

(A Component Unit of the State of Alaska)

Financial Statements and Supplemental Schedules

June 30, 2016

(With Independent Auditors' Report Thereon)

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Independent Auditors' Report

The Division of Retirement and Benefits and Members of the Alaska Retirement Management Board State of Alaska Deferred Compensation Plan:

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the State of Alaska Deferred Compensation Plan (the Plan), a component unit of the State of Alaska, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2016, which collectively comprise the Plan's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditors' Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express opinions on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditors' judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the fiduciary net position of the State of Alaska Deferred Compensation Plan as of June 30, 2016, and the changes in fiduciary net position for the year then ended, in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles.



Other Matters

Required Supplementary Information

U.S. generally accepted accounting principles require that the Management's Discussion and Analysis, on pages 3–8 be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board, who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. We have applied certain limited procedures to the required supplementary information in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, which consisted of inquiries of management about the methods of preparing the information and comparing the information for consistency with management's responses to our inquiries, the basic financial statements, and other knowledge we obtained during our audit of the basic financial statements. We do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the information because the limited procedures do not provide us with sufficient evidence to express an opinion or provide any assurance.

Supplemental Schedules

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements that collectively comprise the Plan's basic financial statements. The supplemental schedules are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements. The supplemental schedules are the responsibility of management and were derived from and relate directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements or to the basic financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the supplemental schedules are fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements as a whole.



December 20, 2016

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Management's Discussion and Analysis

June 30, 2016

(Unaudited)

This section presents management's discussion and analysis (MD&A) of the State of Alaska Deferred Compensation Plan's (the Plan) financial position and performance for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2016. This section is presented as a narrative overview and analysis. Please read the MD&A in conjunction with the financial statements and notes to financial statements to better understand the financial condition and performance of the Plan during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2016. Information for fiscal year 2015 and 2014 is presented for comparative purposes.

Financial Highlights

The Plan's financial highlights as of June 30, 2016 were as follows:

- The Plan's fiduciary net position as of June 30, 2016 decreased by \$0.8 million during fiscal year 2016.
- The Plan's participant contributions and transfers into the plan decreased by \$1.7 million during fiscal year 2016.
- The Plan's net investment income decreased by \$19.8 million to \$5.4 million during fiscal year 2016.
- Benefits paid to participants and purchases of annuity contracts decreased by \$1.5 million in fiscal year 2016.

Overview of the Financial Statements

This discussion and analysis is intended to serve as an introduction to the Plan's financial statements. The Plan's financial statements are composed of three components: (1) statement of fiduciary net position, (2) statement of changes in fiduciary net position, and (3) notes to financial statements.

Statement of Fiduciary Net Position – This statement presents information regarding the Plan's assets, liabilities, and resulting net position. This statement reflects the Plan's investments at fair value and receivables less liabilities at June 30, 2016.

Statement of Changes in Fiduciary Net Position – This statement presents how the Plan's net position changed during the year ended June 30, 2016. This statement presents contributions by participants along with net investment income during the period from individual participant-directed investing activities. Deductions for benefits paid, purchases of annuity contracts, and administrative expenses are also presented.

The above statements represent resources available for investment and payment of benefits and expenses as of June 30, 2016, and the sources and uses of those funds during the year ended June 30, 2016.

Notes to Financial Statements – The notes to financial statements are an integral part of the financial statements and provide additional detailed information and schedules that are essential to a full understanding of the Plan's financial statements.

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Condensed Financial Information (In thousands)

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	June 30, June 30,		Increase (Increase (decrease)		
Description	2016	2015	Amount	Percentage	2014	
Assets:						
Cash and cash equivalents	2,153	464	1,689	364.0% \$	1,834	
Participant contributions receivable	1,840	2,002	(162)	(8.1)	1,898	
Due from State of Alaska general fund	_	90	(90)	100.0	_	
Other receivables	42	42	_	_	42	
Investments	811,139	813,583	(2,444)	(0.3)	794,649	
Total assets	815,174	816,181	(1,007)	(0.1)	798,423	
Liabilities						
Due from State of Alaska general fund	29	182	(153)	(84.1)	77	
Accrued expenses	208	220	(12)	(5.5)	1,754	
Total liabilities	237	402	(165)	(41.0)	1,831	
Fiduciary net position	814,937	815,779	(842)	(0.1)% \$	796,592	

Changes in fiduciary net position

		June 30,	June 30,	Increase (decrease)	June 30,	
Description	_	2016	2015	Amount	Percentage	2014	
	(12 months)	(12 months)			(18 months)	
Net position, beginning of year	\$	815,779	796,592	19,187	2.4% \$	660,729	
Additions:							
Contributions and transfers in		43,910	45,580	(1,670)	(3.7)	66,382	
Net investment income		5,405	25,245	(19,840)	(78.6)	137,895	
Other			1	(1)	(100.0)	42	
Total additions		49,315	70,826	(21,511)	(30.4)	204,319	
Deductions:							
Benefits paid to participants and							
purchases of annuity contracts		49,121	50,600	(1,479)	(2.9)	66,897	
Administrative		1,036	1,039	(3)	(0.3)	1,559	
Total deductions		50,157	51,639	(1,482)	(2.9)	68,456	
Net increase (decrease) in							
net position		(842)	19,187	(20,029)	(104.4)	135,863	
Net position, end of year	\$	814,937	815,779	(842)	(0.1)% \$	796,592	

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Financial Analysis of the Plan

The statement of fiduciary net position as of June 30, 2016 shows net position of \$814,937,000. The entire amount is available to pay benefits to participants and their beneficiaries, as well as administrative costs.

