# FIRST TRUST/ABERDEEN GLOBAL OPPORTUNITY INCOME FUND

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FORM N-Q

QUARTERLY SCHEDULE OF PORTFOLIO HOLDINGS OF REGISTERED MANAGEMENT INVESTMENT COMPANY

Investment Company Act file number 811-21636

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## FIRST TRUST/ABERDEEN GLOBAL OPPORTUNITY INCOME FUND

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(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

1001 Warrenville Road, Suite 300 LISLE, IL 60532

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(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip code)

W. Scott Jardine, Esq. First Trust Portfolios L.P. 1001 Warrenville Road, Suite 300 LISLE, IL 60532

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(Name and address of agent for service)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (630) 241-4141

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Date of fiscal year end: DECEMBER 31

Date of reporting period: MARCH 31, 2006

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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.

FIRST TRUST/ABERDEEN GLOBAL OPPORTUNITY INCOME FUND PORTFOLIO OF INVESTMENTS
MARCH 31, 2006 (UNAUDITED)

PRINCIPAL VALUE (LOCAL CURRENCY)		MARKET VALUE (US DOLLARS)
FOREIGN BONDS A	AND NOTES+ - 137.2%	
	ARGENTINA - 4.3%	
4,000,000	Banco Hipotecario SA (USD), 9.75%, 11/16/10	\$ 4,152,599
9,474,526	Republic of Argentina (USD), 8.28%, 12/31/33	9,332,408
12,653,448	Republic of Argentina (USD), Zero coupon, 12/15/35	1,186,261
		14,671,268
	AUSTRALIA - 5.2%	
10,500,000	Australian Government (AUD), 7.50%, 9/15/09	8,016,725
5,000,000		3,738,471
8,300,000		6,038,316
		17,793,512
	AUSTRIA - 0.6%	
2,500,000	Republic of Austria (TRY), 14.00%, 8/03/06	1,859,240
	BRAZIL - 12.5%	
18,000,000	Banco Bradesco SA (BRL), 17.50%, 12/10/07	8,796,211
4,000,000	Banco do Brasil SA (USD), 7.95%, 10/23/49**	3,997,908
1,410,000	BIE Bank & Trust (BRL), 16.80%, 3/13/07	665,254
11,355,000	BIE Bank & Trust (BRL), 14.10%, 2/02/09	5,252,475
5,750,000	Brazil Citigroup (BRL), 15.00%, 7/02/10	2,897,054
1,997,120 31,903,000	Brazil NTN - C Note (BRL), 11.00%, 4/02/08 Electropaulo Metropolitan (BRL), 19.13%, 6/28/10	2,421,091
2,000,000	Petrobras International Finance (USD), 8.38%, 12/10/18	16,511,719 2,268,100
		42,809,812 
	CANADA - 8.5%	
9,805,000	Canadian Government (CAD), 4.25%, 9/01/08	8,436,154
7,000,000	Canadian Government (CAD), 5.25%, 6/01/13	6,366,203
3,000,000	Canadian Government (CAD), 5.75%, 6/01/29	3,108,199
7,000,000	Province of Manitoba (NZD), 6.38%, 9/01/15	4,317,818
10,965,000	Province of Ontario (NZD), 6.25%, 6/16/15	6,675,128 
		28,903,502
	COLOMBIA - 4.8%	
14,113,000,000	Republic of Colombia (COP), 11.75%, 3/01/10	7,098,238
16,903,000,000	Republic of Colombia (COP), 12.00%, 10/22/15	9,291,946
		16,390,184
	DOMINICAN DEDIIDITC - 2 0%	
2,458,290	DOMINICAN REPUBLIC - 3.0% Dominican Republic (USD), 9.04%, 1/23/18	2,683,223
7,350,000	Dominican Republic (USD), 8.63%, 4/20/27	7,408,433
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		10,091,656
	ECUADOR - 3.6%	
11,700,000	Republic of Ecuador (USD), 9.38%, 12/15/15	12,390,300
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	EEN GLOBAL OPPORTUNITY INCOME FUND STMENTS - (CONTINUED) NAUDITED)	
PRINCIPAL VALUE (LOCAL CURRENCY)		MARKET VALUE (US DOLLARS)
FOREIGN BONDS A	ND NOTES+ - CONTINUED	
3,650,000	GERMANY - 5.2%  KfW Bankengruppe (GBP), 4.75%, 12/07/10  KfW International Finance (CAD), 4.95%, 10/14/14  KfW Kredit Wiederaufbau (NZD), 6.00%, 7/15/09	\$ 8,014,415 3,216,601 6,693,788
		17,924,804
53,500,000,000 98,500,000,000	±	11,225,856
		17,425,644
3,000,000	JAMAICA - 1.3% Government of Jamaica (EUR), 11.00%, 7/27/12	4,399,040
4,300,000 3,300,000 6,000,000 4,600,000	KAZAKHSTAN - 5.4% BTA Finance Luxembourg (USD), 8.25%, 1/25/49 Kazkommerts Finance 2 BV (USD), 9.20%, 11/29/49 Kazkommerts International BV (USD), 7.88%, 4/07/14 TuranAlem Finance BV (USD), 8.00%, 3/24/14	4,257,925 3,511,695 6,174,600 4,685,072
		18,629,292
98,600,000 61,355,100 123,000,000	MEXICO - 7.4%  Mexican Fixed Rate Bonds (MXN), 8.00%, 12/19/13  Mexican Fixed Rate Bonds (MXN), 9.50%, 12/18/14  United Mexican States (MXN), 8.00%, 12/07/23	8,777,432 6,002,586 10,601,392
		25,381,410
8,700,000 8,540,000 2,000,000 4,400,000 12,300,000	MULTINATIONAL - 14.9% Asian Development Bank (AUD), 5.50%, 2/15/16 Council of Europe (AUD), 5.50%, 8/15/08 European Investment Bank (TRY), 14.50%, 2/21/07 European Investment Bank (GBP), 7.63%, 12/07/07 European Investment Bank (NZD), 6.75%, 11/17/08	6,153,885 6,100,956 1,520,268 8,010,359 7,641,920

