# TOPIARY BENEFIT PLAN INVESTOR FUND LLC

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Date of fiscal year end: March 31

Date of reporting period: September 30, 2007

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ITEM 1. REPORTS TO STOCKHOLDERS.

The Report to Shareholders is attached herewith.

THE TOPIARY FUND FOR BENEFIT PLAN INVESTORS (BPI) LLC

CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

For the Six Months Ended September 30, 2007

The Topiary Fund for Benefit Plan Investors (BPI) LLC

Consolidated Financial Statements

For the Six Months Ended September 30, 2007

The financial statements of The Topiary Master Fund for Benefit Plan Investors (BPI) LLC are attached and should be read in conjunction with the consolidated

financial statements of The Topiary Fund for Benefit Plan Investors (BPI) LLC.

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Report of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm

To the Board of Directors and Members of The Topiary Fund for Benefit Plan Investors (BPI) LLC

In our opinion, the accompanying consolidated statement of assets, liabilities and members' capital, and the related consolidated statements of operations, of changes in members' capital and of cash flows and the financial highlights present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of The Topiary Fund for Benefit Plan Investors (BPI) LLC and its subsidiary (the "Fund") at September 30, 2007, the results of their operations and their cash flows for the period from April 1, 2007 through September 30, 2007, and the changes in their members' capital and the financial highlights for each of the periods presented, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. These consolidated financial statements and financial highlights (hereafter referred to as "financial statements") are the responsibility of the

Fund's management; our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits. We conducted our audits of these financial statements in accordance with the standards of the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States). Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements, assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, and evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

As more fully described in Note 10 to the financial statements, the Members of the Fund have approved a reorganization plan whereby substantially all of the assets and liabilities of the Fund will be acquired by another fund in exchange for interests in the latter. The reorganization plan became effective on October 1, 2007.

November 28, 2007

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The Topiary Fund for Benefit Plan Investors (BPI) LLC

Consolidated Statement of Assets, Liabilities and Members' Capital

September 30, 2007

ASSETS		
Investment in the Master Fund	\$	88,460,586
Receivable from Adviser		112,508
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	88,573,094
LIABILITIES	====	
Professional fees payable	\$	110,300
Custodian fees payable		2,208
TOTAL LIABILITIES		112,508
MEMBERS' CAPITAL		88,460,586
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND MEMBERS' CAPITAL	\$	88,573,094
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THE ACCOMPANYING NOTES ARE AN INTEGRAL PART OF THESE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS.

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The Topiary Fund for Benefit Plan Investors (BPI) LLC

Consolidated Statement of Operations

For the Six Months Ended September 30, 2007

NET INVESTMENT LOSS ALLOCATED FROM THE MASTER FUND:

Income Expenses

Net investment loss allocated from the Master Fund

FUND EXPENSES

Professional fees 93,495
Administration fees 12,000
Custodian fees 5,670
Total expenses 111,165

Fund expenses reimbursed (111,165)

Net expenses

NET INVESTMENT INCOME FROM FUND

Net investment loss

GAINS FROM INVESTMENT FUND TRANSACTIONS

Net realized gains from investment funds allocated from the Master Fund

8,757,697

Net change in unrealized depreciation on investment funds allocated from the Master Fund (net of taxes: \$181,335)

(4,936,771)

NET GAINS FROM INVESTMENT FUNDS TRANSACTIONS

NET INCREASE IN MEMBERS' CAPITAL DERIVED FROM OPERATIONS

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The Topiary Fund for Benefit Plan Investors (BPI) LLC

Consolidated Statements of Changes in Members' Capital

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FOR THE YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2007 FROM INVESTMENT ACTIVITIES Net investment loss

\$

Net realized gain from investment funds allocated from the Master

Fund

Net change in unrealized appreciation on investment funds allocated from the Master Fund

NET INCREASE IN MEMBERS' CAPITAL DERIVED FROM OPERATIONS FROM MEMBERS' CAPITAL TRANSACTIONS

Subscriptions

Redemptions
Reallocation of incentive allocation

NET CHANGE IN MEMBERS' CAPITAL FROM CAPITAL TRANSACTIONS

NET CHANGE IN MEMBERS' CAPITAL

Members' Capital at beginning of year

Members' Capital at end of year

TOTAL CAPITAL (\$85,501,029)

FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2007

FROM INVESTMENT ACTIVITIES

Net investment loss

Net realized gains from investment funds allocated from the  $\,$  Master  $\,$ 

Net change in unrealized depreciation on investment funds allocated from the Master Fund

NET INCREASE IN MEMBERS' CAPITAL DERIVED FROM OPERATIONS FROM MEMBERS' CAPITAL TRANSACTIONS

Subscriptions

Redemptions

Reallocation of incentive allocation

NET CHANGE IN MEMBERS' CAPITAL FROM CAPITAL TRANSACTIONS

NET CHANGE IN MEMBERS' CAPITAL

Members' Capital at beginning of period

Members' Capital at end of period

TOTAL CAPITAL (\$88,460,586)

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The Topiary Fund for Benefit Plan Investors (BPI) LLC

Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows

For the Six Months Ended September 30, 2007

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(466,2

186,4

(279,7

(279,7

464,2

\$ 184,5

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(184, 5)

120,4

(64,1

(64,1

184,5

\$ 120,4

\$

CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES

Net increase in Members' Capital from operations

Adjustments to reconcile net increase in Members' Capital from operations to net cash provided by operating activities:

Redemption of investment in Master Fund

Net investment loss allocated from the Master Fund

Net realized gains from investment funds allocated from the Master Fund

Net change in unrealized appreciation on investment funds allocated from the Master Fund  $\,$ 

Increase in receivable from Adviser

Increase in professional fees payable

Decrease in custodian fees payable

Decrease in administration fees payable

NET CASH PROVIDED BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES

CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES Subscriptions Redemptions

NET CASH USED IN FINANCING ACTIVITIES

NET CHANGE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period

Cash and cash equivalents at end of period

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The Topiary Fund for Benefit Plan Investors (BPI) LLC

Consolidated Financial Highlights

THE FOLLOWING REPRESENTS THE RATIOS TO	FOR THE		
AVERAGE MEMBERS' CAPITAL AND OTHER	SIX	YEAR	YEAR
FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS INFORMATION FOR THE	MONTHS ENDED	ENDED	ENDED
PERIOD/YEAR:	SEPTEMBER 30,	MARCH 31,	MARCH 31,
	2007	2007	2006
Ratios to average Members' capital:			
Net investment loss (b)	(1.53%) (a)	(1.47%)	(1.57%)
Net expenses (b)(c)	1.75%(a)	1.75%	1.75%
Incentive allocation	0.15%	0.22%	0.82%

\$

Net expenses and incentive allocation 1.90% 1.97% 2.57% Total return 3.69%(d) 6.87% 11.18% 3.69% (d) 6.87% (0.15%) (d) (0.22%) Incentive allocation Total return net of incentive allocation 3.54%(d) 6.65% 10.48% Members' capital, end of year (thousands) 26% 39% \$ 88,461 \$ 85,501 \$ 70,865

- (a) Annualized for periods of less than one year.
- (b) The Adviser waived and reimbursed \$111,165 of fees for the six months ended September 30, 2007. The net investment loss ratio would have been 0.25% greater and the net expenses ratio would have been 0.25% greater had these fees and expenses not been waived and reimbursed by the Adviser. The Adviser waived and reimbursed \$170,913, \$322,273 and \$349,691 of fees and expenses for the periods ended March 31, 2007, 2006 and 2005, respectively. The net investment loss ratio would have been 0.20%, 0.59% and 3.57% greater and the net expenses ratio would have been 0.20%, 0.59% and 3.57% greater had these fees and expenses not been waived and reimbursed by the Adviser.
- (c) Expenses of the underlying Investment Funds are not included in the expense ratio; however expenses of the Master Fund are included.
- (d) Not annualized.

