan participations. As such, these unrealized gains and losses have no material impact on the net income attributable to Medley Management Inc. and non-controlling interests in Medley LLC.

Provision for Income Taxes. Prior to our Reorganization and IPO, our business was organized as a partnership for tax purposes and was not subject to United States federal, state and local corporate income taxes. A provision for income taxes was made for certain entities that were subject to New York City's unincorporated business tax. As a result of the Reorganization and IPO, Medley Management Inc. is subject to United States federal, state and local income tax on its allocable portion of the income of Medley LLC at prevailing corporate tax rates. Our effective income tax rate is dependent on many factors, including the impact of nondeductible items and a rate benefit attributable to the fact that a portion of the Corporation's earnings are not subject to corporate level taxes.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are recognized for the future tax consequences attributable to differences between the financial statements carrying amounts of existing assets and liabilities and their respective tax basis. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are measured using enacted tax rates expected to apply to taxable income in the years in which those temporary differences are expected to be recovered or settled. To the extent it is more likely than not that the deferred tax assets will not be recognized, a valuation allowance is provided to offset their benefit.

We recognize the benefit of an income tax position only if it is more likely than not that the tax position will be sustained upon tax examination, based solely on the technical merits of the tax position. Otherwise, no benefit is recognized. The tax benefits recognized are measured based on the largest benefit that has a greater than 50% percent

likelihood of being realized upon ultimate settlement. Interest expense and penalties related to income tax matters are recognized as a component of the provision for income taxes.

*Net Income Attributable to Non-Controlling Interests in Consolidated Funds.* Net income (loss) attributable to non-controlling interests in Consolidated Funds represents the ownership interests that third parties hold in Consolidated Funds that are consolidated in our financial statements.

*Net Income Attributable to Non-Controlling Interests in Consolidated Subsidiaries.* Net income (loss) attributable to non-controlling interests in consolidated subsidiaries represents the ownership interests that third parties hold in consolidated subsidiaries.

*Net Income Attributable to Non-Controlling Interests in Medley LLC.* Net income (loss) attributable to non-controlling interests in Medley LLC represents the ownership interests that non-managing members' hold in Medley LLC.

Our private funds are closed-end funds, and accordingly do not permit investors to redeem their interests other than in limited circumstances that are beyond our control, such as instances in which retaining the limited partnership interest could cause the limited partner to violate a law, regulation or rule. In addition, separately managed accounts for a single investor may allow such investor to terminate the investment management agreement at the discretion of the investor pursuant to the terms of the applicable documents. We manage assets for MCC and SIC, both of which are business development companies (BDCs). The capital managed by MCC and SIC is permanently committed to these funds and cannot be redeemed by investors. MCC is a publicly traded entity on the New York Stock Exchange. Investors can trade shares in the secondary market through this platform.

# **Managing Business Performance**

#### Standalone Financial Information

Under GAAP, we are required to consolidate entities in which we hold a majority voting interest or have majority ownership and control over the operational, financial and investing decisions of that entity, including affiliated funds, for which we are the general partner and are presumed to have control, and entities that we conclude are VIEs, for which we are deemed the primary beneficiary. See "Critical Accounting Policies — Principles of Consolidation" and Note 2, "Summary of Significant Accounting Policies," to our unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements included in this Form 10-Q. In order to make operating decisions, assess performance and allocate resources, management uses information derived from our consolidated balance sheets and statements of operations that have been adjusted to eliminate the consolidating effects of the Consolidated Funds, on our consolidated balance sheets and statements of operations, which we refer to as "standalone financial information" or information presented on a "standalone basis". Revenues from management fees, performance fees and investment income on a standalone basis are greater than those presented on a consolidated basis in accordance with GAAP because certain revenues recognized from Consolidated Funds are eliminated in consolidation. Furthermore, expenses on a standalone basis are lower than related amounts presented on a consolidated basis in accordance with GAAP due to the exclusion of the expenses of the Consolidated Funds.

Core Net Income. Core Net Income is an income measure that is used by management to assess the performance of our business through the removal of non-core items, as well as non-recurring expenses associated with our IPO. It is calculated by adjusting standalone net income attributable to Medley Management Inc. and non-controlling interests in Medley LLC to exclude reimbursable expenses associated with the launch of funds, certain one-time severance costs to former employees and amortization of stock-based compensation expense associated with grants of restricted stock units at the time of our IPO.

Core Earnings Before Interest, Income Taxes, Depreciation and Amortization (Core EBITDA). Core EBITDA is an income measure also used by management to assess the performance of our business. Core EBITDA is calculated as Core Net Income before interest expense, income taxes, depreciation and amortization.

*Pro-Forma Weighted Average Shares Outstanding*. The calculation of Pro-Forma Weighted Average Shares Outstanding assumes the conversion by the pre-IPO holders of 23,333,333 LLC Units for 23,333,333 shares of Class A common stock at the beginning of each period presented and, at the beginning of each period in 2014, the issuance of 6,000,000 shares of Class A common stock in connection with our IPO and the grant of 1,151,389 restricted stock units on the date of our IPO, adjusted for actual forfeitures and additional grants during the period.

Core Net Income Per Share. Core Net Income Per Share is Core Net Income adjusted for corporate income taxes assuming that all of our standalone pre-tax earnings are subject to federal, state and local corporate income taxes. In determining corporate income taxes we used an annual effective corporate tax rate of 43.0%. Please refer to the calculation of Core Net Income Per Share in "Reconciliation of Certain Standalone Performance Measures to Consolidated GAAP Financial Measures."

Core Net Income Margin. Core Net Income Margin equals Core Net Income Per Share divided by total standalone revenue per share.

These standalone financial measures supplement and should be considered in addition to and not in lieu of the results of operations discussed further under "Overview of Consolidated Results of Operations," which are prepared in accordance with U.S. GAAP. For a reconciliation of these measures to the most comparable measure in accordance with GAAP, see Note 15, "Segment Reporting," of our unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements included in this Form 10-Q.

# **Key Performance Indicators**

When we review our performance we focus on the indicators described below:

	For the Three M September 30, (unaudited)	Months Ended	For the Nine September 30 (unaudited)	Months Ended ),
	2015	2014	2015	2014
	(Amounts in th	ousands, excep	t AUM, share and	l per share data)
Consolidated Financial Data:				
Net income attributable to Medley Management Inc. and non-controlling interests in Medley LLC	\$1,057	\$12,513	\$18,161	\$28,482
Standalone Data:				
Core Net Income (1)	701	12,713	22,877	29,858
Core EBITDA	2,790	15,416	32,110	34,594
Core Net Income Per Share	\$0.01	\$0.25	\$0.48	\$0.58
Core Net Income Margin	5.7	6 31.8	% 28.2	% 26.6 %
Pro-Forma Weighted Average Shares Outstanding	30,455,796	30,484,637	30,456,326	30,484,693
Other Data (at period end, in millions):				
AUM	\$4,002	\$3,635	\$4,002	\$3,635
Fee Earning AUM	3,401	3,036	3,401	3,036

With respect to the three and nine months ended September 30, 2014, Core Net Income includes a pro-forma (1) adjustment to reflect guaranteed payments to Medley LLC members as compensation expense. Prior to the Company's Reorganization and IPO these payments were recorded as distributions from members' capital.

# **AUM**

AUM refers to the assets of our funds. We view AUM as a metric to measure our investment and fundraising performance as it reflects assets generally at fair value plus available uncalled capital. For our funds, our AUM equals the sum of the following:

Gross asset values or NAV of such funds;

the drawn and undrawn debt (at the fund-level, including amounts subject to restrictions); and

·uncalled committed capital (including commitments to funds that have yet to commence their investment periods).

The table below provides the roll forward of AUM for the three months ended September 30, 2015.

	Permanedte Capital Pr Vehicles ar (Dollars in	rivate Funds nd SMAs	Total		ng-dated rivate Fund	s
Beginning balance, June 30, 2015		1,443	\$4,017	64 %	36	%
Commitments (1)	65	-	65	, .		
Capital reduction (2)	(12)	-	(12)			
Distributions (3)	(32)	(2	) (34 )			
Change in fund value (4)	(33)	(1	) (34 )			
Ending balance, September 30, 2015	\$2,562 \$	1,440	\$4,002	64 %	36	%

With respect to permanent capital vehicles, represents increases during the period through equity and debt offerings, as well as any increases in available undrawn borrowings or capital commitments. With respect to long-dated private funds and SMAs, represents new commitments or gross inflows, respectively, as well as any increases in available undrawn borrowings.

- Represents the permanent reduction in equity or leverage during the period.
- (4) Includes fund net income, including interest income, realized and unrealized gains (losses), fees and expenses.

AUM decreased by \$15.0 million to \$4.0 billion as of September 30, 2015 compared to AUM as of June 30, 2015.

Our permanent capital vehicles decreased AUM by \$12.7 million, primarily associated with a decrease in fund value as a result of investment valuations. The decrease was partly offset by new equity issuances at SIC during the period. Our long-dated private funds and SMAs remained comparable at \$1.4 billion.

The table below provides the year-to-date roll forward of AUM.

			% of AUI	M	
	PermanerItong-dated		Perman&n	tng-dated	
	Capital Private Funds		Capital Pr	rivate Fund	ds
	Vehicles and SMAs	Total	Vehiclear	nd SMAs	
	(Dollars in millions)				
Beginning balance, December 31, 2014	\$2,253 \$ 1,429	\$3,682	61 %	39	%

Commitments (1)	409	25	434		
Capital reduction (2)	(22)	(17	) (39 )		
Distributions (3)	(104)	(21	) (125 )		
Change in fund value (4)	26	24	50		
Ending balance, September 30, 2015	\$2.562 \$	1.440	\$4.002 64 %	36	%

With respect to permanent capital vehicles, represents increases during the period through equity and debt offerings, as well as any increases in available undrawn borrowings or capital commitments. With respect to long-dated private funds and SMAs, represents new commitments or gross inflows, respectively, as well as any increases in available undrawn borrowings.

- (2) Represents the permanent reduction in equity or leverage during the period.
  - (3) Represents distributions of income and return of capital.
- (4) Includes fund net income, including interest income, realized and unrealized gains (losses), fees and expenses.

AUM increased by \$ 320.3 million, or 9%, to \$4.0 billion as of September 30, 2015 compared to AUM as of December 31, 2014.

Our permanent capital vehicles increased AUM by \$308.3 million, or 14%, primarily associated with new equity issuances and increased leverage capacity at SIC during the period. Our long-dated private funds and SMAs increased AUM by \$12.0 million, or 1%, primarily associated with new capital commitments from MOF III, partly offset by the deconsolidation of MOF I.

# **Fee Earning AUM**

Fee earning AUM refers to the AUM on which we directly earn base management fees. We view fee earning AUM as a metric to measure changes in the assets from which we earn management fees. Our fee earning AUM is the sum of all the individual fee earning assets of our funds that contribute directly to our management fees and generally equals the sum of:

for our permanent capital vehicles, the average or total gross asset value, including assets acquired with the proceeds of leverage (see "Fee earning AUM based on gross asset value" in the "Components of fee earning AUM" table below for the amount of this component of fee earning AUM as of each period);

for certain funds within the investment period in the long-dated private funds, the amount of limited partner capital commitments (see "Fee earning AUM based on capital commitments" in the "Components of fee earning AUM" table below for the amount of this component of fee earning AUM as of each period); and

for the aforementioned funds beyond the investment period, certain managed accounts within their investment period, the amount of limited partner invested capital or the NAV of the fund (see "Fee earning AUM based on invested capital or NAV" in the "Components of fee earning AUM" table below for the amount of this component of fee earning AUM as of each period).

Our calculations of fee earning AUM and AUM may differ from the calculations of other asset managers and, as a result, this measure may not be comparable to similar measures presented by others. In addition, our calculations of fee earning AUM and AUM may not be based on any definition of fee earning AUM or AUM that is set forth in the agreements governing the investment funds that we advise.

