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Form N-Q

November 28, 2008

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

FORM N-Q

QUARTERLY SCHEDULE OF PORTFOLIO HOLDINGS OF
REGISTERED MANAGEMENT INVESTMENT COMPANY

Investment Company Act file number 811-08476

The Gabelli Global Multimedia Trust Inc.
(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

One Corporate Center
Rye, New York 10580-1422
(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip code)

Bruce N. Alpert
Gabelli Funds, LLC
One Corporate Center
Rye, New York 10580-1422
(Name and address of agent for service)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: 1-800-422-3554

Date of fiscal year end: December 31

Date of reporting period: September 30, 2008

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A registrant is required to disclose the information specified by Form N-Q, and the Commission will make this information public. A registrant is not required to respond to the collection of information contained in Form N-Q unless the Form displays a currently valid Office of Management and Budget ("OMB") control number. Please direct comments concerning the accuracy of the information collection burden estimate and any suggestions for reducing the burden to the Secretary, Securities and Exchange Commission, 100 F Street, NE, Washington, DC 20549. The OMB has reviewed this collection of information under the clearance requirements of 44 U.S.C. ss. 3507.

ITEM 1. SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS.

The Schedule(s) of Investments is attached herewith.

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(THE GABELLI LOGO)
GLOBAL MULTIMEDIA TRUST INC.

THE GABELLI GLOBAL MULTIMEDIA TRUST INC.

Third Quarter Report
September 30, 2008

TO OUR SHAREHOLDERS,

During the third quarter of 2008, The Gabelli Global Multimedia Trust's (the "Fund") return was down 17.37% on a net asset value ("NAV") basis, while the Morgan Stanley Capital International ("MSCI") World Free Index declined 15.25% and the Lipper Global Multi-Cap Growth Fund Average was down 19.64%. The Fund's market price on September 30, 2008 was \$7.27, which equated to a 16.44% discount to its NAV of \$8.70 at the end of the quarter. The Fund's market price, adjusted for distributions, was down 19.47% during the third quarter of 2008.

Enclosed is the investment portfolio as of September 30, 2008.

COMPARATIVE RESULTS

AVERAGE ANNUAL RETURNS THROUGH SEPTEMBER 30, 2008 (a)

| | Quarter | 1 Year | 3 Year | 5 Year | 10 Year |
|--|----------|----------|---------|--------|---------|
| | ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- |
| GABELLI GLOBAL MULTIMEDIA TRUST | | | | | |
| NAV TOTAL RETURN (b) | (17.37)% | (41.34)% | (5.64)% | 3.21% | 4.93% |
| INVESTMENT TOTAL RETURN (c) | (19.47) | (43.31) | (5.57) | 3.11 | 5.19 |
| Nasdaq Composite Index | (8.77) | (22.57) | (0.94) | 3.20 | 2.13 |
| MSCI World Free Index | (15.25) | (26.05) | 0.75 | 7.32 | 3.79 |
| Lipper Global Multi-Cap Growth Fund Average | (19.64) | (28.82) | 0.40 | 7.19 | 5.18 |

- (a) RETURNS REPRESENT PAST PERFORMANCE AND DO NOT GUARANTEE FUTURE RESULTS. INVESTMENT RETURNS AND THE PRINCIPAL VALUE OF AN INVESTMENT WILL FLUCTUATE. WHEN SHARES ARE SOLD, THEY MAY BE WORTH MORE OR LESS THAN THEIR ORIGINAL COST. CURRENT PERFORMANCE MAY BE LOWER OR HIGHER THAN THE PERFORMANCE DATA PRESENTED. VISIT WWW.GABELLI.COM FOR PERFORMANCE INFORMATION AS OF THE MOST RECENT MONTH END. PERFORMANCE RETURNS FOR PERIODS OF LESS THAN ONE YEAR ARE NOT ANNUALIZED. INVESTORS SHOULD CAREFULLY CONSIDER THE INVESTMENT OBJECTIVES, RISKS, CHARGES, AND EXPENSES OF THE FUND BEFORE INVESTING. THE NASDAQ COMPOSITE AND MSCI WORLD FREE INDICES ARE UNMANAGED INDICATORS OF STOCK MARKET PERFORMANCE. THE LIPPER GLOBAL MULTI-CAP GROWTH FUND AVERAGE REFLECTS THE AVERAGE PERFORMANCE OF OPEN-END MUTUAL FUNDS CLASSIFIED IN THIS PARTICULAR CATEGORY. DIVIDENDS ARE CONSIDERED REINVESTED EXCEPT FOR THE NASDAQ COMPOSITE AND MSCI WORLD FREE INDICES. YOU CANNOT INVEST DIRECTLY IN AN INDEX.
- (b) TOTAL RETURNS AND AVERAGE ANNUAL RETURNS REFLECT CHANGES IN THE NAV PER SHARE, REINVESTMENT OF DISTRIBUTIONS AT NAV ON THE EX-DIVIDEND DATE, AND ADJUSTMENTS FOR RIGHTS OFFERINGS AND ARE NET OF EXPENSES. SINCE INCEPTION RETURN IS BASED ON AN INITIAL NAV OF \$7.50.
- (c) TOTAL RETURNS AND AVERAGE ANNUAL RETURNS REFLECT CHANGES IN CLOSING MARKET VALUES ON THE NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE, REINVESTMENT OF DISTRIBUTIONS, AND ADJUSTMENTS FOR RIGHTS OFFERINGS. SINCE INCEPTION RETURN IS BASED ON AN

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INITIAL OFFERING PRICE OF \$7.50.

(d) FROM NOVEMBER 30, 1994, THE DATE CLOSEST TO THE FUND'S INCEPTION FOR WHICH DATA IS AVAILABLE.

We have separated the portfolio managers' commentary from the financial statements and investment portfolio due to corporate governance regulations stipulated by the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002. We have done this to ensure that the content of the portfolio managers' commentary is unrestricted. The financial statements and investment portfolio are mailed separately from the commentary. Both the commentary and the financial statements, including the portfolio of investments, will be available on our website at www.gabelli.com.

THE GABELLI GLOBAL MULTIMEDIA TRUST INC. SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS SEPTEMBER 30, 2008 (UNAUDITED)

| SHARES | | MARKET VALUE |
|---------|---|-----------------|
| | COMMON STOCKS -- 93.1% | |
| | DISTRIBUTION COMPANIES -- 56.1% | |
| | BROADCASTING -- 6.6% | |
| 1,560 | Asahi Broadcasting Corp. | \$ 162,080 |
| 6,000 | CanWest Global Communications Corp.+ (a) | 12,654 |
| 12,000 | CanWest Global Communications Corp., Cl. A+ | 25,257 |
| 18,000 | CanWest Global Communications Corp., Sub-Voting+ | 38,731 |
| 70,000 | CBS Corp., Cl. A | 1,024,100 |
| 6,400 | Chubu-Nippon Broadcasting Co. Ltd. | 37,309 |
| 6,527 | Citadel Broadcasting Corp.+ | 5,091 |
| 20,000 | Cogeco Inc. | 586,328 |
| 3,666 | Corus Entertainment Inc., Cl. B, New York | 63,788 |
| 13,000 | Corus Entertainment Inc., Cl. B, Toronto | 222,194 |
| 9,000 | Cox Radio Inc., Cl. A+ | 95,040 |
| 60,000 | Discovery Communications Inc., Cl. A+ | 855,000 |
| 60,000 | Discovery Communications Inc., Cl. C+ | 849,600 |
| 166 | Emmis Communications Corp., Cl. A+ | 161 |
| 25,040 | Fisher Communications Inc. | 986,576 |
| 28 | Fuji Television Network Inc. | 35,594 |
| 100,000 | Gray Television Inc. | 172,000 |
| 10,000 | Gray Television Inc., Cl. A | 34,500 |
| 10,000 | Grupo Radio Centro SAB de CV, ADR | 105,500 |
| 30,000 | Hearst-Argyle Television Inc. | 669,900 |
| 4,550 | Lagardere SCA | 203,021 |
| 34,000 | LIN TV Corp., Cl. A+ | 175,440 |
| 4,000 | M6 Metropole Television | 86,945 |
| 8,566 | Media Prima Berhad | 3,260 |
| 6,200 | Nippon Television Network Corp. | 580,039 |
| 4,650 | NRJ Group | 46,282 |
| 1,000 | NTN Buzztime Inc.+ | 220 |
| 500 | Radio One Inc., Cl. A+ | 705 |
| 1,000 | Radio One Inc., Cl. D+ | 750 |
| 1,500 | RTL Group SA, Brussels | 91,859 |
| 3,500 | RTL Group SA, New York | 216,850 |
| 1,906 | Saga Communications Inc., Cl. A+ | 10,864 |
| 65,000 | Salem Communications Corp., Cl. A+ | 81,250 |
| 80,000 | Sinclair Broadcast Group Inc., Cl. A | 403,200 |

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| | | |
|---------|--|-----------|
| 25,000 | Societe Television Francaise 1 | 436,769 |
| 2,000 | Spanish Broadcasting System Inc., Cl. A+ | 760 |
| 50,000 | Television Broadcasts Ltd. | 210,564 |
| 140,000 | Tokyo Broadcasting System Inc. | 2,362,841 |
| 258 | TV Asahi Corp. | 358,054 |
| 240,000 | TV Azteca SA de CV, CPO | 150,761 |

| SHARES | | MARKET VALUE |
|---------|---|-----------------|
| ----- | | ----- |
| 26,000 | UTV Media plc | \$ 58,126 |
| 65,000 | Young Broadcasting Inc., Cl. A+ | 3,412 |
| | | ----- |
| | | 11,463,375 |
| | | ----- |
| | BUSINESS SERVICES -- 0.9% | |
| 15,000 | BB Holdings Ltd.+ | 65,250 |
| 11,244 | Cockleshell Ltd.+ | 10,695 |
| 1,000 | Convergys Corp.+ | 14,780 |
| 100,000 | Ideation Acquisition Corp.+ | 750,000 |
| 6,000 | Impellam Group plc+ | 5,067 |
| 8,000 | Interactive Data Corp. | 201,760 |
| 3,000 | Moody's Corp. | 102,000 |
| 2,040 | Shellproof Ltd.+ | 1,977 |
| 1,500 | Shellshock Ltd.+ | 1,653 |
| 500 | The Dun & Bradstreet Corp. | 47,180 |
| 38,800 | The Interpublic Group of Companies Inc.+ | 300,700 |
| | | ----- |
| | | 1,501,062 |
| | | ----- |
| | CABLE -- 11.3% | |
| 16,578 | Austar United Communications Ltd.+ | 14,804 |
| 202,000 | Cablevision Systems Corp., Cl. A | 5,082,320 |
| 600,000 | Charter Communications Inc., Cl. A+ | 438,000 |
| 40,400 | Cogeco Cable Inc. | 1,512,746 |
| 10,000 | Comcast Corp., Cl. A | 196,300 |
| 10,500 | Comcast Corp., Cl. A, Special | 207,060 |
| 15,000 | Mediacom Communications Corp., Cl. A+ | 88,800 |
| 214,690 | Rogers Communications Inc., Cl. B, New York | 7,136,296 |
| 19,310 | Rogers Communications Inc., Cl. B, Toronto | 626,339 |
| 60,000 | Scripps Networks Interactive Inc., Cl. A | 2,178,600 |
| 22,000 | Shaw Communications Inc., Cl. B, New York | 447,260 |
| 78,000 | Shaw Communications Inc., Cl. B, Toronto | 1,578,689 |
| | | ----- |
| | | 19,507,214 |
| | | ----- |
| | CONSUMER SERVICES -- 1.6% | |
| 1,000 | 1-800-FLOWERS.COM Inc., Cl. A+ | 6,020 |
| 4,000 | Bowlin Travel Centers Inc.+ | 6,600 |
| 20,000 | H&R Block Inc. | 455,000 |
| 45,000 | IAC/InterActiveCorp.+ | 778,500 |
| 110,000 | Liberty Media Corp. - Interactive, Cl. A+ | 1,420,100 |
| 4,000 | TiVo Inc.+ | 29,280 |
| | | ----- |
| | | 2,695,500 |
| | | ----- |

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See accompanying notes to schedule of investments.

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THE GABELLI GLOBAL MULTIMEDIA TRUST INC.
 SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS (CONTINUED)
 SEPTEMBER 30, 2008 (UNAUDITED)

| SHARES | | MARKET VALUE |
|---------|---|-----------------|
| | COMMON STOCKS (CONTINUED) | |
| | DISTRIBUTION COMPANIES (CONTINUED) | |
| | DIVERSIFIED INDUSTRIAL -- 1.5% | |
| 28,500 | Bouygues SA | \$ 1,273,880 |
| 18,432 | Contax Participacoes SA, ADR | 19,302 |
| 50,000 | General Electric Co. | 1,275,000 |
| 7,700 | Hutchison Whampoa Ltd. | 58,309 |
| 7,908 | Malaysian Resources Corp. Berhad | 1,711 |
| | | 2,628,202 |
| | ENERGY AND UTILITIES -- 0.2% | |
| 20,000 | El Paso Electric Co.+ | 420,000 |
| | ENTERTAINMENT -- 6.1% | |
| 1,000 | Blockbuster Inc., Cl. A+ | 2,050 |
| 3,150 | British Sky Broadcasting Group plc, ADR | 93,555 |
| 12,000 | Canal+ Groupe | 104,740 |
| 4,005 | Chestnut Hill Ventures+ (a) | 112,741 |
| 460,000 | Grupo Televisa SA, ADR | 10,060,200 |
| 12,000 | Regal Entertainment Group, Cl. A | 189,360 |
| 10,000 | Triple Crown Media Inc.+ | 170 |
| | | 10,562,816 |
| | EQUIPMENT -- 1.7% | |
| 11,000 | American Tower Corp., Cl. A+ | 395,670 |
| 2,000 | Amphenol Corp., Cl. A | 80,280 |
| 85,000 | Corning Inc. | 1,329,400 |
| 1,500 | L-3 Communications Holdings Inc. | 147,480 |
| 50,000 | Motorola Inc. | 357,000 |
| 30,000 | Nextwave Wireless Inc.+ | 18,000 |
| 2,000 | Nortel Networks Corp., New York+ | 4,480 |
| 2,093 | Nortel Networks Corp., Toronto+ | 4,602 |
| 12,000 | QUALCOMM Inc. | 515,640 |
| 40,000 | Sycamore Networks Inc.+ | 129,200 |
| 2,000 | The Furukawa Electric Co. Ltd. | 8,537 |
| | | 2,990,289 |
| | FINANCIAL SERVICES -- 0.0% | |
| 3,000 | Interactive Brokers Group Inc., Cl. A+ | 66,510 |
| 3,000 | Tree.com Inc.+ | 14,460 |
| | | 80,970 |

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|---------|---|------------|--------|
| | | | ----- |
| | FOOD AND BEVERAGE -- 0.2% | | |
| 5,282 | Compass Group plc | 32,303 | |
| 2,498 | Pernod-Ricard SA | 217,260 | |
| | | | ----- |
| | | 249,563 | |
| | RETAIL -- 2.0% | | ----- |
| 75,000 | Best Buy Co. Inc. | 2,812,500 | |
| 18,000 | HSN Inc.+ | 198,180 | |
| | | | |
| | | | MARKET |
| SHARES | | | VALUE |
| ----- | | | ----- |
| 10,000 | Macy's Inc. | \$ 179,800 | |
| 18,000 | Ticketmaster+ | 193,140 | |
| | | | ----- |
| | | 3,383,620 | |
| | SATELLITE -- 2.4% | | ----- |
| 3,000 | Asia Satellite Telecommunications Holdings Ltd. | 4,173 | |
| 35,000 | DISH Network Corp., Cl. A+ | 735,000 | |
| 7,000 | EchoStar Corp., Cl. A+ | 168,700 | |
| 1,000 | Lockheed Martin Corp. | 109,670 | |
| 6,000 | PT Indosat Tbk, ADR | 195,960 | |
| 30 | SKY Perfect JSAT Holdings Inc. | 11,212 | |
| 110,000 | The DIRECTV Group Inc.+ | 2,878,700 | |
| | | | ----- |
| | | 4,103,415 | |
| | TELECOMMUNICATIONS: LONG DISTANCE -- 2.6% | | ----- |
| 15,000 | AT&T Inc. | 418,800 | |
| 2,000 | Embarq Corp. | 81,100 | |
| 50,000 | Frontier Communications Corp. | 575,000 | |
| 35,000 | Philippine Long Distance Telephone Co., ADR | 1,971,900 | |
| 65,000 | Sprint Nextel Corp. | 396,500 | |
| 1,000 | Startec Global Communications Corp.+ (a) | 2 | |
| 600,000 | Telecom Italia SpA | 888,601 | |
| 10,000 | Windstream Corp. | 109,400 | |
| | | | ----- |
| | | 4,441,303 | |
| | TELECOMMUNICATIONS: NATIONAL -- 6.9% | | ----- |
| 9,000 | BT Group plc, ADR | 261,090 | |
| 5,000 | China Telecom Corp. Ltd., ADR | 204,500 | |
| 5,000 | China Unicom Ltd., ADR | 75,600 | |
| 37,000 | Compania de Telecomunicaciones de Chile SA, ADR | 251,970 | |
| 158,000 | Deutsche Telekom AG, ADR | 2,406,340 | |
| 49,000 | Elisa Oyj | 947,813 | |
| 1,389 | FairPoint Communications Inc. | 12,043 | |
| 3,000 | France Telecom SA, ADR | 84,030 | |
| 3,305 | Hellenic Telecommunications Organization SA | 58,718 | |
| 500 | Magyar Telekom Telecommunications plc, ADR | 11,640 | |
| 50 | Nippon Telegraph & Telephone Corp. | 220,488 | |
| 4,320 | PT Telekomunikasi Indonesia, ADR | 128,650 | |
| 6,000 | Rostelecom, ADR | 261,240 | |
| 44,000 | Swisscom AG, ADR | 1,300,869 | |
| 2,844 | Telecom Corp. of New Zealand Ltd., ADR | 26,136 | |

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54,000 Telefonica SA, ADR 3,860,460

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 SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS (CONTINUED)
 SEPTEMBER 30, 2008 (UNAUDITED)

| SHARES/ UNITS ----- | | MARKET VALUE ----- |
|---------------------------|---|--------------------------|
| | COMMON STOCKS (CONTINUED) | |
| | DISTRIBUTION COMPANIES (CONTINUED) | |
| | TELECOMMUNICATIONS: NATIONAL (CONTINUED) | |
| 38,000 | Telefonos de Mexico SAB de CV, Cl. L, ADR | \$ 978,500 |
| 18,172 | TeliaSonera AB | 102,621 |
| 38,000 | Telmex Internacional SAB de CV, ADR | 494,000 |
| 2,400 | Telstra Corp. Ltd., ADR | 39,566 |
| 20,000 | tw telecom inc.+ | 207,800 |
| 100 | Virgin Media Inc. | 790 |
| | | ----- |
| | | 11,934,864 |
| | | ----- |
| | TELECOMMUNICATIONS: REGIONAL -- 6.0% | |
| 10,000 | BCE Inc. | 347,100 |
| 4,266 | Bell Aliant Regional Communications Income Fund | 100,171 |
| 2,537 | Bell Aliant Regional Communications Income Fund+ (a) (b) | 63,400 |
| 4,000 | Brasil Telecom Participacoes SA, ADR..... | 195,440 |
| 14,000 | CenturyTel Inc. | 513,100 |
| 80,000 | Cincinnati Bell Inc.+ | 247,200 |
| 180,000 | Qwest Communications International Inc. | 581,400 |
| 18,432 | Tele Norte Leste Participacoes SA, ADR | 321,823 |
| 10,000 | Telecom Argentina SA, ADR+ | 122,500 |
| 65,000 | Telephone & Data Systems Inc. | 2,323,750 |
| 50,000 | Telephone & Data Systems Inc., Special | 1,795,000 |
| 40,000 | TELUS Corp. | 1,460,935 |
| 73,660 | Verizon Communications Inc. | 2,363,749 |
| | | ----- |
| | | 10,435,568 |
| | | ----- |
| | WIRELESS COMMUNICATIONS -- 6.1% | |
| 90,000 | America Movil SAB de CV, Cl. L, ADR | 4,172,400 |
| 8,000 | Clearwire Corp., Cl. A+ | 95,040 |
| 2,513 | Grupo Iusacell SA de CV+ | 18,052 |
| 102 | Hutchison Telecommunications International Ltd.+ | 116 |
| 240,000 | Jasmine International Public Co. Ltd.+ (a) | 2,835 |
| 1,200 | NTT DoCoMo Inc. | 1,894,410 |
| 30,000 | Price Communications Corp., Escrow+ (a)..... | 0 |
| 37,000 | SK Telecom Co. Ltd., ADR | 696,340 |
| 330 | Tele Norte Celular Participacoes SA, ADR | 5,718 |
| 503 | Telemig Celular Participacoes SA, ADR | 18,616 |

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| 3,178 | Tim Participacoes SA, ADR | 66,293 |
| 30,000 | United States Cellular Corp.+ | 1,407,600 |

| SHARES | | MARKET VALUE |
|---------|---|-----------------|
| ----- | | ----- |
| 89,000 | Vimpel-Communications, ADR | \$ 1,806,700 |
| 9,401 | Vivo Participacoes SA, ADR | 38,920 |
| 8,750 | Vodafone Group plc, ADR | 193,375 |
| 200 | Xanadoo Co.+ | 60,000 |
| | | ----- |
| | | 10,476,415 |
| | | ----- |
| | TOTAL DISTRIBUTION | |
| | COMPANIES | 96,874,176 |
| | | ----- |
| | COPYRIGHT/CREATIVITY COMPANIES -- 37.0% | |
| | BUSINESS SERVICES: ADVERTISING -- 0.8% | |
| 60,000 | Clear Channel Outdoor Holdings Inc., Cl. A+ | 820,800 |
| 20,000 | Harte-Hanks Inc. | 207,400 |
| 4,200 | Havas SA | 13,008 |
| 8,000 | JC Decaux SA | 172,652 |
| 2,000 | Publicis Groupe | 62,196 |
| 4,000 | R. H. Donnelley Corp.+ | 7,960 |
| 36,000 | Trans-Lux Corp.+ | 97,920 |
| | | ----- |
| | | 1,381,936 |
| | | ----- |
| | COMPUTER HARDWARE -- 1.2% | |
| 18,500 | Apple Inc.+ | 2,102,710 |
| | | ----- |
| | COMPUTER SOFTWARE AND SERVICES -- 5.3% | |
| 96,000 | Activision Blizzard Inc.+ | 1,481,280 |
| 21,500 | Alibaba.com Ltd.+ | 19,438 |
| 5,000 | America Online Latin America Inc., Cl. A+ (a) | 10 |
| 3,000 | Atlus Co. Ltd. | 13,652 |
| 3,230 | EarthLink Inc.+ | 27,455 |
| 47,000 | eBay Inc.+ | 1,051,860 |
| 33,000 | Electronic Arts Inc.+ | 1,220,670 |
| 1,000 | EMC Corp.+ | 11,960 |
| 8,000 | Google Inc., Cl. A+ | 3,204,160 |
| 10,000 | Jupitermedia Corp.+ | 11,600 |
| 12,000 | Limelight Networks Inc.+ | 30,000 |
| 120,000 | Yahoo! Inc.+ | 2,076,000 |
| | | ----- |
| | | 9,148,085 |
| | | ----- |
| | CONSUMER PRODUCTS -- 0.2% | |
| 20,000 | Mattel Inc. | 360,800 |
| | | ----- |
| | ELECTRONICS -- 1.9% | |
| 4,000 | IMAX Corp.+ | 23,680 |
| 32,000 | Intel Corp. | 599,360 |
| 11,000 | LSI Corp.+ | 58,960 |
| 3,570 | Royal Philips Electronics NV | 97,282 |
| 10,000 | Samsung Electronics Co. Ltd., GDR (b) | 2,232,901 |
| 10,000 | Sony Corp., ADR | 308,700 |
| 6,000 | Zoran Corp.+ | 48,960 |

3,369,843

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SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS (CONTINUED)
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| SHARES/ UNITS | | MARKET VALUE |
|------------------|--|------------------------------|
| ----- | | ----- |
| | COMMON STOCKS (CONTINUED) | |
| | COPYRIGHT/CREATIVITY COMPANIES (CONTINUED) | |
| | ENTERTAINMENT -- 14.8% | |
| 240,000 | Aruze Corp. | \$ 5,111,184 |
| 6,000 | Ascent Media Corp., Cl. A+ | 146,460 |
| 1,161 | Corporacion Interamericana de Entretenimiento SAB de CV, Cl. B+ | 1,890 |
| 22,000 | Crown Media Holdings Inc., Cl. A+ | 110,660 |
| 27,000 | DreamWorks Animation SKG Inc., Cl. A+ | 849,150 |
| 70,000 | GMM Grammy Public Co. Ltd. | 26,875 |
| 77,843 | Liberty Global Inc., Cl. A+ | 2,358,643 |
| 75,000 | Liberty Global Inc., Cl. C+ | 2,106,750 |
| 35,500 | Liberty Media Corp. - Capital, Cl. A+ | 474,990 |
| 142,000 | Liberty Media Corp. - Entertainment, Cl. A+ | 3,545,740 |
| 1,000 | Live Nation Inc.+ | 16,270 |
| 22,891 | Macrovision Solutions Corp.+ | 352,064 |
| 1,690 | New Motion Inc.+ | 5,915 |
| 100,000 | Shaw Brothers (Hong Kong) Ltd. | 143,982 |
| 210,000 | SMG plc+ | 35,543 |
| 15,000 | The Walt Disney Co. | 460,350 |
| 230,000 | Time Warner Inc. | 3,015,300 |
| 75,000 | Viacom Inc., Cl. A+ | 1,864,500 |
| 155,000 | Vivendi | 4,804,950 |
| 3,000 | Warner Music Group Corp. | 22,800 |
| 3,000 | World Wrestling Entertainment Inc., Cl. A | 46,380 |
| | | ----- 25,500,396 ----- |
| | HOTELS AND GAMING -- 7.6% | |
| 120,000 | Boyd Gaming Corp. | 1,123,200 |
| 13,000 | Churchill Downs Inc. | 636,740 |
| 144,500 | Gaylord Entertainment Co.+ | 4,243,965 |
| 4,500 | Greek Organization of Football Prognostics SA | 136,965 |
| 3,000 | Host Hotels & Resorts Inc. | 39,870 |
| 70,000 | International Game Technology | 1,202,600 |
| 18,000 | Interval Leisure Group Inc.+ | 187,200 |
| 482,352 | Ladbrokes plc | 1,599,322 |
| 30,000 | Las Vegas Sands Corp.+ | 1,083,300 |
| 167,000 | Melco Crown Entertainment Ltd., ADR+ | 666,330 |
| 58,000 | MGM Mirage+ | 1,653,000 |

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| | | |
|--------|---|------------|
| 35,000 | Pinnacle Entertainment Inc.+ | 264,600 |
| 6,000 | Starwood Hotels & Resorts Worldwide Inc. | 168,840 |
| 2,000 | Wyndham Worldwide Corp. | 31,420 |
| 2,000 | Wynn Resorts Ltd. | 163,280 |
| | | ----- |
| | | 13,200,632 |
| | | ----- |

| SHARES | | MARKET VALUE |
|---------|--|-----------------|
| ----- | | ----- |
| | PUBLISHING -- 5.2% | |
| 12,000 | AH Belo Corp., Cl. A | \$ 61,920 |
| 20,000 | Arnoldo Mondadori Editore SpA | 100,235 |
| 90,000 | Belo Corp., Cl. A | 536,400 |
| 4,000 | Gannett Co. Inc. | 67,640 |
| 1,000 | Idearc Inc. | 1,250 |
| 105,000 | Il Sole 24 Ore | 444,934 |
| 144,400 | Independent News & Media plc | 235,812 |
| 800 | John Wiley & Sons Inc., Cl. B | 32,104 |
| 45,000 | Lee Enterprises Inc. | 157,500 |
| 8,000 | Media General Inc., Cl. A | 99,440 |
| 22,000 | Meredith Corp. | 616,880 |
| 100,000 | Nation Multimedia Group Public Co. Ltd.+ (a) | 17,720 |
| 50,000 | New Straits Times Press Berhad | 19,753 |
| 265,000 | News Corp., Cl. A | 3,177,350 |
| 40,000 | News Corp., Cl. B | 486,000 |
| 150,000 | Oriental Press Group Ltd. | 17,386 |
| 10,000 | Playboy Enterprises Inc., Cl. A+ | 42,000 |
| 974,000 | Post Publishing Public Co. Ltd. (a) | 134,766 |
| 4,000 | PRIMEDIA Inc. | 9,720 |
| 2,360 | Sanoma WSOY Oyj | 44,155 |
| 1,000 | Scholastic Corp. | 25,680 |
| 252,671 | Singapore Press Holdings Ltd. | 699,886 |
| 300 | Spir Communication | 9,883 |
| 3,000 | Sun-Times Media Group Inc., Cl. A+ | 510 |
| 15,000 | Telegraaf Media Groep NV | 407,135 |
| 20,000 | The E.W. Scripps Co., Cl. A | 141,400 |
| 38,000 | The McGraw-Hill Companies Inc. | 1,201,180 |
| 11,091 | United Business Media Ltd. | 96,618 |
| 4,000 | Wolters Kluwer NV | 80,160 |
| | | ----- |
| | | 8,965,417 |
| | | ----- |
| | TOTAL COPYRIGHT/CREATIVITY COMPANIES | 64,029,819 |
| | | ----- |
| | TOTAL COMMON STOCKS | 160,903,995 |
| | | ----- |
| | PREFERRED STOCKS -- 0.0% | |
| | BUSINESS SERVICES -- 0.0% | |
| 2,159 | Interep National Radio Sales Inc., 4.000% Cv. Pfd., Ser. A (a) (b) (c)+ | 0 |
| | | ----- |
| | WARRANTS -- 0.0% | |
| | BROADCASTING -- 0.0% | |
| 2,250 | Granite Broadcasting Corp., Ser. A, expire 06/04/12+ | 248 |

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| | | |
|-----|---|-----|
| 254 | Granite Broadcasting Corp., Ser. B, expire 06/04/12+ | 63 |
| | TOTAL WARRANTS | 311 |

See accompanying notes to schedule of investments.

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THE GABELLI GLOBAL MULTIMEDIA TRUST INC.
SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS (CONTINUED)
SEPTEMBER 30, 2008 (UNAUDITED)

| PRINCIPAL AMOUNT | | MARKET VALUE |
|---------------------|---|-----------------|
| ----- | | ----- |
| | CONVERTIBLE CORPORATE BONDS -- 0.0% | |
| | BUSINESS SERVICES -- 0.0% | |
| \$ 50,000 | BBN Corp., Sub. Deb. Cv., 6.000%, 04/01/12+ (a) | \$ 0 |
| | U.S. GOVERNMENT OBLIGATIONS -- 6.9% | |
| | U.S. TREASURY BILLS -- 5.0% | |
| 8,687,000 | U.S. Treasury Bills, 1.103% to 1.957%+, 10/02/08 to 01/29/09 | 8,676,167 |
| | U.S. TREASURY NOTES -- 1.9% | |
| 790,000 | 4.500%, 04/30/09 | 803,023 |
| 2,390,000 | 4.750%, 12/31/08 | 2,412,968 |
| | TOTAL U.S. TREASURY NOTES | 3,215,991 |
| | TOTAL U.S. GOVERNMENT OBLIGATIONS | 11,892,158 |
| | TOTAL INVESTMENTS -- 100.0% | |
| | (Cost \$156,620,384) | \$172,796,464 |
| | Aggregate book cost | \$159,770,715 |
| | Gross unrealized appreciation | \$ 44,823,830 |
| | Gross unrealized depreciation | (31,798,081) |
| | Net unrealized appreciation/(depreciation) | \$ 13,025,749 |

(a) Security fair valued under procedures established by the Board of Directors. The procedures may include reviewing available financial information about the company and reviewing valuation of comparable securities and other factors on a regular basis. At September 30, 2008, the market value of fair valued securities amounted to \$344,128 or 0.20% of total investments.

(b) Security exempt from registration under Rule 144A of the Securities Act of

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1933, as amended. These securities may be resold in transactions exempt from registration, normally to qualified institutional buyers. At September 30, 2008, the market value of Rule 144A securities amounted to \$2,296,301 or 1.33% of total investments.

(c) Illiquid security.

+ Non-income producing security.

++ Represents annualized yield at date of purchase.

ADR American Depositary Receipt

CPO Ordinary Participation Certificate

GDR Global Depositary Receipt

| GEOGRAPHIC DIVERSIFICATION | % OF MARKET VALUE | MARKET VALUE |
|----------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|
| North America | 65.7% | \$113,586,440 |
| Europe | 13.6 | 23,401,698 |
| Latin America | 10.3 | 17,780,820 |
| Japan | 6.4 | 11,104,101 |
| Asia/Pacific | 4.0 | 6,923,405 |
| Total Investments | 100.0% | \$172,796,464 |
| | ===== | ===== |

See accompanying notes to schedule of investments.

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THE GABELLI GLOBAL MULTIMEDIA TRUST INC. NOTES TO SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS (UNAUDITED)

1. SECURITY VALUATION. Portfolio securities listed or traded on a nationally recognized securities exchange or traded in the U.S. over-the-counter market for which market quotations are readily available are valued at the last quoted sale price or a market's official closing price as of the close of business on the day the securities are being valued. If there were no sales that day, the security is valued at the average of the closing bid and asked prices or, if there were no asked prices quoted on that day, then the security is valued at the closing bid price on that day. If no bid or asked prices are quoted on such day, the security is valued at the most recently available price or, if the Board of Directors (the "Board") so determines, by such other method as the Board shall determine in good faith to reflect its fair market value. Portfolio securities traded on more than one national securities exchange or market are valued according to the broadest and most representative market, as determined by Gabelli Funds, LLC, the Adviser.

Portfolio securities primarily traded on a foreign market are generally valued at the preceding closing values of such securities on the relevant market, but may be fair valued pursuant to procedures established by the Board if market conditions change significantly after the close of the foreign market but prior

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to the close of business on the day the securities are being valued. Debt instruments with remaining maturities of 60 days or less that are not credit impaired are valued at amortized cost, unless the Board determines such amount does not reflect the securities' fair value, in which case these securities will be fair valued as determined by the Board. Debt instruments having a maturity greater than 60 days for which market quotations are readily available are valued at the average of the latest bid and asked prices. If there were no asked prices quoted on such day, the security is valued using the closing bid price. Futures contracts are valued at the closing settlement price of the exchange or board of trade on which the applicable contract is traded.

Securities and assets for which market quotations are not readily available are fair valued as determined by the Board.

On January 1, 2008, the Fund adopted Statement of Financial Accounting Standard No. 157, "Fair Value Measurements" ("SFAS 157") that clarifies the definition of fair value for financial reporting, establishes a framework for measuring fair value, and requires additional disclosures about the use of fair value measurements. The three levels of the fair value hierarchy under SFAS 157 are described below:

- Level 1 - quoted prices in active markets for identical securities;
- Level 2 - other significant observable inputs (including quoted prices for similar securities, interest rates, prepayment speeds, credit risk, etc.); and
- Level 3 - significant unobservable inputs (including the Fund's determinations as to the fair value of investments).

The inputs or methodology used for valuing securities are not necessarily an indication of the risk associated with investing in those securities. The summary of inputs used to value the Fund's net assets as of September 30, 2008 is as follows:

| VALUATION INPUTS | INVESTMENTS IN SECURITIES (MARKET VALUE) | OTHER FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (UNREALIZED DEPRECIATION) * |
|---|--|---|
| Level 1 - Quoted Prices | \$160,776,065 | -- |
| Level 2 - Other Significant Observable Inputs | 11,907,656 | \$(213,943) |
| Level 3 - Significant Unobservable Inputs | 112,743 | -- |
| Total | \$172,796,464 ===== | \$(213,943) ===== |

* Other financial instruments are derivative instruments not reflected in the Schedule of Investments, such as futures, forwards, and swaps, which are valued at the unrealized appreciation/depreciation on the investment.

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The following is a reconciliation of Level 3 investments for which significant unobservable inputs were used to determine fair value:

| | INVESTMENTS IN SECURITIES (MARKET VALUE) ----- |
|--|---|
| BALANCE AS OF 12/31/07 | \$114,186 |
| Accrued discounts/(premiums) | -- |
| Realized gain/(loss) | 2,573 |
| Change in unrealized appreciation/(depreciation) | (1,443) |
| Net purchases/(sales) | (2,573) |
| Transfers in and/or out of Level 3 | -- |
| | ----- |
| BALANCE AS OF 09/30/08 | \$112,743 ----- |

In March 2008, the Financial Accounting Standards Board (the "FASB") issued Statement of Financial Accounting Standard No. 161, "Disclosures about Derivative Instruments and Hedging Activities" ("SFAS 161") that is effective for fiscal years beginning after November 15, 2008. SFAS 161 is intended to improve financial reporting for derivative instruments by requiring enhanced disclosure that enables investors to understand how and why an entity uses derivatives, how derivatives are accounted for, and how derivative instruments affect an entity's results of operations and financial position. Management is currently evaluating the implications of SFAS 161 on the Fund's financial statement disclosures.

2. SWAP AGREEMENTS. The Fund may enter into interest rate swap or cap transactions. The use of swaps and caps is a highly specialized activity that involves investment techniques and risks different from those associated with ordinary portfolio transactions. Swap agreements may involve, to varying degrees, elements of market and counterparty risk, and exposure to loss in excess of the related amounts reflected in the Statement of Assets and Liabilities. In an interest rate swap, the Fund would agree to pay to the other party to the interest rate swap (which is known as the "counterparty") periodically a fixed rate payment in exchange for the counterparty agreeing to pay to the Fund periodically a variable rate payment that is intended to approximate the Fund's variable rate payment obligation on Series C Preferred Shares. In an interest rate cap, the Fund would pay a premium to the counterparty and, to the extent that a specified variable rate index exceeds a predetermined fixed rate, would receive from that counterparty payments of the difference based on the notional amount of such cap. Interest rate swap and cap transactions introduce additional risk because the Fund would remain obligated to pay preferred stock dividends when due in accordance with the Articles Supplementary even if the counterparty defaulted. If there is a default by the counterparty to a swap contract, the Fund will be limited to contractual remedies pursuant to the agreements related to the transaction. There is no assurance that the swap contract counterparties will be able to meet their obligations pursuant to a swap contract or that, in the event of default, the Fund will succeed in pursuing contractual remedies. The Fund thus assumes the risk that it may be delayed in or prevented from obtaining payments owed to it pursuant to a swap contract. The creditworthiness of the swap contract counterparties is closely monitored in order to minimize this risk. Depending on the general state of short-term interest rates and the returns on the Fund's portfolio securities at that point in time, such a default could negatively affect the Fund's ability to make dividend payments. In addition, at the time an