This amount represents an decrease in plan net position of \$842,000 or 0.1% from fiscal year 2015 to fiscal year 2016, and an increase of \$19,187,000 or 2.4% from fiscal year 2014 to fiscal year 2015.

Contributions and Investment Income

Additions to the Plan are accumulated through a combination of plan participant contributions and investment income as follows (in thousands):

		Additions					
		June 30,	June 30,	Increase (June 30,		
		2016	2015	Amount	Percentage	2014	
	(1	2 months)	(12 months)			(18 months)	
Participant contributions	\$	43,879	45,552	(1,673)	(3.7)% \$	66,311	
Transfers in		31	28	3	10.7	71	
Net investment income		5,405	25,245	(19,840)	(78.6)	137,895	
Other			1	(1)	(100.0)	42	
Total	\$	49,315	70,826	(21,511)	(30.4)% \$	204,319	

The Plan's participant contributions decreased from \$45,552,000 in fiscal year 2015 to \$43,879,000 in fiscal year 2016, a decrease of \$1,673,000 or 3.7%. The Plan's participant contributions decreased from \$66,311,000 in the 18-month fiscal period ending June 30, 2014 to \$45,552,000 in fiscal year 2015, a decrease of \$20,759,000 or 31.3%. Changes in contributions are attributable to changes in elected deferrals per employee in the Plan as well as the additional six months in the fiscal period ended June 30, 2014.

The Plan's net investment income decreased from \$25,245,000 in fiscal year 2015 to \$5,405,000 in fiscal year 2016, a decrease of \$19,840,000 or 78.6% from amounts recorded in fiscal year 2015. The decrease relates to the decline in rates of returns in fiscal year 2016. Net investment income decreased in fiscal year 2015 by \$112,650,000 or 81.7% when compared to amounts recorded in the 18-month fiscal period ended June 30, 2014. This decrease relates to significant declines in rates of returns in fiscal year 2015 compared to similar investments in the 18-month fiscal period ending June 30, 2014.

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The Plan's investment rates of return at June 30, are as follows:

	2016 trailing 12- month actual	2015 trailing 12- month actual
Alaska Balanced Trust	2.49%	2.33%
Alaska Long-Term Balanced Trust	0.95	2.84
Alaska Target Date Retirement 2010 Trust	1.36	2.34
Alaska Target Date Retirement 2015 Trust	1.08	2.70
Alaska Target Date Retirement 2020 Trust	0.78	2.97
Alaska Target Date Retirement 2025 Trust	0.39	3.19
Alaska Target Date Retirement 2030 Trust	_	3.32
Alaska Target Date Retirement 2035 Trust	(0.25)	3.41
Alaska Target Date Retirement 2040 Trust	(0.60)	3.53
Alaska Target Date Retirement 2045 Trust	(0.59)	3.55
Alaska Target Date Retirement 2050 Trust	(0.59)	3.54
Alaska Target Date Retirement 2055 Trust	(0.59)	3.56
Allianz/RCM Socially Responsible Investment Fund	1.26	4.91
State Street Money Market Fund	0.08	N/A
Brandes International Equity Fund	(16.51)	N/A
Government/Credit Bond Index Fund	3.80	1.52
Interest Income Fund	2.64	2.71
Intermediate Bond Fund	6.65	1.68
Long U.S. Treasury Bond Index Fund	19.45	6.29
Russell 3000 Index Fund	2.21	7.34
S&P 500 Index Fund	3.98	7.37
SSgA Global Balanced Fund	1.49	(0.20)
T. Rowe Price U.S. Small Cap Trust	(2.20)	6.27
U.S. Real Estate Investment Trust Index Fund	22.49	4.98
U.S. TIPS Index Fund	4.23	(1.83)
World Equity Ex-U.S. Index Fund	(9.56)	(5.25)
World Government Bond Ex-U.S. Index Fund	13.83	(13.60)

The MassMutual Equity Fund and MassMutual Bond Fund have both been closed to participant use since 1986. Because of the closed nature of the funds, a rate of return on a fully comparable basis is not provided. However, both funds closely mirror funds generally of the same asset composition that are actively available.

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Benefits and Other Deductions

The primary deductions to the Plan are the payment of benefits and purchases of annuity contracts. Benefit payments and administrative expenses were as follows (in thousands):

		Deductions					
	-	June 30,	June 30,	Increase (June 30,		
	_	2016	2015	Amount	Percentage	2014	
	_	(12 months)	(12 months)			(18 months)	
Benefits paid to participants and							
purchases of annuity contracts	\$	49,121	50,600	(1,479)	(2.9)% \$	66,897	
Administrative	_	1,036	1,039	(3)	(0.3)	1,559	
Total	\$_	50,157	51,639	(1,482)	(2.9)% \$	68,456	

The Plan's benefits paid to participants and purchases of annuity contracts in fiscal year 2016 decreased by \$1,479,000 or by 2.9% from fiscal year 2015. The Plan's benefits paid to participants and purchases of annuity contracts in fiscal year 2015 decreased by \$16,297,000 or 24.4% from the 18-month fiscal period ended June 30, 2014. This decrease in deductions is primarily attributable to the six-month decrease in length from the prior period.

