

BLACKROCK BROAD INVESTMENT GRADE 2009 TERM TRUST INC

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THE BLACKROCK BROAD INVESTMENT GRADE 2009 TERM TRUST INC.  
CONSOLIDATED SEMI-ANNUAL REPORT TO SHAREHOLDERS  
REPORT OF INVESTMENT ADVISOR  
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May 31, 2002

Dear Shareholder:

With an economy looking to find secure footing, volatility was widespread through the overall marketplace for the semi-annual period. After the events of September 11th, investors flocked to the bond market in search of stability. However, at the onset of the period, returns in the fixed income markets were depressed as strong consumer and military spending indicated the potential for an economic recovery. Fluctuations continued into 2002 as bonds posted strong returns during the first two months of the new year. In the closing days of March, fixed income securities reversed their positive trend only to once again rally during April. For the six months ended April 30, 2002, the LEHMAN BROTHERS AGGREGATE INDEX, a broad measure of the taxable bond market, finished relatively flat at -0.01%.\*

Much of the activity in the market can be attributed to the actions of the Federal Reserve Board (the "Fed"). After eleven rate reductions in 2001, the Fed ended its accommodative monetary policy in the first quarter to assess the impact of 4.75% of monetary stimulus on the economy. While this was an acknowledgement that the country is in the early stages of economic recovery, it also signaled that rates might rise on the belief that a comeback in inflation poses the same risk as further economic weakness. In March, fixed income markets suffered following the Fed's decision to leave rates unchanged, which led the investment community to anticipate an economy in the early stages of recovery.

Looking broadly at the fixed income market, mortgage-backed securities provided strong returns as fears of rising interest rates reduced the volume of prepayments as the speed of mortgage refinancings decreased. Corporate bonds experienced mixed returns over the period as concerns surrounding corporate earnings and accounting practices increased the event risk within that sector and impeded returns. In the wake of Enron's collapse, many companies have now begun to reduce their debt and increase their credit quality. Longer-term U.S. Government bond prices (which move in the opposite direction from yields) lagged during the period with more promising economic data emerging throughout the period. However, towards the latter part of the period, we believed Treasuries were attractively priced and that rates should fall, barring a robust economic recovery.

Closing out the period, despite rising unemployment numbers in April, U.S. manufacturing, measured by the ISM (Institute for Supply Management) Index, remained at expansionary levels while retail sales continued to grow. Inflation levels remained relatively benign and low inventory levels should continue to support the manufacturing data. However, we are skeptical about the continued strength of consumer demand, which is essential to a sustained economic recovery.

The fluctuations seen in the bond market over the last six months reemphasize the need for investors to develop a strategy that best suits their overall goals and risk tolerance. Working with a financial advisor is one of the best means of doing this, and we encourage you to consult one when making an investment.

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The semi-annual report includes a summary of market conditions over the period, a review of the strategy employed by your Trust's portfolio managers, the Trust's unaudited financial statements and a listing of the portfolio's holdings. We encourage you to read the report and we thank you for making BlackRock part of your investment program.

Sincerely,

/s/ Laurence D. Fink  
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Laurence D. Fink  
Chairman

/s/ Ralph L. Schlosstein  
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Ralph L. Schlosstein  
President

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\* The Lehman Brothers Aggregate Index is used to measure the performance of the U.S. investment grade fixed rate bond market. The Index is unmanaged and cannot be purchased directly.

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May 31, 2002

Dear Shareholder:

We are pleased to present the unaudited semi-annual report for The BlackRock Broad Investment Grade 2009 Term Trust Inc. (the "Trust") for the six months ended April 30, 2002. We would like to take this opportunity to review the Trust's stock price and net asset value (NAV) performance, summarize market developments and discuss recent portfolio management activity.

The Trust is a diversified, actively managed closed-end bond fund whose shares are traded on the American Stock Exchange under the symbol "BCT". The Trust's investment objective is to return \$15 per share (its initial offering price) to shareholders on or about December 31, 2009 while providing high current income. Although there can be no guarantee, BlackRock is confident that the Trust can achieve its investment objectives.

The Trust seeks these objectives by investing in investment grade fixed income securities, including corporate debt securities, mortgage-backed securities backed by U.S. Government agencies (such as Fannie Mae, Freddie Mac or Ginnie Mae) and commercial mortgage-backed securities. Historically, the Trust has been primarily invested in corporate debt securities and collateralized mortgage obligations (CMOs). All of the Trust's assets must be rated "BBB" by Standard & Poor's or "Baa" Moody's at time of purchase or be issued or guaranteed by the U.S. government or its agencies.

The table below summarizes the changes in the Trust's stock price and NAV:

|                       | 4/30/02 | 10/31/01 | CHANGE | HIGH      | LOW     |
|-----------------------|---------|----------|--------|-----------|---------|
| STOCK PRICE           | \$14.49 | \$14.39  | 0.69%  | \$16.1514 | \$14.17 |
| NET ASSET VALUE (NAV) | \$16.28 | \$16.05  | 1.43%  | \$16.28   | \$15.51 |

|                            |       |       |        |       |       |
|----------------------------|-------|-------|--------|-------|-------|
| 10-YEAR U.S. TREASURY NOTE | 5.09% | 4.23% | 20.33% | 5.43% | 4.18% |
|----------------------------|-------|-------|--------|-------|-------|

## THE FIXED INCOME MARKETS

Economic performance was mixed during the semi-annual period although increasingly positive economic data surfaced as time progressed. The U.S. economy showed signs of a rebound on the heels of strong consumer and military spending, which helped to overcome the devastation of September 11th. The Fed also provided further monetary stimulus by cutting interest rates two additional times prior to year-end, leaving the federal funds rate at 1.75%. This was in addition to nine previous interest rate reductions by the Fed during 2001. The Consumer Confidence Index initially reached its lowest level in eight years during November, but marked a steady climb during the remainder of the period as investors readily anticipated an economic recovery. The economy continued to see increasingly optimistic data emerge throughout the first quarter of 2002. Gross Domestic Product (GDP) during the first quarter rose 5.6%, the fastest rate in two years, and the manufacturing sector saw substantial gains as the Purchasing Managers Index indicated expansion for the first time in 19 months. Although productivity increased 8.6% during the first quarter, unemployment in April reached 6.0%. However, the unexpectedly high unemployment number is believed to be a result of recent legislation prompting many to apply for extended benefits. After surprising growth in the first quarter of 2002, the fixed income markets came under pressure following the March 19th announcement by the Federal Open Market Committee (FOMC) to leave rates steady, citing a bias shift from "potential weakness" to "neutral." The equity markets did not significantly benefit from the emergence of the strong growth indicators as they were challenged by several high profile bankruptcies. Closing out the period, April saw the largest advancement in retail sales in six months and inflationary pressures remain relatively in check. However, concerns regarding the corporate environment and violence in the Middle East and Asia have left many investors apprehensive about the markets. Going forward, although low inventory levels should continue to provide support for manufacturing data, concerns exist surrounding the long-term strength of the highly leveraged consumer.

Following a steepening of the yield curve throughout the majority of 2001, yields over the period trended higher causing the curve to flatten. Signs of a recovering economy caused yields to rise in sympathy with expectations of a higher Fed funds rate by year-end. The 5- to 10-year portion of the yield curve came under the most pressure, rising 93 and 86 basis points, respectively, during the period. Yields on 2- and 30-year maturities also suffered during the period rising 80 and 72 basis points, respectively. After struggling following the FOMC's announcement of a bias shift in March, Treasuries bounced back in April.

performance was driven by economic pessimism, which surfaced as enthusiasm for a rapid economic recovery waned amidst tensions in the Middle East, cautious corporate earnings announcements and government reports of a slower growth pattern. Looking ahead, a budget surplus of only \$78 billion and a 30% decline in tax revenues for 2001 has caused Treasury finances to deteriorate sharply and should result in larger auction sizes. However, the allowable debt limit set by Congress will soon be reached, possibly leading the Treasury to pursue additional methods of financing. As of April 30, 2002, the 10-year Treasury was yielding 5.09% versus 4.23% on October 31, 2001.

For the period, the LEHMAN BROTHERS MORTGAGE INDEX returned 1.57% versus -0.01% for the LEHMAN BROTHERS AGGREGATE INDEX. Mortgages saw poor performance during the first two months of the period as prepayments increased dramatically and the volume of refinancing reached record levels. The first quarter of 2002 fared much better for mortgage-backed securities, which benefited from reduced volatility and increased demand. During the first three months of 2002, refinancing activity, as measured by the MBAA (Mortgage Banking Association of America) Refinance Index, declined 78% from the all-time high it reached in November, helping mortgages to outperform Treasuries by 1.14% on a duration adjusted basis. Although lower coupon mortgages outperformed during November and December, decreased volatility in 2002 allowed higher coupons to outperform lower coupon issues year-to-date. Prepayments are expected to remain elevated for several months as over 25% of the mortgage coupons outstanding have an incentive to refinance. Despite increasing discussions of reform initiatives that could potentially affect FNMA and FHLMC, there has been little impact on their performance.

For the semi-annual period, the LEHMAN BROTHERS U.S. CREDIT INDEX returned -0.45% versus -0.01% for the LEHMAN BROTHERS AGGREGATE INDEX. No clear pattern emerged in the corporate sector, as there was great disparity in returns among sub-sectors and individual names. The market suffered from accusations regarding accounting irregularities, earnings quality issues, off-balance sheet financing risks, and volatile equity and Treasury markets. For the period, higher quality intermediate maturity bonds outperformed lower quality investment grade issues. Following record gross new issuance of \$587 billion in 2001, market expectations for supply in 2002 are lower due to reductions in capital expenditure, declining global mergers and acquisitions and a lower level of overall economic activity. Escalated accounting concerns have prompted rating agencies to consider harsher standards and have led to increasing downgrades relative to upgrades. Some firms, under widespread scrutiny, have begun to provide more transparency, which should gradually improve corporate fundamentals. Corporates suffered over the final month of the period as individual credit issues have caused some contagion, and many corporations have found they have little pricing power, which will pressure future profits.

THE TRUST'S PORTFOLIO AND INVESTMENT STRATEGY

BlackRock actively manages the Trust's portfolio holdings consistent with BlackRock's overall market outlook and the Trust's investment objectives.