The above ratios and total returns are calculated for all Members taken as a whole. An individual investor's return may vary from these returns based on the timing of capital transactions.

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THE TOPIARY FUND FOR BENEFIT PLAN INVESTORS (BPI) LLC NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2007

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### 1. ORGANIZATION

The Topiary Fund for Benefit Plan Investors (BPI) LLC (the "Fund") is a Delaware limited liability company organized on December 8, 2003 and commenced operations October 1, 2004. The Fund is registered under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended (the "1940 Act"), as a closed-end, non-diversified, management investment company. The Fund's interests (the "Interests") are registered under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "1933 Act"), but are subject to substantial limits on transferability and resale. The Fund's investment objective is to generate long-term capital appreciation. The Fund seeks to achieve this objective by investing substantially all of its investable assets into The Topiary Offshore Fund for Benefit Plan Investors (BPI) LDC (the "Offshore Fund"), a Cayman Islands limited duration company with the same

investment objectives as the Fund. The Offshore Fund in turn invests substantially all of its investable assets in The Topiary Master Fund for Benefit Plan Investors (BPI) LLC (the "Master Fund"), a registered investment company with the same investment objectives as the Fund and the Offshore Fund. The Fund owns 100% of the beneficial interests of the Offshore Fund, and the Offshore Fund owns approximately 98.6% of the beneficial interests in the Master Fund at September 30, 2007. The remaining balance of the Master Fund is owned by DBAH Capital, L.L.C, an affiliate of DB Investment Managers, Inc. These financials statements are the consolidation of the Fund and the Offshore Fund. Inter-company balances have been eliminated through consolidation. The Offshore Fund commenced operations on October 1, 2004.

The Fund's Board of Directors (the "Board") has overall responsibility to manage and control the business operations of the Fund on behalf of the members (the "Members"). All of the Board are and will be persons who are not "interested persons" (as defined in the 1940 Act) with respect to the Fund.

DB Investment Managers, Inc., performing services as Topiary Fund Management, (the "Adviser") serves as the investment adviser of the Fund subject to the ultimate supervision of and subject to any policies established by the Board, pursuant to the terms of an investment management agreement with the Fund (the "Investment Management Agreement"). Pursuant to the Investment Management Agreement, the Adviser provides the Fund with ongoing investment guidance, policy direction, and monitoring of the Fund. The Adviser is an indirect wholly owned subsidiary of Deutsche Bank AG ("Deutsche Bank"), an international commercial and investment banking group, and is registered as an investment adviser under the Investment Advisers Act of 1940, as amended (the "Advisers Act").

Generally, initial and additional applications for Interests by eligible investors may be accepted at such times as the Fund's operating agreement may determine. The Fund reserves the right to reject any applications for interests in the Fund. The Fund from time

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THE TOPIARY FUND FOR BENEFIT PLAN INVESTORS (BPI) LLC NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2007

### 1. ORGANIZATION (CONTINUED)

to time may offer to repurchase Interests. These repurchases will be made at such times and on such terms as may be determined by the Board, in its complete and absolute discretion. A Member's Interest in the Fund can only be transferred or assigned with the written consent of the Board, which may be withheld in its sole discretion.

The performance of the Fund is directly affected by the performance of the Master Fund. Attached are the financial statements of the Master Fund, which are an integral part of these financial statements.

### 2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### A. VALUATIONS

The Fund's investment in the Master Fund represents substantially all of the Fund's assets. All investments owned are carried at value which is the portion of the net asset value of the Master Fund held by the Fund. The accounting for

and valuation of investments by the Master Fund is discussed in the notes to the financial statements for the Master Fund, which are included elsewhere in this report.

#### B. INCOME RECOGNITION AND SECURITY TRANSACTIONS

Investments in the Master Fund are recorded on the effective date of the subscription in the Master Fund. The Fund records its proportionate share of the Master Fund's income, expenses, and realized and unrealized gains and losses. In addition, interest income on the Fund's cash balance is recorded on an accrual basis and the Fund accrues its own expenses as incurred.

#### C. FUND COSTS

The Fund bears all expenses incurred in its business other than those that the Adviser assumes. The expenses of the Fund include, but are not limited to, the following: all costs and expenses related to investment transactions and positions for the Fund's account; legal fees; accounting and auditing fees; custodial fees; costs of computing the Fund's net asset value; costs of insurance; registration expenses; due diligence, including travel and related expenses; expenses of meetings of the Board and Members; all costs with respect to communications to Members; and other types of expenses as may be approved from time to time by the Board.

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THE TOPIARY FUND FOR BENEFIT PLAN INVESTORS (BPI) LLC NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2007

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2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

#### D. INCOME TAXES

The Fund intends to operate and has elected to be treated as a partnership for Federal income tax purposes. Accordingly, no provision for the payment of Federal, state or local income taxes has been provided. Each Member is individually required to report on its own tax return its distributive share of the Fund's taxable income or loss. The Master Fund withholds and pays taxes on U.S. source income and U.S. effectively connected income, if any, allocated from underlying investments to the extent such income is not exempted from withholding under the Internal Revenue Code and Regulations there under. Such amounts are treated by the Members as withholding tax credits for Federal income tax purposes. The actual amount of such taxes is not known until all K-ls from underlying funds are received, usually in the following tax year. Prior to the final determination, the amount of the tax is estimated based on information available. The final tax could be different from the estimated tax and the difference could be significant.

#### E. CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

Cash and cash equivalents, if any, consist of monies on deposit at PNC Bank, N.A. The Fund treats all financial instruments that mature within three months as cash equivalents.

#### F. USE OF ESTIMATES

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires the Adviser to make estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements and accompanying notes. The Adviser believes that the estimates utilized in preparing the Fund's financial statements are reasonable and prudent; however, actual results could differ from these estimates.

#### G. ALLOCATION OF NET PROFITS AND LOSSES

Net investment income (loss) and net realized and unrealized gains and losses on investments for the Fund are allocated to the Members' Capital Accounts based on their respective capital balances at the beginning of each allocation period relative to the capital of all Members' Capital Accounts. The beginning of an allocation period is defined as the beginning of each fiscal year, the date of admission of any new member, or the date of any additional subscription or redemption by a member.

#### H. EXPENSE LIMITATION

Pursuant to the Expense Limitation Agreement, the Adviser has contractually agreed to waive and/or reimburse the Fund's expenses to the extent necessary to ensure that the Fund's annualized expenses (excluding the Incentive Allocation, if any) will not exceed 1.75% including the Fund's allocated portion of expense incurred by the Master Fund. The initial

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THE TOPIARY FUND FOR BENEFIT PLAN INVESTORS (BPI) LLC NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2007

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# 2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

term of the Expense Limitation Agreement is the first fiscal year of the Fund's operations, and will be automatically renewed for each fiscal year thereafter unless the Adviser provides written notice to the Fund and the Master Fund of the termination of the Expense Limitation Agreement at least 30 days prior to the end of the then-current term.

#### 3. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

### A. MANAGEMENT FEE

The Adviser provides certain management and administration services to the Fund, including, among other things, providing office space and other support services. In consideration for such management services, the Master Fund pays the Adviser a management fee (the "Management Fee") at an annual rate of 1.00% of the Master Fund's month end net assets, including assets attributable to the Adviser (or its affiliates) and before giving effect to any repurchases by the Master Fund of interests in the Master Fund. The Management Fee accrues monthly and is payable at the end of each quarter. As an investor in the Master Fund, the Fund's value of its investment in the Master Fund is reduced by the Management Fee accrued by the Master Fund.

## B. BOARD FEES

Board fees are paid at the Master Fund level. See accompanying note in the Master Fund notes attached.