The Plan had administrative expenses of \$1,036,000 in fiscal year 2016 compared to \$1,039,000 in fiscal year 2015, a decrease of \$3,000 or 0.3%. Costs remained roughly the same from fiscal year 2016 compared to fiscal year 2015. The Plan had administrative expenses of \$1,039,000 in fiscal year 2015 compared to \$1,559,000 in the 18-month fiscal period ended June 30, 2014, a decrease of \$520,000 or 33.4%. The Plan had incurred costs related to computer infrastructure enhancements in prior years that are not included in the past 18-month time frame, which reduced expenses for the Plan.

Fiduciary Responsibilities

The Alaska Retirement Management Board, the plan administrator, and the Commissioner of Administration are co-fiduciaries of the Plan.

The Plan's assets can only be used for the exclusive benefit of the Plan's participants, beneficiaries, and alternate payees.

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Request for Information

This financial report is designed to provide a general overview for those parties interested in the Plan's finances. Questions concerning any of the information provided in this financial report or requests for additional information should be addressed to:

State of Alaska Deferred Compensation Plan Division of Retirement and Benefits, Finance Section P.O. Box 110203 Juneau, Alaska 99811-0203

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Statement of Fiduciary Net Position

June 30, 2016

(In thousands)

	 2016
Assets:	
Cash and cash equivalents: Investment in State of Alaska General Fund and Other Nonsegregated Investments Pool Money market fund – nonparticipant directed	\$ 2,002 151
Total cash and cash equivalents	 2,153
Receivables: Participant contributions receivable Other receivables	 1,840 42
Total receivables	1,882
Investments, participant directed, at fair value: Collective investment funds Pooled investment funds	493,955 134,558
Investments, participant directed, at contract value: Synthetic investment contracts	 182,626
Total investments	 811,139
Total assets	 815,174
Liabilities: Due to State of Alaska General Fund Accrued expenses	 29 208
Total liabilities	 237
Fiduciary net position	\$ 814,937

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

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Statement of Changes in Fiduciary Net Position

Year ended June 30, 2016

(In thousands)

	 2016
Additions:	
Participant contributions	\$ 43,879
Transfers in	 31
Total contributions	 43,910
Investment income:	
Net appreciation in fair value of investments	8,001
Less investment expense	 2,596
Net investment income	 5,405
Total additions	49,315
Deductions:	
Benefits paid to participants and purchases of annuity contracts	49,121
Administrative	 1,036
Total deductions	 50,157
Net decrease in net position	(842)
Net position, beginning of year	 815,779
Net position, end of year	\$ 814,937

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

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(1) Description

The following description of the State of Alaska Deferred Compensation Plan (the Plan), a defined contribution plan, is provided for general information purposes only. Participants should refer to the plan document for more complete information.

General

The Plan was created by State of Alaska (the State) statutes issued May 31, 1974, and was most recently amended effective March 1, 2006. It is a deferred compensation plan under Section 457 of the Internal Revenue Code and is available to all permanent and long-term nonpermanent employees and elected officials of the State and, with the March 1, 2006 amendment, members of State boards and commissions. Participants in the Plan authorize the State to reduce their current salary or compensation so that they can receive the amount deferred at a later date. The deferred compensation is not available to participants until termination, retirement, death, or an unforeseeable emergency, within the definition allowed by the applicable Internal Revenue Code. There were 11,200 participants in the Plan as of June 30, 2016.

As a result of the passage of the Small Business Job Protection Act of 1996 (SBJPA), all amounts deferred, including amounts deferred before the effective date of the new law under an eligible 457 plan, must be held in a trust for the exclusive benefit of employees and beneficiaries. This law repealed the requirement that a Section 457 plan sponsored by a government be solely the property of the employer, subject only to the claims of the employer's general creditors. The trust requirement generally applies to assets and income held by a plan on and after the date of enactment of the SBJPA. For any plan in existence on the date of enactment of the SBJPA, a trust need not be established before January 1, 2000.

As to the Plan, the plan document was amended effective January 1, 1997 to recognize and establish the trust requirement for the Plan. The formal trust documents were completed by December 31, 1998.

The plan document was completely restated effective January 1, 2002 for compliance with the Economic Growth and Tax Relief Reconciliation Act of 2001 and most recently amended March 1, 2006.

The Division of Retirement and Benefits is responsible for plan administration and record-keeping. The Alaska Retirement Management Board (the Board) is responsible for the specific investment of monies in the Plan.

The fiscal year-end was changed from a fiscal year-end of December 31 to a fiscal year-end of June 30 effective June 30, 2014.

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Contributions

During the fiscal year ended June 30, 2016, plan participants are required to contribute a minimum of \$50 per month (\$600 per year). At June 30, 2016, the maximum amount that could be deferred in a calendar year was \$18,000 for participants under age 50 and \$24,000 for participants who are age 50 and greater. However, for each of the participant's last three calendar years ending prior to normal retirement age, a "catch-up limitation" applies, which allows larger contributions (up to \$36,000 in calendar year 2016). Participants vest automatically in all of their contributions and earnings on those contributions.

Participant Accounts

Participant accounts are self-directed with respect to investment options. Each participant designates how his or her contribution is to be allocated among the investment options. Each participant's account is credited with the participant's contributions and the appreciation or depreciation in unit value for the investment funds.

A record-keeping/administrative fee is deducted monthly from each participant's account, applied pro rata to all the funds in which the member participates. This fee is for all costs incurred by the record-keeper and by the State. The investment management fees are netted out of the funds' performance.