The following chart shows the Trust's asset composition:

| SECTOR BREAKDOWN                         |                |                  |
|--|----------------|------------------|
| COMPOSITION                              | APRIL 30, 2002 | OCTOBER 31, 2001 |
| Inverse-Floating Rate Mortgages          | 22%            | 22%              |
| Multiple Class Mortgage Pass-Throughs    | 21%            | 22%              |
| U.S. Government and Agency Securities    | 20%            | 6%               |
| Interest-Only Mortgage-Backed Securities | 14%            | 18%              |
| Corporate Bonds                          | 11%            | 15%              |
| Taxable Municipal Bonds                  | 5%             | 6%               |
| Commercial Mortgage-Backed Securities    | 3%             | 6%               |

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|   |    |    |
|---|----|----|
| Principal-Only Mortgage-Backed Securities | 2% | 3% |
| Asset-Backed Securities                   | 2% | 2% |

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The Trust remains on schedule to achieve its primary investment objective of returning the initial offering price to shareholders on or about its planned termination date.

The Trust continued to focus on securities with final maturity dates (or "bullet" maturities) that match the Trust's termination date of December 31, 2009. The Trust benefited from enhanced interest income and price appreciation due to strong performance by mortgages over the period. As mortgage refinancing spiked to record levels over the final two months of 2001, the Trust was positioned to minimize prepayment and extension risk with a core position in lower coupon mortgages and 15-year pass-throughs. The Trust's bias towards 15-years benefited performance as 15-years led 30-years for the semi-annual period. The Trust modestly reduced its exposure to corporates as volatility and credit risk spread through the corporate marketplace. Also, the Trust selectively added Treasuries towards the latter part of the period on the belief that Treasuries had become more attractively priced.

We look forward to continuing to manage the Trust to benefit from the opportunities available to investors in the fixed income markets as well as to maintain the Trust's ability to meet its investment objectives. We thank you for your investment in The BlackRock Broad Investment Grade 2009 Term Trust Inc. Please feel free to contact our marketing center at (800) 227-7BFM (7236) if you have specific questions which were not addressed in this report.

Sincerely,

/s/ Robert S. Kapito

/s/ Michael P. Lustig

Robert S. Kapito  
Vice Chairman and Portfolio Manager

Michael P. Lustig  
Managing Director and Portfolio Manager

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|                                    |               |
|------------------------------------|---------------|
| Symbol on American Stock Exchange: | BCT           |
| Initial Offering Date:             | June 17, 1993 |
| Closing Stock Price as of 4/30/02: | \$14.49       |
| Net Asset Value as of 4/30/02:     | \$16.28       |

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|   |           |
|---|-----------|
| Yield on Closing Stock Price as of 4/30/02 (\$14.49) (1): | 5.18%     |
| Current Monthly Distribution per Share(2):                | \$ 0.0625 |
| Current Annualized Distribution per Share(2):             | \$ 0.7500 |

- (1) Yield on closing Stock Price is calculated by dividing the current annualized distribution per share by the closing stock price per share.  
 (2) Distribution is not constant and is subject to change.

PRIVACY PRINCIPLES OF THE TRUST

The Trust is committed to maintaining the privacy of shareholders and to safeguarding its non-public personal information. The following information is provided to help you understand what personal information the Trust collects, how we protect that information and why, in certain cases, we may share information with select other parties.

Generally, the Trust does not receive any non-public personal information relating to its shareholders, although certain nonpublic personal information of its shareholders may become available to the Trust. The Trust does not disclose any non-public personal information about its shareholders or former shareholders to anyone, except as permitted by law or as is necessary in order to service shareholder accounts (for example, to a transfer agent or third party administrator).

The Trust restricts access to non-public personal information about the shareholders to BlackRock employees with a legitimate business need for the information. The Trust maintains physical, electronic and procedural safeguards designed to protect the non-public personal information of its shareholders.

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 THE BLACKROCK BROAD INVESTMENT  
 GRADE 2009 TERM TRUST INC.  
 CONSOLIDATED PORTFOLIO OF INVESTMENTS  
 APRIL 30, 2002 (UNAUDITED)  
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| RATING* | PRINCIPAL AMOUNT (000) | DESCRIPTION                            | VALUE (NOTE 1) |
|---------|------------------------|--|----------------|
|         |                        | LONG-TERM INVESTMENTS--139.4%          |                |
|         |                        | MORTGAGE PASS-THROUGHS--3.1%           |                |
|         |                        | Federal National Mortgage Association, |                |
|         | \$1,294                | 5.50%, 1/01/17 - 2/01/17 .....         | \$ 1,285,308   |
|         | 217                    | 6.50%, 7/01/29 .....                   | 219,839        |
|         |                        |  | -----          |
|         |                        |  | 1,505,147      |
|         |                        |  | -----          |
|         |                        | AGENCY MULTIPLE CLASS MORTGAGE         |                |
|         |                        | PASS-THROUGHS--25.9%                   |                |
|         |                        | Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corp.,      |                |
|         |                        | Multiclass Mortgage                    |                |
|         |                        | Participation Certificates,            |                |

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|     |        |   |            |
|-----|--------|---|------------|
|     | 2,168+ | Series 1510, Class 1510-G,<br>5/15/13 .....   | 2,282,991  |
|     | 400    | Series 1534, Class 1534-IG,<br>2/15/10 .....  | 385,872    |
|     | 600+   | Series 1601, Class 1601-SD,<br>10/15/08 .....   | 615,000    |
|     |        | Federal National Mortgage Association,<br>REMIC Pass-Through Certificates,                      |            |
|     | 319    | Trust 1992-43, Class 43-E,<br>4/25/22 .....   | 332,942    |
|     | 1,000+ | Trust 1993-49, Class 49-H,<br>4/25/13 .....   | 1,046,320  |
|     | 143    | Trust 1993-69, Class 69-Z,<br>1/25/22 .....   | 145,656    |
|     | 3,053+ | Trust 1993-79, Class 79-PK,<br>4/25/22 .....  | 3,161,407  |
|     | 3,146+ | Trust 1993-87, Class 87-J,<br>4/25/22 .....   | 3,114,005  |
|     | 692    | Trust 1993-214, Class 214-SK,<br>12/25/08 .....   | 716,068    |
|     | 643    | Trust 1994-13, Class 13-SJ,<br>2/25/09 .....  | 662,398    |
|     |        |   | -----      |
|     |        |   | 12,462,659 |
|     |        |   | -----      |
|     |        | INVERSE FLOATING RATE   |            |
|     |        | MORTGAGES--30.8%  |            |
| AAA | 462    | Citicorp Mortgage Securities, Inc.,<br>Series 1993-14, Class A-4,<br>11/25/23 .....             | 467,299    |
| Aaa | 550    | Countrywide Funding Corp.,<br>Series 1994-2, Class A-12S,<br>2/25/09 .....                      | 582,302    |
| Aaa | 866    | Countrywide Mortgage-Backed<br>Securities, Inc.,<br>Series 1993-D, Class A-15,<br>1/25/09 ..... | 896,529    |
|     |        | Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corp.,<br>Multiclass Mortgage<br>Participation Certificates,         |            |
|     | 336    | Series 1425, Class 1425-SB,<br>12/15/07 .....   | 386,097    |
|     | 319    | Series 1506, Class 1506-S,<br>5/15/08 .....   | \$ 362,157 |
|     | 465    | Series 1515, Class 1515-S,<br>5/15/08 .....   | 507,026    |
|     | 193    | Series 1580, Class 1580-SD,<br>9/15/08 .....  | 199,809    |
|     | 647    | Series 1606, Class 1606-SC,<br>11/15/08 .....   | 712,338    |
|     | 423    | Series 1618, Class 1618-SA,<br>11/15/08 .....   | 435,543    |
|     | 1,023  | Series 1626, Class 1626-SA,<br>12/15/08 .....   | 977,324    |
|     | 555    | Series 1661, Class 1661-SB,<br>1/15/09 .....  | 602,350    |
|     | 500    | Series 1688, Class 1688-S,<br>12/15/13 .....  | 504,375    |
|     |        | Federal National Mortgage Association,<br>REMIC Pass-Through Certificates,                      |            |
|     | 608    | Trust 1992-187, Class 187-SB,<br>10/25/07 .....   | 703,465    |

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|     |        |  |            |
|-----|--------|--|------------|
|     | 645    | Trust 1992-190, Class 190-S,<br>11/25/07 .....   | 794,005    |
|     | 1,515  | Trust 1993-156, Class 156-SE,<br>10/25/19 .....  | 1,566,525  |
|     | 605    | Trust 1993-173, Class 173-SA,<br>9/25/08 .....   | 580,258    |
|     | 589    | Trust 1993-191, Class 191-SD,<br>10/25/08 .....  | 663,044    |
|     | 412    | Trust 1993-202, Class 202-VB,<br>11/25/23 .....  | 439,548    |
|     | 166    | Trust 1993-209, Class 209-SG,<br>8/25/08 .....   | 167,445    |
|     | 498    | Trust 1993-214, Class 214-SH,<br>12/25/08 .....  | 520,798    |
|     | 544    | Trust 1993-224, Class 224-SE,<br>11/25/23 .....  | 552,486    |
| Aaa | 600    | PaineWebber Mortgage<br>Acceptance Corp.,<br>Series 1994-6, Class A-9,<br>4/25/09 .....            | 607,781    |
|     |        | Residential Funding Mortgage<br>Securities, Inc.,<br>Series 1993-S23, Class A-12,<br>6/25/08 ..... | 784,111    |
| AAA | 751    |  |            |
| AAA | 776    | Series 1993-S23, Class A-16,<br>6/25/08 .....  | 821,737    |
|     |        |  | -----      |
|     |        |  | 14,834,352 |
|     |        |  | -----      |
|     |        | INTEREST ONLY MORTGAGE-BACKED<br>SECURITIES--19.5%   |            |
|     | 18,416 | Chase Mortgage Finance Corp.,<br>Series 1999-S4, Class A-14,<br>4/25/29 .....                      | 54,672     |

See Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements.

