Clough Global Allocation Fund Form 40-17G August 07, 2009

POLICY COVER SHEET

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File Number: O617O Business Center/ Original

Business Unit:

Policy Number: 483PB0866

Name of insured: CLOUGH GLOBAL ALLOCATION FUND

Agency Number: 3164895
Department or Expense 001

Center:

Underwriter: 1286261 Underwriting Team:

Data Entry Person: PEDEN,KATHRYN
Date and Time: 07/29/09 16:44 001

Special Instructions

Policy Commencement Date: 07/27/09

THIS POLICY CONTAINS FORMS SELECTED THROUGH DOCUMENT SELECT

THE FOLLOWING SELECTED FORMS ARE NOT APPROVED ON THE FORMS STATUS TABLE

FORM NBR	EDITION	CO	STATE	TRANS DATE
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DELIVERY INVOICE

Company: St Paul Fire and Marine Insurance Company

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CLOUGH GLOBAL ALLOCATION FUND

1290 BROADWAY SUITE 1100

DENVER CO 80203

AGENT

Marsh Affinity Group Services 12421 Merideth Drive Urbandale, IA 50398

Policy Inception/Effective Date: 07/27/09 Agency Number: 3164895

Marsh Affinity Group Services

Transaction Type: Renewal of 483PB0866

Transaction number: 001
Processing date: 07/28/2009
Policy Number: 483PB0866
Policy Description Amount Surtax/
Number Surcharge

07/27/2008 Investment Company Blanket Bond \$8,875

Policy Period: 07/27/2009 - 07/27/2010

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POLICY FORM LIST

Here s a list of all forms included in your policy, on the date shown below. These forms are listed in the same order as they appear in your policy.

Title	Form Number	Edition Date	
Policy Form List	40705	05-84	
Investment Company Blanket Bond -			
Declarations	ICB001	07-04	
Investment Company Blanket Bond -			
Insuring Agreements	ICB005	07-04	
Named Insured Endorsement	ICB010	07-04	
Unauthorized Signatures	ICB012	07-04	
Telefacsimile Transactions	ICB013	07-04	
Voice-Initiated Transactions	ICB014	07-04	
Amend Definition of Employee (Exclude			
EDP Coverage for Computer Software or			
Programs)	ICB015	07-04	
Definition of Investment Company	ICB016	07-04	
Amend Section 2. Exclusions Loss			
Reporting After	ICB017	07-04	
Termination of Bond Amend Section 13			
Termination As To Any Employee	ICB018	07-04	
Add Exclusions (n) & (o)	ICB026	07-04	

Name of Insured Policy Number CLOUGH GLOBAL ALLOCATION FUND

483PB0866

Effective Date 07/27/09 Processing Date 07/29/09 16:44 001

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INVESTMENT COMPANY BLANKET BOND

St. Paul Fire and Marine Insurance Company

St. Paul, Minnesota 55102-1396

(A Stock Insurance Company, herein called Underwriter)

DECLARATIONS

BOND NO. 483PB0866

Item 1.

Name of Insured (herein called Insured):

CLOUGH GLOBAL ALLOCATION FUND

Principal Address:

1290 Broadway, Suite 1100

Denver, CO 80203

Item 2.

Bond Period from 12:01 a.m. on 07/27/09 to 12:01 a.m. on 07/27/2010 the effective date of the termination or cancellation of the bond, standard time at the Principal Address as to each of said dates.

Item 3. Limit of Liability

Subject to Sections 9, 10, and 12 hereof:

	Limit of Liability	Deductible Amount
Insuring Agreement A - FIDELITY	\$ 2,500,000	\$ 25,000
Insuring Agreement B - AUDIT EXPENSE	\$ 25,000	\$ 0
Insuring Agreement C - PREMISES	\$ 2,500,000	\$ 25,000
Insuring Agreement D - TRANSIT	\$ 2,500,000	\$ 25,000
Insuring Agreement E - FORGERY OR		
ALTERATION	\$ 2,500,000	\$ 25,000
Insuring Agreement F - SECURITIES	\$ 2,500,000	\$ 25,000
Insuring Agreement G - COUNTERFEIT		
CURRENCY	\$ 2,500,000	\$ 25,000
Insuring Agreement H - STOP PAYMENT	\$ 25,000	\$ 2,500
Insuring Agreement I - UNCOLLECTIBLE		
ITEMS OF DEPOSIT	\$ 25,000	\$ 2,500
OPTIONAL COVERAGES ADDED BY RIDER:		
J. Unauthorized Signature	\$ 25,000	\$ 2,500
L. Voice Initiated Transfer	\$ 2,500,000	\$ 25,000
N. Telefacsimile	\$ 2,500,000	\$ 25,000

If Not Covered is inserted above opposite any specified Insuring Agreement or Coverage, such Insuring Agreement or Coverage and any other reference thereto in this bond shall be deemed to be deleted therefrom.