At June 30, 2016, participants had the following investment options:

Collective Investment Funds

Allianz/RCM Socially Responsible Investment Fund – This fund is actively managed and only invests in companies contained within the MSCI USA environmental, social, and governance (ESG) Index (LMSI). The LMSI holds approximately 600 companies with the highest ESG rankings in each sector of the 1,000 largest U.S. stocks.

Government/Credit Bond Index Fund – This fund invests in a highly diversified portfolio of high-quality U.S. fixed income securities. The fund buys and holds portfolios of the securities included in the Barclays Capital Government/Credit Bond Index. The fund seeks to closely match the Index's total rate of return.

Intermediate Bond Fund – This fund buys and holds representative securities included in the Barclays Capital Intermediate Bond Index. The fund seeks to closely match the Index's total rate of return.

International Equity Fund – Inception date for this fund was March 2015 and it is invested primarily in the equity securities of non-U.S. issuers. The fund is a multimanager fund comprised of two investment managers of differing investment strategies, style, and long-term market correlation.

Long U.S. Treasury Bond Index Fund – This fund invests in one or more commingled funds managed by SSgA, which, in combination, are designed to replicate the return of the Barclays Capital Long Treasury Bond Index while providing for daily liquidity for plan participants. The fund seeks to match the return of Barclays Capital Long Treasury Bond Index by investing in a well-diversified portfolio of Treasury securities with maturities longer than ten years.

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MassMutual Bond Fund – This fund invests in investment-grade corporate and government bonds and other debt securities. This investment option is only available to participants whose contributions were originally invested with the MassMutual Life Insurance Company and have since remained with MassMutual.

MassMutual Equity Fund – This fund invests in diversified common stocks of high-quality growth companies for long-term capital growth with income a secondary consideration. This investment option is only available to participants whose contributions were originally invested with the MassMutual Life Insurance Company and have since remained with MassMutual Life Insurance Company.

Russell 3000 Index Fund – This fund invests in one or more commingled funds managed by SSgA, which, in combination, are designed to replicate the returns and characteristics of the Russell 3000 Index. The fund measures the performance of the largest 3,000 U.S. companies representing approximately 98.0% of the investable U.S. equity market.

Standard & Poor's (S&P) 500 Stock Index Fund – This fund offers diversified investment in the U.S. equity market and replicates the returns and characteristics of the Standard & Poor's 500 Composite Stock Price Index. The S&P 500 Index is the world's most widely followed stock index representing about 81% of the entire U.S. equity market.

SSgA Global Balanced Fund – This fund has a target asset allocation of 60% equities and 40% fixed income and is invested in a mix of passively managed index commingled funds, which, in combination, are designed to replicate the returns and characteristics of the fund benchmark.

State Street Institutional Treasury Money Market Fund – This money market fund seeks to achieve its investment objective by investing substantially all of its investable assets in the State Street Money Market Portfolio of State Street Master Funds, which has the same investment objective as, and investment policies that are substantially similar to, those of the fund. The fund attempts to achieve its investment objective by investing exclusively in direct obligations of the U.S. Treasury, such as U.S. Treasury bills, notes, and bonds. The fund may also invest in other mutual funds, subject to regulatory limitations, that invest exclusively in such obligations.

- *U.S. Real Estate Investment Trust Index Fund* This fund seeks to replicate the returns and characteristics of the Dow Jones U.S. Select REIT Index by purchasing each security in the same capitalization weight as it appears in the Index.
- *U.S. Small Cap Trust* This fund invests primarily in common stocks of small companies that appear undervalued or offer the potential for superior earnings growth. The trust's benchmark is the Russell 2000 Index, a broad representation of the small-cap U.S. equity market.
- *U.S. Treasury Inflation Protected Securities (TIPS) Index Fund* This fund invests in the Barclays Capital U.S. TIPS Index and is intended to replicate the return of the index while providing for daily liquidity for the plan participants. The fund seeks to match the returns of the index by investing in a portfolio of U.S. Treasury inflation protected securities.

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World Equity Ex-U.S. Index Fund – This fund invests in one or more commingled funds managed by SSgA, which, in combination, are designed to replicate the returns and characteristics of the MSCI ACWI Ex-U.S. Index and provide a broad-based, low-cost exposure to both the developed and emerging markets. The index consists of approximately 2,000 securities across 47 markets.

World Government Bond Ex-U.S. Index Fund – This fund seeks an investment return that approximates as closely as practicable, before expenses, the performance of the Citigroup World Government Ex-U.S. Index over the long term. The fund is managed using a passive or indexing investment approach, by which SSgA attempts to replicate, before expenses, the performance of the index.

Interest Income Fund

Interest Income Fund – The purpose of this fund is to maximize current income while maintaining principal stability by investing in a diversified portfolio of primarily synthetic investment contracts (SICs) issued by banks and insurance companies that meet specified credit standards. Supporting securities for SICs typically include U.S. Treasury/Agency obligations, mortgage and asset-backed securities, as well as investment-grade corporate bonds.

Pooled Investment Funds

The Board contracts with an external investment manager who is given authority to invest in a wholly owned pooled environment to accommodate 13 participant-directed funds.

Alaska Balanced Trust – The purpose of this fund is to provide exposure to a diversified mix of stocks, bonds, and money market securities for investors with a higher tolerance for risk and a medium investment horizon. The trust invests in up to four underlying common trust funds, each one emphasizing a different market sector: U.S. stocks, non-U.S. stocks, U.S. investment-grade bonds, and money market securities.