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| PRINCIPAL |          |   | VALUE    |
|-----------|----------|---|----------|
| RATING*   | AMOUNT   | DESCRIPTION   | (NOTE 1) |
|           | (000)    |   |          |
|           |          | INTEREST ONLY MORTGAGE-BACKED<br>SECURITIES--(CONT'D)   |          |
|           | \$ 8,846 | Credit Suisse First Boston Mortgage<br>Securities Corp.,<br>Series 1998-1, Class A-7,<br>9/25/28 .....            | \$ 9,675 |
|           |          | Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corp.,<br>Multiclass Mortgage<br>Participation Certificates,<br>Series 65, Class 65-I, |          |
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|-------|--|----------|
|       | 8/15/20 .....                          | 104,584  |
| 2     | Series 141, Class 141-H,               |          |
|       | 5/15/21 .....                          | 22,965   |
| 2,698 | Series 194, Class 194-IO,              |          |
|       | 4/01/28 .....                          | 613,582  |
| 6     | Series 1114, Class 1114-J,             |          |
|       | 7/15/06 .....                          | 78,550   |
| 7     | Series 1285, Class 1285-M,             |          |
|       | 5/15/07 .....                          | 52,531   |
| 1,030 | Series 1353, Class 1353-S,             |          |
|       | 8/15/07 .....                          | 88,857   |
| 1,842 | Series 1645, Class 1645-IB,            |          |
|       | 9/15/08 .....                          | 197,078  |
| 259   | Series 1747, Class 1747-I,             |          |
|       | 6/15/23 .....                          | 5,330    |
| 1,317 | Series 2039, Class 2039-PI,            |          |
|       | 2/15/12 .....                          | 117,675  |
| 443   | Series 2049, Class 2049-LC,            |          |
|       | 10/15/23 .....                         | 28,493   |
| 379   | Series 2061, Class 2061-JR,            |          |
|       | 9/20/22 .....                          | 28,586   |
| 2,266 | Series 2063, Class 2063-PU,            |          |
|       | 10/15/26 .....                         | 507,043  |
| 1,134 | Series 2075, Class 2075-IB,            |          |
|       | 12/15/21 .....                         | 45,366   |
| 9,410 | Series 2081, Class 2081-S,             |          |
|       | 5/15/25 .....                          | 623,424  |
| 3,024 | Series 2306, Class 2306-PM,            |          |
|       | 5/15/26 .....                          | 476,359  |
| 6,909 | Series 2376, Class 2376-MI,            |          |
|       | 7/15/11 .....                          | 788,068  |
|       | Federal National Mortgage Association, |          |
|       | REMIC Pass-Through Certificates,       |          |
| 1     | Trust G-21, Class 21-L,                |          |
|       | 7/25/21 .....                          | 31,839   |
| 97    | Trust G93-25, Class 25-J,              |          |
|       | 12/25/19 .....                         | 148,496  |
| 4     | Trust 1991-72, Class 72-H,             |          |
|       | 7/25/06 .....                          | 80,992   |
| 39    | Trust 1992-51, Class 51-K,             |          |
|       | 4/25/07 .....                          | 592,612  |
| 25    | Trust 1992-174, Class 174-S,           |          |
|       | 9/25/22 .....                          | 67,014   |
| 14    | Trust 1993-8, Class 8-HA,              |          |
|       | 1/25/08 .....                          | 316,798  |
| 30    | Trust 1993-49, Class 49-L,             |          |
|       | 4/25/13 .....                          | 300,000  |
| 598   | Trust 1993-138, Class 138-JK,          |          |
|       | 5/25/19 .....                          | 9,336    |
| 2,518 | Trust 1993-191, Class 191-S,           |          |
|       | 10/25/07 .....                         | \$ 2,361 |
| 767   | Trust 1993-194, Class 194-PV,          |          |
|       | 6/25/08 .....                          | 76,247   |
| 5,027 | Trust 1993-208, Class 208-S,           |          |
|       | 2/25/23 .....                          | 317,351  |
| 930   | Trust 1993-223, Class 223-PT,          |          |
|       | 10/25/23 .....                         | 98,984   |
| 443   | Trust 1994-39, Class 39-PE,            |          |
|       | 1/25/23 .....                          | 44,496   |
| 1,387 | Trust 1994-42, Class 42-SO,            |          |
|       | 3/25/23 .....                          | 166,570  |
| 1,500 | Trust 1996-20, Class 20-SB,            |          |

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|        |  |           |
|--------|--|-----------|
|        | 10/25/08 .....   | 300,000   |
| 1,259  | Trust 1996-20, Class 20-SL,<br>9/25/08 .....   | 342,756   |
| 7,358  | Trust 1997-81, Class 81-SD,<br>12/18/27 .....  | 1,150     |
| 1,500  | Trust 1997-90, Class 90-M,<br>1/25/28 .....  | 377,055   |
| 1,223  | Trust 1998-30, Class 30-QG,<br>12/18/25 .....  | 189,559   |
| 400    | Trust 1998-43, Class 43-YI,<br>7/18/28 .....   | 7,746     |
| 3,206  | Trust 2001-9, Class 9-IB,<br>5/25/27 .....   | 547,024   |
| 2,069  | Trust 2001-29, Class 29-BE,<br>5/25/28 .....   | 234,682   |
| 4,895  | Trust 2001-80, Class 80-PI,<br>9/25/23 .....   | 569,099   |
| 385    | Government National Mortgage<br>Association, REMIC Pass-Through<br>Certificates,<br>Trust 1998-24, Class 24-IB,<br>5/20/23 ..... | 25,008    |
| 1,351  | Norwest Asset Securities Corp.,<br>Series 1998-5, Class A-5,<br>3/25/28 .....  | 94,584    |
| 692    | PNC Mortgage Securities Corp.,<br>Series 1998-8, Class 4-X,<br>10/25/13 .....  | 117,635   |
|        | Residential Funding Mortgage<br>Securities, Inc.,<br>Series 1993-S44, Class A-4,<br>11/25/23 .....                               | 254,624   |
| 5,799  | Series 1998-S19, Class A-8,<br>8/25/28 .....   | 15,403    |
| 86     | Salomon Brothers Mortgage<br>Securities Inc. VI,<br>Series 1987-3, Class B,<br>10/23/17 .....                                    | 15,713    |
| 20,166 | Structured Asset Securities Corp.,<br>Series 1999-ALS1, Class ALS1-3AX,<br>5/25/29 .....   | 138,642   |
| 33,049 | Vendee Mortgage Trust,<br>Series 2002-1, Class 1-1IO,<br>10/15/31 .....  | 72,295    |
|        |  | -----     |
|        |  | 9,398,909 |
|        |  | -----     |

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| RATING* | AMOUNT<br>(000) | DESCRIPTION   | VALUE<br>(NOTE 1) |
|---------|-----------------|---|-------------------|
| -----   |                 |   |                   |
|         |                 | PRINCIPAL ONLY MORTGAGE-BACKED<br>SECURITIES--3.3%  |                   |
|         |                 | Federal National Mortgage Association,<br>REMIC Pass-Through Certificates,                                |                   |
|         | \$ 1,341        | Trust 1994-46, Class 46-D,<br>11/25/23 .....  | \$ 1,335,502      |
|         | 98              | Trust 1996-54, Class 54-A,<br>4/25/21 .....   | 96,791            |
| AAA     | 104             | PaineWebber Mortgage<br>Acceptance Corp. IV,<br>Series 1993-5, Class A-14,<br>6/25/08 .....               | 92,454            |
| AAA     | 86              | Salomon Brothers Mortgage<br>Securities Inc. VI,<br>Series 1987-3, Class A,<br>10/23/17 .....             | 74,714            |
|         |                 |   | -----             |
|         |                 |   | 1,599,461         |
|         |                 |   | -----             |
|         |                 | COMMERCIAL MORTGAGE-BACKED<br>SECURITIES--4.0%  |                   |
| AAA     | 79              | Citicorp Mortgage Securities, Inc.,<br>Series 1998-3, Class A-6,<br>6.75%, 5/25/28 .....                  | 80,363            |
| AAA     | 750             | NYC Mortgage Loan Trust, Multifamily,<br>Series 1996, Class A-2,<br>6.75%, 6/25/11** .....                | 770,625           |
| AAA     | 1,000           | Prudential Securities Secured<br>Financing Corp.,<br>Series 1998-C1, Class A1-B,<br>6.506%, 7/15/08 ..... | 1,048,709         |
|         |                 |   | -----             |
|         |                 |   | 1,899,697         |
|         |                 |   | -----             |
|         |                 | ASSET-BACKED SECURITIES--2.8%   |                   |
| AAA     | 1,230+          | Chase Credit Card Master Trust,<br>Series 1997-5, Class A,<br>6.194%, 8/15/05 .....                       | 1,259,405         |
| NR      | 240++           | GLOBAL RATED ELIGIBLE ASSET TRUST,<br>SERIES 1998-A, CLASS A-1,<br>7.33%, 3/15/06 @/** .....              | 22,181            |
|         |                 | Structured Mortgage Asset<br>Residential Trust,<br>Series 1997-2,<br>8.24%, 3/15/06 @/@@ .....            | 33,291            |
| NR      | 579++           |   |                   |
| NR      | 642++           | Series 1997-3,<br>8.724%, 4/15/06 @/@@ .....  | 36,904            |
|         |                 |   | -----             |
|         |                 |   | 1,351,781         |
|         |                 |   | -----             |
|         |                 | U.S GOVERNMENT AND AGENCY<br>SECURITIES--27.9%  |                   |
|         | 268             | Small Business Administration,<br>Series 1998-10, Class 10-A,<br>6.12%, 2/01/08 .....                     | 270,602           |
|         | 11,000+         | U.S. Treasury Bond Strip,<br>Zero Coupon, 11/15/09 .....  | 7,328,750         |
|         | 1,450+          | U.S. Treasury Notes,<br>3.50%, 11/15/06 .....   | 1,396,075         |

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|      |        |   |            |
|------|--------|---|------------|
|      | 100    | 4.25%, 5/31/03 .....  | 102,016    |
|      | 500+   | 5.00%, 8/15/11 .....  | 496,015    |
|      | 2,700+ | 5.75%, 11/15/05 .....   | 2,846,799  |
|      | 550+   | 6.00%, 8/15/09 .....  | 585,321    |
|      | 385+   | 6.625%, 5/15/07 .....   | 420,551    |
|      |        |   | -----      |
|      |        |   | 13,446,129 |
|      |        |   | -----      |
|      |        | TAXABLE MUNICIPAL BONDS--6.9%   |            |
| AAA  | 500    | Fresno California<br>Pension Obligation,<br>Series 1994, 7.80%, 6/01/14 .....                   | 568,775    |
| AAA  | 500    | Kern County California<br>Pension Obligation,<br>6.98%, 8/15/09 .....                           | 538,570    |
|      |        | Los Angeles County California<br>Pension Obligation,<br>Series A, 8.62%, 6/30/06 .....          | 1,129,790  |
| AAA  | 1,000  | Series D, 6.97%, 6/30/08 .....  | 541,545    |
| AAA  | 500    | Orleans Parish Louisiana<br>School Board,<br>Series A, 6.60%, 2/01/08 .....                     | 524,970    |
|      |        |   | -----      |
|      |        |   | 3,303,650  |
|      |        |   | -----      |
|      |        | CORPORATE BONDS--15.2%  |            |
|      |        | FINANCE & BANKING--6.0%   |            |
| A+   | 600    | Equitable Life Assured Society,<br>6.95%, 12/01/05** .....                                      | 623,858    |
| A+   | 500    | Metropolitan Life Insurance Co.,<br>6.30%, 11/01/03** .....                                     | 515,460    |
| AA-  | 1,000  | Morgan Stanley Group, Inc.,<br>10.00%, 6/15/08 .....  | 1,175,060  |
| AAA  | 500    | PaineWebber Group, Inc.,<br>8.875%, 3/15/05 .....   | 554,905    |
|      |        |   | -----      |
|      |        |   | 2,869,283  |
|      |        |   | -----      |
|      |        | INDUSTRIALS--4.8%   |            |
| BBB- | 100    | American Airlines, Inc.,<br>Secured Equipment Trust,<br>Series 1990-M,<br>10.44%, 3/04/07 ..... | 106,086    |
| A    | 1,000  | Dow Capital BV,<br>9.20%, 6/01/10 .....   | 1,172,390  |
| BBB+ | 500    | Ralcorp Holdings, Inc.,<br>8.75%, 9/15/04 .....   | 546,205    |
| BBB+ | 500    | TCI Communications, Inc.,<br>8.25%, 1/15/03 .....   | 512,860    |
|      |        |   | -----      |
|      |        |   | 2,337,541  |
|      |        |   | -----      |
|      |        | UTILITIES--2.2%   |            |
| A    | 500    | Alltel Corp.,<br>7.50%, 3/01/06 .....   | 524,485    |
| Baa1 | 500    | Ohio Edison Co.,<br>8.625%, 9/15/03 .....   | 523,505    |
|      |        |   | -----      |
|      |        |   | 1,047,990  |