Item 4.

Offices or Premises Covered - Offices acquired or established subsequent to the effective date of this bond are covered according to the terms of General Agreement A. All the Insured s offices or premises in existence at the time this bond becomes effective are covered under this bond except the offices or premises located as follows:

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Item 5.
The liability of the Underwriter is subject to the terms of the following endorsements or riders attached hereto: Endorsements or Riders No. 1 through
ICB005-07/04, ICB010-07/04, ICB012-07/04, ICB013-07/04, ICB014-07/04, ICB015-07/04, ICB016-07/04, ICB017-07/04, ICB018-07/04, ICB018-07/04
ICB015-07/04, ICB016-07/04, ICB017-07/04, ICB018-07/04, ICB026-07/04
Item 6.
The Insured by the acceptance of this bond gives notice to the
Underwriter terminating or canceling prior bonds or policy(ies) No.(s) such termination or cancellation to be effective as of the time this bond becomes effective.
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Company has caused this bond to be signed by its President and Secretary and countersigned by a duly authorized representative of the Company.
Countersigned:
ST. PAUL FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY
Authorized Representative Countersigned At
Countersignature Date
/s/Bruce Backberg, Secretary
/s/Brian MacLean, President
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INVESTMENT COMPANY BLANKET BOND
The Underwriter, in consideration of an agreed premium, and subject to the Declarations made a part hereof, the General Agreements, Conditions and Limitations and other terms of this bond, agrees with the Insured, in accordance with the Insuring Agreements hereof to which an amount of insurance is applicable as set forth in Item 3 of the Declarations and with respect to loss sustained by the Insured at any time but discovered during the Bond Period, to indemnify and hold harmless the Insured for:
INSURING AGREEMENTS
(A) FIDELITY
Loss resulting from any dishonest or fraudulent act(s), including Larceny or Embezzlement, committed by an Employee, committed anywhere and whether committed alone or in collusion with others, including loss of Property resulting from such acts of an Employee, which Property is held by the Insured for any purpose or in any capacity and whether so held gratuitously or not and whether or not the Insured is liable therefor.
Dishonest or fraudulent act(s) as used in this Insuring Agreement shall mean only dishonest or fraudulent act(s) committed by such Employee with the manifest intent:
(a) to cause the Insured to sustain such loss; and
(b) to obtain financial benefit for the Employee, or for any other Person or organization intended by the Employee to receive such benefit, other than salaries, commissions, fees, bonuses, promotions, awards, profit sharing, pensions or other employee benefits earned in the normal course of employment.
(B) AUDIT EXPENSE
Expense incurred by the Insured for that part of the costs of audits or examinations required by any governmental regulatory authority to be conducted either by such authority or by an independent accountant by reason of the discovery of loss sustained by the Insured through any dishonest or fraudulent act(s), including Larceny or Embezzlement, of any of the Employees. The total liability of the Underwriter for such expense by reason of such acts of any Employee or in which such Employee is concerned or implicated or with respect to any one audit or examination is limited to the amount stated opposite Audit Expense in Item 3 of the Declarations; it being understood, however, that such expense shall be deemed to be a loss sustained by the Insured through any dishonest or fraudulent act(s), including Larceny or Embezzlement, of one or more of the Employees, and the liability under this paragraph shall be in addition to the Limit of Liability stated in Insuring Agreement

(A) in Item 3 of the Declarations.

(C) ON PREMISES

Loss of Property (occurring with or without negligence or violence) through robbery, burglary, Larceny, theft, holdup, or other fraudulent means, misplacement, mysterious unexplainable disappearance, damage thereto or destruction thereof, abstraction or removal from the possession, custody or control of the Insured, and loss of subscription, conversion, redemption or deposit privileges through the misplacement or loss of Property, while the Property is (or is supposed or believed by the Insured to be) lodged or deposited within any offices or premises located anywhere, except in an office listed in Item 4 of the Declarations or amendment thereof or in the mail or with a carrier for hire, other than an armored motor vehicle company, for the purpose of transportation.

Office and Equipment

- (1) loss of or damage to furnishings, fixtures, stationery, supplies or equipment, within any of the Insured s offices covered under this bond caused by Larceny or theft in, or by burglary, robbery or hold-up of, such office, or attempt thereat, or by vandalism or malicious mischief; or
- (2) loss through damage to any such office by Larceny or theft in, or by burglary, robbery or hold-up of, such office, or attempt thereat, or to the interior of any such office by vandalism or malicious mischief provided, in any event, that the Insured is the owner of such offices, furnishings, fixtures, stationery, supplies or equipment or is legally liable for such loss or damage always excepting, however, all loss or damage through fire.