8,400,000	European Investment Bank (AUD), 5.75%, 9/15/09	6,045,741
6,500,000	European Investment Bank (NZD), 6.50%, 9/10/14	4,035,136
12,000,000	International Bank Reconstruction &	
	Development (NZD), 6.38%, 7/15/09	7,396,065
2,240,000	Nordic Investment Bank (GBP), 5.75%, 11/06/08	3,994,148
		50,898,478

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FIRST TRUST/ABERDEEN GLOBAL OPPORTUNITY INCOME FUND PORTFOLIO OF INVESTMENTS - (CONTINUED)
MARCH 31, 2006 (UNAUDITED)

PRINCIPAL VALUE (LOCAL CURRENCY)		MARKET VALUE (US DOLLARS)
FOREIGN BONDS A	ND NOTES+ - CONTINUED	
4,900,000 11,000,000	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	\$ 8,509,979 6,523,421
		15,033,400
	NORWAY - 7.2%	
11,000,000 11,300,000 4,500,000	Eksportsfinans (TRY), 14.63%, 3/15/07	8,338,974 8,527,739 7,818,414
		24,685,127
	PERU - 3.1%	
	Peru Bono Soberano (PEN), 9.91%, 5/05/15	5,819,110 4,727,600
		10,546,710
	PHILIPPINES - 4.3%	
6,400,000 7,000,000	Republic of Philippines (USD), 9.50%, 2/02/30 Republic of Philippines (USD), 7.75%, 1/14/31	7,614,720 7,065,800
		14,680,520
	RUSSIA - 14.2%	
9,300,000	Alrosa Company SA (USD), 8.88%, 11/17/14	10,605,255
9,400,000	Evraz Group SA (USD), 8.25%, 11/10/15	9,567,687
136,269,000	Russian Railways, Class A (RUB), 8.38%, 6/30/12	4,961,348
11,000,000	Russian Stand Bank (USD), 8.88%, 12/16/15	11,310,398
12,000,000	UBS Luxembourg (Vimpelcom) (USD), 8.00%, 2/11/10	12,198,000
		48,642,688