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| RATING* | PRINCIPAL<br>AMOUNT<br>(000) | DESCRIPTION   | VALUE<br>(NOTE 1) |
|---------|------------------------------|---|-------------------|
|         |                              | YANKEE--2.2%  |                   |
| BBB     | \$ 500                       | Empresa Electric Guacolda SA,<br>7.95%, 4/30/03** .....   | \$ 518,943        |
| A-      | 500                          | Israel Electric Corp., Ltd.,<br>7.25%, 12/15/06** .....   | 528,765           |
|         |                              |   | -----             |
|         |                              |   | 1,047,708         |
|         |                              | Total corporate bonds .....   | 7,302,522         |
|         |                              |   | -----             |
|         |                              | Total long-term investments<br>(cost \$63,874,587) .....  | 67,104,307        |
|         |                              |   | -----             |
|         |                              | SHORT-TERM INVESTMENT--2.9%   |                   |
|         |                              | DISCOUNT NOTE   |                   |
|         | 1,400                        | Federal Home Loan Bank,<br>1.79%, 5/01/02<br>(cost \$1,400,000) .....                                     | 1,400,000         |
|         |                              |   | -----             |
|         |                              | Total investments before<br>outstanding put<br>option written--142.3%<br>(cost \$65,274,587) .....        | 68,504,307        |
|         |                              |   | -----             |
| RATING* | NOTIONAL<br>AMOUNT<br>(000)  | DESCRIPTION   | VALUE<br>(NOTE 1) |
|         |                              | OUTSTANDING PUT OPTION WRITTEN--(0.1%)  |                   |
|         | \$25,000                     | Interest Rate Swap,<br>3 months LIBOR over 3.98%<br>expires 6/05/02<br>(premium received \$118,750) ..... | \$ (38,802)       |
|         |                              |   | -----             |
|         |                              | Total investments, net of outstanding<br>put option written--142.2% .....                                 | 68,465,505        |
|         |                              | Liabilities in excess of other<br>assets--(42.2%) .....   | (20,323,286)      |
|         |                              |   | -----             |
|         |                              | NET ASSETS--100% .....  | \$48,142,219      |
|         |                              |   | =====             |

\* Using the higher of Standard & Poor's, Moody's or Fitch's rating.

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\*\* Security is exempt from registration under Rule 144A of the Securities Act of 1933. These securities may be resold in transactions exempt from registration to qualified institutional buyers. As of April 30, 2002, the Trust held 6.2% of its net assets in securities restricted as to resale.

+ Entire or partial principal amount pledged as collateral for reverse repurchase agreements or financial futures contracts.

++ Security is fair valued. (Note 1)

@ Illiquid securities representing 0.19% of net assets.

@@ Security is restricted as to public resale. The securities were acquired in 1997 and have an aggregate current cost of \$107,729.

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 KEY TO ABBREVIATION:

REMIC -- Real Estate Mortgage Investment Conduit.  
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 THE BLACKROCK BROAD INVESTMENT  
 GRADE 2009 TERM TRUST INC.  
 CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF  
 ASSETS AND LIABILITIES  
 APRIL 30, 2002 (UNAUDITED)  
 -----

ASSETS

|  |              |
|--|--------------|
| Investments, at value (cost \$65,274,587) (Note 1) ..... | \$68,504,307 |
| Cash .....   | 77,647       |
| Interest receivable .....                                | 993,998      |
| Due from broker--variation margin (Notes 1 & 3) .....    | 9,113        |
| Receivable for investment sold .....                     | 4,027        |
| Other assets .....                                       | 7,715        |
|  | -----        |
|  | 69,596,807   |
|  | -----        |

LIABILITIES

|   |            |
|---|------------|
| Reverse repurchase agreements (Note 4) .....  | 21,211,931 |
| Outstanding option written, at value<br>(premium received \$118,750) (Note 1 & 3) ..... | 38,802     |
| Interest payable .....  | 24,678     |
| Investment advisory fee payable (Note 2) .....  | 21,510     |
| Deferred directors fees (Note 1) .....  | 5,869      |
| Administration fee payable (Note 2) .....   | 5,866      |
| Other accrued expenses .....  | 145,932    |
|   | -----      |
|   | 21,454,588 |
|   | -----      |

|                  |              |
|------------------|--------------|
| NET ASSETS ..... | \$48,142,219 |
|                  | =====        |

Net assets were comprised of:

|  |            |
|--|------------|
| Common stock, par value (Note 5) ..... | \$ 29,571  |
| Paid-in capital in excess of par ..... | 40,372,832 |
|  | -----      |
|  | 40,402,403 |

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|   |              |
|---|--------------|
| Undistributed net investment income .....   | 5,377,806    |
| Accumulated net realized loss .....   | (1,178,892)  |
| Net unrealized appreciation .....   | 3,540,902    |
|   | -----        |
| Net assets, April 30, 2002 .....  | \$48,142,219 |
|   | =====        |
| NET ASSET VALUE PER SHARE:  |              |
| (\$48,142,219 / 2,957,093 shares of<br>common stock issued and outstanding) ..... | \$16.28      |
|   | =====        |

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 THE BLACKROCK BROAD INVESTMENT  
 GRADE 2009 TERM TRUST INC.  
 CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF  
 OPERATIONS  
 SIX MONTHS ENDED APRIL 30, 2002 (UNAUDITED)  
 -----

NET INVESTMENT INCOME

|   |              |
|---|--------------|
| Income  |              |
| Interest earned (net of discount/premium<br>accretion/amortization of \$1,560,621 and<br>interest expense of \$160,997) ..... | \$ 3,205,415 |
|   | -----        |

OPERATING EXPENSES

|                                |         |
|--------------------------------|---------|
| Investment advisory .....      | 128,294 |
| Administration .....           | 34,989  |
| Custodian .....                | 30,000  |
| Independent accountants .....  | 24,000  |
| Reports to shareholders .....  | 19,500  |
| Directors .....                | 7,500   |
| Legal .....                    | 6,500   |
| Transfer agent .....           | 5,500   |
| Miscellaneous .....            | 13,601  |
|                                | -----   |
| Total operating expenses ..... | 269,884 |
|                                | -----   |

|   |           |
|---|-----------|
| Net investment income before excise tax ..... | 2,935,531 |
| Excise tax .....                              | 135,500   |
|   | -----     |

|                             |           |
|-----------------------------|-----------|
| Net investment income ..... | 2,800,031 |
|                             | -----     |

REALIZED AND UNREALIZED GAIN (LOSS)  
 ON INVESTMENTS

|                              |           |
|------------------------------|-----------|
| Net realized gain (loss) on: |           |
| Investments .....            | 405,643   |
| Option written .....         | 89,077    |
| Futures .....                | (507,127) |
|                              | -----     |
|                              | (12,407)  |
|                              | -----     |

Net change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation) on:

|                         |             |
|-------------------------|-------------|
| Investments .....       | (1,301,364) |
| Option written .....    | 79,948      |
| Futures .....           | 208,863     |
| Interest rate cap ..... | 9,803       |

|   |                               |
|---|-------------------------------|
|   | -----<br>(1,002,750)<br>----- |
| NET LOSS ON INVESTMENTS .....                                 | (1,015,157)<br>-----          |
| NET INCREASE IN NET ASSETS<br>RESULTING FROM OPERATIONS ..... | \$ 1,784,874<br>=====         |

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 THE BLACKROCK BROAD INVESTMENT  
 GRADE 2009 TERM TRUST INC.  
 CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS  
 SIX MONTHS ENDED APRIL 30, 2002 (UNAUDITED)  
 -----

|   |                         |
|---|-------------------------|
| RECONCILIATION OF NET INCREASE IN<br>NET ASSETS RESULTING FROM OPERATIONS<br>TO NET CASH FLOWS USED FOR<br>OPERATING ACTIVITIES |                         |
| Net increase in net assets resulting from<br>operations .....   | \$ 1,784,874<br>-----   |
| Increase in investments .....   | (8,838,196)             |
| Decrease in receivable for securities sold .....  | 1,510                   |
| Decrease in payable for securities purchased .....  | (873,316)               |
| Net realized loss .....   | 12,407                  |
| Decrease in unrealized appreciation .....   | 1,002,750               |
| Increase in interest rate cap .....   | (71,419)                |
| Increase in interest receivable .....   | (23,530)                |
| Decrease in due from broker-variation margin .....  | 66,203                  |
| Increase in other assets .....  | (946)                   |
| Increase in interest payable .....  | 19,559                  |
| Increase in net options written .....   | 207,827                 |
| Decrease in accrued expenses .....  | (46,897)<br>-----       |
| Total adjustments .....   | (8,544,048)<br>-----    |
| Net cash flows used for operating activities .....  | \$ (6,759,174)<br>===== |
| INCREASE (DECREASE) IN CASH   |                         |
| NET CASH FLOWS USED FOR OPERATING ACTIVITIES .....  | \$ (6,759,174)<br>----- |
| Cash flows provided by financing activities:  |                         |
| Increase in reverse repurchase agreements .....   | 7,839,293               |
| Cash dividends paid .....   | (1,108,808)<br>-----    |
| Net cash flows provided by financing activities .....   | 6,730,485<br>-----      |
| Net decrease in cash .....  | (28,689)                |
| Cash at beginning of period .....   | 106,336                 |