# **Components of Fee Earning AUM**

	As of	As	s of
	September 30,		ecember 31
	2015	20	14
	(Amounts in	n m	illions)
Fee earning AUM based on gross asset value	\$ 2,306	\$	2,047
Fee earning AUM based on capital commitments	113		88
Fee earning AUM based on invested capital or NAV	982		923
Total fee earning AUM	\$ 3,401	\$	3,058

As of September 30, 2015, fee earning AUM based on gross asset value increased by \$258.5 million, or 13%, compared to December 31, 2014. The increase in fee earning AUM based on gross asset value was due primarily to an increase in AUM of SIC that resulted from additional equity raised during the period and additional leverage commitments or capacity raised or utilized during the period.

As of September 30, 2015, fee earning AUM based on capital commitments increased by \$25.0 million or 29%, compared to December 31, 2014. The increase in fee earning AUM based on capital commitments was due to the increase in AUM of MOF III that resulted from new capital commitments.

As of September 30, 2015, fee earning AUM based on invested capital or NAV increased by \$58.1 million, or 6%, compared to December 31, 2014. The increase in fee earning AUM based on invested capital or NAV was due primarily to a net increase in invested capital in SMAs, partly offset by the deconsolidation of MOF I.

The table below presents the roll forward of Fee Earning AUM for the three months ended September 30, 2015.

	Permanedt Capital Pr Vehicles ar (Dollars in	rivate Funds	Total	Capital P	M ntng-dated rivate Funds nd SMAs	;
Beginning balance, June 30, 2015 Commitments <sup>(1)</sup>	`	1,109 21	\$3,350 164	67 %	33	%
Capital reduction (2)	(12)	-	(12)	)		
Distributions (3)	(32)	(18	) (50 )	)		
Change in fund value (4)	(34)	(17	) (51 )	)		

Ending balance, September 30, 2015 \$2,306 \$ 1,095 \$3,401 68 % 32 %

With respect to permanent capital vehicles, represents increases during the period through equity and debt offerings, (1) as well as any increases in capital commitments. With respect to long-dated private funds and SMAs, represents new commitments or gross inflows, respectively.

- (2) Represents the permanent reduction in equity or leverage during the period.
  - (3) Represents distributions of income and return of capital.
- (4) Includes fund net income, including interest income, realized and unrealized gains (losses), fees and expenses.

Total fee earning AUM increased by \$50.8 million, or 2%, to \$3.4 billion as of September 30, 2015 compared to total fee earning AUM as of June 30, 2015 and was due primarily to increased commitments from permanent capital vehicles, partly offset by a decrease in fund value as a result of investment valuations.

The table below presents the year-to-date roll forward of Fee Earning AUM.

	PermanerIto	ong-dated		% of AUN Perman <b>e</b> n		
	Capital Pr	rivate Funds	S	Capital Pr	ivate Fund	S
	Vehicles ar	nd SMAs	Total	Vehiclean	nd SMAs	
	(Dollars in	millions)				
Beginning balance, December 31, 2014	\$2,047 \$	1,011	\$3,058	67 %	33	%
Commitments (1)	360	209	569			
Capital reduction (2)	(22)	(17	) (39 )			
Distributions (3)	(104)	(86	) (190)			
Change in fund value (4)	25	(22	) 3			
Ending balance, September 30, 2015	\$2,306 \$	1,095	\$3,401	68 %	32	%

With respect to permanent capital vehicles, represents increases during the period through equity and debt offerings, (1) as well as any increases in capital commitments. With respect to long-dated private funds and SMAs, represents new commitments or gross inflows, respectively.

- (2) Represents the permanent reduction in equity or leverage during the period.
  - (3) Represents distributions of income and return of capital.

Total fee earning AUM increased by \$ 341.6 million, or 11%, to \$3.4 billion as of September 30, 2015 compared to total fee earning AUM as of December 31, 2014 and was due primarily to increased commitments from SIC and a net increase in invested capital in SMAs.

<sup>(4)</sup> Includes fund net income, including interest income, realized and unrealized gains (losses), fees and expenses.

### Returns

The following section sets forth historical performance for our active funds.

#### Sierra Income Corporation (SIC)

We launched SIC, our first public non-traded permanent capital vehicle, in April 2012. SIC primarily focuses on direct lending to middle market borrowers in the United States. Since inception, we have provided capital for a total of 193 investments and have invested a total of \$1.2 billion. As of September 30, 2015, the fee earning AUM was \$1.0 billion. The performance for SIC as of September 30, 2015 is summarized below:

Annualized Net Total Return<sup>(1)</sup>:

Annualized Realized Losses on Invested Capital:

Average Recovery:

6.9 %
0.2 %
86.5%

#### Medley Capital Corporation (MCC)

We launched MCC, our first permanent capital vehicle in January 2011. MCC primarily focuses on direct lending to private middle market borrowers in the United States. Since inception, we have provided capital for a total of 149 investments and have invested a total of \$1.8 billion. As of September 30, 2015, excluding Medley SBIC LP, the fee earning AUM was \$1.0 billion. The performance for MCC as of September 30, 2015 is summarized below:

Annualized Net Total Return $^{(2)}$ : 8.3 % Annualized Realized Losses on Invested Capital: 0.8 % Average Recovery $^{(3)}$ : NM

# Medley SBIC LP (Medley SBIC)

We launched Medley SBIC in March 2013 as a wholly owned subsidiary of MCC. Medley SBIC lends to smaller middle market private borrowers that we otherwise would not target in our other funds, due primarily to size. Since inception, we have provided capital for a total of 24 investments and have invested a total of \$279 million. As of September 30, 2015, the fee earning AUM was \$234 million. The performance for Medley SBIC fund as of

September 30, 2015 is summarized below:

Gross Internal Rate of Return<sup>(4)</sup>: 15.9% Net Internal Rate of Return<sup>(5)</sup>: 15.2% Annualized Realized Losses on Invested Capital: 0.0 % Average Recovery: N/A

# Medley Opportunity Fund II LP (MOF II)

MOF II is a long-dated private investment fund that we launched in December 2010. MOF II lends to middle market private borrowers, with a focus on providing senior secured loans. Since inception, we have provided capital for a total of 64 investments and have invested a total of \$870 million. As of September 30, 2015, the fee earning AUM was \$559 million. MOF II is currently fully invested and actively managing its assets. The performance for MOF II as of September 30, 2015 is summarized below:

Gross Internal Rate of Return<sup>(4)</sup>: 13.5 % Net Internal Rate of Return<sup>(6)</sup>: 8.0 % Annualized Realized Losses on Invested Capital: 1.1 % Average Recovery: N/A

# Medley Opportunity Fund III LP (MOF III)

MOF III is a long-dated private investment fund that we launched in December 2014. MOF III lends to middle market private borrowers in the U.S., with a focus on providing senior secured loans. As of September 30, 2015, the fee earning AUM was \$113 million, the total number of investments made was 13 and total capital invested was \$94 million. The performance for MOF III as of September 30, 2015 is not meaningful given the fund's limited operations and capital invested to date.

# Separately Managed Accounts (SMAs)

In the case of our separately managed accounts, the investor, rather than us, may control the assets or investment vehicle that holds or has custody of the related investments. Certain subsidiaries of Medley LLC serve as the investment adviser for our SMAs. Since inception, we have provided capital for a total of 69 investments and have invested a total of \$536 million. As of September 30, 2015, the fee earning AUM in our SMAs was \$423 million. The performance for our SMAs as of September 30, 2015 is summarized below:

Gross Internal Rate of Return<sup>(4)</sup>: 11.9%
Net Internal Rate of Return<sup>(7)</sup>: 9.3 %
Annualized Realized Losses on Invested Capital: 0.2 %
Average Recovery<sup>(3)</sup>: NM

Annualized Net Total Return for SIC represents the annualized return assuming an investment at the initial public (1) offering price, reinvestments of all dividends and distributions at prices obtained under SIC's dividend reinvestment plan and selling at the NAV as of the measurement date.

Annual Net Total Return for MCC, including Medley SBIC, represents the annualized return assuming an (2) investment at the initial public offering price, reinvestments of all dividends and distributions at prices obtained under MCC's dividend reinvestment plan and selling at NAV as of the measurement date.

Average Recovery includes only those realized investments in which we experience a loss of principal on a cumulative cash flow basis and is calculated by dividing the total actual cash inflows for each respective investment, including all interest, principal and fee note repayments, dividends and transactions fees, if applicable, by the total actual cash outflows for each respective investment. For MCC and the SMAs, we have presented the Average Recovery as "NM" or "Not Meaningful" because we believe the number of realized losses for each respective vehicle is not sufficient to provide an accurate representation of the expected Average Recovery for each vehicle.

For MOF II, SMAs and Medley SBIC, the Gross Internal Rate of Return represents the cumulative investment performance from inception of each respective fund through September 30, 2015. The Gross Internal Rate of Return includes both realized and unrealized investments and excludes the impact of base management fees, incentive fees and other fund related expenses. For realized investments, the investment returns were calculated based on the actual cash outflows and inflows for each respective investment and include all interest, principal and fee note (4) repayments, dividends and transactions fees, if applicable. For unrealized investments, the investment returns were calculated based on the actual cash outflows and inflows for each respective investment and include all interest, principal and fee note repayments, dividends and transactions fees, if applicable. The investment return assumes that the remaining unrealized portion of the investment is realized at the investment's most recent fair value, as calculated in accordance with GAAP. There can be no assurance that the investments will be realized at these fair values and actual results may differ significantly.

Earnings from Medley SBIC are paid to MCC. The Net Internal Rate of Return for Medley SBIC was calculated based upon i) the actual cash contribution and distributions to/from MCC and Medley SBIC ii) an allocable portion (5) of MCC's management and incentive fees and general fund related expenses and iii) assumes the NAV as of the measurement date is distributed to MCC. As of September 30, 2015, Medley SBIC Net Internal Rate of Return as described above assuming only the inclusion of management fees was 18.6%.

Net Internal Rate of Return for MOF II was calculated using the Gross Internal Rate of Return, as described in note 4, and includes the actual management fees, incentive fees and general fund related expenses.

Net Internal Rate of Return for our SMAs was calculated using the Gross Internal Rate of Return, as described in note 4, and includes the actual management fees, incentive fees and general fund related expenses.

# **Consolidated Results of Operations**

The following table and discussion sets forth information regarding our consolidated results of operations for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014.

The unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements of Medley have been prepared on substantially the same basis for all historical periods presented; however, our Consolidated Funds are not the same entities in all periods shown due to changes in ownership percentages of certain funds. We consolidated funds where through our management contract and other interests we are deemed to have the power, through voting or similar rights, to direct the activities of the legal entity that most significantly impact the entity's economic performance. As further described below, the consolidation of these funds had the impact of increasing interest and other income of Consolidated Funds, interest and other expenses of Consolidated Funds and net investment gains (losses) of Consolidated Funds, but had no net effect on the net income attributable to our unaudited condensed consolidated results for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014.