#### C. INCENTIVE ALLOCATION

As of each March 31, upon any repurchases of Interests (solely with respect to the Interest repurchased), and upon termination of the Fund (each, a "Performance Period"), a reallocation (the "Incentive Allocation") will be made from the Capital Account of each Member to the Capital Account of the Special Advisory Member (the Adviser) equal to 10% of the amount, if any, by which the net profit allocated to such Member's Capital Account for such Performance Period in excess of the Hurdle Rate (based on the 90-day U.S. Treasury bill rates) for such Performance Period exceeds the positive balance of such Member's Loss Carryforward Account. The Incentive Allocation will be applied on a "high water mark" basis such that in the event a Capital Account suffers a net loss in a particular Performance Period, no Incentive Allocation will be made with respect to such Performance Period or any subsequent Performance Period, until such net loss is first recovered (taking into account interim repurchases, if any). For the six months ended September 30, 2007, the Adviser earned an Incentive Allocation of \$120,437.

The Hurdle Rate is calculated monthly using the average of the weekly 91-day U.S. Treasury bill for that month. For the six months ended September 30, 2007, the average Hurdle Rate was 4.549%.

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THE TOPIARY FUND FOR BENEFIT PLAN INVESTORS (BPI) LLC NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2007

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### 3. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS (CONTINUED)

### D. UNDERWRITING

Under the terms of an investor servicing agreement (the "Underwriting Agreement") between the Fund and Scudder Distributors, Inc. (the "Distributor"), the Distributor is authorized to retain brokers, dealers and certain financial advisers ("Investor Service Providers") to provide ongoing investor services and account maintenance services to Members that are their customers. The Distributor bears all of its expenses of providing distribution services as described under the Underwriting Agreement.

### E. SUB-ADMINISTRATION

The Adviser has also retained one of its affiliates, Deustche Investment Management Americas, Inc. ("DIMA"), to provide sub-administration services pursuant to the Board services agreement. Under this agreement, DIMA, among other things: drafts Board agendas and resolutions; prepares Board materials; communicates with the Directors; and drafts Board-meeting minutes.

#### 4. ADMINISTRATION AND OTHER FEES

In accordance with the terms of the administration agreement (the "Administration Agreement") and with the approval of the Fund's Board, PFPC, Inc. (an affiliate of PNC Bank, N.A.) ("PFPC") serves as the Fund's administrator pursuant to the administration agreement between PFPC and the Fund (Administration Agreement"). Under the Administration Agreement, PFPC provides administrative and accounting services to the Fund. As compensation for services set forth herein that are rendered by PFPC during the term of this Agreement, the Fund pays PFPC a fee for services rendered.

The Fund has entered into an investor services agreement with PFPC, whereby PFPC provides investor services and transfer agency functions for the Fund. As compensation for services set forth herein that are rendered by PFPC during the term of this Agreement, the Fund pays PFPC a fee for services rendered.

PFPC Trust Company (also an affiliate of PNC Bank, N.A.) serves as custodian of the Fund's assets and provides custodial services to the Fund.

#### 5. SECURITY TRANSACTIONS

As of September 30, 2007, the Fund's only investment was its investment in the Master Fund. Aggregate purchases of the Master Fund amounted to \$0 and aggregate sales of the Master Fund amounted to \$187,565 for the six months ended September 30, 2007.

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THE TOPIARY FUND FOR BENEFIT PLAN INVESTORS (BPI) LLC NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2007

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#### 6. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS WITH OFF-BALANCE SHEET RISK

In the normal course of business, the Investment Funds (the "Investment Funds") in which the Master Fund invests trade various financial instruments and enter into various investment activities with off-balance sheet risk. The Master Fund's off-balance sheet risk in these financial instruments is discussed in the notes to the Master Fund's financial statements.

### 7. CONCENTRATION OF RISK

The Master Fund invests primarily in Investment Funds that are not registered under the 1940 Act and invest in and actively trade securities and other financial instruments using different strategies and investment techniques, including leverage that may involve significant risks.

The Master Fund's concentration of risk is discussed in the notes to the Master Fund's financial statements.

### 8. GUARANTOR OBLIGATIONS AND INDEMNIFICATIONS

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

### 9. NEW ACCOUNTING PRONOUNCEMENTS

In July 2006, the Financial Accounting Standards Board (the "FASB") issued Interpretation No. 48, "Accounting for Uncertainty in Income Taxes – an interpretation of FASB Statement No. 109" ("FIN 48"). FIN 48 establishes for all entities, including pass-through entities such as the Fund, a minimum threshold for financial statement recognition of the benefit of positions taken in filing tax returns (including whether an entity is taxable in a particular jurisdiction), and requires certain expanded tax disclosures. FIN 48 is effective for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2006, and is to be applied to all open tax years as of the date of effectiveness. Based on the

Manager's analysis, the determination has been made that the adoption of FIN 48 did not have an impact to the Fund's financial statements upon adoption. The Manager continually reviews the Fund's tax positions and such conclusions under FIN 48 based on factors, including, but not limited to, ongoing analyses of tax laws, regulations and interpretations, thereof.

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THE TOPIARY FUND FOR BENEFIT PLAN INVESTORS (BPI) LLC NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2007

#### 10. SUBSEQUENT EVENT

At a special meeting held on September 20, 2007, the Fund's members, by a majority of the total number of votes eligible to be cast, approved an Agreement and Plan of Reorganization (the "Reorganization") whereby (i) the Hatteras Multi-Strategy TEI Fund, L.P. (the "Hatteras Fund"), a closed-end management investment company whose investment adviser is Hatteras Investment Partners LLC, would acquire substantially all of the assets and liabilities of the Fund in exchange for interests in the Hatteras Fund, (ii) the Fund would distribute interests received from the Hatteras Fund to its members and (iii) the Fund would subsequently be dissolved.

The Reorganization as approved was effective as of October 1, 2007.

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THE TOPIARY FUND FOR BENEFIT PLAN INVESTORS (BPI) LLC DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS BIOGRAPHICAL DATA (UNAUDITED)

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The business of the Fund is managed under the direction of the Board. Subject to the provisions of the Operating Agreement and Delaware law, the Directors have all powers necessary and convenient to carry out the responsibility. The Directors and Officers of the Fund, their addresses, their ages and descriptions of their principal occupations during the past five years are listed below.

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FUND TIME SERVED 5 YEARS IN F COMP OVERSE NAME, ADDRESS AND AGE DIREC

INDEPENDENT DIRECTORS

Nolan T. Altman (ii) c/o The Topiary Master Fund for Benefit Plan Investors (BPI) LLC 25 DeForest Ave. Summit, NJ 07901-2154

Director Since President, NTA inception Consulting (financial

services consulting) (2001 to present). Formerly, Chief

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Financial Officer, Tiger Management (Investment adviser to hedge funds) (1993 to 2001).

(i) Each Director serves for the duration of the Fund, or until his death, resignation, termination, removal or retirement.

(ii) Since March 2003, Messrs. Altman and Citron have served as members of the Conflicts Advisory Board of certain private investment funds managed by DBIM or its affiliates. This Conflicts Advisory Board meets on an intermittent basis to evaluate whether specific transactions involving the private investment funds raise conflicts of interest with DBIM, its affiliates, or accounts managed by DBIM or its affiliates.

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THE TOPIARY MASTER FUND FOR BENEFIT PLAN INVESTORS (BPI) LLC DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS BIOGRAPHICAL DATA (CONTINUED) (UNAUDITED)

TERM OF PRINCIPAL

POSITION(S) OFFICE(I) & OCCUPATION(S)
HELD WITH LENGTH OF DURING THE PAST
FUND TIME SERVED 5 YEARS NAME, ADDRESS AND AGE

INDEPENDENT DIRECTORS (CONTINUED)

Director Since Partner and General Counsel,
Inception New Enterprise Associates Louis S. Citron (ii) c/o The Topiary Master Fund for (venture capital firm) (2001

Benefit Plan Investors (BPI) LLC 25 DeForest Ave. Summit, NJ 07901-2154

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THE TOPIARY MASTER FUND FOR BENEFIT PLAN INVESTORS (BPI) LLC DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS BIOGRAPHICAL DATA (CONTINUED) (UNAUDITED) to present).