Cash at end of period ..... \$ 77,647  
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 THE BLACKROCK BROAD INVESTMENT  
 GRADE 2009 TERM TRUST INC.  
 CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CHANGES  
 IN NET ASSETS (UNAUDITED)  
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|   | SIX MONTHS<br>ENDED<br>APRIL 30,<br>2002 | YEAR ENDED<br>OCTOBER 31,<br>2001 |
|---|--|-----------------------------------|
|   | -----                                    | -----                             |
| INCREASE (DECREASE) IN<br>NET ASSETS  |  |                                   |
| Operations:   |  |                                   |
| Net investment income .....   | \$ 2,800,031                             | \$ 3,467,213                      |
| Net realized loss .....   | (12,407)                                 | (10,528)                          |
| Net change in unrealized<br>appreciation (depreciation) .....   | (1,002,750)                              | 5,979,787                         |
|   | -----                                    | -----                             |
| Net increase in net assets resulting<br>from operations .....   | 1,784,874                                | 9,436,472                         |
| Dividends from<br>net investment income .....   | (1,108,808)                              | (2,291,507)                       |
|   | -----                                    | -----                             |
| Total increase .....  | 676,066                                  | 7,144,965                         |
| NET ASSETS  |  |                                   |
| Beginning of period .....   | 47,466,153                               | 40,321,188                        |
|   | -----                                    | -----                             |
| End of period (including<br>undistributed net investment<br>income of \$5,377,806 and<br>\$3,686,583, respectively) ..... | \$48,142,219                             | \$47,466,153                      |
|   | =====                                    | =====                             |

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 THE BLACKROCK BROAD INVESTMENT GRADE 2009 TERM TRUST INC.  
 CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS (UNAUDITED)  
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|                                  | SIX MONTHS ENDED<br>APRIL 30, 2002 | YEAR ENDED OCTOBER |       |       |
|----------------------------------|------------------------------------|--------------------|-------|-------|
|                                  | -----                              | 2001               | 2000  | 1999  |
|                                  | -----                              | -----              | ----- | ----- |
| PER SHARE OPERATING PERFORMANCE: |                                    |                    |       |       |

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|  |           |          |          |          |
|--|-----------|----------|----------|----------|
| Net asset value, beginning of period .....   | \$ 16.05  | \$ 13.64 | \$ 13.64 | \$ 15.01 |
|  | -----     | -----    | -----    | -----    |
| Net investment income (net of interest expense<br>of \$0.05, \$0.30, \$0.36, \$0.33, \$0.36 and<br>\$0.36, respectively) ..... | .94       | 1.17     | .91      | .93      |
| Net realized and unrealized gain (loss) .....  | (.34)     | 2.01     | (.09)    | (1.45)   |
|  | -----     | -----    | -----    | -----    |
| Net increase (decrease) from investment operations   | .60       | 3.18     | .82      | (.52)    |
|  | -----     | -----    | -----    | -----    |
| Dividends from net investment income .....   | (.37)     | (.77)    | (.82)    | (.85)    |
|  | -----     | -----    | -----    | -----    |
| Net asset value, end of period* .....  | \$ 16.28  | \$ 16.05 | \$ 13.64 | \$ 13.64 |
|  | =====     | =====    | =====    | =====    |
| Market value, end of period* .....   | \$ 14.49  | \$ 14.39 | \$ 11.94 | \$ 11.44 |
|  | =====     | =====    | =====    | =====    |
| TOTAL INVESTMENT RETURN+ .....   | 3.32%     | 27.66%   | 12.11%   | (7.68)%  |
|  | =====     | =====    | =====    | =====    |
| RATIOS TO AVERAGE NET ASSETS:  |           |          |          |          |
| Operating expenses .....   | 1.15%+++  | 1.16%    | 1.31%    | 1.03%    |
| Operating expenses and interest expense .....  | 1.84%+++  | 3.20%    | 4.02%    | 3.33%    |
| Operating expenses, interest expense and<br>excise taxes .....   | 2.42%+++  | 3.52%    | 4.36%    | 3.49%    |
| Net investment income .....  | 12.00%+++ | 7.93%    | 6.83%    | 6.58%    |
| SUPPLEMENTAL DATA:   |           |          |          |          |
| Average net assets (000) .....   | \$47,039  | \$43,701 | \$39,425 | \$41,909 |
| Portfolio turnover .....   | 12%       | 19%      | 36%      | 25%      |
| Net assets, end of period (000) .....  | \$48,142  | \$47,466 | \$40,321 | \$40,345 |
| Reverse repurchase agreements outstanding,<br>end of period (000) .....  | \$21,212  | \$13,373 | \$18,850 | \$16,304 |
| Asset coverage++ .....   | \$ 3,270  | \$ 4,550 | \$ 3,139 | \$ 3,475 |

\* Net asset value and market value are published in BARRON'S on Saturday and THE WALL STREET JOURNAL on Monday.

+ Total investment return is calculated assuming a purchase of common stock at the current market price on the first day and a sale at the current market price on the last day of the period reported. Dividends and distributions, if any, are assumed for purposes of this calculation to be reinvested at prices obtained under the Trust's dividend reinvestment plan. Total investment return does not reflect brokerage commissions. Past performance is no guarantee of future results. Total investment returns for period of less than one full year is not annualized.

++ Per \$1,000 of reverse repurchase agreements outstanding.

+++ Annualized.

The information above represents the unaudited operating performance data for a share of common stock outstanding, total investment return, ratios to average net assets and other supplemental data for the periods indicated. This information has been determined based upon financial information provided in the financial statements and market value data for the Trust's shares.

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GRADE 2009 TERM TRUST INC.  
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NOTE 1. ORGANIZATION & ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The BlackRock Broad Investment Grade 2009 Term Trust Inc. (the "Trust"), a Maryland corporation, is a diversified, closed-end management investment company. The investment objective of the Trust is to manage a portfolio of fixed income securities that will return \$15 per share to investors on or about December 31, 2009 while providing high monthly income. The ability of issuers of debt securities held by the Trust to meet their obligations may be affected by economic developments in a specific industry or region. No assurance can be given that the Trust's investment objective will be achieved.

On December 3, 1999, the Trust transferred a substantial portion of its total assets to a 100% owned regulated investment company subsidiary called BCT Subsidiary, Inc. These consolidated financial statements include the operations of both the Trust and its wholly-owned subsidiary after elimination of all intercompany transactions and balances.

The following is a summary of significant accounting policies followed by the Trust.

**SECURITIES VALUATION:** The Trust values mortgage-backed and asset-backed securities, interest rate swaps, caps, floors and non-exchange traded options and other debt securities on the basis of current market quotations provided by dealers or pricing services approved by the Trust's Board of Directors. In determining the value of a particular security, pricing services may use certain information with respect to transactions in such securities, quotations from dealers, market transactions in comparable securities, various relationships observed in the market between securities, and calculated yield measures based on valuation technology commonly employed in the market for such securities. Exchange-traded options are valued at their last sales price as of the close of options trading on the applicable exchanges. In the absence of a last sale, options are valued at the average of the quoted bid and asked prices as of the close of business. A futures contract is valued at the last sale price as of the close of the commodities exchange on which it trades. Short-term securities may be valued at amortized cost. Any securities or other assets for which such current market quotations are not readily available are valued at fair value as determined in good faith under procedures established by and under the general supervision and responsibility of the Trust's Board of Directors. On April 30, 2002, the Trust held two positions that were valued at fair value, which is significantly lower than their purchase cost.

**REPURCHASE AGREEMENTS:** In connection with transactions in repurchase agreements, the Trust's custodian takes possession of the underlying collateral securities, the value of which at least equals the principal amount of the repurchase transaction, including accrued interest. To the extent that any repurchase transaction exceeds one business day, the value of the collateral is marked-to-market on a daily basis to ensure the adequacy of the collateral. If the seller defaults and the value of the collateral declines or if bankruptcy proceedings are commenced with respect to the seller of the security, realization of the collateral by the Trust may be delayed or limited.

**OPTION SELLING/PURCHASING:** When the Trust sells or purchases an option, an

amount equal to the premium received or paid by the Trust is recorded as a liability or an asset and is subsequently adjusted to the current market value of the option written or purchased. Premiums received or paid from writing or purchasing options which expire unexercised are treated by the Trust on the expiration date as realized gains or losses. The difference between the premium and the amount paid or received on effecting a closing purchase or sale transaction, including brokerage commissions, is also treated as a realized gain or loss. If an option is exercised, the premium paid or received is added to the proceeds from the sale or cost of the purchase in determining whether the Trust has realized a gain or a loss on investment transactions. The Trust, as writer of an option, may have no control over whether the underlying securities may be sold (call) or purchased (put) and as a result bears the market risk of an unfavorable change in the price of the security underlying the written option.

Options, when used by the Trust, help in maintaining a targeted duration. Duration is a measure of the price sensitivity of a security or a portfolio to relative changes in interest rates. For instance, a duration of "one" means that a portfolio's or a security's price would be expected to change by approximately one percent with a one percent change in interest rates, while a duration of five would imply that the price would move approximately five percent in relation to a one percent change in interest rates.

Option selling and purchasing is used by the Trust to effectively "hedge" positions, or collections of positions, so that changes in interest rates do not change the duration of the portfolio unexpectedly. In general, the Trust uses options to hedge a long or short position or an overall portfolio that is longer or shorter than the benchmark security. A call option gives the purchaser of the option the right (but not obligation) to buy, and obligates the seller to sell (when the option is exercised), the underlying position at the exercise price at any time or at a specified time during the option period. A put option gives the holder the right to sell and obligates the writer to buy the underlying

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position at the exercise price at any time or at a specified time during the option period. Put options can be purchased to effectively hedge a position or a portfolio against price declines if a portfolio is long. In the same sense, call options can be purchased to hedge a portfolio that is shorter than its benchmark against price changes. The Trust can also sell (or write) covered call options and put options to hedge portfolio positions.

The main risk that is associated with purchasing options is that the option expires without being exercised. In this case, the option expires worthless and the premium paid for the option is considered the loss. The risk associated with writing call options is that the Trust may forego the opportunity for a profit if the market value of the underlying position increases and the option is exercised. The risk in writing put options is that the Trust may incur a loss if the market value of the underlying position decreases and the option is exercised. In addition, as with futures contracts, the Trust risks not being able to enter into a closing transaction for the written option as the result of an illiquid market.

INTEREST RATE SWAPS: In an interest rate swap, one investor pays a floating rate of interest on a notional principal amount and receives a fixed rate of interest on the same notional principal amount for a specified period of time. Alternatively, an investor may pay a fixed rate and receive a floating rate. Interest rate swaps are efficient as asset/liability management tools. In more complex swaps, the notional principal amount may decline (or amortize) over

time.

During the term of the swap, changes in the value of the swap are recognized as unrealized gains or losses by "marking-to-market" to reflect the market value of the swap. When the swap is terminated, the Trust will record a realized gain or loss equal to the difference between the proceeds from (or cost of) the closing transaction and the Trust's basis in the contract, if any.