	For the Three Months Ended September 30, (unaudited)		For the Nin Ended September (unaudited)	onths	ths		
	2015	2014	2015	2	2014		
	(Amounts ir	n thousand	ands, except AUM data)				
Revenues	`		, 1		,		
Management fees	\$15,870	\$17,013	\$ 52,280		\$ 43,466		
Performance fees	(1,948)	965	920		3,337		
Other revenues and fees	1,891	2,787	5,496		7,183		
Total revenues	15,813	20,765	58,696		53,986		
Expenses							
Compensation and benefits	5,914	5,677	19,532		15,010		
Performance fee compensation	(3,660)	(921)		)	2,237		
Consolidated Funds expenses	542	296	1,969	,	1,129		
General, administrative and other expenses	1,626	3,458	10,756		12,821		
Total expenses	4,422	8,510	27,679		31,197		
Other income (expense)							
Dividend income	222	222	665		665		
Interest expense	(2,141)	(2,016)		)	(3,380	)	
Other expenses, net	(865)	(268)	`'	)	(1,586	)	
Interest and other income of Consolidated Funds	21,843	17,880	61,739	,	51,476	,	
Interest expense of Consolidated Funds	(3,804)	(2,524)		)	(5,586	)	
Net realized gain (loss) on investments of Consolidated Funds	(31,965)	(499 )	(31,013	)	789	,	
6 , ,	16,011	(2,369)	13,616	,	(9,540	)	

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Net change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation) on					
investments of Consolidated Funds					
Net change in unrealized depreciation (appreciation) on secured	1,610	1,300	1,112		103
borrowings of Consolidated Funds	1,010	1,300	1,112		103
Total other income, net	911	11,726	27,049		32,941
Income before income taxes	12,302	23,981	58,066		55,730
Provision for (benefit from) income taxes	(77	) 923	2,864		2,174
Net income	12,379	23,058	55,202		53,556
Net income attributable to non-controlling interests in	13,472	9,933	38,175		22,902
Consolidated Funds	13,472	9,933	36,173		22,902
Net income (loss) attributable to non-controlling interests in	(2,150	) 612	(1,134	`	2,172
consolidated subsidiaries	(2,130	) 012	(1,134	,	2,1/2
Net income attributable to non-controlling interests in Medley	785	12,135	15,576		28,104
LLC	763	12,133	13,370		20,104
Net income attributable to Medley Management Inc.	\$272	\$378	\$ 2,585		\$ 378
Other data (at period end, in millions):					
AUM	\$4,002	\$3,635	\$ 4,002		\$ 3,635
Fee earning AUM	\$3,401	\$3,036	\$ 3,401		\$ 3,036

# Three Months Ended September 30, 2015 Compared to Three Months Ended September 30, 2014

#### Revenues

*Management Fees.* Total management fees decreased by \$1.1 million, or 7%, to \$15.9 million for the three months ended September 30, 2015 compared to the three months ended September 30, 2014.

Our permanent capital vehicles generated an additional \$1.5 million in management fees for the three months ended September 30, 2015 compared to the same period in 2014. Management fees from SIC increased \$2.0 million due to a 64% increase in fee earning AUM over that period. Management fees from MCC decreased due to a \$0.7 million decrease in Part I incentive fees, offset by a \$0.2 million increase in base management fees.

Our management fees from long-dated private funds and SMAs decreased by \$2.6 million for the three months ended ·September 30, 2015 compared to the same period in 2014. The decrease was due primarily to a decrease in origination fees.

*Performance Fees.* Performance fees decreased by \$2.9 to \$(1.9) million for the three months ended September 30, 2015 compared to the same period in 2014. The decrease was due primarily to the reversal of performance fees of SMAs for the three months ended September 30, 2015 as a result of a decrease in the asset values within the underlying SMA portfolios.

Other Revenues and Fees. Other revenues and fees decreased by \$0.9 million, or 32%, to \$1.9 million for the three months ended September 30, 2015 compared to the same period in 2014. The decrease was due primarily to a decrease of \$1.5 million of reimbursements from SIC for organizational and offering expense. As of October 31, 2014, we were fully reimbursed by SIC, as such there was no revenue associated with these reimbursements during the three months ended September 30, 2015. The decrease was partially offset by an increase in administrative fees from our permanent capital vehicles.

# **Expenses**

Compensation and Benefits. Compensation and benefits increased by \$0.2 million, or 4% to \$5.9 million for the three months ended September 30, 2015 compared to the same period in 2014. The increase was due primarily to stock compensation incurred with the grant of restricted stock units in connection with our IPO, increases in base salary, and compensation associated with guaranteed payments to Medley LLC members that, prior to the Company's

Reorganization and IPO, were recorded as distributions from members' capital. The increase in base salary was primarily the result of a 15% increase in average headcount for the three months ended September 30, 2015 compared to the same period in 2014. The increase in compensation and benefits was partially offset by a decrease in discretionary bonuses.

*Performance Fee Compensation.* Performance fee compensation decreased by \$2.7 million to \$(3.7) million for the three months ended September 30, 2015 compared to the same period in 2014. The variance in performance fee compensation was due primarily to a decrease in our performance fee compensation payable that resulted from a decrease in the projected future payments.

Consolidated Funds Expenses. Consolidated Funds expenses increased by \$0.2 million, to \$0.5 million for the three months ended September 30, 2015 compared to the same period in 2014. The increase was due primarily to the consolidation of MOF III LP.

General, Administrative and Other Expenses. General, administrative and other expenses decreased by \$1.8 million, or 53%, to \$1.6 million for the three months ended September 30, 2015 compared to the same period in 2014. The decrease was due primarily to a decrease in expense support agreement expenses related to SIC as Medley recorded a net reimbursement for the three months ended September 30, 2015.

#### Other Income (Expense)

When evaluating the changes in other income (expense), we separately analyze the returns generated by our investment portfolio from the investment returns generated by our Consolidated Funds.

Dividend income of \$0.2 million remained consistent during the three months ended September 30, 2015 compared to the same period in 2014.

Interest expense increased by \$0.1 million to \$2.1 million for the three months ended September 30, 2015 compared to the same period in 2014. The increase was a direct result of our \$110.0 million debt refinancing with Credit Suisse AG Cayman Islands Branch. Average debt outstanding during the three months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014 was \$105.8 million and \$75.7 million, respectively.

Other expenses, net increased by \$0.6 million to \$0.9 million for the three months ended September 30, 2015 compared to the same period in 2014. The increase was due primarily to an unrealized loss associated with our shares held in SIC.

#### Investments of Consolidated Funds

Interest and other income of Consolidated Funds, excluding the amount attributable to loan participations, increased by \$2.7 million, or 17%, to \$18.0 million for the three months ended September 30, 2015 compared to the same period in 2014. The increase in interest and other income was due primarily to the addition of MOF III LP.

Net unrealized and realized gain (loss) on investments of Consolidated Funds, excluding the amount attributable to loan participations, increased by \$12.8 million to a \$14.3 million net loss for the three months ended September 30, 2015 compared to a \$1.6 million net loss for the same period in 2014. The increase in net loss on investments was due to a \$31.5 million decrease in net realized gain, offset by an \$18.7 million decrease in net unrealized depreciation.

#### **Provision for Income Taxes**

Our effective consolidated income tax rate was (0.6%) and 3.8% for the three months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014, respectively. The decrease in the effective tax rate was due primarily to the income tax benefit derived from the Company's standalone pre-tax loss for the three months ended September 30, 2015. The Company's standalone results are subject to a higher effective tax rate than the Consolidated Funds as a portion of its income is subject to federal, state and local corporate income taxes for the three months ended September 30, 2015. For the three months ended September 30, 2014, the Company was subject to New York City's unincorporated business tax and was only subject to federal taxes for a two day period on net income attributable to Medley Management Inc.

#### **Non-Controlling Interests**

Net income attributable to non-controlling interests in consolidated funds and subsidiaries increased by \$0.8 million to \$11.3 million for the three months ended September 30, 2015 compared to \$10.5 million for the same period in 2014. The increase was due primarily to non-controlling interests in MOF III, as well as an increase in the allocation of income to the non-controlling interests in MOF II as a result of the reversal of performance fees during the three months ended September 30, 2015.

Nine Months Ended September 30, 2015 Compared to Nine Months Ended September 30, 2014

#### Revenues

*Management Fees.* Total management fees increased by \$8.8 million, or 20%, to \$52.3 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2015 compared to the nine months ended September 30, 2014.

Our permanent capital vehicles generated an additional \$10.8 million in management fees for the nine months ended September 30, 2015 compared to the same period in 2014. Management fees from SIC increased \$9.5 million due to a 64% increase in fee earning AUM over that period and due to an increase in Part I incentive fees. Management fees from MCC increased \$1.3 million due to an 18% increase in average fee earning AUM over that period, partly offset by a decrease in Part I incentive fees.

Our management fees from long-dated private funds and SMAs decreased by \$2.0 million for the nine months ended ·September 30, 2015 compared to the same period in 2014. The decrease was due primarily to a decrease in origination fees.

*Performance Fees.* Performance fees decreased by \$2.4 million or 72%, to \$0.9 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2015 compared to the same period in 2014. The decrease was due primarily to the reversal of performance fees of SMAs as a result of a decrease in the asset values within the underlying SMA portfolios.

Other Revenues and Fees. Other revenues and fees decreased by \$1.7 million, or 23%, to \$5.5 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2015 compared to the same period in 2014. The decrease was due primarily to a decrease of \$3.7 million of reimbursements from SIC for organizational and offering expense. As of October 31, 2014, we were fully reimbursed by SIC, as such there was no revenue associated with these reimbursements during the nine months ended September 30, 2015. The decrease was partially offset by an increase in administrative fees from our permanent capital vehicles.

### **Expenses**

Compensation and Benefits. Compensation and benefits increased by \$4.5 million, or 30% to \$19.5 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2015 compared to the same period in 2014. The increase was due primarily to stock compensation incurred with the grant of restricted stock units in connection with our IPO, increases in base salary and compensation associated with guaranteed payments to Medley LLC members that, prior to the Company's Reorganization and IPO, were recorded as distributions from members' capital. The increase in base salary was primarily the result of a 25% increase in average headcount for the nine months ended September 30, 2015 compared to the same period in 2014.

Performance Fee Compensation. Performance fee compensation decreased by \$6.8 million to \$(4.6) million for the nine months ended September 30, 2015 compared to the same period in 2014. The variance in performance fee compensation was due primarily to a decrease in our performance fee compensation payable that resulted from a decrease in the projected future payments.

Consolidated Funds Expenses. Consolidated Funds expenses increased by \$0.8 million, to \$2.0 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2015 compared to the same period in 2014. The increase was due primarily to the consolidation of MOF III LP.

General, Administrative and Other Expenses. General, administrative and other expenses decreased by \$2.1 million, or 16%, to \$10.8 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2015 compared to the same period in 2014. The decrease was due primarily to a decrease in organization and offering expenses of SIC as a result of Medley not being liable for these expenses as of June 2, 2014. The decrease was also due to a decrease in expense support agreement expenses related to SIC.

# Other Income (Expense)

When evaluating the changes in other income (expense), we separately analyze the returns generated by our investment portfolio from the investment returns generated by our Consolidated Funds.

Dividend income of \$0.7 million remained consistent during the nine months ended September 30, 2015 compared to the same period in 2014.

Interest expense increased by \$3.0 million to \$6.3 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2015 compared to the same period in 2014. The increase was a direct result of our \$110.0 million debt refinancing with Credit Suisse AG Cayman Islands Branch. Average debt outstanding during the nine months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014 was \$106.1 million and \$57.2 million, respectively.

Other expenses, net decreased by \$0.3 million to \$1.3 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2015 compared to the same period in 2014. The decrease was due primarily to a decrease in expense associated with our revenue share payable.

# Investments of Consolidated Funds

Interest and other income of Consolidated Funds, excluding the amount attributable to loan participations, increased by \$4.4 million, or 10%, to \$50.3 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2015 compared to the same period in 2014. The increase in interest and other income was due primarily to the addition of MOF III LP.

Net unrealized and realized gain (loss) on investments of Consolidated Funds, excluding the amount attributable to loan participations, increased by \$7.6 million, or 88%, to a \$16.3 million net loss for the nine months ended September 30, 2015 compared to an \$8.6 million net loss for the same period in 2014. The increase in net loss on investments was due to a \$31.8 million decrease in net realized gain, offset by a \$24.1 million decrease in net unrealized depreciation.