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HELD WITH LENGTH OF DURING THE PAST
FUND TIME SERVED 5 YEARS NAME, ADDRESS AND AGE

INDEPENDENT DIRECTORS (CONTINUED)

Edward T. Tokar

c/o The Topiary Master Fund for Benefit Plan Investors (BPI) LLC 25 DeForest Ave. Summit, NJ 07901-2154 (6/12/47)

Director Since Sr. Managing Director Inception of Investments, Beacon Trust Co. (2004 to present); Chief Executive Officer, Allied Capital Mgmt. LLC (registered investment adviser wholly owned subsidiary of Honeywell) (1998 to 2004); and Vice President -Investments, Honeywell International, Inc. (advanced technology and manufacturer) (1977 to 2004).

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THE TOPIARY MASTER FUND FOR BENEFIT PLAN INVESTORS (BPI) LLC DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS BIOGRAPHICAL DATA (CONTINUED) (UNAUDITED)

OFFICERS

NAME, ADDRESS AND AGE POSITIONS HELD WITH FUND PRINCIPAL OCCUPATION(S)

LAST 5 YEARS

Pamela Kiernan(iii) DB Absolute Return Strategies 345 Park Avenue, 24Th Floor New York, NY 10154 (9/16/68)

President

Chief Operating Officer, DB Abso Strategies (2005 to present). F Operating Officer - Americas, DE (2004); Chief Operations Officer Bank Global Equities (2002 to 20 Management - Trading, Deutsche E (1997 to 2002).

Joshua Kestler(iii) Deutsche Asset Management 25 DeForest Ave., 2nd Floor Summit, NJ 07901-2154 (04/27/75)	Vice President	Head of Product Structuring, DB Strategies (2004 to present); A Roth & Zabel LLP (law firm) (20
Marielena Glassman(iii) Deutsche Asset Management 25 DeForest Ave., 2nd Floor Summit, NJ 07901-2154 (06/06/63)	Treasurer, Principal Financial & Accounting Officer	Chief Administration Officer, Di Strategies (2002 to present).
Neil Novembre(iii) Deutsche Asset Management 25 DeForest Ave., 2nd Floor Summit, NJ 07901-2154 (06/18/73)	Assistant Treasurer	

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THE TOPIARY MASTER FUND FOR BENEFIT PLAN INVESTORS (BPI) LLC DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS BIOGRAPHICAL DATA (CONTINUED) (UNAUDITED)

advised by the Investment Manager or its affiliates.

Anthony Conte(iii) Deutsche Asset Management 345 Park Avenue, 16th Floor New York, NY 10154 (3/28/69)

Chief Compliance Head of Alternative Assets Compliance (06/2 Officer present); Head of Compliance, DB Absolute R Strategies (2003 to present); Head of Busin DB Absolute Return Strategies (2001 to 2003

John H. Kim(iii) Deutsche Asset Management 345 Park Avenue, 16th Floor New York, NY 10154 (1/9/71)

Secretary Director and Senior Counsel, Deutsche Asset (asset management division of Deutsche Bank present).

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The Fund's Statement of Additional Information ("SAI") has additional information about the Fund's Directors and Officers and is available without charge upon request. Contact your financial representative for a free prospectus or SAI.

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(iii) All Officers also serve in similar capacities as Officers for other funds advised by the Investment Manager or its affiliates.

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THE TOPIARY FUND FOR BENEFIT PLAN INVESTORS (BPI) LLC PORTFOLIO PROXY VOTING POLICIES AND PROCEDURES; SEC FILINGS (UNAUDITED)

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The Fund invests substantially all of its assets in the securities of Investment Funds, which are privately placed investment vehicles, typically referred to as "hedge funds." These securities do not typically convey traditional voting rights to the holder and the occurrence of corporate governance or other notices for this type of investment is substantially less than that encountered in connection with registered equity securities. However, to the extent the Fund receives notices or proxies from Investment Funds (or receives proxy statements or similar notices in connection with any other portfolio securities); the Fund has delegated proxy voting responsibilities to the Adviser. The Adviser has adopted its own Proxy Voting Policies and Procedures ("Policies"). The Policies address, among other things, conflicts of interest that may arise between the interests of the Fund, and the interests of the Adviser and its affiliates, including the Fund's principal underwriter.

A description of the Adviser's Policies is available (i) without charge, upon request, by calling the Fund toll-free at 1-888-262-0695, and (ii) on the SEC's website at WWW.SEC.GOV.

In addition, the Fund is required to file new Form N-PX with its complete proxy voting record for the 12 months ended June 30th, no later than August 31st of each year. The funds Form N-PX is available (i) without charge, upon request, by calling the Fund toll free at 1-888-262-0695 and (ii) on the SEC's website at WWW.SEC.GOV.

The Fund files its complete schedule of portfolio holdings with the SEC for the first quarter and the third quarter of each fiscal year on Form N-Q. The Fund's Form N-Q filings are available on the SEC's website at WWW.SEC.GOV. Those forms may be reviewed and copied at the SEC's Public Reference Room in Washington D.C. Information on the operation of the Public Reference Room may be obtained by calling 1-800-SEC-0330.

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ATTACHMENT A

THE TOPIARY MASTER FUND FOR BENEFIT PLAN INVESTORS (BPI) LLC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

For the Six Months Ended September 30, 2007

The Topiary Master Fund for Benefit Plan Investors (BPI) LLC Financial Statements

For the Six Months Ended September 30, 2007

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Report of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm

To the Board of Directors and Members of The Topiary Master Fund for Benefit Plan Investors (BPI) LLC

In our opinion, the accompanying statement of assets, liabilities and members' capital, including the schedule of investments, and the related statements of operations, of changes in members' capital and of cash flows and the financial highlights present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of The Topiary Master Fund for Benefit Plan Investors (BPI) LLC (the "Master Fund") at September 30, 2007, the results of its operations and its cash flows for the period from April 1, 2007 through September 30, 2007, and the changes in its members' capital and the financial highlights for each of the periods presented, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. These financial statements and financial highlights (hereafter referred to as "financial statements") are the responsibility of the Fund's management; our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits. We conducted our audits of these financial statements in accordance with the standards of the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States). Those standards require that we plan and

perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements, assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, and evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audits, which included confirmation of investments at September 30, 2007 by correspondence with the general partners/ managing members of the investment funds, provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

As more fully described in Note 9 to the financial statements, the Members of the Master Fund have approved a reorganization plan whereby substantially all of the assets and liabilities of the Master Fund will be acquired by another fund in exchange for interests in the latter. The reorganization plan became effective on October 1, 2007.

November 28, 2007

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The Topiary Master Fund for Benefit Plan Investors (BPI) LLC Statement of Assets, Liabilities and Members' Capital

SEPTEMBER 30, 2007

ASSETS Investments in investment funds, at fair value (cost \$26,989,872) Cash and cash equivalents Receivable for investment funds sold Receivable from Advisor Other assets	\$	38,275,528 3,720,847 47,997,429 210,945 13,826
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	90,218,575
LIABILITIES	====	========
Taxes payable	\$	242,110
Professional fees payable		171,687
Administration fees payable		37,331
Board preparation fees payable		9,375
Custodian fees payable Other fees payable		949 18 <b>,</b> 500
Other rees payable		10,500
TOTAL LIABILITIES		479 <b>,</b> 952
MEMBERS' CAPITAL		89,738,623
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND MEMBERS' CAPITAL	\$	90,218,575
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THE ACCOMPANYING NOTES ARE AN INTEGRAL PART OF THESE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS.