SPAIN - 2.4%

11,500,000	Instituto de Credito Oficial (AUD), 5.50%, 10/11/12	8,128,642
	SWEDEN - 1.4%	
8,000,000	Swedish Export Credit (NZD), 4.30%, 6/26/06	4,888,179
	TURKEY - 2.1%	
6,700,000	Finans Capital Finance Ltd. (USD), 9.00%, 10/07/14	7,127,795
	UNITED KINGDOM - 4.8%	
3,000,000	United Kingdom Treasury (GBP), 7.25%, 12/07/07	5,446,326
3,100,000	United Kingdom Treasury (GBP), 5.00%, 3/07/08	5,441,650
3,100,000	United Kingdom Treasury (GBP), 5.75%, 12/07/09	5,618,191
		16,506,167
	UNITED STATES - 0.4%	
2,000,000	General Electric Capital Corp. (TRY), 12.25%, 8/10/09	1,516,251
	URUGUAY - 4.1%	
8,500,000	Oriental Republic of Uruguay (USD), 7.63%, 3/21/36	8,364,850
2,750,000	Republic of Uruguay (USD), 9.25%, 5/17/17	3,210,625
2,400,000	Republic of Uruguay (USD), 8.00%, 11/18/22	2,535,360
		14,110,835
	VENEZUELA - 7.0%	
1,000,000	Republic of Venezuela (USD), 9.25%, 9/15/27	1,272,950
17,700,000		22,693,170
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		23,966,120

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FIRST TRUST/ABERDEEN GLOBAL OPPORTUNITY INCOME FUND PORTFOLIO OF INVESTMENTS - (CONTINUED)
SEPTEMBER 30, 2005 (UNAUDITED)

	MARKET VALUE (US DOLLARS)
FOREIGN BONDS AND NOTES+ - CONTINUED	
TOTAL FOREIGN BONDS AND NOTES+	\$ 469,400,576
(Cost \$464,103,598)	
TOTAL INVESTMENTS - 137.2%	469,400,576
LOANS OUTSTANDING - (42.9)%	(146,801,422)
NET OTHER ASSETS AND LIABILITIES - 5.7%	19,674,550
NET ASSETS - 100.0%	\$ 342,273,704

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- + Portfolio securities are included in a country based upon their underlying credit exposure as determined by Aberdeen Asset Management Inc. - the Sub-Advisor.
- \*\* Securities are restricted and cannot be offered for public sale without first being registered under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended. Prior to registration, restricted securities may only be resold, in transactions exempt from registration, to qualified institutional buyers. At March 31, 2006, these securities amounted to \$3,997,908 or 1.17% of net assets (Note 1F).

AUD	Australian Dollar
BRL	Brazilian Real
CAD	Canadian Dollar
COP	Colombian Peso
EUR	European Monetary Unit
GBP	British Pound Sterling
IDR	Indonesian Rupiah
KRW	South Korean Won
MXN	Mexican Peso
NZD	New Zealand Dollar
PEN	Peruvian New Sol
RUB	Russian Rouble
SGD	Singapore Dollar
TRY	Turkish Lira
USD	United States Dollar

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FIRST TRUST/ABERDEEN GLOBAL OPPORTUNITY INCOME FUND SCHEDULE OF FORWARD FOREIGN CURRENCY CONTRACTS MARCH 31, 2006 (UNAUDITED)

# FORWARD FOREIGN CURRENCY CONTRACTS TO BUY CONTRACTS TO RECEIVE

EXPIRATION DATE		LOCAL CURRENCY*	VALUE IN U.S. \$	IN EXCHANGE FOR U.S. \$	NET UNREALIZED APPRECIATION OF CONTRACTS	DE	NET UNREALIZED EPRECIATION F CONTRACTS
4/24/06	KRW	26,288,800,000	27,072,272	27,200,000	\$	\$	(127,728
4/18/06 6/22/06	MXN SGD	151,000,000 19,764,236	13,857,190 12,271,743	13,824,674 12,250,000	32,516 21,743		 
					\$ 54,259	\$	(127,728

<sup>\*</sup> Aggregate cost for federal income tax and financial reporting purposes.