### **Provision for Income Taxes**

Our effective consolidated income tax rate was 4.9% and 3.9% for the nine months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014, respectively. The increase in the effective tax rate was due primarily to the corporate income tax impact of net income attributed to Medley Management Inc., which was subject to federal, state and local corporate incomes taxes for the nine months ended September 30, 2015. For the nine months ended September 30, 2014, the Company was subject to New York City's unincorporated business tax and was only subject to federal taxes for a two day period on net income attributable to Medley Management Inc.

#### **Non-Controlling Interests**

Net income attributable to non-controlling interests in consolidated funds and subsidiaries increased by \$12.0 million to \$37.0 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2015 compared to the same period in 2014. The increase was due primarily to an increase in the allocation of income to the non-controlling interests in MOF II as a result of the reversal of performance fees during the nine months ended September 30, 2015.

# **Standalone Results of Operations**

The following table sets forth our standalone results of operations for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014. Due to the GAAP requirement that certain funds be consolidated into Medley's financial statements, we have presented certain standalone financial data below, which deconsolidates such funds in order to present operating results that we believe are most reflective of our performance. In addition to analyzing the Company's results of operations, management also makes operating decisions and assesses business performance based on the financial and operating metrics and data that are presented without the consolidation of any funds, which are also reflected in the table below.

Discussed below are our results of operations on a standalone basis.

	(unaudited) (			For the Nine Months Ended September 30, (unaudited) 2015 2014			d	
Revenues								
Management fees	\$18,135		\$17,616		\$56,578		\$47,516	
Performance fees	(14,595	)	3,395		(10,627	)	11,471	
Other revenues and fees	1,891		2,787		5,496		7,183	
Total revenues	5,431		23,798		51,447		66,170	
Expenses								
Compensation and benefits	5,914		5,677		19,532		15,010	
Performance fee compensation	(3,660	)	(921	)	(4,578	)	2,237	
General, administrative and other expenses	1,626	ĺ	3,458	_	10,756		12,821	
Total expenses	3,880		8,214		25,710		30,068	
Other income (expense)								
Dividend income	222		222		665		665	
Interest expense	(2,141	)	(2.016	)	(6,335	)	(3,380	)
Other expenses, net	(838	)		)	(1,087	)	(1,707	)
Total other expense, net	(2,757	)		)	(6,757	)	(4,422	)
Income before income taxes	(1,206	<u> </u>	13,703	_	18,980	,	31,680	,
Provision for (benefit from) income taxes	(113	)	578		1,953		1,026	
Net income (loss)	(1,093	)			17,027		30,654	
Net income (loss) attributable to non-controlling interests		,						
in consolidated subsidiaries	(2,150	)	612		(1,134	)	2,172	
Net income attributable to Medley Management Inc. and	1,057		12,513		18,161		28,482	
non-controlling interests in Medley LLC	(0.42	`	1 105		2.751		4 501	
Reimbursable fund startup expenses (1)	(943	)	1,195		2,751		4,591	\
Severance expense (1)	- 507		- 71		121		(5	)
IPO date award stock-based compensation (1)	587		74		1,844		74	
Adjustment for pre-IPO guaranteed payments to members (1)(2)	-		(1,069	)	-		(3,284	)
Core Net Income	\$701		\$12,713		\$22,877		\$29,858	
Interest expense	2,141		2,016		6,335		3,380	
Income taxes	(161	)	584		2,557		1,067	
Depreciation and amortization	109		103		341		289	
Core EBITDA	\$2,790		\$15,416		\$32,110		\$34,594	
Core Net Income Per Share	\$0.01		\$0.25		\$0.48		\$0.58	
Pro-Forma Weighted Average Shares Outstanding	30,455,796	6	30,484,637		30,456,326	)	30,484,693	3

- (1) Presented net of income taxes.
- Represents a pro-forma adjustment to reflect guaranteed payments to Medley LLC members as compensation (2) expense. Prior to the Company's Reorganization and IPO, these payments were recorded as distributions from members' capital.

The following table provides the details of management fees and performance fees for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014.

	For the Three Months En September 30, (unaudited)		nd <b>Ed</b> r the Nine N September 30, (unaudited)	
	2015	2014	2015	2014
	(Amounts i	in thousands)		
Management Fees				
Base Management fees				
Permanent capital vehicles	\$10,167	\$8,137	\$ 29,224	\$ 19,720
Long-dated private funds and SMAs	3,361	4,345	11,579	13,350
Part I incentive fees on permanent capital vehicles	4,607	5,134	15,775	14,446
Total Management fees	18,135	17,616	56,578	47,516
Performance fees	(14,595)	3,395	(10,627)	11,471
Other revenues and fees	1,891	2,787	5,496	7,183
Total fee revenues	\$5,431	\$23,798	\$ 51,447	\$ 66,170
Total fee revenue as a percentage of average fee earning AUM for the period	0.6 %	3.5 %%	3.2 %	5.5 %

## Three Months Ended September 30, 2015 Compared to Three Months Ended September 30, 2014

#### Revenues

*Management Fees.* Total management fees increased by \$0.5 million, or 3%, to \$18.1 million for the three months ended September 30, 2015 compared to the three months ended September 30, 2014.

Our permanent capital vehicles generated an additional \$1.5 million in management fees for the three months ended September 30, 2015 compared to the same period in 2014. Management fees from SIC increased \$2.0 million due to a 64% increase in fee earning AUM over that period. Management fees from MCC decreased due to a \$0.7 million decrease in Part I incentive fees, offset by a \$0.2 million increase in base management fees.

Our management fees from long-dated private funds and SMAs decreased by \$1.0 million for the three months ended ·September 30, 2015 compared to the same period in 2014. The decrease was due primarily to a decrease in origination fees.

*Performance Fees.* Performance fees decreased by \$18.0 million to \$(14.6) million for the three months ended September 30, 2015 compared to the same period in 2014. The decrease was due primarily to the reversal of performance fees of MOF II for the three months ended September 30, 2015 as a result of a decrease in the asset values within the underlying MOF II portfolio.

Other Revenues and Fees. Other revenues and fees decreased by \$0.9 million, or 32%, to \$1.9 million for the three months ended September 30, 2015 compared to the same period in 2014. The decrease was due primarily to a decrease of \$1.5 million of reimbursements from SIC for organizational and offering expense. As of October 31, 2014, we were fully reimbursed by SIC, as such there was no revenue associated with these reimbursements during the three months ended September 30, 2015. The decrease was partially offset by an increase in administrative fees from our permanent capital vehicles.

#### **Expenses**

Compensation and Benefits. Compensation and benefits increased by \$0.2 million, or 4%, to \$5.9 million for the three months ended September 30, 2015 compared to the same period in 2014. The increase was due primarily to stock compensation incurred with the grant of restricted stock units in connection with our IPO, increases in base salary, and compensation associated with guaranteed payments to Medley LLC members that, prior to the Company's Reorganization and IPO, were recorded as distributions from members' capital. The increase in base salary was primarily the result of a 15% increase in average headcount for the three months ended September 30, 2015 compared to the same period in 2014. The increase in compensation and benefits was partially offset by a decrease in discretionary bonuses.

*Performance Fee Compensation.* Performance fee compensation decreased by \$2.7 million to \$(3.7) million for the three months ended September 30, 2015 compared to the same period in 2014. The variance in performance fee compensation was due primarily to a decrease in our performance fee compensation payable that resulted from a decrease in the projected future payments.

General, Administrative and Other Expenses. General, administrative and other expenses decreased by \$1.8 million, or 53%, to \$1.6 million for the three months ended September 30, 2015 compared to the same period in 2014. The decrease was due primarily to a decrease in expense support agreement expenses related to SIC as Medley recorded a net reimbursement for the three months ended September 30, 2015.

#### Other Income (Expense)

Dividend income of \$0.2 million remained consistent during the three months ended September 30, 2015 compared to the same period in 2014.

Interest expense increased by \$0.1 million to \$2.1 million for the three months ended September 30, 2015 compared to the same period in 2014. The increase was a direct result of our \$110.0 million debt refinancing with Credit Suisse AG Cayman Islands Branch. Average debt outstanding during the three months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014 was \$105.8 million and \$75.7 million, respectively.

Other expenses, net increased by \$0.8 million from \$0.1 million for the three months ended September 30, 2015 compared to the same period in 2014. The increase was due primarily to an unrealized loss associated with our shares

held in SIC.

## **Provision for Income Taxes**

Our effective income tax rate was 9.4% and 4.2% for the three months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014, respectively. The increase in the effective tax rate was due primarily to the corporate income tax impact of net income attributed to Medley Management Inc. which was subject to federal, state and local corporate incomes taxes for the three months ended September 30, 2015. For the three months ended September 30, 2014, the Company was subject to New York City's unincorporated business tax and was only subject to federal taxes for a two day period on net income attributable to Medley Management Inc.

Nine Months Ended September 30, 2015 Compared to Nine Months Ended September 30, 2014

#### Revenues

*Management Fees.* Total management fees increased by \$9.1 million, or 19%, to \$56.6 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2015 compared to the nine months ended September 30, 2014.

Our permanent capital vehicles generated an additional \$10.8 million in management fees for the nine months ended September 30, 2015 compared to the same period in 2014. Management fees from SIC increased \$9.5 million due to a 64% increase in fee earning AUM over that period and due to an increase in Part I incentive fees. Management fees from MCC increased \$1.3 million due to an 18% increase in average fee earning AUM over that period, partly offset by a decrease in Part I incentive fees.

Our management fees from long-dated private funds and SMAs decreased by \$1.7 million for the nine months ended ·September 30, 2015 compared to the same period in 2014. The decrease was due primarily to a decrease in origination fees.

*Performance Fees.* Performance fees decreased by \$22.1 to \$ (10.6) million for the nine months ended September 30, 2015 compared to the same period in 2014. The decrease was due primarily to the reversal of performance fees of MOF II as a result of a decrease in the asset values within the underlying MOF II portfolio.

Other Revenues and Fees. Other revenues and fees decreased by \$1.7 million, or 23%, to \$5.5 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2015 compared to the same period in 2014. The decrease was due primarily to a decrease of \$3.7 million of reimbursements from SIC for organizational and offering expense. As of October 31, 2014, we were fully reimbursed by SIC, as such there was no revenue associated with these reimbursements during the nine months ended September 30, 2015. The decrease was partially offset by an increase in administrative fees from our permanent capital vehicles.

#### **Expenses**

Compensation and Benefits. Compensation and benefits increased by \$4.5 million, or 30%, to \$19.5 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2015 compared to the same period in 2014. The increase was due primarily to stock compensation incurred with the grant of restricted stock units in connection with our IPO, increases in base salary and compensation associated with guaranteed payments to Medley LLC members that, prior to the Company's Reorganization and IPO, were recorded as distributions from members' capital. The increase in base salary was primarily the result of a 25% increase in average headcount for the nine months ended September 30, 2015 compared to the same period in 2014.

*Performance Fee Compensation*. Performance fee compensation decreased by \$6.8 million to \$(4.6) million for the nine months ended September 30, 2015 compared to the same period in 2014. The variance in performance fee compensation was due primarily to a decrease in our performance fee compensation payable that resulted from a decrease in the projected future payments.

General, Administrative and Other Expenses. General, administrative and other expenses decreased by \$2.1 million, or 16%, to \$10.8 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2015 compared to the same period in 2014. The decrease was due primarily to a decrease in organization and offering expenses of SIC as a result of Medley not being liable for these expenses as of June 2, 2014, as well as a decrease in expense support agreement expenses related to SIC.

#### Other Income (Expense)

Dividend income of \$0.7 million remained consistent during the nine months ended September 30, 2015 compared to the same period in 2014.

Interest expense increased by \$3.0 million to \$6.3 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2015 compared to the same period in 2014. The increase was a direct result of our \$110.0 million debt refinancing with Credit Suisse AG Cayman Islands Branch. Average debt outstanding during the nine months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014 was \$106.1 million and \$57.2 million, respectively.

Other expenses, net decreased by \$0.6 million to \$1.1 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2015 compared to the same period in 2014. The decrease was due primarily to a decrease in expense associated with our revenue share payable.