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The Topiary Master Fund for Benefit Plan Investors (BPI) LLC Schedule of Investments

September 30, 2007

STRATEGY	INVESTMENT FUND		COST	FAI
Event Driven	Gracie Capital L.P.	\$	1,452,431	\$ 1
	Harbinger Capital Partners I, L.P.		1,374,966	3
	Jana Partners Qualified, L.P.		2,450,000	3
	Marathon Special Opportunity Fund,			
	L.P.		1,500,000	1
	Merced Partners, L.P.		1,550,000	1
	Perry Partners, L.P.		2,600,000	3
	Strategic Value Restructuring Fund, L.P.		870 <b>,</b> 036	1
Total Event Driven			11,797,433	 16
Global Macro	Drawbridge Global Macro Fund, L.P.		1,208,209	1
Total Global Macro			1,208,209	 1
Long/Short Equity	SR Global, L.P. Asia		1,273,243	2
	Talaris Fund, L.P.		1,000,000	1
	TCS Capital II, L.P.		1,283,017	2
	UC Financials Fund Limited		962,044	1
Total Long/Short Equity			4,518,304	 7
	Black River Global Multi-Strategy Leverage	ed		
Relative Value	Fund, L.L.C.		2,900,000	3
	Citadel Wellington Partners, L.L.C.		3,015,926	5
	CPIM Structured Credit Fund 1000 Inc.			
	AQ1		1,300,000	1

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The Topiary Master Fund for Benefit Plan Investors (BPI) LLC Schedule of Investments (continued)

September 30, 2007

	D.B. Zwirn Special Opportunities, L.P. Marathon Fund L.P.	1,250,000 1,000,000		1 1
Total Relative Value		 9,465,926		12
	Total Other Assets in Excess of Liabilities	\$ 26,989,872		38 51
	Members' Capital		\$	89
	rembers capital		==	===

Investment Funds may also be subject to initial lock-up periods, gates and/or other limitations on redemptions.

Note: In the absence of information about the underlying Investment Fund's portfolio, the Fund's proportional share of investment owned by the underlying Investment Fund exceeding 5% of the Fund's Members' Capital, if any, at September 30, 2007, has not been disclosed.

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Topiary Master Fund for Benefit Plan Investors (BPI) LLC

Statement of Operations

For the Six Months Ended September 30, 2007

### INVESTMENT INCOME Interest income

\$ 99,8

# EXPENSES

Management fees Professional fees	\$ 446,413 228,133
Administration fees	116,982
Insurance fees	114,672
Board of Directors fees and expenses	84,687
Custodian fees	6,600
Other expenses	11,706
Total expenses	 1,009,193
Management fees waived by Adviser	(225,836)

Net expenses

783,

NET INVESTMENT LOSS

(683,

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GAINS FROM INVESTMENT FUND TRANSACTIONS

Net realized gain from investment funds redeemed
Net change in unrealized depreciation on investment

8,884,209

funds

(4,824,253)

NET GAINS FROM INVESTMENT FUNDS TRANSACTIONS

4,059,9

NET INCREASE IN MEMBERS' CAPITAL DERIVED FROM OPERATIONS

\$3,376,4

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The Topiary Master Fund for Benefit Plan Investors (BPI) LLC

Statements of Changes in Members' Capital

	FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2007	
FROM INVESTMENT ACTIVITIES  Net investment loss  Net realized gains of investment funds  redeemed  Net change in unrealized appreciation/(depreciation)  on investment funds	\$	(683,508) 8,884,209 (4,824,253)
NET INCREASE IN MEMBERS' CAPITAL DERIVED FROM OPERATIONS		3,376,448
FROM MEMBERS' CAPITAL TRANSACTIONS Subscriptions Redemptions Distributions		(187,580) (181,335)
NET CHANGE IN MEMBERS' CAPITAL FROM CAPITAL TRANSACTIONS		(368,915)
NET CHANGE IN MEMBERS' CAPITAL Members' Capital at beginning of period		3,007,533 86,731,090
Members' Capital at end of period		89,738,623

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The Topiary Master Fund for Benefit Plan Investors (BPI) LLC

Statement of Cash Flows

For the Six Months Ended September 30, 2007

CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES  Net increase in Members' Capital from operations Adjustments to reconcile net increase in Members' Capital from operations to net cash provided by operating activities:  Sales of investment funds  Net realized gains from investment funds redeemed  Net change in unrealized depreciation on investment funds  Increase in receivable for investment funds sold  Increase in receivable from Advisor  Decrease in other assets  Decrease in prepaid expenses
Increase in taxes payable Decrease in professional fees payable Increase in administration fees payable Decrease in custodian fees payable Decrease in registration fees payable Decrease in management fee payable Decrease in investor services fees payable Decrease in other fees payable
NET CASH PROVIDED BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES Subscriptions Redemptions Distributions
NET CASH USED IN FINANCING ACTIVITIES
NET DECREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period
SUPPLEMENTAL DISCLOSURE OF CASH FLOW ACTIVITY Taxes paid

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The Topiary Master Fund for Benefit Plan Investors (BPI) LLC  $\hbox{ Financial Highlights }$ 

THE FOLLOWING REPRESENTS THE RATIOS TO AVERAGE MEMBERS' CAPITAL AND OTHER FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS INFORMATION FOR THE PERIOD/YEAR:	FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2007	YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2007	YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2006
Ratios to average Members' capital:			
Net investment loss (b)	(1.53%)(a)	(1.46%)	(1.60%)
Net expenses (b)(c)	1.75%(a)	1.75%	1.75%
Total return	3.90%(d)	7.37%	11.27%
Portfolio turnover rate	0%	26%	39%
Members' Capital, end of period (thousands)	\$ 89,739	\$ 86,731	\$ 72,011

- (a) Annualized for periods of less than one year.
- (b) The Adviser waived \$225,836 of fees for the six months ended September 30, 2007. The net investment loss ratio would have been 0.50% greater and the total expenses ratio would have been 0.50% greater had these fees and expenses not been waived and reimbursed by the Adviser. The Adviser waived and reimbursed \$213,692, \$113,973 and \$265,284 of fees and expenses for the periods ended March 31, 2007, 2006 and 2005, respectively. The net investment loss ratio would have been 0.25%, 0.17% and 1.17% greater and the total expenses ratio would have been 0.25%, 0.17% and 1.17% greater had these fees and expenses not been waived and reimbursed by the Adviser.
- (c) Expense ratios for the underlying  $\,$  Investment Funds are not included in the Fund's expense ratio.
- (d) Not annualized.

The above ratios and total returns are calculated for all Members taken as a whole. An individual investor's return may vary from these returns based on the timing of capital transactions.

THE ACCOMPANYING NOTES ARE AN INTEGRAL PART OF THESE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS.

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FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2007

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#### 1. ORGANIZATION

The Topiary Master Fund for Benefit Plan Investors (BPI) LLC (the "Fund") was organized as a Delaware limited liability company on July 16, 2004. The Fund is registered under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended (the "1940 Act"), as a closed-end, non-diversified, management investment company. The Fund's interests (the "Interests") are registered under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "1933 Act"), but are subject to substantial limits on transferability and resale.

The Fund's investment objective is to generate long-term capital appreciation through a diversified portfolio with volatility that is lower than that of the equity markets and returns that demonstrate little to no correlation with either equity or bond markets. The Fund acts as a "Master Fund" utilizing capital generated by investments by The Topiary Offshore Fund for Benefit Plan Investors (BPI) LDC (the "Offshore Fund") and through direct investments by other Members. The Offshore Fund's capital is generated by investments by The Topiary Fund for Benefit Plan Investors (BPI) LLC (the "Onshore Fund"). At September 30, 2007, the investment by the Offshore Fund constitutes 98.6% of the investment capital of the Master Fund, and the Onshore Fund constitutes 100% of the investment capital of the Offshore Fund. The balance of the Fund's capital, approximately 1.4%, comprises a direct investment by DBAH Capital LLC, an affiliate of DB Investment Managers, Inc. The Fund will attempt to achieve its investment objective by investing in the securities of approximately 50 to 100 Investment Funds (the "Investment Funds") to be managed pursuant to various alternatives or non-traditional investment strategies, which may be viewed as encompassing four broadly defined primary categories; Relative Value; Event Driven; Long/Short Equity; and Global Macro. The Fund commenced operations on October 1, 2004.