# FORWARD FOREIGN CURRENCY CONTRACTS TO BUY CONTRACTS TO DELIVER

EXPIRATION DATE		LOCAL CURRENCY*	VALUE IN U.S. \$	IN EXCHANGE FOR U.S. \$	AI	NET UNREALIZED PPRECIATION F CONTRACTS	DEI	NET NREALIZED PRECIATION CONTRACTS
4/06/06	AUD	62,000,000	44,380,952	46,236,810	\$	1,855,858	\$	
6/22/06	CAD	25,000,000	21,457,430	21,542,067		84,637		
6/22/06	GBP	31,600,000	54,960,866	55,284,200		323,334		
7/03/06	IDR	162,100,000,000	17,392,704	17,323,929				(68 <b>,</b> 775
4/18/06	MXN	151,000,000	13,857,190	14,136,393		279 <b>,</b> 203		
4/06/06	NZD	79,400,000	48,857,337	52,781,547		3,924,210		
4/06/06	TRY	30,000,000	22,195,653	22,122,954				(72 <b>,</b> 699
					\$	6,467,242	\$	(141,474
		ion/(Depreciation) of	f Forward		\$	6 521 501	s	(260, 202
Foreign Cu	rrency co	ontracts			> ==:	6,521,501 ======	ې ==:	(269 <b>,</b> 202 ======
Net Unrealiz	ed Appre	ciation of Forward Fo	oreign Curren	cy Contracts	\$	6,252,299		
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\* Please see page 4 for currency descriptions.

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NOTES TO QUARTERLY PORTFOLIO OF INVESTMENTS - (UNAUDITED)

See Notes to Quarterly Portfolio of Investments.

# FIRST TRUST/ABERDEEN GLOBAL OPPORTUNITY INCOME FUND MARCH 31, 2006

### 1. VALUATION AND INVESTMENT PRACTICES

#### A. PORTFOLIO VALUATION:

The net asset value ("NAV") of the Common Shares of the First Trust/Aberdeen Global Opportunity Income Fund (the "Fund") is computed based upon the value of the Fund's portfolio and other assets less any accrued liabilities. The NAV is determined as of the close of regular trading on the New York Stock Exchange ("NYSE"), normally 4:00 p.m. Eastern time, on each day the NYSE is open for trading. Domestic debt securities and foreign securities are priced using data reflecting the earlier closing of the principal markets for those securities. The Fund calculates NAV per Common Share by subtracting the Fund's liabilities (including accrued expenses, dividends payable and any borrowings of the Fund) from the Fund's Managed Assets (the value of the securities and other investments the Fund holds plus cash or other assets, including interest accrued but not yet received minus accrued liabilities other than the principal amount of borrowings) and dividing the result by the total number of Common Shares outstanding.

The Fund's investments are valued daily at market value, or in the absence of market value, with respect to any portfolio securities, at fair value according to procedures adopted by the Fund's Board of Trustees. A majority of the Fund's

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assets are valued using market information supplied by third parties. In addition, structured products, including currency-linked notes, credit-linked notes as well as interest rate swaps and credit default swaps, are valued using a pricing service or quotes provided by the selling dealer or financial institution. In the event that market quotations are not readily available, the pricing service does not provide a valuation for a particular asset, or the valuations are deemed unreliable, or if events occurring after the close of the principal markets for particular securities (e.g., domestic debt and foreign securities), but before the Fund values its assets, would materially affect NAV, First Trust Advisors L.P. may use a fair value method to value the Fund's securities and investments. The use of fair value pricing by the Fund is governed by valuation procedures adopted by the Fund's Board of Trustees, and in accordance with the provisions of the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended.

#### B. FORWARD FOREIGN CURRENCY CONTRACTS:

Forward foreign currency contracts are agreements to exchange one currency for another at a future date and at a specified price. The Fund may use forward foreign currency contracts to facilitate transactions in foreign securities and to manage the Fund's foreign currency exposure. These contracts are valued daily, and the Fund's net equity therein, representing unrealized gain or loss on the contracts as measured by the difference between the forward foreign exchange rates at the dates of entry into the contracts and the forward rates at the reporting date, is included in net other assets and liabilities on the Portfolio of Investments. Risks arise from the possible inability of counterparties to meet the terms of their contracts and from movement in currency and securities values and interest rates. Due to the risks, the Fund could incur losses up to the entire contract amount, which may exceed the net unrealized value shown in the Schedule of Forward Foreign Currency Contracts.