#### **Provision for Income Taxes**

Our effective income tax rate was 10.3% and 3.2% for the nine months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014, respectively. The increase in the effective tax rate was due primarily to the corporate income tax impact of net income attributed to Medley Management Inc., which was subject to federal, state and local corporate incomes taxes for the nine months ended September 30, 2015. For the nine months ended September 30, 2014, the Company was only subject to New York City's unincorporated business tax.

#### Reconciliation of Certain Standalone Performance Measures to Consolidated GAAP Financial Measures

Net income attributable to Medley Management Inc. and non-controlling interests in Medley LLC is the GAAP financial measure most comparable to Core Net Income. The following table is a reconciliation of net income attributable to Medley Management Inc. and non-controlling interests in Medley LLC on a consolidated basis to Core Net Income and Core EBITDA on a standalone basis.

	September 30 (unaudited) 2015	Months Ended  ,  2014 thousands, except	September 30 (unaudited) 2015	2014	
Net income attributable to Medley Management Inc. and non-controlling interests in Medley LLC	\$1,057	\$12,513	\$18,161	\$28,482	
Reimbursable fund startup expenses (1) Severance expense (1) IPO date award stock-based compensation (1)	(943 - 587	) 1,195 - 74	2,751 121 1,844	4,591 (5 )	
Adjustment for pre-IPO guaranteed payments to members (1)(2)	-	(1,069	) -	(3,284)	
Core Net Income Interest expense Income taxes Depreciation and amortization Core EBITDA	\$701 2,141 (161 109 \$2,790	\$12,713 2,016 ) 584 103 \$15,416	\$22,877 6,335 2,557 341 \$32,110	\$29,858 3,380 1,067 289 \$34,594	
Core Net Income Per Share:	\$0.01	\$0.25	\$0.48	\$0.58	
Pro-Forma Weighted Average Shares Outstanding <sup>(3)</sup>	30,455,796	30,484,637	30,456,326	30,484,693	

<sup>(1)</sup> Presented net of income taxes.

Represents a pro-forma adjustment to reflect guaranteed payments to Medley LLC members as compensation (2) expense. Prior to the Company's Reorganization and IPO, these payments were recorded as distributions from members' capital.

Assumes the conversion by the pre-IPO holders of 23,333,333 LLC units for 23,333,333 shares of Class A common stock at the beginning of each period presented and, at the beginning of each period in 2014, the issuance of 6,000,000 shares of Class A common stock in connection with our IPO and the grant of 1,151,389 restricted stock units on the date of our IPO, adjusted for actual forfeitures and additional grants during the period.

The calculation of Core Net Income Per Share is presented in the table below:

	For the Three September 30 (unaudited)	Months Ended	For the Nine Months Ended September 30, (unaudited)		
	2015	2014	2015	2014	
	(Amounts in	thousands, excep	t share and per s	share amounts)	
Numerator					
Core Net Income	\$701	\$12,713	\$22,877	\$29,858	
Add: Income taxes	(161	) 584	2,557	1,067	
Pre-Tax Core Net Income	540	13,297	25,434	30,925	
Denominator					
Class A shares	6,000,211	6,000,000	6,000,071	6,000,000	
Conversion of LLC Units to Class A shares	23,333,333	23,333,333	23,333,333	23,333,333	
Restricted stock units	1,122,252	1,151,304	1,122,922	1,151,360	
Pro-Forma Weighted Average Shares Outstanding	30,455,796	30,484,637	30,456,326	30,484,693	
Pre-Tax Core Net Income Per Share	\$0.02	\$0.44	\$0.84	\$1.01	
Less: corporate income taxes per share (1)	(0.01	) (0.19	(0.36)	(0.43)	
Core Net Income Per Share	\$0.01	\$0.25	\$0.48	\$0.58	

## **Liquidity and Capital Resources**

We manage our liquidity and capital requirements by focusing on our cash flows before giving effect to our Consolidated Funds. Our primary cash flow activities on a standalone basis involve: (i) generating cash flow from operations, which largely includes management fees; (ii) realizations generated from our investment activities; (iii) funding capital commitments that we have made to our funds; (iv) making distributions to our owners; and (v) borrowings, interest payments and repayments under our debt facilities. As of September 30, 2015, our cash and cash equivalents were \$63.8 million.

Our material sources of cash from our operations include: (i) management fees, which are collected quarterly; (ii) performance fees, which can be less predictable as to amount and timing; and (iii) fund distributions related to our

<sup>(1)</sup> Assumes that all of our standalone pre-tax earnings are subject to federal, state and local income taxes. In determining corporate income taxes, we used a combined effective corporate tax rate of 43.0%.

investments in products that we manage. We primarily use cash flows from operations to pay compensation and benefits, general, administrative and other expenses, federal, state and local income tax, debt service, capital expenditures and distributions. Our cash flows, together with the proceeds from equity and debt issuances, are also used to fund investments in limited partnerships, fixed assets and other capital items. If cash flow from operations were insufficient to fund distributions, we expect that we would suspend paying such distributions.

Our consolidated financial statements reflect the cash flows of our operating businesses as well as the results of our Consolidated Funds. The assets of our Consolidated Funds, on a gross basis, are significantly larger than the assets of our operating businesses and therefore have a substantial effect on our reported cash flows. The primary cash flow activities of our Consolidated Funds include: (i) raising capital from third party investors, which is reflected as non-controlling interests of our Consolidated Funds; (ii) purchasing and selling investment securities; (iii) collecting interest and dividend income; (iv) generating cash through the realization of certain investments; and (v) distributing cash to investors. Our Consolidated Funds are treated as investment companies for financial accounting purposes under GAAP; therefore, the character and classification of all Consolidated Fund transactions are presented as cash flows from operations.

#### **Debt Instruments**

#### **Senior Secured Credit Facilities**

On August 14, 2014, we entered into a \$110.0 million senior secured term loan credit facility (the "Term Loan Facility") with Credit Suisse AG, Cayman Islands Branch, as administrative agent and collateral agent thereunder, Credit Suisse Securities (USA) LLC, as bookrunner and lead arranger, and the lenders from time to time party thereto, which will mature on June 15, 2019. As of such date, the aggregate principal amount of indebtedness outstanding under the Term Loan Facility was \$110.0 million. We used the proceeds of the borrowings under the Term Loan Facility, together with cash on hand, to repay all of the approximately \$33.2 million of indebtedness outstanding under our senior secured term loan and revolving credit facility with another financial institution, to pay related fees and expenses of approximately \$2.6 million and to fund a \$74.5 million distribution to Medley LLC's members.

On August 19, 2014, we entered into a \$15.0 million senior secured revolving credit facility with City National Bank (the "Revolving Credit Facility" and, together with the Term Loan Facility, the "Senior Secured Credit Facilities"), as administrative agent and collateral agent thereunder, and the lenders from time to time party thereto, which will mature on August 19, 2017, with a one-year extension at the option of the borrower, provided certain conditions are met. We intend to use any proceeds of borrowings under the Revolving Credit Facility for general corporate purposes, including funding our working capital needs. We have not incurred any borrowings under the Revolving Credit Facility through the date of this filing. We refer to the entry into the Senior Secured Credit Facilities, the incurrence of \$110.0 million of indebtedness under the Term Loan Facility, the repayment of the \$33.2 million of outstanding indebtedness, the payment of \$2.6 million of related fees and expenses and the \$74.5 million distribution to Medley LLC's members, collectively, as the "Refinancing Transactions."

Medley LLC is the borrower under the Senior Secured Credit Facilities. In addition, the Term Loan Facility also provides us with the option to raise incremental credit facilities (including an uncommitted incremental facility that provides the borrower the option to increase the amount available under the Term Loan Credit Facility by an aggregate of up to \$15.0 million, subject to additional increases, provided that the net leverage ratio as of the last day of any four-fiscal quarter period commencing with the four-fiscal quarter period ending December 31, 2014, shall not exceed 2.0 to 1.0).

#### Interest Rate and Fees

Borrowings under the Term Loan Facility bear interest, at our option, at a rate equal to either (i) a Eurodollar margin over an adjusted LIBOR rate (with a "floor" of 1.0%) or (ii) a base rate margin over an adjusted base rate determined by

reference to the highest of (a) the term loan administrative agent's prime rate; (b) the federal funds effective rate in effect on such day plus 0.5%; and (c) an adjusted LIBOR rate plus 1.0%. The applicable margins for the Term Loan Facility are 5.5%, in the case of Eurodollar loans and 4.5%, in the case of adjusted base rate loans.

Borrowings under the Revolving Credit Facility bear interest, at our option, at a rate equal to either (1) a Eurodollar margin over an adjusted LIBOR rate or (2) a base rate margin over an adjusted base rate determined by reference to the highest of (a) the term loan administrative agent's prime rate; (b) the federal funds effective rate in effect on such day plus 0.5%; and (c) an adjusted LIBOR rate plus 1.0%. The applicable margins for the Revolving Credit Facility are (i) if the ratio of net debt to Core EBITDA is less than 1.0 to 1.0, 1.5% in the case of adjusted base rate loans, and, in the case of Eurodollar loans, (x) 3.0% until maturity; and (ii) if the ratio of net debt to Core EBITDA is greater than or equal to 1.0 to 1.0, 2.50% in the case of adjusted base rate loans, and, in the case of Eurodollar loans, (x) 3.25% until maturity.

In addition to paying interest on outstanding principal under the Senior Secured Credit Facilities, (i) on the closing date of the Term Loan Facility we were required to pay commitment fees to the lenders under the Term Loan Facility in an amount equal to 1% of the aggregate amount of term loans borrowed on the closing date of the Term Loan Facility; and (ii) in respect of the Revolving Credit Facility, we are required to pay an unused line fee of 0.25% per annum of the unused portion of the commitments.

#### **Prepayments**

The Senior Secured Credit Facilities require us to prepay outstanding term loans, subject to certain exceptions, with:

100% of the net cash proceeds (including insurance and condemnation proceeds) of all nonpermitted asset sales or other dispositions of property by the borrower and its subsidiaries, subject to de minimis thresholds, if those net cash proceeds are not reinvested in like assets, financial assets, or other financial services investment strategies within 12 months of the receipt of such net cash proceeds;

100% of the net proceeds of any incurrence of debt by the borrower or any of its restricted subsidiaries, other than debt permitted to be incurred or issued under the senior secured credit facilities; and

100% of the amount of any equity contributions made to the borrower for the purpose of causing the borrowing to be in compliance with the financial maintenance covenant set forth in the Term Loan Facility.

The foregoing mandatory prepayments will be applied, first, to the next succeeding four scheduled installments due in respect of the term loans in direct order of maturity and, thereafter, pro rata to the remaining scheduled installments of the term loans.

We have the ability to voluntarily repay outstanding loans at any time without premium or penalty, other than customary "breakage" costs with respect to LIBOR rate loans and a make-whole premium on voluntary prepayments of term loans on or prior to August 14, 2016 to the extent such prepayments exceed \$33.0 million in the aggregate, which make-whole premium will be in an amount equal to the then present value of the required interest payments not yet made (assuming an interest rate equal to the adjusted LIBOR rate with a one month interest period made on the date of such prepayment or assignment plus the applicable Eurodollar margin with respect thereto) on the principal amount of the term loan so prepaid that but for such prepayment would have been payable through June 15, 2019 using a discount rate equal to the treasury rate as of the date of such prepayment or assignment plus 50 basis points.

In October 2014, we voluntarily prepaid \$15.0 million of the outstanding term loans under this facility using a portion of the proceeds received from our initial public offering. The \$15.0 million prepayment was applied against the first quarterly installment which was due on March 31, 2015, as well as the remaining quarterly installments through June 30, 2017.