Alaska Long-Term Balanced Trust – The purpose of this fund is to provide exposure to a diversified mix of stocks, bonds, and money market securities for investors with a higher tolerance for risk and a medium to long investment horizon. The trust invests in up to four underlying common trust funds, each one emphasizing a different market sector: U.S. stocks, non-U.S. stocks, U.S. investment-grade bonds, and money market securities.

Alaska Target Date Retirement 2010–2055 Trusts – The purpose of these funds is to provide a diverse mix of stocks, bonds, and money market securities for long-term investors with a higher tolerance for risk. The trusts are designed to gradually invest more conservatively as the target retirement date approaches. The trusts invest in four underlying common trust funds, each one emphasizing a different market sector: U.S. stocks, non-U.S. stocks, U.S. investment-grade bonds, and money market securities. Over time, the allocations become more conservative, systematically decreasing exposure to stocks and increasing exposure to bonds and money market securities on a quarterly basis. At the target date, the trusts maintain a substantial exposure to stocks (approximately 55%). The most conservative allocation to stocks (approximately 20%) occurs 30 years after the target date is reached.

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Payment of Benefits

Participants are eligible to withdraw their account balance upon termination in the form of a lump sum, one of various annuities, or a periodic payment option, unless the participant elects to defer commencement of benefits. Account balances of \$1,000 or less are automatically paid in the form of a lump-sum distribution. The deferred benefit commencement date can be no later than April 1 of the year after the participant would have turned age 70½. Payment of benefits to a participant commences 60 days after termination or the deferred benefit commencement date, as applicable.

Participants may request a hardship withdrawal for an unforeseeable emergency, within the definition allowed by the Internal Revenue Code. Hardship withdrawals are received as lump-sum distributions and must be approved by the plan administrator.

The Plan purchases annuity contracts from an insurance company. The annuity contracts are excluded from the plan assets.

Income Taxes

The Plan is exempt from federal income taxes under the provisions of Section 501(a) of the Internal Revenue Code

Termination, Partial Termination, or Complete Discontinuance of Contributions

Although the State has established the Plan with the bona fide intention and expectation that it will continue the Plan indefinitely, the State may, in its sole and absolute discretion, terminate the Plan in whole or in part at any time without liability whatsoever for such termination. If the Plan shall be terminated, the participants in the Plan will be deemed to have withdrawn from the Plan as of the date of such termination. Deferred compensation shall thereupon cease. Upon plan termination, each participant or beneficiary shall be given the opportunity to elect a benefit commencement date and form of payment.

(2) Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Basis of Accounting

The Plan utilizes the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual method of accounting. In preparing the financial statements, the plan administrator is required to make estimates that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosures of contingent assets and liabilities as of the date of the financial statements, and additions and deductions for the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

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Valuation of Collective Investment Funds

The Plan's investments in collective investment funds (note 3) held in trust are stated at fair value based on the net asset value as reported by the trustees multiplied by the number of units held by the Plan. The net asset value is determined by the trustees based on the fair value of the underlying assets. Purchases and sales of securities are recorded on a trade-date basis.

Valuation of Synthetic Investment Contracts

The Plan's investments in fully benefit-responsive SICs (note 5) are stated at contract value.

Valuation of Ownership of Pooled Investment Funds

The Plan's ownership of pooled investment funds held in trust are stated at fair value based on the unit values as reported by the trustees multiplied by the number of units held by the Plan. The unit value is determined by the trustees based on the fair value of the underlying assets. Purchases and sales of securities are recorded on a trade-date basis.

Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents at June 30, 2016 are composed of interest-bearing deposits. The money market fund consists of nonparticipant-directed funds used to pay administrative costs of the Plan.

Contributions Receivable

Contributions applicable to wages earned through June 30 are accrued. These contributions are considered fully collectible, and accordingly, no allowance for doubtful accounts is considered necessary.

Due to State of Alaska General Fund

Amounts due to State of Alaska General Fund represent the amounts paid by the General Fund on behalf of the Plan.

(3) Investments

The Plan is participant directed, which means that the Plan's participants decide in which options to invest. Of total plan net position of \$814,937,000 at June 30, 2016, 99.5% or \$811,139,000 are specifically allocated to individual participant accounts.

Each participant designates how their contribution is to be allocated among the investment options. Each participant's account is credited with the participant's contributions, adjusted for the appreciation or depreciation in unit value for the investment funds, and reduced for administrative fees.

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The market values of participant-directed investments at June 30 are as follows (in thousands):

	_	2016
Interest Income Fund	\$	182,626
S&P 500 Index Fund	Ψ	180,264
U.S. Small Cap Trust		88,312
Alaska Long-Term Balanced Trust		48,011
SSgA Global Balanced Fund		36,814
International Equity Fund		34,822
Russell 3000 Index Fund		28,475
Government/Credit Bond Index Fund		27,305
Alaska Balanced Trust		22,344
Intermediate Bond Fund		20,081
Alaska Target Date Retirement 2020 Trust		18,424
Allianz/RCM Socially Responsible Investment Fund		16,567
U.S. Real Estate Investment Trust Index Fund		16,312
State Street Institutional Treasury Money Market Fund		11,576
Alaska Target Date Retirement 2025 Trust		9,733
U.S. TIPS Index Fund		9,605
Alaska Target Date Retirement 2015 Trust		9,501
Long U.S. Treasury Bond Index Fund		9,031
World Equity Ex-U.S. Index Fund		8,487
Alaska Target Date Retirement 2030 Trust		6,600
Alaska Target Date Retirement 2040 Trust		4,394
World Government Bond Ex-U.S. Index Fund		3,960
Alaska Target Date Retirement 2035 Trust		3,927
Alaska Target Date Retirement 2010 Trust		3,435
Alaska Target Date Retirement 2055 Trust		3,202
Alaska Target Date Retirement 2045 Trust		2,975
MassMutual Equity Fund		2,281
Alaska Target Date Retirement 2050 Trust		1,934
Alaska Target Date Retirement 2060 Trust		78
MassMutual Bond Fund	_	63
Total	\$_	811,139