The Trust is exposed to credit loss in the event of non-performance by the other party to the swap. However, the Trust closely monitors swaps and does not anticipate non-performance by any counterparty.

**SWAP OPTIONS:** Swap options are similar to options on securities except that instead of selling or purchasing the right to buy or sell a security, the writer or purchaser of the swap option is granting or buying the right to enter into a previously agreed upon interest rate swap agreement at any time before the expiration of the option. Premiums received or paid from writing or purchasing options are recorded as liabilities or assets and are subsequently adjusted to the current market value of the option written or purchased. Premiums received or paid from writing or purchasing options which expire unexercised are treated by the Trust on the expiration date as realized gains or losses. The difference between the premium and the amount paid or received on effecting a closing purchase or sale transaction, including brokerage commission, is also treated as a realized gain or loss. If an option is exercised, the premium paid or received is added to the proceeds from the sale or cost of the purchase in determining whether the Trust has realized a gain or loss on investment transactions.

The main risk that is associated with purchasing swap options is that the swap option expires without being exercised. In this case, the option expires worthless and the premium paid for the swap option is considered the loss. The main risk that is associated with the writing of a swap option is the market risk of an unfavorable change in the value of the interest rate swap underlying the written swap option.

Swap options may be used by the Trust to manage the duration of the Trust's portfolio in a manner similar to more generic options described above.

**INTEREST RATE CAPS:** Interest rate caps are similar to interest rate swaps, except that one party agrees to pay a fee, while the other party pays the excess, if any, of a floating rate over a specified fixed or floating rate.

Interest rate caps are intended to both manage the duration of the Trust's portfolio and its exposure to changes in short term rates. Owning interest rate caps reduces the portfolio's duration, making it less sensitive to changes in interest rates from a market value perspective. The effect on income involves protection from rising short term rates, which the Trust experiences primarily in the form of leverage.

The Trust is exposed to credit loss in the event of non-performance by the other party to the interest rate cap. However, the Trust does not anticipate non-performance by any counterparty.

Transactions fees paid or received by the Trust are recognized as assets or liabilities and amortized or accreted into interest expense or income over the life of the interest rate cap. The asset or liability is subsequently adjusted to the current market value of the interest rate cap purchased or sold. Changes in the value of the interest rate cap are recognized as unrealized gains and losses.

**INTEREST RATE FLOORS:** Interest rate floors are similar to interest rate swaps, except that one party agrees to pay a fee, while the other party pays the deficiency, if any, of a floating rate under a specified fixed or floating rate.

Interest rate floors are used by the Trust to both manage the duration of the portfolio and its exposure to changes in short-term interest rates. Selling interest rate floors reduces the portfolio's duration, making it less sensitive to changes in interest rates from a market value perspective. The Trust's leverage provides

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extra income in a period of falling rates. Selling floors reduces some of that advantage by partially monetizing it as an up front payment which the Trust receives.

The Trust is exposed to credit loss in the event of non-performance by the other party to the interest rate floor. However, the Trust does not anticipate non-performance by any counterparty.

Transactions fees paid or received by the Trust are recognized as assets or liabilities and amortized or accreted into interest expense or income over the life of the interest rate floor. The asset or liability is subsequently adjusted to the current market value of the interest rate floor purchased or sold. Changes in the value of the interest rate floor are recognized as unrealized gains and losses.

**FINANCIAL FUTURES CONTRACTS:** A futures contract is an agreement between two parties to buy and sell a financial instrument for a set price on a future date. Initial margin deposits are made upon entering into futures contracts and can be either cash or securities. During the period the futures contract is open, changes in the value of the contract are recognized as unrealized gains or losses by "marking-to-market" on a daily basis to reflect the market value of the contract at the end of each day's trading. Variation margin payments are made or received, depending upon whether unrealized gains or losses are incurred. When the contract is closed, the Trust records a realized gain or loss equal to the difference between the proceeds from (or cost of) the closing transaction and the Trust's basis in the contract.

Financial futures contracts, when used by the Trust, help in maintaining a targeted duration. Futures contracts can be sold to effectively shorten an otherwise longer duration portfolio. In the same sense, futures contracts can be purchased to lengthen a portfolio that is shorter than its duration target. Thus, by buying or selling futures contracts, the Trust can effectively "hedge" more volatile positions so that changes in interest rates do not change the duration of the portfolio unexpectedly.

The Trust may invest in financial futures contracts primarily for the purpose of hedging its existing portfolio securities or securities the Trust intends to purchase against fluctuations in value caused by changes in prevailing market interest rates. Should interest rates move unexpectedly, the Trust may not achieve the anticipated benefits of the financial futures contracts and may realize a loss. The use of futures transactions involves the risk of imperfect correlation in movements in the price of futures contracts, interest rates and the underlying hedged assets. The Trust is also at risk of not being able to enter into a closing transaction for the futures contract because of an illiquid secondary market. In addition, since futures are used to shorten or lengthen a portfolio's duration, there is a risk that the portfolio may have temporarily performed better without the hedge or that the Trust may lose the opportunity to realize appreciation in the market price of the underlying positions.

**SHORT SALES:** The Trust may make short sales of securities as a method of hedging potential price declines in similar securities owned. When the Trust makes a short sale, it may borrow the security sold short and deliver it to the broker-dealer through which it made the short sale as collateral for its obligation to deliver the security upon conclusion of the sale. The Trust may have to pay a fee to borrow the particular securities and may be obligated to pay over any payments received on such borrowed securities. A gain, limited to the price at which the Trust sold the security short, or a loss, unlimited as to dollar amount, will be recognized upon the termination of a short sale if the market price is greater or less than the proceeds originally received.

**SECURITIES LENDING:** The Trust may lend its portfolio securities to qualified institutions. The loans are secured by collateral at least equal, at all times, to the market value of the securities loaned. The Trust may bear the risk of delay in recovery of, or even loss of rights in, the securities loaned should the borrower of the securities fail financially. The Trust receives compensation for lending its securities in the form of interest on the loan. The Trust also continues to receive interest on the securities loaned, and any gain or loss in the market price of the securities loaned that may occur during the term of the loan will be for the account of the Trust.

**SECURITIES TRANSACTIONS AND INVESTMENT INCOME:** Securities transactions are recorded on the trade date. Realized and unrealized gains and losses are calculated on the identified cost basis. Interest income is recorded on the accrual basis and the Trust accretes discount or amortizes premium on securities purchased using the interest method.

**SEGREGATION:** In cases in which the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended and the interpretive positions of the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") require that the Trust segregate assets in connection with certain Trust investments (e.g., when issued securities, reverse repurchase agreements or futures contracts), the Trust will, consistent with certain interpretive letters issued by the SEC, designate on its books and records cash or other liquid debt securities having a market value at least equal to the amount that would otherwise be required to be physically segregated.

**FEDERAL INCOME TAXES:** It is the Trust's intention to continue to meet the requirements of the Internal Revenue Code applicable to regulated investment companies and to distribute sufficient amounts of its taxable income to shareholders. Therefore, no

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Federal income tax provision is required. As part of a tax planning strategy, the Trust intends to retain a portion of its taxable income and pay an excise tax on the undistributed amounts.

**DIVIDENDS AND DISTRIBUTIONS:** The Trust declares and pays dividends and distributions monthly first from net investment income, then from realized short-term capital gains and other sources, if necessary. Net long-term capital gains, if any, in excess of loss carryforwards may be distributed annually. Dividends and distributions are recorded on the ex-dividend date.

Income distributions and capital gain distributions are determined in accordance with income tax regulations which may differ from accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

**ESTIMATES:** The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting

principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

DEFERRED COMPENSATION PLAN: Under a deferred compensation plan approved by the Board of Directors on February 24, 2000, non-interested Directors may elect to defer receipt of all or a portion of their annual compensation.

Deferred amounts earn a return as though equivalent dollar amounts had been invested in common shares of other BlackRock funds selected by the Directors. This has the same economic effect as if the Directors had invested the deferred amounts in such other BlackRock funds.

The deferred compensation plan is not funded and obligations thereunder represent general unsecured claims against the general assets of the Trust. The Trust may, however, elect to invest in common shares of those funds selected by the Directors in order to match its deferred compensation obligations.

#### NOTE 2. AGREEMENTS

The Trust has an Investment Advisory Agreement with BlackRock Advisors, Inc. (the "Advisor"), which is a wholly-owned subsidiary of BlackRock, Inc., which in turn is an indirect, majority-owned subsidiary of PNC Financial Services Group, Inc. The Trust has an Administration Agreement with Princeton Administrators, L.P. (the "Administrator"), an indirect wholly-owned affiliate of Merrill Lynch & Co., Inc.

The investment advisory fee paid to the Advisor is computed weekly and payable monthly at an annual rate of 0.55% of the Trust's average weekly net assets. The total dollar amounts paid to the Advisor by the Trust under the Investment Advisory Agreement for the six months ended April 30, 2002 and the years ended October 31, 2001, 2000 and 1999 were \$128,294, \$241,016, \$218,030 and \$231,176, respectively. The administration fee paid to the Administrator is also computed weekly and payable monthly at an annual rate of 0.15% of the Trust's average weekly net assets. The total dollar amounts paid to the Administrator by the Trust under the Administration Agreement for the six months ended April 30, 2002 and the years ended October 31, 2001, 2000 and 1999 were \$34,989, \$65,732, \$59,463 and \$63,048, respectively.

Pursuant to the agreements, the Advisor provides continuous supervision of the investment portfolio and pays the compensation of officers of the Trust. The Administrator pays occupancy and certain clerical and accounting costs of the Trust. The Trust bears all other costs and expenses, which include reimbursements to the Advisor for certain operational support services provided to the Trust.

#### NOTE 3. PORTFOLIO SECURITIES

Purchases and sales of investment securities, other than short-term investments and dollar rolls, for the six months ended April 30, 2002 aggregated \$16,975,480 and \$7,236,612, respectively.

The Trust may from time to time purchase in the secondary market certain mortgage pass-through securities packaged or master serviced by affiliates or mortgage related securities containing loans or mortgages originated by PNC Bank or its affiliates, including Midland Loan Services, Inc. It is possible under certain circumstances, an affiliate of PNC or its affiliates, including Midland Loan Services, Inc. could have interests that are in conflict with the holders of these mortgage-backed securities, and such holders could have rights against

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an affiliate of PNC or its affiliates, including Midland Loan Services, Inc.

The Federal income tax basis of the Trust's investments at April 30, 2002 was \$65,301,568, and accordingly, net unrealized appreciation was \$3,202,739 (gross unrealized appreciation--\$4,869,301, gross unrealized depreciation--\$1,666,562).