#### **Amortization**

The Term Loan Facility requires principal repayments in quarterly installments equal to \$1,375,000 (which amount may be adjusted as a result of prepayment or incremental term loans drawn), with the remaining amount payable on the applicable maturity date with respect to such term loans.

#### Guarantees and Collateral

The obligations under the Senior Secured Credit Facilities are unconditionally and irrevocably guaranteed by certain of Medley LLC's subsidiaries, including Medley Capital LLC, MOF II Management LLC, MOF III Management LLC, Medley SMA Advisors LLC, Medley GP Holdings LLC, and Medley GP LLC (the "credit agreement guarantors"). In addition, the Senior Secured Credit Facilities are collateralized by first priority or equivalent security interests in (i) all the capital stock of, or other equity interests in, the borrower and each of the borrower's and credit agreement guarantors' direct or indirect domestic subsidiaries and 65% of the capital stock of, or other equity interests in, each of the borrower's or any subsidiary guarantors' direct wholly owned first-tier restricted foreign subsidiaries, and (ii) certain tangible and intangible assets of the borrower and the credit agreement guarantors (subject to certain exceptions and qualifications).

As of the closing date for the Term Loan Facility, none of MCC Advisors LLC, SIC Advisors LLC, MOF II GP LLC, MOF III GP LLC, our domestic subsidiaries substantially all of the assets of which consist of equity interests or indebtedness of one or more foreign subsidiaries, our non-wholly owned domestic subsidiaries, nor our subsidiaries that are a direct or indirect subsidiary of a foreign subsidiary, are obligated to guarantee the Term Loan Facility, and as of the closing date of the Revolving Credit Facility, none of such entities are obligated to guarantee the Revolving Credit Facility.

#### Certain Covenants and Events of Default

The Senior Secured Credit Facilities contain a number of significant affirmative and negative covenants and customary events of default. Such covenants, among other things, will limit or restrict, subject to certain exceptions, the ability of the borrower and its restricted subsidiaries to:

incur additional indebtedness, make guarantees and enter into hedging arrangements; create liens on assets; enter into sale and leaseback transactions; engage in mergers or consolidations; make fundamental changes; pay dividends and distributions or repurchase our capital stock; make investments, loans and advances, including acquisitions; engage in certain transactions with affiliates; make changes in the nature of their business; and make prepayments of junior debt.

In addition, the credit agreements governing our Senior Secured Credit Facilities contain a financial covenant that requires us to maintain, with respect to each four quarter period commencing with the four quarter period ending December 31, 2014, a ratio of net debt to Core EBITDA not greater than 3.5 to 1.0. The ratio of net debt to Core EBITDA in respect of the Senior Secured Credit Facilities is calculated using our standalone financial results and includes the adjustments made to calculate Core EBITDA.

Our Senior Secured Credit Facilities contain certain customary representations and warranties, affirmative covenants and events of default. If an event of default occurs, the lenders under the Senior Secured Credit Facilities will be entitled to take various actions, including the acceleration of amounts due under the Senior Secured Credit Facilities and all actions permitted to be taken by a secured creditor.

#### **Non-Recourse Promissory Notes**

In April 2012, we borrowed \$5.0 million under a non-recourse promissory note with a foundation, and \$5.0 million under a non-recourse promissory note with a trust. Proceeds from the borrowings were used to purchase 1,108,033 shares of common stock of SIC, which were pledged as collateral for the obligations. Interest on the notes is paid quarterly and is equal to the dividends received by us related to the pledged shares. We may prepay the notes in whole or in part at any time without penalty. The notes are scheduled to mature in March 2019. The proceeds from the notes were recorded net of issuance costs of \$3.8 million and are being accrued, using the effective interest method, over the term of the non-recourse promissory notes.

#### **Notes Payable**

In March 2014, we issued a promissory note in the amount of \$2.5 million to a former Medley member in connection with the purchase of his membership interests. The promissory note carries no interest, has quarterly amortization payments of \$0.3 million and matures in March 2016. As of September 30, 2015, \$0.6 million was outstanding in respect of this note.

#### **Cash Flows**

The significant captions and amounts from our consolidated financial statements, which include the effects of our Consolidated Funds in accordance with GAAP, are summarized below. Negative amounts represent a net outflow, or use of cash.

For the Nine Months Ended September 30, (unaudited) 2015 2014 (Amounts in thousands) Statements of cash flows data Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities \$ (91,399 ) \$ (160,724 Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities 55 (400 Net cash provided by financing activities 67.892 257,223 Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents \$ (23,452 ) \$ 96,099

#### **Operating Activities**

Net cash used in operating activities is primarily driven by our earnings in the respective periods after adjusting for non-cash items, such as net change in unrealized depreciation (appreciation) on investments, net realized (gain) loss on investments, interest income paid-in-kind and accretion of original issue discount that are included in net income. Cash used to purchase investments, as well as the proceeds from the sale of such investments, is also reflected in our operating activities as investing activities of our Consolidated Funds. Prior to our Reorganization and IPO, all guaranteed payments to the senior Medley LLC professionals were reflected as distributions from members' capital rather than as compensation expense. Cash distributions made to these senior professionals are not presented in cash flows from operations, rather these payments are presented in financing activities. Subsequent to the Reorganization and IPO, all guaranteed payments made to these senior professionals are recognized as compensation expense and are presented in cash flows from operations.

Our net cash flow used in operating activities was \$91.4 million and \$160.7 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014, respectively. These amounts primarily include net purchases of investments by our Consolidated Funds, of \$72.2 million and \$238.5 million, respectively, and a change in cash and cash equivalents of the Consolidated Funds of \$(70.3) million and \$18.7 million, respectively. For the nine months ended September 30, 2015, our net cash flow used in operating activities also includes a \$31.0 million realized gain on investments by our Consolidated Funds. These amounts also represent the variances between net income and cash flows from operations and are reflected as operating activities pursuant to investment company accounting guidance. The growth of our business is reflected by the increase in net cash provided by operating activities of our core segment, while the

fund-related activities requirements vary based upon the specific investment activities being conducted during such period. The movements within our Consolidated Funds do not adversely impact our liquidity or earnings trends. We believe that our ability to generate cash from operations provides us the necessary liquidity to manage short-term fluctuations in working capital as well as to meet our short-term commitments.

#### **Investing Activities**

Our investing activities generally reflect cash used for certain acquisitions of property and equipment and distributions from our equity method investments. Purchases of property and equipment were \$0.1 million and \$0.4 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014, respectively. Distributions from equity method investments were \$0.2 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2015.

#### Financing Activities

Net contributions from non-controlling interests in our Consolidated Funds were \$107.4 million and \$97.6 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014, respectively. Distributions to members are presented as a use of cash from financing activities and were \$29.5 million and \$117.2 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014, respectively. During the nine months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014, we had a net repayment of debt obligations which provided a net outflow of cash to us of \$0.9 and a net issuance of debt obligations which provided a net inflow of cash to us of \$88.3 million, respectively. During the nine months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014, we had net repayments on secured borrowings of \$6.3 million and net proceeds from secured borrowings of \$93.9 million, respectively.

## Sources and Uses of Liquidity

Our sources of liquidity are (i) cash on hand, (ii) net working capital, (iii) cash flows from operations, including performance fees, (iv) realizations on our investments, (v) net proceeds from borrowings under the Senior Secured Credit Facilities and (vi) other potential financings. We believe that these sources of liquidity will be sufficient to fund our working capital requirements and to meet our commitments in the foreseeable future. We expect that our primary liquidity needs will be comprised of cash to (i) provide capital to facilitate the growth of our existing investment management business, (ii) fund our commitments to funds that we advise, (iii) provide capital to facilitate our expansion into businesses that are complementary to our existing investment management business, (iv) pay operating expenses, including cash compensation to our employees and payments under the TRA, (v) fund capital expenditures, (vi) pay income taxes, and (vii) make distributions to our shareholders in accordance with our dividend policy.

We intend to use a portion of our available liquidity to fund cash dividends to our common shareholders on a quarterly basis. Our ability to fund cash dividends to our common shareholders is dependent on a myriad of factors, including among others: general economic and business conditions; our strategic plans and prospects; our business and investment opportunities; timing of capital calls by our funds in support of our commitments; our financial condition and operating results; working capital requirements and other anticipated cash needs; contractual restrictions and obligations; legal, tax and regulatory restrictions; restrictions on the payment of distributions by our subsidiaries to us; and other relevant factors.

#### **Critical Accounting Policies**

We prepare our condensed consolidated financial statements in accordance with GAAP. In applying many of these accounting principles, we need to make assumptions, estimates or judgments that affect the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, revenues and expenses in our consolidated financial statements. We base our estimates and judgments on historical experience and other assumptions that we believe are reasonable under the circumstances. These assumptions, estimates or judgments, however, are both subjective and subject to change, and actual results may differ from our assumptions and estimates. If actual amounts are ultimately different from our estimates, the revisions are included in our results of operations for the period in which the actual amounts become known. We believe the following critical accounting policies could potentially produce materially different results if we were to change underlying assumptions, estimates or judgments. See Note 2, "Summary of Significant Accounting Policies," to our unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements included in this Form 10-Q for a summary of our significant accounting policies.

#### **Principles of Consolidation**

In accordance with ASC 810, *Consolidation*, we consolidate those entities where we have a direct and indirect controlling financial interest based on either a variable interest model or voting interest model. As such, we consolidate entities that we conclude are VIEs, for which we are deemed to be the primary beneficiary and entities in which we hold a majority voting interest or have majority ownership and control over the operational, financial and investing decisions of that entity.

An entity in which we have a variable interest is a VIE if any one of the following conditions exist: (a) the total equity investment at risk is not sufficient to permit the legal entity to finance its activities without additional subordinated financial support, (b) the holders of equity investment at risk (as a group) lack either the direct or indirect ability through voting rights or similar rights to make decisions about a legal entity's activities that have a significant effect on the success of the legal entity or the obligation to absorb the expected losses or right to receive the expected residual returns or (c) the voting rights of some investors are disproportionate to their obligation to absorb the expected losses of the legal entity, their rights to receive the expected residual returns of the legal entity, or both, and substantially all of the legal entity's activities either involve or are conducted on behalf of an investor with disproportionately few voting rights. Entities that do not qualify as VIEs are generally assessed for consolidation under the voting interest model.

For those entities that qualify as a VIE, we perform an analysis to determine if we are the primary beneficiary. With respect to certain VIEs that qualify for accounting treatment under ASU 2010-10, Consolidation (Topic 810): Amendments for Certain Investment Funds, we determine that we are the primary beneficiary only if our involvement, through holding interests directly or indirectly in the VIE or contractually through other variable interests (e.g., carried interest and management fees), would be expected to absorb a majority of the VIE's expected losses, receive a majority of the VIE's expected residual returns, or both. In order to qualify for this accounting treatment, certain conditions have to be met, including if the entities have all the attributes of an investment company and are not securitization or asset-backed financing entities. For all other entities, we determine that we are the primary beneficiary if we hold a controlling financial interest defined as possessing both (a) the power to direct the activities of a VIE that most significantly impact the VIE's economic performance and (b) the obligation to absorb losses of the VIE or the right to receive benefits from the VIE that could potentially be significant to the VIE. We determine whether we are the primary beneficiary of a VIE at the time we become initially involved with the VIE and reconsider that conclusion continuously. In making our assessment we take into consideration all fee and substantive arrangements, terms and transactions that may exist. The assessment of whether an entity is a VIE and the determination of whether we consolidate such VIE requires judgments and is dependent on the particular facts and circumstances. Each entity is assessed for consolidation on a case by case basis.

For those entities evaluated under the voting interest model, we consolidate those entities we control through a majority voting interest or through other means whereby we are general partner and are presumed to have control. We would not consolidate an entity in which the presumption of control by the general partner has been overcome through either the granting of substantive rights to the unaffiliated investors to either dissolve the entity or remove the general partner ("kick-out-rights") or the granting of substantive participating rights.