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The Plan's investments at June 30, 2016 include the following collective investment funds (in thousands):

Equity funds:		
S&P 500 Index Fund	\$	180,264
U.S. Small Cap Trust		88,312
International Equity Fund		34,822
Russell 3000 Index Fund		28,475
Allianz/RCM Socially Responsible		,
Investment Fund		16,567
U.S. Real Estate Investment Trust		,
Index Fund		16,312
World Equity Ex-U.S. Index Fund		8,487
MassMutual Equity Fund		2,281
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	,	375,520
Bond and debt securities funds:		
Government/Credit Bond Index Fund		27,305
Intermediate Bond Fund		20,081
U.S. TIPS Index Fund		9,605
Long U.S. Treasury Bond Index Fund		9,031
World Government Bond Ex-U.S.		,,,,,,
Index Fund		3,960
MassMutual Bond Fund		63
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	,	70,045
Bond and equity fund:		
SSgA Global Balanced Fund		36,814
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Money market funds:		
Participant directed – State Street		
Institutional Treasury Money		11.576
Market Fund	,	11,576
Total collective		
investment funds	\$	493,955

(4) Fair Value Measurement

Various inputs are used in valuing the investments held by the Board. Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP) establishes a hierarchy of inputs used to value investment emphasizing observable inputs and minimizing unobservable inputs. These inputs are summarized as follows:

Level 1 – Quoted prices for identical assets in an active market

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Level 2 – Inputs, other than quoted prices, that are observable for the asset, either directly or indirectly

Level 3 – Unobservable inputs. Unobservable inputs should only be used to the extent that observable inputs are not available for a particular asset.

The Board categorizes fair value measurements within the fair value hierarchy established by GAAP. The Board has the following recurring fair value measurements at June 30, 2016 (in thousands):

Investment by fair value level	Totals	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3
Cash equivalents				
Money market \$	11,576	11,576	_	_
Total cash equivalents	11,576	11,576		_
Debt securities				<u> </u>
U.S. Treasury bills, notes, bonds, and TIPS	68,366	68,366	_	_
Total debt securities	68,366	68,366		_
Equity securities			,	
Common stock	360,887	360,887	_	_
Real estate investment trust	16,312	16,312		
Total debt securities	377,199	377,199		_
Other				
Balanced funds	107,169	107,169	_	_
Target funds	64,203	64,203	_	_
Total other	171,372	171,372		
Total investment by fair value level \$	628,513	628,513		_

Equity securities classified as Level 1 are valued using quoted prices from active markets. Debt securities, balanced funds and target funds classified as Level 1 are valued based on the funds producing a daily NAV that is validated with sufficient level of observable activity. In this case, the NAV represents the exit value.

(5) Synthetic Investment Contracts

Accounts and terms of SICs in effect at June 30, 2016 are as follows:

Prudential Insurance Company of America

In September 2013, the Plan's investment manager entered into an investment contract, on behalf of the Plan, with Prudential Insurance Company of America. This financial institution provides a wrap contract that covers a separately managed structured payout synthetic investment portfolio. The account is credited with earnings and investment deposits, less administrative expenses charged by the financial institution and investment withdrawals. The contract is included in the Plan's financial statements at contract value. It is fully benefit responsive. There are no reserves against contract value for the credit risk of the contract issuer or otherwise. The contract value of the investment contract at June 30, 2016 was \$51,803,000, as reported by Prudential Insurance Company of America and the market value of the portfolio at June 30, 2016 was \$54,218,000. The 12-month average crediting rate for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016 was approximately 2.69%. The crediting interest rate is based on the approximate rate of interest that will amortize differences between contract and market value over the portfolio's average duration.

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Royal Bank of Canada

In February 2013, the Plan's investment manager entered into an investment contract, on behalf of the Plan, with Royal Bank of Canada. This financial institution provides a wrap contract that covers a separately managed structured payout synthetic investment portfolio. The account is credited with earnings and investment deposits, less administrative expenses charged by the financial institution and investment withdrawals. The contract is included in the Plan's financial statements at contract value. It is fully benefit responsive. There are no reserves against contract value for the credit risk of the contract issuer or otherwise. The contract value of the investment contract at June 30, 2016 was \$36,732,000, as reported by Royal Bank of Canada and the market value of the portfolio at June 30, 2016 was \$37,875,000. The 12-month average crediting rate for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016 was approximately 2.64%. The crediting interest rate is based on the approximate rate of interest that will amortize differences between contract and market value over the portfolio's average duration.

State Street Bank

In 2000, the Plan's investment manager entered into an investment contract, on behalf of the Plan, with State Street Bank. This financial institution provides a wrap contract that covers a separately managed constant duration synthetic investment portfolio. The account is credited with earnings and investment deposits, less administrative expenses charged by the financial institution and investment withdrawals. The contract is included in the Plan's financial statements at contract value. It is fully benefit responsive. There are no reserves against contract value for the credit risk of the contract issuer or otherwise. The contract value of the investment contract at June 30, 2016 was \$50,477,000, as reported by State Street Bank, and the market value of the portfolio at June 30, 2016 was \$52,918,000. The average crediting rate for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016 was approximately 2.81%. The crediting interest rate is based on the approximate rate of interest that will amortize differences between contract and market value over the portfolio's average duration.