The Fund's Board of Directors (the "Board") has overall responsibility to manage and control the business operations of the Fund on behalf of the members (the "Members"). All of the Board are and will be persons who are not "interested persons" (as defined in the 1940 Act) with respect to the Fund.

DB Investment Managers, Inc., performing services as Topiary Fund Management, (the "Adviser") serves as the investment adviser of the Fund subject to the ultimate supervision of and subject to any policies established by the Board, pursuant to the terms of an investment management agreement with the Fund (the "Investment Management Agreement"). Pursuant to the Investment Management Agreement, the Adviser provides the Fund with ongoing investment guidance, policy direction, and monitoring of the Fund. The Adviser is an indirect wholly owned subsidiary of Deutsche Bank AG ("Deutsche Bank"), an international commercial and investment banking group, and is registered as an investment adviser under the Investment Advisers Act of 1940, as amended (the "Advisers Act").

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THE TOPIARY MASTER FUND FOR BENEFIT PLAN INVESTORS (BPI) LLC NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)
FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2007

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### 1. ORGANIZATION (CONTINUED)

Generally, initial and additional applications for interests by eligible investors may be accepted at such times as the Fund may determine. The Fund reserves the right to reject any applications for interests in the Fund. The Fund from time to time may offer to repurchase Interests. These repurchases will be made at such times and on such terms as may be determined by the Board, in its complete and absolute discretion. On behalf of non-U.S. Members the Fund withholds and pays taxes on U.S. source income allocated from Investment Funds.

#### 2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### A. PORTFOLIO VALUATION

The net asset value of the Fund is determined by or at the direction of the Adviser as of the last business day of each month in accordance with the valuation principles set forth below or as may be determined from time to time pursuant to policies established by the Board.

The net asset value of the Fund equals the value of the Fund's assets less the Fund's liabilities, including accrued fees and expenses. The Fund's investments in the Investment Funds are considered to be illiquid and can only be redeemed periodically. The Board has approved procedures pursuant to which the Fund values its investments in Investment Funds at fair value. In accordance with these procedures, fair value as of each month-end ordinarily is the value Investment Fund's valuation policies and reported at the time of the Fund's valuation. As a general matter, the fair value of the Fund's interest in an Investment Fund represents the amount that the Fund could reasonably expect to receive from an Investment Fund if the Fund's interest were redeemed at the time of the valuation, based on information reasonably available at the time the valuation is made and that the Fund believes to be reliable. In the event that an Investment Fund does not report a month-end value to the Fund on a timely basis, the Fund would determine the fair value of such Investment Fund based on the most recent value reported by the Investment Fund, as well any other relevant information available at the time the Fund values its portfolio. The values assigned to these investments are based on available information and do not necessarily represent amounts that might ultimately be realized, as such amounts depend on future circumstances and cannot reasonably be determined until the individual investments are actually liquidated.

### B. INCOME RECOGNITION AND SECURITY TRANSACTIONS

Interest income is recorded on an accrual basis. Dividend income is recorded on the ex-dividend date. Realized gains and losses from investment fund transactions are calculated on the identified cost basis. Investments are recorded on the effective date of the subscription in the Investment Fund.

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THE TOPIARY MASTER FUND FOR BENEFIT PLAN INVESTORS (BPI) LLC NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2007

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- 2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)
- C. FUND COSTS

The Fund bears all expenses incurred in its business other than those that the Adviser assumes. The expenses of the Fund include, but are not limited to, the following: all costs and expenses related to investment transactions and positions for the Fund's account; legal fees; accounting and auditing fees; custodial fees; costs of computing the Fund's net asset value; costs of insurance; registration expenses; due diligence, including travel and related expenses; expenses of meetings of the Board and Members; all costs with respect to communications to Members; and other types of expenses as may be approved from time to time by the Board.

#### D. INCOME TAXES

The Fund intends to operate and has elected to be treated as a partnership for Federal income tax purposes. Accordingly, no provision for the payment of Federal, state or local income taxes has been provided. Each Member is individually required to report on its own tax return its distributive share of the Fund's taxable income or loss. On behalf of the Fund's foreign members', the Fund withholds and pays taxes on U.S. source income and U.S. effectively connected income, if any, allocated from underlying Investment Funds to the extent such income is not exempted from withholdings under the Internal Revenue Code and Regulations there under. Such amounts recorded as distributions are treated by the Members as withholding tax credits for federal income tax purposes. The actual amount of such taxes is not known until all K-1s from underlying funds are received, usually in the following tax year. Prior to the final determination, the amount of the tax is estimated based on information available. The final tax could be different from the estimated tax and the difference could be significant.

#### E. CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

Cash and cash equivalents consist of monies on deposit at PNC Bank, N.A. The Fund treats all financial instruments that mature within three months as cash equivalents.

#### F. USE OF ESTIMATES

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires the Adviser to make estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts reported in the financial statements and accompanying notes. The Adviser believes that the estimates utilized in preparing the Fund's financial statements are reasonable and prudent; however, actual results could differ from these estimates.

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THE TOPIARY MASTER FUND FOR BENEFIT PLAN INVESTORS (BPI) LLC NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)
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### SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

### G. EXPENSE LIMITATION

Pursuant to the Expense Limitation Agreement, the Adviser has contractually agreed to waive fees and/or reimburse the Fund's expenses to the extent necessary to ensure that the Fund's annualized expenses (excluding the Incentive Allocation, if any) will not exceed 1.75%. The initial term of the Expense Limitation Agreement is the first fiscal year of the Fund's operations, and will

be automatically renewed for each fiscal year thereafter unless the Adviser provides written notice to the Fund and the Master Fund of the termination of the Expense Limitation Agreement at least 30 days prior to the end of the then-current term.

#### 3. MANAGEMENT FEE, RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS AND OTHER

The Adviser provides certain management and administration services to the Fund, including, among other things, providing office space and other support services. In consideration for such management services, the Fund pays the Adviser a monthly management fee (the "Management Fee") at an annual rate of 1.00% of the Fund's month end net assets, including assets attributable to the Adviser (or its affiliates) and before giving effect to any repurchases by the Fund. The Management Fee accrues monthly and is payable at the end of each quarter. Management fee for the six months ended September 30, 2007 was \$446,413 of which none was payable at period end.

The Adviser has contractually agreed to a waiver of its fees and/or reimbursement of the Fund's expenses to the extent necessary so that the Fund's annualized expenses do not exceed 1.75% ("Expense Limitation Agreement") during the six months through September 30, 2007. For the six months ended September 30, 2007, the Adviser waived management fees of \$225,836.

In accordance with the terms of the administration agreement (the "Administration Agreement") and with the approval of the Fund's Board, PFPC, Inc. (an affiliate of PNC Bank, N.A.) ("PFPC") serves as the Fund's administrator pursuant to the administration agreement between PFPC and the Fund. Under the Administration Agreement, PFPC provides administrative and accounting services to the Fund. As compensation for services set forth herein that are rendered by PFPC during the term of this Agreement, the Fund pays PFPC a fee for services rendered.

The Fund has entered into an investor services agreement with PFPC, whereby PFPC provides investor services and transfer agency functions for the Fund. As compensation for services set forth herein that are rendered by PFPC during the term of this Agreement, the Fund pays PFPC a fee for services rendered.

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THE TOPIARY MASTER FUND FOR BENEFIT PLAN INVESTORS (BPI) LLC NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)
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### 3. MANAGEMENT FEE, RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS AND OTHER (CONTINUED)

The Adviser has also retained one of its affiliates, Deutsche Investment Management Americas, Inc. ("DIMA"), to provide sub-administration services pursuant to the Board services agreement.

Under this agreement, DIMA, among other things: drafts Board agendas and resolutions; prepares Board materials; communicates with the Directors; and drafts Board-meeting minutes. As compensation for services set forth herein that are rendered by DIMA during the term of this Agreement, the Funds pays DIMA a fee for services rendered.

Each Board member who is not an employee of the Adviser, or one of its affiliates, receives an annual retainer of \$16,000 plus a fee for each meeting attended. The chairman of the audit committee also receives an additional annual fee of \$2,000. These Board members are also reimbursed by the Fund for all

reasonable out of pocket expenses.

PFPC Trust Company (also an affiliate of PNC Bank, N.A.) serves as custodian of the Fund's assets and provides custodial services to the Fund.

Under the terms of an investor servicing agreement (the "Underwriting Agreement") between the Fund and Scudder Distributors, Inc. (the "Distributor"), the Distributor is authorized to retain brokers, dealers and certain financial advisers ("Investor Service Providers") to provide ongoing investor services and account maintenance services to Members that are their customers. The Distributor bears all of its expenses of providing distribution services as described under the Underwriting Agreement.

### 4. SECURITY TRANSACTIONS

As of September 30, 2007, the Fund had investments in Investment Funds, none of which were related parties. Aggregate purchases of Investment Funds amounted to \$0 and aggregate sales of Investment Funds amounted to \$48,076,414 for the six months ended September 30, 2007.

At September 30, 2007, the estimated cost of investments for Federal income tax purposes was \$30,222,652. As of that date, net unrealized appreciation on investments was estimated to be \$8,052,876, made up of gross unrealized appreciation on investments of \$8,053,947 and gross unrealized depreciation on investments of \$1,071.

#### 5. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS WITH OFF-BALANCE SHEET RISK

In the normal course of business, the Investment Funds in which the Fund invests trade various financial instruments and enter into various investment activities with off-balance sheet risk.

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THE TOPIARY MASTER FUND FOR BENEFIT PLAN INVESTORS (BPI) LLC NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)
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# 5. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS WITH OFF-BALANCE SHEET RISK (CONTINUED)

These include, but are not limited to, short selling activities, writing option contracts, contracts for differences, and interest rate, credit default and total return equity swaps contracts. The Fund's risk of loss in these Investment Funds is limited to the value of these investments reported by the Fund. The Fund itself does not invest in securities with off-balance sheet risk.

#### 6. CONCENTRATION OF RISK

The Master Fund invests primarily in Investment Funds that are not registered under the 1940 Act and invest in and actively trade securities and other financial instruments using different strategies and investment techniques, including leverage, that may involve significant risks. These Investment Funds may invest a high percentage of their assets in specific sectors of the market in order to achieve a potentially greater investment return. As a result, the Investment Funds may be more susceptible to economic, political, and regulatory developments in a particular sector of the market, positive or negative, and may experience increased volatility of the Investment Funds' net asset value.

Various risks are also associated with an investment in the Fund, including risks relating to the multi-manager structure of the Fund, risks relating to

compensation arrangements and risks relating to limited liquidity.

#### 7. GUARANTOR OBLIGATIONS AND INDEMNIFICATIONS

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

#### 8. NEW ACCOUNTING PRONOUNCEMENTS

In July 2006, the Financial Accounting Standards Board (the "FASB") issued Interpretation No. 48, "Accounting for Uncertainty in Income Taxes — an interpretation of FASB Statement No. 109" ("FIN 48"). FIN 48 establishes for all entities, including pass—through entities such as the Fund, a minimum threshold for financial statement recognition of the benefit of positions taken in filing tax returns (including whether an entity is taxable in a particular jurisdiction), and requires certain expanded tax disclosures. FIN 48 is effective for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2006, and is to be applied to all open tax years as of the date of effectiveness. Based on the Manager's analysis, the determination has been made that the adoption of FIN 48 did not have an impact to the Fund's financial statements upon adoption. The Manager continually reviews the Fund's tax positions and such conclusions under FIN 48 based on factors, including, but not limited to, ongoing analyses of tax laws, regulations and interpretations, thereof.

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THE TOPIARY MASTER FUND FOR BENEFIT PLAN INVESTORS (BPI) LLC NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED) FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2007

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### 9. SUBSEQUENT EVENT

At a special meeting held on September 20, 2007, the Fund's members, by a majority of the total number of votes eligible to be cast, approved an Agreement and Plan of Reorganization (the "Reorganization") whereby (i) the Hatteras Master Fund, L.P., a closed-end management investment company whose investment adviser is Hatteras Investment Partners LLC, would acquire substantially all of the assets and liabilities of the Fund in exchange for interests in the Hatteras Master Fund, L.P. (ii) the Fund would distribute interests received from the Hatteras Master Fund, L.P. to its members.

Per the reorganization agreement, the costs associated with the transaction will be borne by DB Investment Managers, Inc., Hatteras Investment Partners, LLC or their affiliates.

The Reorganization as approved was effective as of October 1, 2007.

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THE TOPIARY MASTER FUND FOR BENEFIT PLAN INVESTORS (BPI) LLC DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS BIOGRAPHICAL DATA (UNAUDITED)

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The business of the Fund is managed under the direction of the Board. Subject to the provisions of the Operating Agreement and Delaware law, the Directors have all powers necessary and convenient to carry out the responsibility. The Directors and Officers of the Fund, their addresses, their ages and descriptions of their principal occupations during the past five years are listed below.

NAME, ADDRESS AND AGE	HELD WITH	LENGTH OF	PRINCIPAL OCCUPATION(S) DURING THE PAST 5 YEARS	NUMBE PORTFO IN F COMF OVERSE DIREC
INDEPENDENT DIRECTORS				
Nolan T. Altman (ii) c/o The Topiary Master Fund for Benefit Plan Investors (BPI) LLC 25 DeForest Ave. Summit, NJ 07901-2154 (9/18/55)	Director		President, NTA Consulting (financial services consulting) (2001 to present). Formerly, Chief Financial Officer, Tiger Management (Investment adviser to hedge funds) (1993 to 2001).	3

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(i) Each Director serves for the duration of the Fund, or until his death, resignation, termination, removal or retirement.

(ii) Since March 2003, Messrs. Altman and Citron have served as members of the Conflicts Advisory Board of certain private investment funds managed by DBIM or its affiliates. This Conflicts Advisory Board meets on an intermittent basis to evaluate whether specific transactions involving the private investment funds raise conflicts of interest with DBIM, its affiliates, or accounts managed by DBIM or its affiliates.

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THE TOPIARY MASTER FUND FOR BENEFIT PLAN INVESTORS (BPI) LLC
DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS BIOGRAPHICAL DATA (CONTINUED) (UNAUDITED)

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NAME, ADDRESS AND AGE	HELD WITH FUND	OFFICE(I) & LENGTH OF TIME SERVED	PRINCIPAL OCCUPATION(S) DURING THE PAST 5 YEARS	]
INDEPENDENT DIRECTORS (CONTINUED)				
Louis S. Citron (ii) c/o The Topiary Master Fund for Benefit Plan Investors (BPI) LLC 25 DeForest Ave. Summit, NJ 07901-2154 (1/31/65)	Director	Since Inception	Partner and General Counsel, New Enterprise Associates (venture capital firm) (2001 to present).	
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NAME, ADDRESS AND AGE	HELD WITH	TERM OF OFFICE(I) & LENGTH OF TIME SERVED		. — —
NAME, ADDRESS AND AGE INDEPENDENT DIRECTORS (CONTINUED)	HELD WITH	OFFICE(I) & LENGTH OF	OCCUPATION(S) DURING THE PAST	

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THE TOPIARY MASTER FUND FOR BENEFIT PLAN INVESTORS (BPI) LLC DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS BIOGRAPHICAL DATA (CONTINUED) (UNAUDITED)

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·	POSITIONS HELD WITH FUND	PRINCIPAL OCCUPATION(S)  LAST 5 YEARS
Pamela Kiernan(iii) DB Absolute Return Strategies 345 Park Avenue, 24Th Floor New York, NY 10154 (9/16/68)	President	Chief Operating Officer, DB Abso Strategies (2005 to present). F Operating Officer - Americas, DB (2004); Chief Operations Officer Bank Global Equities (2002 to 20 Management - Trading, Deutsche B (1997 to 2002).
Joshua Kestler(iii) Deutsche Asset Management 25 DeForest Ave., 2nd Floor Summit, NJ 07901-2154 (04/27/75)	Vice President	Head of Product Structuring, DB Strategies (2004 to present); As Roth & Zabel LLP (law firm) (200
Marielena Glassman(iii) Deutsche Asset Management 25 DeForest Ave., 2nd Floor Summit, NJ 07901-2154 (06/06/63)	Treasurer, Principal Financial & Accounting Officer	(1990 to 2002).
	Assistant Treasurer	Head of Fund Accounting, DB Abso Strategies (2002 to present). F Assurance/Business Advisory Serv PricewaterhouseCoopers, New York

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(iii) All Officers also serve in similar capacities as Officers for other funds advised by the Investment Manager or its affiliates.

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THE TOPIARY MASTER FUND FOR BENEFIT PLAN INVESTORS (BPI) LLC DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS BIOGRAPHICAL DATA (CONTINUED) (UNAUDITED)

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Anthony Conte(iii) Chief Compliance Head of Alternative Assets Compliance (06/2 present); Head of Compliance, DB Absolute R Strategies (2003 to present); Head of Busin DB Absolute Return Strategies (2001 to 2003 New York, NY 10154

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(3/28/69)\_\_\_\_\_\_ John H. Kim(iii) Secretary Director and Senior Counsel, Deutsche Asset Deutsche Asset Management (asset management division of Deutsche Bank

345 Park Avenue, 16th Floor present). New York, NY 10154

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The Fund's Statement of Additional Information ("SAI") has additional information about the Fund's Directors and Officers and is available without charge upon request. Contact your financial representative for a free prospectus or SAI.

\_\_\_\_\_\_ (iii) All Officers also serve in similar capacities as Officers for other funds

advised by the Investment Manager or its affiliates.

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THE TOPIARY MASTER FUND FOR BENEFIT PLAN INVESTORS (BPI) LLC PORTFOLIO PROXY VOTING POLICIES AND PROCEDURES; SEC FILINGS (UNAUDITED)

The Fund invests substantially all of its assets in the securities of Investment Funds, which are privately placed investment vehicles, typically referred to as "hedge funds." These securities do not typically convey traditional voting rights to the holder and the occurrence of corporate governance or other notices for this type of investment is substantially less than that encountered in connection with registered equity securities. However, to the extent the Fund receives notices or proxies from Investment Funds (or receives proxy statements or similar notices in connection with any other portfolio securities); the Fund has delegated proxy voting responsibilities to the Adviser. The Adviser has adopted its own Proxy Voting Policies and Procedures ("Policies"). The Policies address, among other things, conflicts of interest that may arise between the interests of the Fund, and the interests of the Adviser and its affiliates, including the Fund's principal underwriter.

A description of the Adviser's Policies is available (i) without charge, upon request, by calling the Fund toll-free at 1-888-262-0695, and (ii) on the SEC's website at WWW.SEC.GOV.

In addition, the Fund is required to file new Form N-PX with its complete proxy voting record for the 12 months ended June 30th, no later than August 31st of each year. The funds Form N-PX is available (i) without charge, upon request, by calling the Fund toll free at 1-888-262-0695 and (ii) on the SEC's website at

WWW.SEC.GOV.

The Fund files its complete schedule of portfolio holdings with the SEC for the first quarter and the third quarter of each fiscal year on Form N-Q. The Fund's Form N-Q filings are available on the SEC's website at WWW.SEC.GOV. Those forms may be reviewed and copied at the SEC's Public Reference Room in Washington D.C. Information on the operation of the Public Reference Room may be obtained by calling 1-800-SEC-0330.

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THE TOPIARY MASTER FUND FOR BENEFIT PLAN INVESTORS (BPI) LLC COMPONENTS OF NET ASSETS BY INVESTMENT STRATEGY (UNAUDITED)

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# COMPONENTS OF NET ASSETS BY INVESTMENT STRATEGY

[GRAPHIC OMITTED]

EDGAR REPRESENTATION OF DATA USED IN PRINTED GRAPHIC AS FOLLOWS:

EVENT DRIVEN 18.7% GLOBAL MACRO 2.1% LONG/SHORT EQUITY 8.0% RELATIVE VALUE 13.9% OTHER ASSETS 57.3%

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ITEM 2. CODE OF ETHICS.

Not applicable.

ITEM 3. AUDIT COMMITTEE FINANCIAL EXPERT.

Not applicable.

ITEM 4. PRINCIPAL ACCOUNTANT FEES AND SERVICES.

Not applicable.

ITEM 5. AUDIT COMMITTEE OF LISTED REGISTRANTS.

Not applicable.

ITEM 6. SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS.

Schedule of Investments in securities of unaffiliated issuers as of the close of the reporting period is included as part of the report to shareholders filed under Item 1 of this form.

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

Not applicable.

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

There has been no change, as of the date of this filing, in any of the portfolio managers identified in response to paragraph (a)(1) of this Item in the registrant's most recently filed annual report on Form N-CSR.

ITEM 9. PURCHASES OF EQUITY SECURITIES BY CLOSED-END MANAGEMENT INVESTMENT COMPANY AND AFFILIATED PURCHASERS.

Not applicable.

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

There have been no material changes to the procedures by which the shareholders may recommend nominees to the registrant's board of directors, where those changes were implemented after the registrant last provided disclosure in response to the requirements of Item 407(c)(2)(iv) of Regulation S-K (17 CFR 229.407) (as required by Item 22(b)(15) of Schedule 14A (17 CFR 240.14a-101)), or this Item.

### ITEM 11. CONTROLS AND PROCEDURES.

- (a) The registrant's principal executive and principal financial officers, or persons performing similar functions, have concluded that the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Rule 30a-3(c) under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended (the "1940 Act") (17 CFR 270.30a-3(c))) are effective, as of a date within 90 days of the filing date of the report that includes the disclosure required by this paragraph, based on their evaluation of these controls and procedures required by Rule 30a-3(b) under the 1940 Act (17 CFR 270.30a-3(b)) and Rules 13a-15(b) or 15d-15(b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (17 CFR 240.13a-15(b) or 240.15d-15(b)).
- (b) There were no changes in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Rule 30a-3(d) under the 1940 Act (17 CFR 270.30a-3(d)) that occurred during the registrant's second fiscal quarter of the period covered by this report that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

ITEM 12. EXHIBITS.

- (a) (1) Not applicable.
- (a)(2) Certifications pursuant to Rule 30a-2(a) under the 1940 Act and Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002 are attached hereto.
- (a) (3) Not applicable.
  - (b) Certifications pursuant to Rule 30a-2(b) under the 1940 Act and Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002 are attached hereto.

## SIGNATURES

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

The Topiary Fund for Benefit Plan Investors (BPI) LLC

By (Signature and Title)\* /s/ Pamela Kiernan

Pamela Kiernan, President
(principal executive officer)

Date December 3, 2007

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

By (Signature and Title)\* /s/ Pamela Kiernan

Pamela Kiernan, President

(principal executive officer)

Date December 3, 2007

By (Signature and Title)\* /s/ Marie Glassman

Marie Glassman, Treasurer, Principal Financial Officer

and Accounting Officer (principal financial officer)

Date December 3, 2007

<sup>\*</sup> Print the name and title of each signing officer under his or her signature.