(D) IN TRANSIT

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Loss of Property (occurring with or without negligence or violence) through robbery, Larceny, theft, hold-up, misplacement, mysterious unexplainable disappearance, being lost or otherwise made away with, damage thereto or destruction thereof, and loss of subscription, conversion, redemption or deposit privileges through the misplacement or loss of Property, while the Property is in transit anywhere in the custody of any person or persons acting as messenger, except while in the mail or with a carrier for hire, other than an armored motor vehicle company, for the purpose of transportation, such transit to begin immediately upon receipt of such Property by the transporting person or persons, and to end immediately upon delivery thereof at destination.

(E) FORGERY OR ALTERATION

Loss through Forgery or alteration of or on:

- (1) any bills of exchange, checks, drafts, acceptances, certificates of deposit, promissory notes, or other written promises, orders or directions to pay sums certain in money, due bills, money orders, warrants, orders upon public treasuries, letters of credit; or
- (2) other written instructions, advices or applications directed to the Insured, authorizing or acknowledging the transfer, payment, delivery or receipt of funds or Property, which instructions, advices or applications purport to have been signed or endorsed by any:
- (a) customer of the Insured, or
- (b) shareholder or subscriber to shares, whether certificated or uncertificated, of any Investment Company, or
- (c) financial or banking institution or stockbroker,

but which instructions, advices or applications either bear the forged signature or endorsement or have been altered without the knowledge and consent of such customer, shareholder or subscriber to shares, or financial or banking institution or stockbroker; or

(3) withdrawal orders or receipts for the withdrawal of funds or Property, or receipts or certificates of deposit for Property and bearing the name of the Insured as issuer, or of another Investment Company for which the Insured acts as agent, excluding, however, any loss covered under Insuring Agreement (F) hereof whether or not coverage for Insuring Agreement (F) is provided for in the Declarations of this bond.

Any check or draft (a) made payable to a fictitious payee and endorsed in the name of such fictitious payee or (b) procured in a transaction with the maker or drawer thereof or with one acting as an agent of such maker or drawer or anyone impersonating another and made or drawn payable to the one so impersonated and endorsed by anyone other than the one impersonated, shall be deemed to be forged as to such endorsement.

Mechanically reproduced facsimile signatures are treated the same as handwritten signatures.

(F) SECURITIES

Loss sustained by the Insured, including loss sustained by reason of a violation of the constitution by-laws, rules or regulations of any Self Regulatory Organization of which the Insured is a member or which would have been imposed upon the Insured by the constitution, by-laws, rules or regulations of any Self Regulatory Organization if the Insured had been a member thereof,

- (1) through the Insured s having, in good faith and in the course of business, whether for its own account or for the account of others, in any representative, fiduciary, agency or any other capacity, either gratuitously or otherwise, purchased or otherwise acquired, accepted or received, or sold or delivered, or given any value, extended any credit or assumed any liability, on the faith of, or otherwise acted upon, any securities, documents or other written instruments which prove to have been:
- (a) counterfeited, or
- (b) forged as to the signature of any maker, drawer, issuer, endorser, assignor, lessee, transfer agent or registrar, acceptor, surety or guarantor or as to the signature of any person signing in any other capacity, or
- (c) raised or otherwise altered, or lost, or stolen, or
- (2) through the Insured s having, in good faith and in the course of business, guaranteed in writing or witnessed any signatures whether for valuable consideration or not and whether or not such guaranteeing or witnessing is ultra vires the Insured, upon any transfers,

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assignments, bills of sale, powers of attorney, guarantees, endorsements or other obligations upon or in connection with any securities, documents or other written instruments and which pass or purport to pass title to such securities, documents or other written instruments; excluding losses caused by Forgery or alteration of, on or in those instruments covered under Insuring Agreement (E) hereof.

Securities, documents or other written instruments shall be deemed to mean original (including original counterparts) negotiable or non-negotiable agreements which in and of themselves represent an equitable interest, ownership, or debt, including an assignment thereof, which instruments are, in the ordinary course of business, transferable by delivery of such agreements with any necessary endorsement or assignment.

The word counterfeited as used in this Insuring Agreement shall be deemed to mean any security, document or other written instrument which is intended to deceive and to be taken for an original. Mechanically reproduced facsimile signatures are treated the same as handwritten signatures.

(G) COUNTERFEIT CURRENCY

Loss through the receipt by the Insured, in good faith, of any counterfeited money orders or altered paper currencies or coin of the United States of America or Canada issued or purporting to have been issued by the United States of America or Canada or issued pursuant to a United States of America or Canada statute for use as currency.

(H) STOP PAYMENT

Loss against any and all sums which the Insured shall become obligated to pay by reason of the liability imposed upon the Insured by law for damages:

For having either complied with or failed to comply with any written notice of any customer, shareholder or subscriber of the Insured or any Authorized Representative of such customer, shareholder or subscriber to stop payment of any check or draft made or drawn by such customer, shareholder or subscriber or any Authorized Representative of such customer, shareholder or subscriber, or

For having refused to pay any check or draft made or drawn by any customer, shareholder or subscriber of the Insured or any Authorized Representative of such customer, shareholder or subscriber.