Pacific Life Insurance Co.

In 2004, the Plan's investment manager entered into an investment contract, on behalf of the Plan, with Pacific Life Insurance Co. This financial institution provides a wrap contract that covers a separately managed structured payout synthetic investment portfolio. The account is credited with earnings and investment deposits, less administrative expenses charged by the financial institution and investment withdrawals. The contract is included in the Plan's financial statements at contract value. It is fully benefit responsive. There are no reserves against contract value for the credit risk of the contract issuer or otherwise. The contract value of the investment contract at June 30, 2016 was \$36,916,000, as reported by Pacific Life Insurance Co., and the market value of the portfolio at June 30, 2016 was \$38,700,000. The average crediting rate for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016 was approximately 2.81%. The crediting interest rate is based on the approximate rate of interest that will amortize differences between contract and market value over the portfolio's average duration.

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(6) Deposit and Investment Risk

Interest Rate Risk

Interest rate risk is the risk that changes in interest rates will adversely affect the fair value of an investment.

Collective Investment and Money Market Funds

The Board contracts with external investment managers who maintain collective investment funds. Managers selected to manage investments for the Plan are subject to the provisions of the collective investment funds the Board has selected. In addition, the Plan maintains a balance in a commingled money market portfolio.

The Board does not have a policy to limit interest rate risk for the Collective Investment Funds or the Institutional Treasury Money Market Fund portfolio. These investments with their related weighted average maturities at June 30, 2016 are as follows:

	Fair value (in thousands)	Weighted average maturity
Government/Credit Bond Index Fund	\$ 27,305	8.79 years
Intermediate Bond Fund	20,081	4.09 years
Institutional Treasury Money Market Fund	11,576	30 days
U.S. TIPS Index Fund	9,605	8.72 years
Long U.S. Treasury Bond Index Fund	9,031	25.38 years
World Government Bond ex-U.S. Index Fund	3,960	9.70 years
Mass Mutual Bond Fund	63	9.75 years

Interest Income Fund

The Board contracts with an external investment manager who is given the authority to invest in SICs and a reserve. This external manager also manages the securities underlying the SICs.

Through the Board's investment policy, exposure to fair value losses arising from increasing interest rates is managed by limiting the duration on SICs as follows:

- For constant duration SICs, duration cannot exceed the longer of six years or the duration of the Barclays Capital Intermediate Aggregate Index plus one-half year. The aggregate duration of the constant duration SICs was 3.47 years at June 30, 2016. The duration of the Barclays Capital Intermediate Aggregate Index was 3.48 years at June 30, 2016.
- Duration is a measure of interest rate risk. In the case of the Plan's constant duration SICs, duration is the fair value weighted average term to maturity using all fixed income securities underlying the contracts and their related cash flows.

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Pooled Investment Funds

Duration is a measure of a security's sensitivity to a 100-basis point change in interest rates. Duration, for the securities in the pooled investment funds, is the fair value weighted average term to maturity for each security taking into account all related cash flows.

The Board contracts with an external investment manager who is given the authority to invest funds in a wholly owned pooled environment to accommodate 13 participant-directed funds. Through the Board's investment policy, exposure to fair value losses arising from increasing interest rates is managed by limiting the duration as follows:

• For government and corporate debt securities, duration is limited to \pm 0.2 years of the blended benchmark of 70% Barclays U.S. Intermediate Aggregate Bond Index, 15% Barclays U.S. Floating Rate Note Index, 10% Barclays TIPS Index, and 5% Barclays Long U.S. Treasury Bond Index. At June 30, 2016, the blended Barclays Bond Index duration was 3.71 years, and the duration of the Aggregate Bond Trust was 3.73 years, respectively.

The weighted average maturity of the money market portfolio was 58.10 days at June 30, 2016.

The Board does not have a policy to limit interest rate risk for funds held in foreign currency, the custodian's short-term investment fund, or commercial paper.

Credit Risk

Credit risk is the risk that an issuer or other counterparty to an investment will not fulfill its obligations.

The Board does not have a policy to limit credit risk for the Plan's collective investment funds and the commingled money market portfolio. These investments are not rated.

The Board's investment policy has the following limitations with regard to credit risk for SICs, investments underlying the synthetic investment contracts and the reserve:

- SIC issuers must have an investment grade rating
- Supranational agency and foreign government entity investments must have a minimum rating of A- or equivalent
- Corporate debt securities must have a minimum rating of BBB- or equivalent
- Asset-backed securities must have a minimum rating of AAA or equivalent
- The ratings assigned to issuers of money market instruments must have the highest rating of any nationally recognized statistical rating organization. This limitation does not apply to the investment funds maintained by the custodian.

