

Cohen & Steers Select Preferred & Income Fund, Inc.  
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**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

**FORM 144**

**NOTICE OF PROPOSED SALE OF SECURITIES**

**PURSUANT TO RULE 144 UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933**

SEC USE ONLY  
 DOCUMENT SEQUENCE NO.

CUSIP NUMBER

WORK LOCATION

**ATTENTION:** *Transmit for filing 3 copies of this form concurrently with either placing an order with a broker to execute sale or executing a sale directly with a*

*market maker.*

1(a) NAME OF ISSUER (PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT)

(b) IRS IDENT. NO.

(c) S.E.C. FILE NO.

Cohen & Steers Select Preferred and Income Fund, Inc.

811-22455

1(d) ADDRESS OF ISSUER

STREET CITY

STATE

ZIP CODE

(e) TELEPHONE NO.

280 Park Avenue, 10<sup>th</sup> floor, New York, NY 10017

AREA CODE

NUMBER

212

832-3232

NAME OF PERSON FOR WHOSE ACCOUNT  
 THE SECURITIES ARE TO BE SOLD

(b) IRS IDENT. NO.

(c) RELATIONSHIP TO  
 ISSUER

(d) ADDRESS

STREET

CITY

STATE

ZIP CO

Cohen & Steers Capital Management, Inc.

Investment advisor

to the Fund

280 Park Avenue, 10<sup>th</sup> floor, New York, NY

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**INSTRUCTION:** *The person filing this notice should contact the issuer to obtain the I.R.S. Identification Number and the S.E.C. File Number.*

3(a)	(b)	SEC USE ONLY	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)
Title of the	Name and Address of Each Broker	Broker-Dealer	Number of Shares	Aggregate	Number of Shares	Approximate	Name of Each

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Class of Securities To Be Sold	Through Whom the Securities are to be Offered or Each Market Maker who is Acquiring the Securities	File Number	or Other Units To Be Sold (See Instr. 3(c))	Market Value (See Instr. 3(d))	or Other Units Outstanding (See Instr. 3(e))	Date of Sale (See Instr. 3(f)) (MO. DAY YR.)	Securities Exchange (See Instr. 3(g))
Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	Merrill Lynch 2 World Financial Center, New York, New York 10080		4,200	\$103,036.74	0	3/23/12	NYSE

**INSTRUCTIONS:**

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1. (a) Name of issuer  
 (b) Issuer's I.R.S. Identification Number  
 (c) Issuer's S.E.C. file number, if any  
 (d) Issuer's address, including zip code  
 (e) Issuer's telephone number including area code
2. (a) Name of person for whose account the securities are to be sold  
 (b) Such person's I.R.S. identification number, if such person is an entity  
 (c) Such person's relationship to the Issuer (e.g., officer, director, 10% stockholder, or member of immediate family of any of the foregoing)  
 (d) Such person's address, including zip code
3. (a) Title of the class of securities to be sold  
 (b) Name and address of each broker through whom the securities are intended to be sold  
 (c) Number of shares or other units to be sold (if debt securities, give the aggregate face amount)  
 (d) Aggregate market value of the securities to be sold as of a specified date within 10 days prior to the filing of this notice  
 (e) Number of shares or other units of the class outstanding, or if debt securities the face amount thereof outstanding, as shown by the most recent report or statement published by the issuer  
 (f) Approximate date on which the securities are to be sold  
 (g) Name of each securities exchange, if any, on which the securities are intended to be sold.

**Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control number.**

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**TABLE I SECURITIES TO BE SOLD**

*Furnish the following information with respect to the acquisition of the securities to be sold*

*and with respect to the payment of all or any part of the purchase price or other consideration therefor:*

Title of	Date you	Name of Person from Whom Acquired	Date of		
the Class	Acquired	Name of Acquisition Transaction	(If gift, also give date donor acquired)	Amount of	Nature of
Common stock	October 6,	Purchase Agreement (seed capital)	Cohen & Steers Capital	Securities Acquired	Payment
of Cohen &	2010		Management, Inc.	4,200	October 6,
Steers Select					2010
Preferred and					Cash
Income Fund,					
Inc.					

**INSTRUCTIONS:** 1. If the securities were purchased and full payment therefor was not made in cash at the time of purchase, explain in the table or in a note thereto the nature of the consideration given. If the consideration consisted of any note or other obligation, or if payment was made in installments, describe the arrangement and state when the note or other obligation was discharged in full or the last installment paid.

**TABLE II SECURITIES SOLD DURING THE PAST 3 MONTHS**

*Furnish the following information as to all securities of the issuer sold during the past 3 months by the person for whose account the securities are to be sold.*

Name and Address of Seller	Title of Securities Sold	Date of Sale	Amount of Securities Sold	Gross Proceeds
N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

**REMARKS:**

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**INSTRUCTIONS:**

**ATTENTION:**

See the definition of person in paragraph (a) of Rule 144. Information is to be given not only as to the person for whose account the securities are to be sold but also as to all other persons included in that definition. In *The person for whose account the securities to which this notice relates are to be sold hereby represents by signing this notice that he does not know any material adverse information in regard to the*

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addition, information shall be given as to sales by all persons whose sales are required by paragraph (e) of Rule 144 to be aggregated with sales for the account of the person filing this notice.

*current and prospective operations of the Issuer of the securities to be sold which has not been publicly disclosed If such person has adopted a written trading plan or given trading instructions to satisfy Rule 10b5-1 under the Exchange Act, by signing the form and indicating the date that the plan was adopted or the instruction given, that person makes such representation as of the plan adoption or instruction date.*

March 26, 2012

COHEN & STEERS CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, INC.

By: /s/ Tina M. Payne  
Tina M. Payne, SVP and Associate General Counsel

DATE OF NOTICE

(SIGNATURE)

*The notice shall be signed by the person for whose account the securities are to be sold. At least one copy of the notice shall be manually signed. Any copies not manually signed shall bear typed or printed signatures.*

**ATTENTION: Intentional misstatements or omission of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations (See 18 U.S.C. 1001)**

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