(I) UNCOLLECTIBLE ITEMS OF DEPOSIT

Loss resulting from payments of dividends or fund shares, or withdrawals permitted from any customer s, shareholder s, or subscriber s account based upon Uncollectible Items of Deposit of a customer, shareholder or subscriber credited by the Insured or the Insured s agent to such customer s, shareholder s or subscriber s Mutual Fund Account; or loss resulting from an Item of Deposit processed through an Automated Clearing House which is reversed by the customer, shareholder or subscriber and deemed uncollectible by the Insured.

Loss includes dividends and interest accrued not to exceed 15% of the Uncollectible Items which are deposited. This Insuring Agreement applies to all Mutual Funds with exchange privileges if all Fund(s) in the exchange program are insured by the Underwriter for Uncollectible Items of Deposit. Regardless of the number of transactions between Fund(s), the minimum number of days of deposit within the Fund(s) before withdrawal as declared in the Fund(s) prospectus shall begin from the date a deposit was first credited to any Insured Fund(s).

GENERAL AGREEMENTS

A. ADDITIONAL OFFICES OR EMPLOYEES CONSOLIDATION OR MERGER - NOTICE

- (1) If the Insured shall, while this bond is in force, establish any additional office or offices, such offices shall be automatically covered hereunder from the dates of their establishment, respectively. No notice to the Underwriter of an increase during any premium period in the number of offices or in the number of Employees at any of the offices covered hereunder need be given and no additional premium need be paid for the remainder of such premium period.
- (2) If an Investment Company, named as Insured herein, shall, while this bond is in force, merge or consolidate with, or purchase the assets of another institution, coverage for such acquisition shall apply automatically

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from the date of acquisition. The Insured shall notify the Underwriter of such acquisition within 60 days of said date, and an additional premium shall be computed only if such acquisition involves additional offices or employees.

B. WARRANTY

No statement made by or on behalf of the Insured, whether contained in the application or otherwise, shall be deemed to be a warranty of anything except that it is true to the best of the knowledge and belief of the person making the statement.

C. COURT COSTS AND ATTORNEYS FEES

(Applicable to all Insuring Agreements or Coverages now or hereafter forming part of this bond)

The Underwriter will indemnify the Insured against court costs and reasonable attorneys fees incurred and paid by the Insured in defense, whether or not successful, whether or not fully litigated on the merits and whether or not settled, of any suit or legal proceeding brought against the Insured to enforce the Insured s liability or alleged liability on account of any loss, claim or damage which, if established against the Insured, would constitute a loss sustained by the Insured covered under the terms of this bond provided, however, that with respect to Insuring Agreement (A) this indemnity shall apply only in the event that:

- (1) an Employee admits to being guilty of any dishonest or fraudulent act(s), including Larceny or Embezzlement; or
- (2) an Employee is adjudicated to be guilty of any dishonest or fraudulent act(s), including Larceny or Embezzlement;
- (3) in the absence of (1) or (2) above an arbitration panel agrees, after a review of an agreed statement of facts, that an Employee would be found guilty of dishonesty if such Employee were prosecuted.

The Insured shall promptly give notice to the Underwriter of any such suit or legal proceedings and at the request of the Underwriter shall furnish it with copies of all pleadings and other papers therein. At the Underwriter's election the Insured shall permit the Underwriter to conduct the defense of such suit or legal proceeding, in the Insured's name, through attorneys of the Underwriter's selection. In such event, the Insured shall give all reasonable information and assistance which the Underwriter shall deem necessary to the proper defense of such suit or legal proceeding.

If the amount of the Insured s liability or alleged liability is greater than the amount recoverable under this bond, or if a Deductible Amount is applicable, or both, the liability of the Underwriter under this General Agreement is limited to the proportion of court costs and attorneys fees incurred and paid by the Insured or by the Underwriter that the amount recoverable under this bond bears to the total of such amount plus the amount which is not so recoverable. Such indemnity shall be in addition to the Limit of Liability for the applicable Insuring Agreement or Coverage.

D. FORMER EMPLOYEE

Acts of an Employee, as defined in this bond, are covered under Insuring Agreement (A) only while the Employee is in the Insured s employ. Should loss involving a former Employee of the Insured be discovered subsequent to the termination of employment, coverage would still apply under Insuring Agreement (A) if the direct proximate cause of the loss occurred while the former Employee performed duties within the scope of his/her employment.

THE FOREGOING INSURING AGREEMENTS AND GENERAL AGREEMENTS ARE SUBJECT TO THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS AND LIMITATIONS: