## Kayne Anderson MLP Investment Company

## Kayne Anderson MLP Investment Company Provides Unaudited Balance Sheet Information and Announces its Net Asset Value and Asset Coverage Ratios at June 30, 2009

Houston, TX – July 1, 2009 – Kayne Anderson MLP Investment Company (the "Company") (NYSE: KYN) today provided a summary unaudited balance sheet and announced its net asset value and asset coverage ratios under the Investment Company Act of 1940 (the "1940 Act") as of June 30, 2009.

As of June 30, 2009, the Company's net assets were \$756 million and its net asset value per share was \$16.86. As of June 30, 2009, the Company's asset coverage ratio under the 1940 Act with respect to senior securities representing indebtedness was 373% and the Company's asset coverage ratio under the 1940 Act with respect to total leverage (debt and preferred stock) was 299%.

## Kayne Anderson MLP Investment Company Balance Sheet June 30, 2009 (Unaudited)

(in millions)				
Investments	\$	1,080.1		
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Repurchase agreements and cash				
Deposits (1)		21.8		
Net deferred tax asset <sup>(1)</sup>		18.7		
Accrued income		1.7		
Receivable for securities sold		8.7		
Other assets		2.7		
Total assets		1,145.2		
Short-term borrowings		-		
Senior notes		304.0		
Preferred stock		75.0		
Total leverage		379.0		
Payable for securities purchased		7.6		
Other liabilities		3.1		
Total liabilities		10.7		
Net assets	\$	755.5		

44.8 million common shares currently outstanding

(1) The Company had no valuation allowance at June 30, 2009

Long-term investments were comprised of Midstream MLPs (64%), General Partner MLPs (13%), MLP Affiliates (10%), Propane MLPs (7%), Shipping MLPs (3%), Coal MLPs (1%), Upstream MLPs (1%), and Other (1%).

The Company's ten largest holdings by issuer at June 30, 2009 were:

		Units/Par (\$) (in thousands)	Amount (\$ millions)	Long-Term Investments
1.	Plains All American Pipeline, L.P. (Midstream MLP)	2,876	122.4	11.3%
2.	Enterprise Products Partners L.P. (Midstream MLP)	3,731	93.1	8.6%
3.	Kinder Morgan Management, LLC (MLP Affiliate)	1,829	82.6	7.7%
4.	Inergy, L.P. (Propane MLP)	3,163	80.6	7.5%
5.	Energy Transfer Partners, L.P. (Midstream MLP)	1,942	78.6	7.3%
6.	Magellan Midstream Holdings, L.P. (General Partner MLP)	2,916	61.2	5.7%
7.	Copano Energy, L.L.C. (Midstream MLP)	3,450	55.4	5.1%
8.	MarkWest Energy Partners, L.P. (Midstream MLP)	2,526 / \$8,295	53.1	4.9%
9.	Enbridge Energy Partners L.P. (Midstream MLP)	1,201	46.3	4.3%
10.	Energy Transfer Equity, L.P. (Midstream MLP)	1,794	45.5	4.2%

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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, 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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