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interest rate swap or cap transaction reaches its scheduled termination date, there is a risk that the Fund will not be able to obtain a replacement transaction or that the terms of the replacement will not be as favorable as on the expiring transaction. If this occurs, it could have a negative impact on the Fund's ability to make dividend payments.

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THE GABELLI GLOBAL MULTIMEDIA TRUST INC.
NOTES TO SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS (CONTINUED) (UNAUDITED)

The use of derivative instruments involves, to varying degrees, elements of market and counterparty risk in excess of the amount recognized below.

The Fund has entered into an interest rate swap agreement with Citibank N.A. Under the agreement, the Fund receives a variable rate of interest and pays a respective fixed rate of interest on the nominal value of the swap. Details of the swap at September 30, 2008 are as follows:

| NOTIONAL AMOUNT | FIXED RATE | FLOATING RATE* (RATE RESET MONTHLY) | TERMINATION DATE | NET UNREALIZED DEPRECIATION |
|--------------------|------------|--|---------------------|--------------------------------|
| ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- |
| \$10,000,000 | 4.320% | 2.48563% | 04/04/13 | \$ (213,943) |

* Based on LIBOR (London Interbank Offered Rate).

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THE GABELLI GLOBAL MULTIMEDIA TRUST INC.
AND YOUR PERSONAL PRIVACY

WHO ARE WE?

The Gabelli Global Multimedia Trust Inc. (the "Fund") is a closed-end management investment company registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission under the Investment Company Act of 1940. We are managed by Gabelli Funds, LLC, which is affiliated with GAMCO Investors, Inc. GAMCO Investors, Inc. is a publicly held company that has subsidiaries that provide investment advisory or brokerage services for a variety of clients.

WHAT KIND OF NON-PUBLIC INFORMATION DO WE COLLECT ABOUT YOU IF YOU BECOME A SHAREHOLDER?

When you purchase shares of the Fund on the New York Stock Exchange, you have the option of registering directly with our transfer agent in order, for example, to participate in our dividend reinvestment plan.

- INFORMATION YOU GIVE US ON YOUR APPLICATION FORM. This could include your name, address, telephone number, social security number, bank account number, and other information.

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- INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR TRANSACTIONS WITH US. This would include information about the shares that you buy or sell; it may also include information about whether you sell or exercise rights that we have issued from time to time. If we hire someone else to provide services--like a transfer agent--we will also have information about the transactions that you conduct through them.

WHAT INFORMATION DO WE DISCLOSE AND TO WHOM DO WE DISCLOSE IT?

We do not disclose any non-public personal information about our customers or former customers to anyone other than our affiliates, our service providers who need to know such information, and as otherwise permitted by law. If you want to find out what the law permits, you can read the privacy rules adopted by the Securities and Exchange Commission. They are in volume 17 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 248. The Commission often posts information about its regulations on its website, WWW.SEC.GOV.

WHAT DO WE DO TO PROTECT YOUR PERSONAL INFORMATION?

We restrict access to non-public personal information about you to the people who need to know that information in order to provide services to you or the Fund and to ensure that we are complying with the laws governing the securities business. We maintain physical, electronic, and procedural safeguards to keep your personal information confidential.

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| | Common | 6.00% Preferred |
|---------------------|------------|-----------------|
| | ----- | ----- |
| NYSE-Symbol: | GGT | GGT PrB |
| Shares Outstanding: | 13,994,153 | 992,700 |

The Net Asset Value per share appears in the Publicly Traded Funds column, under the heading "Specialized Equity Funds," in Monday's The Wall Street Journal. It is also listed in Barron's Mutual Funds/Closed End Funds section under the heading "Specialized Equity Funds."

The Net Asset Value per share may be obtained each day by calling (914) 921-5070 or visiting www.gabelli.com.

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Notice is hereby given in accordance with Section 23(c) of the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended, that the Fund may, from time to time, purchase

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shares of its common stock in the open market when the Fund's shares are trading at a discount of 10% or more from the net asset value of the shares. The Fund may also, from time to time, purchase shares of its preferred stock in the open market when the preferred shares are trading at a discount to the liquidation value.

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SEPTEMBER 30, 2008

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ITEM 2. 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 last fiscal quarter that have materially affected, or are reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

ITEM 3. EXHIBITS.

Certifications pursuant to Rule 30a-2(a) under the 1940 Act and Section 302 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.

(Registrant) The Gabelli Global Multimedia Trust Inc.

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By (Signature and Title)* /s/ Bruce N. Alpert

Bruce N. Alpert, Principal Executive Officer

Date November 24, 2008

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/ Bruce N. Alpert

Bruce N. Alpert, Principal Executive Officer

Date November 24, 2008

By (Signature and Title)* /s/ Agnes Mullady

Agnes Mullady,
Principal Financial Officer and Treasurer

Date November 24, 2008

* Print the name and title of each signing officer under his or her signature.