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The Board's investment policy has the following limitations with regard to credit risk for wholly owned pooled investments:

- All government and corporate fixed income securities must be rated BBB- or better at time of purchase
- GNMA, FNMA, and FHLMC mortgage-backed securities may be purchased even if they are not rated by all or any of these rating agencies as long as they are rated investment grade by T.Rowe's internal credit evaluation

Commercial paper and other short-term debt obligations must be rated A1 or equivalent. At June 30, 2016, Plan investments consisted of securities with credit quality ratings issued by a nationally recognized statistical rating organization as follows (using the Standard and Poor's rating scale):

Investment type	Rating	Fair value (in thousands) Total
		1000
Investments with credit exposure: Money market fund	Not Rated	\$ 151
Deposits and investments with no credit exposure:		
Collective investment funds	Not Rated	351,910
Wholly-owned pooled	Not Rated	134,558
Wholly-owned domestic equity	Not Rated	104,879
International equity	Not Rated	34,822
MassMutual equity fund	Not Rated	2,281
MassMutual bond fund	Not Rated	63
Total invested assets		628,664
Total		\$ 628,664

Concentration of Credit Risk

Concentration of credit risk is the risk of loss attributed to the magnitude of a government's investment in a single issuer.

The Board does not have a policy to limit concentration of credit risk in the collective investment and money market funds.

The Board's policy with regard to concentration of credit risk for SICs, investments underlying the SICs, and the reserve is as follows:

• No investment will be made if, at the time of purchase, total investment in any single issuer of investment contracts would exceed 35% of the Interest Income Fund's total value

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• No investment will be made if, at the time of purchase, total investment in any single issuer or in all issuers of the securities held as supporting investments under SICs in the table below would exceed the respective percentages of all investments underlying the SICs

Investment type	Issuer	All issuers
U.S. Treasury and Agencies	100.0%	100.0%
U.S. Agency Securities	100.0	100.0
Agency Mortgage-backed Securities	50.0	50.0
Non-Agency Mortgage-backed Securities	5.0	50.0
Asset-backed Securities	5.0	50.0
Domestic and Foreign Corporate Debt Securities	5.0	50.0
Supranational Agency and Foreign Government Entity Securities	5.0	50.0
Money Market Instruments – Nongovernmental/Agency	5.0	100.0
Custodian Short-term Investment Fund	100.0	100.0

- The maximum exposure to securities rated BBB is limited to 20% of the total value underlying SICs
- For the reserve, the total investment of any single issuer of money market instruments may not exceed 5% of the total value underlying synthetic investment contracts. This limitation does not apply to the investment funds maintained by the custodian

The Board's policy with regard to concentration of credit risk for wholly owned pooled investments is as follows:

- Equity holdings will be limited to 5% per issuer of the equity portfolio at the time of purchase
- With the exception of the U.S. government or its agencies, fixed income holdings of any single issuer is limited to 2% of the total portfolio at the time of purchase
- With the exception of the U.S. Government or its agencies, money market holdings of any single issuer are limited to no more than 5% of the portfolio at the time of purchase. This limitation does not apply to the investment funds maintained by the custodian.

At June 30, 2016 the Plan had no exposure to a single issuer in excess of 5% of total invested assets.

Foreign Currency Risk

Foreign currency risk is the risk that changes in exchange rates will adversely affect the fair value of an investment or deposit.

The Board does not have a policy to limit foreign currency risk associated with collective investment funds. The Plan has exposure to foreign currency risk in the International Equity and Global Balanced collective investment funds.

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The Board's policy with regard to the Interest Income Fund is to require that all investments underlying a SIC be denominated in U.S. dollars.

The Board's policy with regard to pooled investments requires that all money market holdings be made in entities domiciled in the United States. The Board has no policy with regard to other pooled investments.

Custodial Credit Risk

Custodial credit risk is the risk that, in the event of a bank failure, the deposits may not be returned. The Board does not have a policy for custodial credit risk. At June 30, 2016, the Plan's deposits were uncollateralized and uninsured.

(7) Risk and Uncertainty

The Plan invests in various investment securities. Investment securities are exposed to various risks, such as interest rate, market, and credit risks. Due to the level of risk associated with certain investment securities, it is at least reasonably possible that changes in the values of investment securities will occur in the near term and that such changes could materially affect participants' account balances and the amounts reported in the statement of fiduciary net assets.

The Plan may invest in pooled separate accounts that include securities with contractual cash flows, which may include asset-backed securities, collateralized mortgage obligations, and commercial mortgage-backed securities. The value, liquidity, and related income of these securities are sensitive to changes in economic conditions, including real estate value, delinquencies or defaults, or both, and may be adversely affected by shifts in the market's perception of the issuers and changes in interest rates.



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Schedule of Administrative and Investment Deductions

Year ended June 30, 2016

(In thousands)

	Administrative	Investment	Totals 2016
Personal services:			
Wages	\$ 156	8	164
Benefits	106	3	109
Total personal services	262	11	273
Travel:			
Transportation	1	2	3
Per diem	1	2	3
Total travel	2	4	6
Contractual services:			
Management and consulting	672	2,541	3,213
Accounting and auditing	23	1	24
Data processing	51	26	77
Communications	9	2	11
Rentals/leases	13	4	17
Legal	1	3	4
Repairs and maintenance			
Other professional services	2	2	4
Total contractual services	771	2,579	3,350
Other:			
Supplies	1	2	3
Equipment			
Total other	1	2	3
Total administrative and investment deductions	\$ 1.036	2 506	3,632
investment deductions	\$1,036	2,596	3,032

See accompanying independent auditors' report.

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Schedule of Payments to Consultants Other than Investment Advisors

Year ended June 30, 2016

(In thousands)

Firm	Services	<u> </u>	2016
KPMG LLP	Auditing services	\$	22
State Street Bank Corporation	Custodian banking services		41
Applied Microsystems Inc.	Data processing consultants		15
Wostmann Group LLC	Data processing consultants		12
State of Alaska, Department of Law	Legal services		1
		\$	91

This schedule presents payments to consultants receiving greater than \$1,000.

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