#### Consolidation and Deconsolidation

Generally, the consolidation of our Consolidated Funds has a significant gross-up effect on our assets, liabilities and cash flows but does not have a net effect on the net income attributable to our consolidated results or to total controlling equity. The majority of the net economic ownership interests of our Consolidated Funds are reflected as non-controlling interests in Consolidated Funds in our condensed unaudited consolidated financial statements included in this Form 10-Q. The assets and liabilities of our Consolidated Funds are generally held within separate legal entities and, as a result, the liabilities of our Consolidated Funds are non-recourse to us. The funds that we advise are deconsolidated when we are no longer deemed to control the entity.

#### Fair Value Measurement

The Consolidated Funds apply fair value accounting to all of its financial instruments in accordance with ASC 820, *Fair Value Measurements and Disclosures*. ASC 820 defines fair value and establishes a framework used to measure fair value and requires disclosures for fair value measurements. In accordance with ASC 820, the Consolidated Funds have categorized their financial instruments carried at fair value, based on the priority of the valuation technique, into a three-level fair value hierarchy. Market price observability is affected by a number of factors, including the type of instrument and the characteristics specific to the instrument. Financial instruments with readily available quoted prices from an active market or for which fair value can be measured based on actively quoted prices generally will have a higher degree of market price observability and a lesser degree of judgment inherent in measuring fair value.

Financial assets and liabilities measured and reported at fair value are classified as follows:

Level I - Valuations based on quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities at the measurement date.

·Level II - Valuations based on inputs other than quoted prices in active markets included in Level I, which are either directly or indirectly observable at the measurement date. This category includes quoted prices for similar assets or

liabilities in active markets, quoted prices for identical or similar assets or liabilities in non-active markets including actionable bids from third parties for privately held assets or liabilities, and observable inputs other than quoted prices such as yield curves and forward currency rates that are entered directly into valuation models to determine the value of derivatives or other assets or liabilities.

Level III - Valuations based on inputs that are unobservable and where there is little, if any, market activity at the measurement date. The inputs for the determination of fair value may require significant management judgment or estimation and is based upon management's assessment of the assumptions that market participants would use in pricing the assets or liabilities. These investments include debt and equity investments in private companies or assets valued using the market or income approach and may involve pricing models whose inputs require significant judgment or estimation because of the absence of any meaningful current market data for identical or similar investments. The inputs in these valuations may include, but are not limited to, capitalization and discount rates, beta and EBITDA multiples. The information may also include pricing information or broker quotes which include a disclaimer that the broker would not be held to such a price in an actual transaction. The non-binding nature of consensus pricing and/or quotes accompanied by disclaimer would result in classification as Level III information, assuming no additional corroborating evidence.

In some instances, an instrument may fall into different levels of the fair value hierarchy. In such instances, the instrument's level within the fair value hierarchy is based on the lowest of the three levels (with Level III being the lowest) that is significant to the fair value measurement. Our assessment of the significance of an input requires judgment and considers factors specific to the instrument. As of September 30, 2015 and December 31, 2014, substantially all of our investments and other fair value instruments were classified as Level III. See Note 4, "Fair Value Measurements," to our unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements included in this Form 10-Q for a summary of our valuation of investments and other financial instruments by fair value hierarchy levels.

#### Performance Fees

Performance fees are based on certain specific hurdle rates as defined in the non-consolidated funds and Consolidated Funds' applicable investment management or partnership agreements. Performance fees are recorded on an accrual basis to the extent such amounts are contractually due.

We have elected to adopt Method 2 of ASC 605 for revenue based on a formula. Under this method, we are entitled to performance-based fees that can amount to as much as 20.0% of a fund's profits, subject to certain hurdles. Performance-based fees are assessed as a percentage of the investment performance of the funds. The performance fee for any period is based upon an assumed liquidation of the fund's net assets on the reporting date, and distribution of the net proceeds in accordance with the fund 's income allocation provisions. The performance fees may be subject to reversal to the extent that the performance fees recorded exceeds the amount due to the general partner or investment manager based on a fund's cumulative investment returns.

Performance fees receivable is presented separately in our unaudited condensed consolidated statements of financial condition included in this Form 10-Q and represents performance fees recognized but not yet collected. The timing of the payment of performance fees due to the general partner or investment manager varies depending on the terms of the applicable fund agreements.

#### Performance Fee Compensation Payable

We have an obligation to pay our professionals a portion of the performance fees earned from certain funds, including performance fees from Consolidated Funds that are eliminated in consolidation. These amounts are accounted for as compensation expense in conjunction with the recognition of the related performance fee revenue and, until paid, are recognized as performance fee compensation payable. Performance fee compensation is recognized in the same period that the related performance fees are recognized. Performance fee compensation can be reversed during periods when there is a decline in performance fees that were previously recognized.

#### Income Taxes

Prior to our Reorganization and IPO, our business has been organized as a partnership for tax purposes and was not subject to United States federal, state and local income tax. A provision for income taxes was made for certain entities that were subject to New York City's unincorporated business tax. As a result of the Reorganization and IPO, Medley

Management Inc. is subject to United States federal, state and local income tax on its allocable portion of the income of Medley LLC at prevailing corporate tax rates. Our effective income tax rate is dependent on many factors, including the impact of nondeductible items and a rate benefit attributable to the fact that a portion of Medley's earnings are not subject to corporate level taxes.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are recognized for the future tax consequences attributable to differences between the financial statements carrying amounts of existing assets and liabilities and their respective tax basis. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are measured using enacted tax rates expected to apply to taxable income in the years in which those temporary differences are expected to be recovered or settled. To the extent it is more likely than not that the deferred tax assets will not be recognized, a valuation allowance is provided to offset their benefit.

The Company recognizes the benefit of an income tax position only if it is more likely than not that the tax position will be sustained upon tax examination, based solely on the technical merits of the tax position. Otherwise, no benefit is recognized. The tax benefits recognized are measured based on the largest benefit that has a greater than 50% percent likelihood of being realized upon ultimate settlement. Interest expense and penalties related to income tax matters are recognized as a component of interest expense and general and administrative expenses, respectively.

Tax laws are complex and subject to different interpretations by the taxpayer and respective governmental taxing authorities. Significant judgment is required in determining tax expense and in evaluating tax positions, including evaluating uncertainties under GAAP. We review our tax positions quarterly and adjust our tax balances as new information becomes available.

#### **Investment Valuations**

In the absence of observable market prices, we value our investments using valuation methodologies applied on a consistent basis. For some investments little market activity may exist. Our determination of fair value is then based on the best information available in the circumstances and may incorporate our own assumptions and involves a significant degree of judgment, taking into consideration a combination of internal and external factors, including the appropriate risk adjustments for non-performance and liquidity risks.

The valuation techniques used by us to measure fair value maximizes the use of observable inputs and minimizes the use of unobservable inputs. The valuation techniques applied to our Consolidated Funds vary depending on the nature of the investment.

The fair value of corporate debt, bonds, and bank loans is estimated based on quoted market prices, dealer quotations or alternative pricing sources supported by observable inputs. These investments are generally classified within Level II. We obtain prices from independent pricing services which generally utilize broker quotes and may use various other pricing techniques that take into account appropriate factors such as yield, quality, coupon rate, maturity, type of issue, trading characteristics and other data. If the pricing services are only able to obtain a single broker quote or utilize a pricing model, such securities will be classified as Level III. If the pricing services are unable to provide prices, we will attempt to obtain one or more broker quotes directly from a dealer, price such securities at the last bid price obtained and classify such securities as Level III.

## **Stock-based Compensation**

We account for stock-based compensation in accordance with ASC 718, *Compensation – Stock Compensation*. Under the fair value recognition provision of this guidance, share-based compensation cost is measured at the grant date based on the fair value of the award and is recognized as expense over the requisite service period.

Stock-based compensation expense recognized during the three and nine months ended September 30, 2015 is based on awards ultimately expected to vest and have been reduced for estimated forfeitures. ASC 718 requires forfeitures to be estimated at the time of grant and revised, if necessary, in subsequent periods if actual forfeitures differ from those estimates. The effect of such change in estimated forfeitures is recognized through a cumulative catch-up adjustment that is included in the period of the change in estimate.

The value of the portion of the award that is ultimately expected to vest is recognized as a component of compensation and benefits over the requisite service periods in the Company's consolidated statements of operations. The Company elected to use the straight-line method for all awards with graded vesting features.

#### **Recent Accounting Pronouncements**

Information regarding recent accounting pronouncements and their impact on Medley can be found in Note 2, "Summary of Significant Accounting Policies," to our unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements included

in this Form 10-Q.

## **Off-Balance Sheet Arrangements**

In the normal course of business, we may engage in off-balance sheet arrangements, including transactions in guarantees, commitments, indemnifications and potential contingent repayment obligations.

See Note 9, "Commitments and Contingencies," to our unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements included in this Form 10-Q for a discussion of guarantees and contingent obligations.

## **Contractual Obligations, Commitments and Contingencies**

The following table sets forth information relating to our contractual obligations as of September 30, 2015 on a standalone and consolidated basis.

	Less than 1 - 3		4 - 5		
	1 year	years	years	Thereafter	Total
Medley Obligations	(Amour	(Amounts in thousands)			
Operating lease obligations (1)	\$604	\$7,641	\$5,548	\$ 6,684	\$20,477
Debt obligations payable (2)	313	8,687	96,625	-	105,625
Interest obligations on debt	1,579	18,446	2,577	-	22,602
Revenue Share Payable	298	3,314	1,740	1,099	6,451
Capital commitments to funds (3)	300	-	-	-	300
Secured borrowings of Consolidated Funds	712	48,259	83,152	3,911	136,034
Total	\$3,806	\$86,347	\$189,642	\$ 11,694	\$291,489

We lease office space in New York and San Francisco under non-cancelable lease agreements. In August 2015, the Company signed a new lease for its office space in New York City. The Company's obligations under the current terms of these leases extend through September 2023. The amounts in this table represent the minimum lease payments required over the term of the lease, and include operating leases for office equipment.

We have included all loans described in Note 6, "Loans Payable," to our condensed consolidated financial statements included in this Form 10-Q.

(3) Represents equity commitments by us to certain long-dated private funds managed by us. These amounts are generally due on demand and are therefore presented in the less than one year category.

#### **Indemnifications**

In the normal course of business, we enter into contracts that contain indemnities for our affiliates, persons acting on our behalf or such affiliates and third parties. The terms of the indemnities vary from contract to contract and the maximum exposure under these arrangements, if any, cannot be determined and has neither been recorded in our condensed consolidated financial statements. As of September 30, 2015 and December 31, 2014, we have not had prior claims or losses pursuant to these contracts and expect the risk of loss to be remote.

#### **Contingent Obligations**

The partnership documents governing our funds generally include a clawback provision that, if triggered, may give rise to a contingent obligation that may require the general partner to return amounts to the fund for distribution to investors. Therefore, performance fees, generally, are subject to reversal in the event that the funds incur future losses. These losses are limited to the extent of the cumulative performance fees recognized in income to date, net of taxes paid. Due in part to our investment performance and the fact that our performance fees are generally determined on a liquidation basis, as of September 30, 2015 and December 31, 2014, if the funds were liquidated at their fair values at that date, there would have been no clawback obligation or liability. There can be no assurance that we will not incur a clawback obligation in the future. If all of the existing investments were valued at \$0, the amount of cumulative revenues that has been recognized would be reversed. We believe that the possibility of all of the existing investments becoming worthless is remote. At September 30, 2015, had we assumed all existing investments were valued at \$0, the net amount of performance fees subject to reversal would have been approximately \$9.7 million.

