

Kayne Anderson MLP Investment Company Provides Unaudited Balance Sheet Information and Announces its Net Asset Value and Asset Coverage Ratios at January 31, 2013

Houston, TX – February 1, 2013 – Kayne Anderson MLP Investment Company (the “Company”) (NYSE: KYN) today provided a summary unaudited statement of assets and liabilities and announced its net asset value and asset coverage ratios under the Investment Company Act of 1940 (the “1940 Act”) as of January 31, 2013.

As of January 31, 2013, the Company’s net assets were \$2.7 billion, and its net asset value per share was \$30.90. As of January 31, 2013, the Company’s asset coverage ratio under the 1940 Act with respect to senior securities representing indebtedness was 421% and the Company’s asset coverage ratio under the 1940 Act with respect to total leverage (debt and preferred stock) was 304%.

Kayne Anderson MLP Investment Company
Statement of Assets and Liabilities
January 31, 2013
(Unaudited)

	(in millions)	Per Share
Investments	\$ 4,861.2	\$ 54.85
Cash	1.4	0.02
Deposits	0.3	-
Accrued income	29.2	0.33
Receivable for securities sold	17.2	0.19
Other assets	10.3	0.12
Total assets	<u>4,919.6</u>	<u>55.51</u>
Credit facility borrowings	78.0	0.88
Senior notes	890.0	10.04
Preferred stock	374.0	4.22
Total leverage	<u>1,342.0</u>	<u>15.14</u>
Payable for securities purchased	11.3	0.13
Deferred tax liability	809.2	9.13
Other liabilities	19.0	0.21
Total liabilities	<u>839.5</u>	<u>9.47</u>
Net assets	<u>\$ 2,738.1</u>	<u>\$ 30.90</u>

The Company had 88.62 million common shares outstanding as of January 31, 2013.

Long-term investments were comprised of Midstream MLP (79%), General Partner MLP (6%), Shipping MLP (4%), Upstream MLP & Income Trust (3%), Midstream (5%) and Other (3%).

The Company's ten largest holdings by issuer at January 31, 2013 were:

	Units (in thousands)	Amount (\$ millions)	Percent of Long-Term Investments
1. Enterprise Products Partners L.P. (Midstream MLP)	7,674	434.9	8.9%
2. Plains All American Pipeline, L.P. (Midstream MLP)	6,852	361.1	7.4%
3. Kinder Morgan Management, LLC (Midstream MLP)	4,307	355.2	7.3%
4. MarkWest Energy Partners, L.P. (Midstream MLP)	4,948	273.2	5.6%
5. El Paso Pipeline Partners, L.P. (Midstream MLP)	5,130	213.7	4.4%
6. Energy Transfer Equity, L.P. (General Partner MLP)	4,119	208.3	4.3%
7. Williams Partners L.P. (Midstream MLP)	3,957	200.8	4.1%
8. Regency Energy Partners LP (Midstream MLP)	7,613	188.2	3.9%
9. ONEOK Partners, L.P. (Midstream MLP)	2,868	170.9	3.5%
10. Enbridge Energy Partners, L.P. (Midstream MLP)	5,670	170.0	3.5%

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Kayne Anderson MLP Investment Company is a non-diversified, closed-end management investment company registered under the Investment Company Act of 1940, whose common stock is traded on the NYSE. The Company's investment objective is to obtain a high after-tax total return by investing at least 85% of its total assets in energy-related master limited partnerships and their affiliates (collectively, "MLPs"), and in other companies that, as their principal business, operate assets used in the gathering, transporting, processing, storing, refining, distributing, mining or marketing natural gas, natural gas liquids (including propane), crude oil, refined petroleum products or coal.

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