### C. SECURITIES TRANSACTIONS:

Securities transactions are recorded as of the trade date. Realized gains and losses from securities transactions are recorded on the identified cost basis.

Securities purchased or sold on a when-issued or delayed-delivery basis may be settled a month or more after the trade date; interest income on such securities is not accrued until settlement date. The Fund instructs the custodian to segregate assets of the Fund with a current value at least equal to the amount of its when-issued purchase commitments.

#### D. FOREIGN CURRENCY:

The books and records of the Fund are maintained in U.S. dollars. Foreign currencies, investments and other assets and liabilities are translated into U.S. dollars at the exchange rates prevailing at the end of the period. Purchases and sales of investment securities are translated on the respective dates of such transactions. Net realized foreign currency gains and losses include the effect of changes in exchange rates between trade date and settlement date on investment security and foreign currency transactions.

#### E. CREDIT DEFAULT SWAPS:

The Fund has entered into credit default swap contracts where the Fund is the "buyer" and the counterparty is the "seller". As a buyer of the credit default swap contracts, the Fund is obligated to pay the counterparty a periodic stream of payments over the term of the contract provided that no event of default (e.g., grace period extension, obligation acceleration, repudiation/moratorium, or restructuring) relating to the security occurs or until the termination of the swap contract, whichever is first. If no event of default occurs, the Fund will have made a series of periodic payments and recover nothing of monetary

value. If an event of default occurs, the counterparty must pay the

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NOTES TO QUARTERLY PORTFOLIO OF INVESTMENTS - (UNAUDITED) (CONTINUED)

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Fund the full notional value, or "par value", of the specified security. The amount of the cash payment from the counterparty to the Fund is based on the difference of the par value of the specified security that may have, through default, lost some, most or all of its value. Credit default swap transactions are entered into for hedging or investment purposes.

The Fund purchases credit default swap contracts in order to hedge against the risk of a fall in the capital price, or default, of debt securities it holds. This involves the risk that the swap may expire worthless and the credit risk that the seller may fail to satisfy its payment obligations to the Fund in the event of a default. The Fund may only enter into such transactions with counterparties rated A- or higher.

As of March 31, 2006, the Fund had no outstanding credit default swap contracts.

#### F. RESTRICTED SECURITIES:

The Fund may invest in restricted securities, which are defined as securities that may not be offered for public sale without first being registered under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended. Prior to registration, restricted securities may only be resold in transactions exempt from registration to qualified institutional buyers. As of March 31, 2006, the Fund held restricted securities as shown in the following table. The Fund does not have the right to demand that such securities be registered. These securities are valued according to the valuation procedures as stated in the Portfolio Valuation footnote (Note 1A) and are not expressed as a discount to the carrying value of a comparable unrestricted security.

	ACQUISITION	CARRYING VALUE	
SECURITY	DATE	PER UNIT	COST
Banco do Brazil SA	1/13/06	\$ 100.00	\$ 4,000,000

### 2. UNREALIZED APPRECIATION/(DEPRECIATION)

As of March 31, 2006, the aggregate gross unrealized appreciation for all securities in which there was an excess of value over tax cost was \$23,097,959 and the aggregate gross unrealized depreciation for all securities in which there was an excess of tax cost over value was \$11,551,548.

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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) FIRST TRUST/ABERDEEN GLOBAL OPPORTUNITY INCOME FUND

By (Signature and Title) \* /S/ JAMES A. BOWEN

James A. Bowen, Chairman of the Board, President and

Chief Executive Officer
(principal executive officer)

Date MAY 23, 2006

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/ JAMES A. BOWEN

James A. Bowen, Chairman of the Board, President and Chief Executive Officer (principal executive officer)

Date MAY 23, 2006

By (Signature and Title) \* /S/ MARK R. BRADLEY

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Mark R. Bradley, Treasurer, Controller, Chief Financial Officer and Chief Accounting Officer (principal financial officer)

Date	MAY 23,	2006

 $<sup>\ ^{\</sup>star}$  Print the name and title of each signing officer under his or her signature.