Performance fees are also affected by changes in the fair values of the underlying investments in the funds that we advise. Valuations, on an unrealized basis, can be significantly affected by a variety of external factors including, but not limited to, bond yields and industry trading multiples. Under the governing agreements of certain of our funds, we may have to fund additional amounts on account of clawback obligations beyond what we received in performance fee compensation on account of distributions of performance fee compensation made to current or former professionals from such funds if they do not fund their respective shares of such clawback obligations. We will generally retain the right to pursue any remedies that we have under such governing agreements against those carried interest recipients who fail to fund their obligations.

Additionally, at the end of the life of the funds, there could be a payment due to a fund by us if we have recognized more performance fees than were ultimately earned. The general partner obligation amount, if any, will depend on final realized values of investments at the end of the life of the fund.

## Item 3. Quantitative and Qualitative Disclosures About Market Risk

Our primary exposure to market risk is related to our role as general partner or investment adviser to our investment funds and the sensitivity to movements in the fair value of their investments, including the effect on management fees, performance fees and investment income.

The market price of investments may significantly fluctuate during the period of investment. Investments may decline in value due to factors affecting securities markets generally or particular industries represented in the securities markets. The value of an investment may decline due to general market conditions which are not specifically related to such investment, such as real or perceived adverse economic conditions, changes in the general outlook for corporate earnings, changes in interest or currency rates or adverse investor sentiment generally. They may also decline due to factors that affect a particular industry or industries, such as labor shortages or increased production costs and competitive conditions within an industry.

## Effect on Management Fees

Management fees are generally based on a defined percentage of gross asset values, total committed capital, net invested capital and NAV of the investment funds managed by us as well as a percentage of net interest income over a performance hurdle. Management fees calculated based on fair value of assets or net investment income are affected by short-term changes in market values.

The overall impact of a short-term change in market value may be mitigated by a number of factors including, but not limited to, the way in which Part I incentive fees are charged, which does not offset net income related incentive fees against Part II incentive fees which are driven by realized or unrealized gains and losses. As such, the impact of short-term changes in market value does not meaningfully impact our Part I incentive fee component of management fees. In addition, the overall impact of a short-term change in market value may be mitigated by fee definitions that are not based on market value including invested capital and committed capital, market value definitions that exclude the impact of realized and/or unrealized gains and losses, market value definitions based on beginning of the period values or a form of average market value including daily, monthly or quarterly averages, as well as monthly or quarterly payment terms.

As such, based on an incremental 10% short-term increase in fair value of the investments in our permanent capital vehicles, long-dated private funds and SMA's as of September 30, 2015, we calculated a \$0.9 million and \$2.7 million increase in the management fees for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2015, respectively, on both a consolidated and standalone basis. In the case of a 10% short-term decline in fair value of the investments in our

permanent capital, long-dated funds and SMA's as of September 30, 2015, we calculated a \$1.0 million and \$1.1 million decrease in the management fees for the three months ended September 30, 2015, on a consolidated and standalone basis, respectively, and a \$2.8 million and \$3.4 million decrease in the management fees for the nine months ended September 30, 2015, on a consolidated and standalone basis, respectively.

## Effect on Performance Fees

Performance fees are based on certain specific hurdle rates as defined in the funds' applicable investment management or partnership agreements. The performance fees for any period are based upon an assumed liquidation of the fund's net assets on the reporting date, and distribution of the net proceeds in accordance with the fund's income allocation provisions, which can result in a performance-based fee to us, subject to certain hurdles and benchmarks. The performance fees may be subject to reversal to the extent that the performance fees recorded exceed the amount due to the general partner or investment manager based on a fund's cumulative investment returns.

Short-term changes in the fair values of funds' investments may materially impact accrued performance fees depending on the respective funds' performance relative to applicable hurdles. The overall impact of a short-term change in market value may be mitigated by a number of factors including, but not limited to, the way in which carried interest performance fees are calculated, which is not ultimately dependent on short-term moves in fair market value, but rather realize cumulative performance of the investments through the end of the long-dated private funds and SMA's lives. However, short term moves can meaningfully impact our ability to accrue performance fees and receive cash payments in any given period.

As such, based on an incremental 10% short-term increase in fair value of the investments in our long-dated private funds and SMA's as of September 30, 2015, we calculated a \$13.3 million and \$49.0 million increase in the performance fees for both the three and nine months ended September 30, 2015 on a consolidated and standalone basis, respectively. In the case of a 10% short-term decline in fair value of investments in our long-dated private funds and SMA's as of September 30, 2015, we calculated a \$4.7 million and \$7.9 million decrease in the performance fees for both the three and nine months ended September 30, 2015 on a consolidated and standalone basis, respectively.

#### Effect on Part I and Part II Incentive Fees

Incentive fees are based on certain specific hurdle rates as defined in our permanent capital vehicles' applicable investment management agreements. The Part II incentive fees for any applicable period are based upon realized gains netted against cumulative realized and unrealized losses. The Part I incentive fees are not subject to clawbacks as our carried interest performance fees are.

Short-term changes in the fair values of the investments of our permanent capital vehicles may materially impact Part II incentive fees depending on the respective vehicle's performance relative to applicable hurdles to the extent there were realized gains that we would otherwise earn Part II incentive fees on.

As such, based on an incremental 10% short-term increase in fair value of the investments in our permanent capital vehicles as of September 30, 2015, we calculated a \$11.7 million increase in the Part I and II incentive fees for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2105, on both a consolidated and standalone basis. In the case of a 10% short-term decline in fair value of the investments in our permanent capital vehicles as of September 30, 2015, we calculated a \$0.4 million increase in the Part I incentive fees for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2015, on both a consolidated and standalone basis.

#### Interest Rate Risk

As of September 30, 2015, we had \$102.7 million of debt outstanding, presented as loans payable on our unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements included elsewhere in this Form 10-Q. The annual interest rate on the loans was 6.50% as of September 30, 2015.

Based on the floating rate component of our debt obligations payable as of September 30, 2015, we estimate that in the event of a change of 100 basis point in interest rates and the outstanding balance as of September 30, 2015, interest expense related to variable rates would increase or decrease by 15% or \$0.2 million and 15% or \$0.7 million, respectively, for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2015 on both a standalone and consolidated basis.

As credit-oriented investors, we are also subject to interest rate risk through the securities we hold in our Consolidated Funds. A 100 basis point increase in interest rates would be expected to negatively affect prices of securities that accrue interest income at fixed rates and therefore negatively impact net change in unrealized appreciation on the consolidated funds' investments. The actual impact is dependent on the average duration of such holdings. Conversely,

securities that accrue interest at variable rates would be expected to benefit from a 100 basis points increase in interest rates because these securities would generate higher levels of current income and therefore positively impact interest and dividend income, subject to LIBOR. In the cases where our funds pay management fees based on NAV, we would expect management fees to experience a change in direction and magnitude corresponding to that experienced by the underlying portfolios.

#### Credit Risk

We are party to agreements providing for various financial services and transactions that contain an element of risk in the event that the counterparties are unable to meet the terms of such agreements. In such agreements, we depend on the respective counterparty to make payment or otherwise perform. We generally endeavor to minimize our risk of exposure by limiting to reputable financial institutions the counterparties with which we enter into financial transactions. In other circumstances, availability of financing from financial institutions may be uncertain due to market events, and we may not be able to access these financing markets.

#### Item 4. Controls and Procedures

#### **Evaluation of Disclosure Controls and Procedures**

We maintain disclosure controls and procedures (as that term is defined in Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e) under the Exchange Act) that are designed to ensure that information required to be disclosed in our reports under the Exchange Act is recorded, processed, summarized and reported within the time periods specified in the SEC's rules and forms, and that such information is accumulated and communicated to our management, including our co-principal executive officers and principal financial officer, as appropriate, to allow timely decisions regarding required disclosures. The design of any disclosure controls and procedures is based in part upon certain assumptions about the likelihood of future events, and there can be no assurance that any design will succeed in achieving its stated goals under all potential future conditions. Any controls and procedures, no matter how well designed and operated, can provide only reasonable, not absolute, assurance of achieving the desired control objectives. Our management, with the participation of our Co-Chief Executive Officers and our Chief Financial Officer, has evaluated the effectiveness of the design and operation of our disclosure controls and procedures as of the end of the period covered by this report. Based upon that evaluation, and subject to the foregoing, our Co-Chief Executive Officers and our Chief Financial Officer have concluded that, as of the end of the period covered by this report, the design and operation of our disclosure controls and procedures were effective to accomplish their objectives at the reasonable assurance level.

#### **Changes in Internal Control over Financial Reporting**

There have been no changes in our internal control over financial reporting (as that term is defined in Rules 13a-15(f) and 15d-15(f) under the Exchange Act) during the quarter ended September 30, 2015, that have materially affected, or are reasonably likely to materially affect, our internal control over financial reporting.

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#### Item 1. Legal Proceedings

From time to time, we are involved in various legal proceedings, lawsuits and claims incidental to the conduct of our business. Our businesses are also subject to extensive regulation, which may result in regulatory proceedings against us. Except as described below, we are not currently party to any material legal proceedings.

MCC Advisors LLC was named as a defendant in a lawsuit filed on May 29, 2015, by Moshe Barkat and Modern VideoFilm Holdings, LLC ("MVF Holdings") against MCC, MOF II, MCC Advisors LLC, Deloitte Transactions and Business Analytics LLP A/K/A Deloitte ERG, Scott Avila, Charles Sweet, and Modern VideoFilm, Inc. ("MFV"). The lawsuit is pending in the California Superior Court, Los Angeles County, Central District, as Case No. BC 583437. The lawsuit was filed after Medley Capital Corporation, as agent for the lender group, exercised remedies following a series of defaults by MVF and MVF Holdings on a \$70 million secured loan. The lawsuit seeks damages in excess of \$100 million. The defendants dispute the allegations and intend to vigorously defend the lawsuit and pursue affirmative counterclaims against Mr. Barkat and MVF Holdings.

#### **Item 1A. Risk Factors**

For a discussion of our potential risks and uncertainties, see the information under the heading "Risk Factors" in Part I., Item 1A. of our Annual Report on Form 10-K, which is accessible on the SEC's website at www.sec.gov.

#### Item 2. Unregistered Sales of Equity Securities and Use of Proceeds

None.

## **Item 3. Defaults Upon Senior Securities**

None.

#### **SIGNATURES**

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

# MEDLEY MANAGEMENT INC.

(Registrant)

Date: November 16, 2015 By:/s/ Richard T. Allorto, Jr.

Richard T. Allorto, Jr.

Chief Financial

Officer

(Principal Financial Officer and Authorized

Signatory)

#### **EXHIBIT INDEX**

## **Exhibit No. Description**

3.1	Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation of Medley Management Inc. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 3.1 to the Registrant's Current Report on Form 8-K (File No. 001-36638) filed on September 29, 2014)
3.2	Amended and Restated By-Laws of Medley Management Inc. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 3.2 to the Registrant's Current Report on Form 8-K (File No. 001-36638) filed on September 29, 2014)
31.1*	Certification by Co-Chief Executive Officer under Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002
31.2*	Certification by Co-Chief Executive Officer under Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002
31.3*	Certification by Chief Financial Officer under Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002
32.1*	Certification of Co-Chief Executive Officer Pursuant to 18 U.S.C. Section 1350 as Adopted Pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002
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101.INS*	XBRL Instance Document
101.SCH*	XBRL Taxonomy Extension Schema Document
101.CAL*	XBRL Taxonomy Extension Calculation Linkbase Document
101.DEF*	XBRL Taxonomy Extension Definition Linkbase Document
101.LAB*	XBRL Taxonomy Extension Label Linkbase Document
101.PRE*	XBRL Taxonomy Extension Presentation Linkbase Document

<sup>\*</sup> Filed herewith

The agreements and other documents filed as exhibits to this report are not intended to provide factual information or other disclosure other than with respect to the terms of the agreements or other documents themselves, and you should not rely on them for that purpose. In particular, any representations and warranties made by us in these agreements or other documents were made solely within the specific context of the relevant agreement or document and may not

describe the actual state of affairs as of the date they were made or at any other time.