For Federal income tax purposes, the Trust had a capital loss carryforward at October 31, 2001 of approximately \$1,031,000, of which \$806,000 expires in 2003 and \$225,000 expires in 2008. Accordingly, no capital gain distribution is expected to be paid to shareholders until net gains have been realized in excess of such amount.

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Details of open financial futures contracts at April 30, 2002 were as follows:

| NUMBER OF<br>CONTRACTS | TYPE                 | EXPIRATION<br>DATE | VALUE AT<br>TRADE<br>DATE | VALUE AT<br>APRIL 30,<br>2002 | UNREALIZED<br>APPRECIATION |
|------------------------|----------------------|--------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Long Position:<br>83   | 10-yr U.S.<br>T-Note | June '02           | \$8,530,453<br>=====      | \$8,761,687<br>=====          | \$231,234<br>=====         |

Transactions in options written during the period ended April 30, 2002, were as follows:

|   | NATIONAL<br>AMOUNT<br>(000) | PREMIUM<br>RECEIVED |
|---|-----------------------------|---------------------|
| Options outstanding at October 31, 2001             | --                          | --                  |
| Options written                                     | \$56,700                    | \$243,014           |
| Options terminated in closing purchase transactions | (31,700)                    | (124,264)           |
| Options outstanding at April 30, 2002               | \$25,000<br>=====           | \$118,750<br>=====  |

NOTE 4. BORROWINGS

REVERSE REPURCHASE AGREEMENTS: The Trust may enter into reverse repurchase agreements with qualified, third party broker-dealers as determined by and under the direction of the Trust's Board of Directors. Interest on the value of reverse repurchase agreements issued and outstanding is based upon competitive market rates at the time of issuance. At the time the Trust enters into a reverse repurchase agreement, it establishes and maintains a segregated account with the lender, containing liquid investment grade securities having a value not less than the repurchase price, including accrued interest of the reverse repurchase agreement.

The average daily balance of reverse repurchase agreements outstanding for the six months ended April 30, 2002 was approximately \$17,309,000 at a weighted average interest rate of approximately 1.87%. The maximum amount of reverse repurchase agreements outstanding at any month-end during the period was \$21,458,625 as of March 31, 2002 which was 27.9% of total assets.

DOLLAR ROLLS: The Trust may enter into dollar rolls in which the Trust sells

securities for delivery in the current month and simultaneously contracts to repurchase substantially similar (same type, coupon and maturity) securities on a specified future date. During the roll period the Trust forgoes principal and interest paid on the securities. The Trust will be compensated by the interest earned on the cash proceeds of the initial sale and by the lower repurchase price at the future date.

The Trust did not enter into any dollar roll transactions during the six months ended April 30, 2002.

NOTE 5. CAPITAL

There are 200 million shares of \$.01 par value common stock authorized. Of the 2,957,093 shares outstanding at April 30, 2002, the Advisor owned 7,093 shares.

NOTE 6. DIVIDENDS

Subsequent to April 30, 2002, the Board of Directors of the Trust declared dividends from undistributed earnings of \$.0625 per share payable May 31, 2002 to shareholders of record on May 15, 2002.

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THE BLACKROCK BROAD INVESTMENT GRADE 2009 TERM TRUST INC.  
DIVIDEND REINVESTMENT PLAN  
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Pursuant to the Trust's Dividend Reinvestment Plan (the "Plan"), shareholders may elect to have all distributions of dividends and capital gains reinvested by EquiServe Trust Company, N.A. (the "Plan Agent") in Trust shares pursuant to the Plan. Shareholders who do not participate in the Plan will receive all distributions in cash paid by check and mailed directly to the shareholders of record (or if the shares are held in street or other nominee name, then to the nominee) by the Plan Agent.

The Plan Agent serves as agent for the shareholders in administering the Plan. After the Trust declares a dividend or determines to make a capital gain distribution, the Plan Agent will, as agent for the participants, receive the cash payment and use it to buy Trust shares in the open market on the American Stock Exchange or elsewhere, for the participants' accounts. The Trust will not issue any new shares in connection with the Plan.

Participants in the Plan may withdraw from the Plan upon written notice to the Plan Agent and will receive certificates for whole Trust shares and a cash payment will be made for any fraction of a Trust share.

The Plan Agent's fees for the handling of the reinvestment of dividends and distributions will be paid by the Trust. However, each participant will pay a pro rata share of brokerage commissions incurred with respect to the Plan Agent's open market purchases in connection with the reinvestment of dividends and distributions. The automatic reinvestment of dividends and distributions will not relieve participants of any Federal, state or local income taxes that may be payable on such dividends or distributions.

The Trust reserves the right to amend or terminate the Plan as applied to any dividend or distribution paid subsequent to written notice of the change

sent to all shareholders of the Trust at least 90 days before the record date for the dividend or distribution. The Plan also may be amended or terminated by the Plan Agent upon at least 90 days' written notice to all shareholders of the Trust. All correspondence concerning the Plan should be directed to the Plan Agent at (800) 699-1BFM. The addresses are on the back of this report.

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 ADDITIONAL INFORMATION  
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There have been no material changes in the Trust's investment objectives or policies that have not been approved by the shareholders or to its charter or by-laws or in the principal risk factors associated with investment in the Trust. There have been no changes in the persons who are primarily responsible for the day-to-day management of the Trust's portfolio.

Quarterly performance and other information regarding the Trust may be found on BlackRock's website, which can be accessed at <http://www.blackrock.com/funds/cefunds.html>. This reference to BlackRock's website is intended to allow investors public access to quarterly information regarding the Trust and is not intended to incorporate BlackRock's website into this report.

The Annual Meeting of Trust Shareholders was held May 23, 2002 to vote on the following matter:

To elect three Directors as follows:

| DIRECTOR:                  | CLASS | TERM    | EXPIRING |
|----------------------------|-------|---------|----------|
| -----                      | ----- | -----   | -----    |
| Frank J. Fabozzi .....     | III   | 3 years | 2005     |
| Walter F. Mondale .....    | III   | 3 years | 2005     |
| Ralph L. Schlosstein ..... | III   | 3 years | 2005     |

Directors whose term of office continues beyond this meeting are Andrew F. Brimmer, Richard E. Cavanagh, Kent Dixon, Laurence D. Fink and James Clayburn La Force, Jr.

Shareholders elected the three Directors. The results of the voting were as follows:

|                            | VOTES FOR | VOTES AGAINST | ABSTENTIONS |
|----------------------------|-----------|---------------|-------------|
|                            | -----     | -----         | -----       |
| Frank J. Fabozzi .....     | 2,731,032 | --            | 38,835      |
| Walter F. Mondale .....    | 2,719,616 | --            | 50,251      |
| Ralph L. Schlosstein ..... | 2,731,115 | --            | 38,752      |

Laurence D. Fink, Chairman of the Trust's Board of Directors, and certain of the officers of the Trust listed on the cover of this Report to Shareholders, are also officers of the Advisor. They serve in the following capacities for the Advisor: Laurence D. Fink --Chief Executive Officer, Ralph L. Schlosstein--Director and President, Robert S. Kapito--Director and ViCE

Chairman, Henry Gabbay--Managing Director, and Anne Ackerley--Managing Director.

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THE BLACKROCK BROAD INVESTMENTGRADE2009 TERMTRUST INC.  
INVESTMENT SUMMARY  
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THE TRUST'S INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE

The BlackRock Broad Investment Grade 2009 Term Trust's investment objective is to manage a portfolio of fixed income securities that will return \$15 per share (the initial public offering price per share) to investors on or about December 31, 2009 while providing high monthly income.

WHO MANAGES THE TRUST?

BlackRock Advisors, Inc. (the "Advisor") manages the Trust. The Advisor is a wholly-owned subsidiary of BlackRock, Inc. ("BlackRock"), which is one of the largest publicly traded investment management firms in the United States with \$238 billion of assets under management as of March 31, 2002. BlackRock manages assets on behalf of institutional and individual investors worldwide through a variety of equity, fixed income, liquidity and alternative investment products, including the BLACKROCK FUNDS and BLACKROCK PROVIDENT INSTITUTIONAL FUNDS. In addition, BlackRock provides risk management advice and investment system services to a growing number of institutional investors under the BLACKROCK SOLUTIONS name. Clients are served from the Company's headquarters in New York City, as well as offices in Boston, Edinburgh, Hong Kong, San Francisco, Tokyo and Wilmington. BlackRock is a member of The PNC Financial Services Group (NYSE: PNC), and is majority-owned by PNC and by BlackRock employees.

WHAT CAN THE TRUST INVEST IN?

The Trust may invest in all fixed income securities rated investment grade or higher ("AAA", "AA", "A" or "BBB"). Examples of securities in which the Trust may invest include U.S. Government and government agency securities, zero coupon securities, mortgage-backed securities, corporate debt securities, asset-backed securities, U.S. dollar-denominated foreign debt securities and municipal securities. Under current market conditions, BlackRock expects that the primary investments of the Trust will be U.S. Government securities, securities backed by government agencies (such as mortgage-backed securities), corporate debt securities and privately issued mortgage-backed securities.

WHAT IS THE ADVISOR'S INVESTMENT STRATEGY?

The Advisor will seek to meet the Trust's investment objective by managing the assets of the Trust so as to return the initial offering price (\$15 per share) at maturity. The Advisor will implement a strategy that will seek to closely match the maturity of the assets of the portfolio with the future return of the initial investment on or about December 31, 2009. At the Trust's termination, BlackRock expects that the value of the securities which have matured, combined with the value of the securities that are sold will be sufficient to return the initial offering price to investors. On a continuous basis, the Trust will seek its objective by actively managing its assets in relation to market conditions,

interest rate changes and, importantly, the remaining term to maturity of the Trust.

In addition to seeking the return of the initial offering price, the Trust also seeks to provide monthly income to investors. The portfolio managers will attempt to achieve this objective by investing in securities that provide competitive income. In addition, leverage will be used (in an amount up to 33 1/3% of the total assets) to enhance the income of the portfolio. In order to maintain competitive yields as the Trust approaches maturity and depending on market conditions, the Advisor will attempt to purchase securities with call protection or projected maturities as close to the Trust's maturity date as possible. Securities with call protection should provide the portfolio with some degree of protection against reinvestment risk during times of lower prevailing interest rates. Since the Trust's primary goal is to return the initial offering price at maturity, any cash that the Trust receives prior to its maturity date (i.e. cash from early and regularly scheduled payments of principal on mortgage-backed securities) will be reinvested in securities with maturities which coincide with the remaining term of the Trust. Since shorter-term securities typically yield less than longer-term securities, this strategy will likely result in a decline in the Trust's income over time. However, the Advisor will attempt to maintain a yield which is competitive with a comparable maturity Treasury at the same point on the curve (i.e. if the Trust has three years left until its maturity, the Advisor will attempt to maintain a yield at a spread over a 3-year Treasury). It is important to note that the Trust will be managed so as to preserve the integrity of the return of the initial offering price.

HOW ARE THE TRUST'S SHARES PURCHASED AND SOLD? DOES THE TRUST PAY DIVIDENDS REGULARLY?

The Trust's shares are traded on the American Stock Exchange which provides investors with liquidity on a daily basis. Orders to buy or sell shares of the Trust must be placed through a registered broker or financial advisor. The Trust pays

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monthly dividends which are typically paid on the last business day of the month. For shares held in the shareholder's name, dividends may be reinvested in additional shares of the Trust through the Trust's transfer agent, EquiServe Trust Company, N.A. Investors who wish to hold shares in a brokerage account should check with their financial adviser to determine whether their brokerage firm offers dividend reinvestment services.

LEVERAGE CONSIDERATIONS IN THE TERM TRUST

Under current market conditions, leverage increases the income earned by the Trust. The Trust employs leverage primarily through the use of reverse repurchase agreements and dollar rolls. Leverage permits the Trust to borrow money at short-term rates and reinvest that money in longer-term assets which typically offer higher interest rates. The difference between the cost of the borrowed funds and the income earned on the proceeds that are invested in longer-term assets is the benefit to the Trust from leverage. In general, the portfolio is allowed to leverage at approximately 33 1/3% of total assets. Leverage also increases the duration (or price volatility of the net assets) of the Trust, which can improve the performance of the Trust in a declining rate environment, but can cause net assets to decline faster than the market in a rapidly rising rate environment. The Advisor's portfolio managers continuously monitor and regularly review the Trust's use of leverage and the Trust may reduce, or unwind, the amount of leverage employed should the Advisor consider

that reduction to be in the best interests of the shareholders.

SPECIAL CONSIDERATIONS AND RISK FACTORS RELEVANT TO TERM TRUSTS

THE TRUST IS INTENDED TO BE A LONG-TERM INVESTMENT AND IS NOT A SHORT-TERM TRADING VEHICLE.

RETURN OF INITIAL INVESTMENT. Although the objective of the Trust is to return its initial offering price upon termination, there can be no assurance that this objective will be achieved.

DIVIDEND CONSIDERATIONS. The income and dividends paid by the Trust are likely to decline to some extent over the term of the Trust due to the anticipated shortening of the dollar-weighted average maturity of the Trust's assets.

INTEREST-ONLY SECURITIES (IO). The yield to maturity on an IO class is extremely sensitive to the rate of principal payments (including prepayments) on the related underlying Mortgage Assets, and a rapid rate of principal payments may have a material adverse effect on such security's yield to maturity. If the underlying Mortgage Assets experience greater than anticipated prepayments of principal, the Trust may fail to recoup fully its initial investment in these securities even if the securities are rated AAA by S&P or Aaa by Moody's.

INVERSE FLOATING RATE MORTGAGE-BACKED SECURITIES. ARMs with interest rates that adjust at periodic intervals in the opposite direction from the market rate of interest to which they are indexed. An inverse floater may be considered to be leveraged to the extent that its interest rate may vary by a magnitude that exceeds the magnitude of the change in the index rate of interest.

LEVERAGE. The Trust utilizes leverage through reverse repurchase agreements and dollar rolls, which involves special risks. The Trust's net asset value and market value may be more volatile due to its use of leverage.

MARKET PRICE OF SHARES. The shares of closed-end investment companies such as the Trust trade on the American Stock Exchange (AMEX symbol: BCT) and as such are subject to supply and demand influences. As a result, shares may trade at a discount or a premium to their net asset value.

MORTGAGE-BACKED AND ASSET-BACKED SECURITIES. The cash flow and yield characteristics of these securities differ from traditional debt securities. The major differences typically include more frequent payments and the possibility of prepayments which will change the yield to maturity of the security.

CORPORATE DEBT SECURITIES. The value of corporate debt securities generally varies inversely with changes in prevailing market interest rates. The Trust may be subject to certain reinvestment risks in environments of declining interest rates.

ZERO COUPON SECURITIES. Such securities receive no cash flows prior to maturity; therefore, interim price movement on the securities are generally more sensitive to interest rate movements than securities that make periodic coupon payments. These securities appreciate in value over time and can play an important role in helping the Trust achieve its primary objectives.

ILLIQUID SECURITIES. The Trust may invest in securities that are illiquid, although under current market conditions the Trust expects to do so to only a limited extent. These securities involve special risks.

NON-U.S. SECURITIES. The Trust may invest up to 10% of its total assets in non-U.S. dollar-denominated securities which involve special risks such as currency, political and economic risks, although under current market conditions the Trust does not do so.

ANTITAKEOVER PROVISIONS. Certain antitakeover provisions will make a change in the Trust's business or management more difficult without the approval of the Trust's Board of Directors and may have the effect of depriving shareholders of an opportunity to sell their shares at a premium above the prevailing market price.

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THE BLACKROCK BROAD INVESTMENT GRADE 2009 TERM TRUST INC.  
GLOSSARY  
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ADJUSTABLE RATE MORTGAGE-  
BACKED SECURITIES (ARMS): Mortgage instruments with interest rates that adjust at periodic intervals at a fixed amount over the market levels of interest rates as reflected in specified indexes. ARMS are backed by mortgage loans secured by real property.

ASSET-BACKED SECURITIES: Securities backed by various types of receivables such as automobile and credit card receivables.

CLOSED-END FUND: Investment vehicle which initially offers a fixed number of shares and trades on a stock exchange. The Trust invests in a portfolio of securities in accordance with its stated investment objectives and policies.

COLLATERALIZED MORTGAGE  
OBLIGATIONS (CMOs): Mortgage-backed securities which separate mortgage pools into short-, medium-, and long-term securities with different priorities for receipt of principal and interest. Each class is paid a fixed or floating rate of interest at regular intervals. Also known as multiple-class mortgage pass-throughs.

COMMERCIAL MORTGAGE  
BACKED SECURITIES (CMBS): Mortgage-backed securities secured or backed by mortgage loans on commercial properties.

DISCOUNT: When a Trust's net asset value is greater than its market price the Trust is said to be trading at a discount.

DIVIDEND: Income generated by securities in a portfolio and distributed to shareholders after the deduction of expenses. This Trust declares and pays dividends on a monthly basis.

DIVIDEND REINVESTMENT: Shareholders may elect to have all dividends and distributions of capital gains automatically reinvested into additional shares of the Trust.

FHA: Federal Housing Administration, a government agency that facilitates a secondary mortgage market by providing an agency that guarantees timely payment of interest and principal on mortgages.

FHLMC: Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation, a publicly

owned, federally chartered corporation that facilitates a secondary mortgage market by purchasing mortgages from lenders such as savings institutions and reselling them to investors by means of mortgage-backed securities. Obligations of FHLMC are not guaranteed by the U.S. Government, however; they are backed by FHLMC's authority to borrow from the U.S. Government. Also known as Freddie Mac.

**FNMA:** Federal National Mortgage Administration, a publicly owned, federally chartered corporation that facilitates a secondary mortgage market by purchasing mortgages from lenders such as savings institutions and reselling them to investors by means of mortgage-backed securities. Obligations of FNMA are not guaranteed by the U.S. Government, however; they are backed by FNMA's authority to borrow from the U.S. Government. Also known as Fannie Mae.

**GNMA:** Government National Mortgage Association, a U.S. Government agency that facilitates a secondary mortgage market by providing an agency that guarantees timely payment of interest and principal on mortgages. GNMA's obligations are supported by the full faith and credit of the U.S. Treasury. Also known as Ginnie Mae.

**GOVERNMENT SECURITIES:** Securities issued or guaranteed by the U.S. Government, or one of its agencies or instrumentalities, such as GNMA, FNMA and FHLMC.

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**INTEREST-ONLY SECURITIES:** Mortgage securities including CMBS that receive only the interest cash flows from an underlying pool of mortgage loans or underlying pass-through securities. Also known as a strip.

**INVERSE-FLOATING RATE MORTGAGE:** Mortgage instruments with coupons that adjust at periodic intervals according to a formula which sets inversely with a market level interest rate index.

**MARKET PRICE:** Price per share of a security trading in the secondary market. For a closed-end Trust, this is the price at which one share of the Trust trades on the stock exchange. If you were to buy or sell shares, you would pay or receive the market price.

**MORTGAGE DOLLAR ROLLS:** A mortgage dollar roll is a transaction in which the Trust sells mortgage-backed securities for delivery in the current month and simultaneously contracts to repurchase substantially similar (although not the same) securities on a specified future date. During the "roll" period, the Trust does not receive principal and interest payments on the securities, but is compensated for giving up these payments by the difference in the current sales price (for which the security is sold) and lower price that the Trust

pays for the similar security at the end date as well as the interest earned on the cash proceeds of the initial sale.

MORTGAGE PASS-THROUGHS: Mortgage-backed securities issued by Fannie Mae, Freddie Mac or Ginnie Mae.

NET ASSET VALUE (NAV): Net asset value is the total market value of all securities and other assets held by the Trust, including income accrued on its investments, minus any liabilities including accrued expenses, divided by the total number of outstanding shares. It is the underlying value of a single share on a given day. Net asset value for the Trust is calculated weekly and published in BARRON'S on Saturday and THE WALL STREET JOURNAL on Monday.

PRINCIPAL-ONLY SECURITIES: Mortgage securities that receive only the principal cash flows from an underlying pool of mortgage loans or underlying pass-through securities. Also known as strips.

PROJECT LOANS: Mortgages for multi-family, low- to middle-income housing.

PREMIUM: When a Trust's market price is greater than its net asset value, the Trust is said to be trading at a premium.

REMIC: A real estate mortgage investment conduit is a multiple-class security backed by mortgage-backed securities or whole mortgage loans and formed as a trust, corporation, partnership, or segregated pool of assets that elects to be treated as a REMIC for federal tax purposes. Generally, FNMA REMICs are formed as trusts and are backed by mortgage-backed securities.

RESIDUALS: Securities issued in connection with collateralized mortgage obligations that generally represent the excess cash flow from the mortgage assets underlying the CMO after payment of principal and interest on the other CMO securities and related administrative expenses.

REVERSE REPURCHASE AGREEMENTS: In a reverse repurchase agreement, the Trust sells securities and agrees to repurchase them at a mutually agreed date and price. During this time, the Trust continues to receive the principal and interest payments from that security. At the end of the term, the Trust receives the same securities that were sold for the same initial dollar amount plus interest on the cash proceeds of the initial sale.

STRIPPED MORTGAGE-BACKED SECURITIES: Arrangements in which a pool of assets is separated into two classes that receive different proportions of the interest and principal distributions from underlying mortgage-backed securities. IO's and PO's are examples of strips.

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