

hearing by writing to the SEC's Secretary and serving applicant with a copy of the request, personally or by mail. Hearing requests should be received by the SEC by 5:30 p.m. on May 15, 1995, and should be accompanied by proof of service on applicant, in the form of an affidavit or, for lawyers, a certificate of service. Hearing requests should state the nature of the writer's interest, the reason for the request, and the issues contested. Persons may request notification of a hearing by writing to the SEC's Secretary.

**ADDRESSES:** Secretary, SEC, 450 5th Street, NW., Washington, DC 20549. Applicant, 388 Greenwich Street, New York, New York 10013.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Elaine M. Boggs, Staff Attorney, at (202) 942-0572, or C. David Messman, Branch Chief, at (202) 942-0564 (Division of Investment Management, Office of Investment Company Regulation).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The following is a summary of the application. The complete application may be obtained for a fee at the SEC's Public Reference Branch.

#### Applicant's Representations

1. Applicant is an open-end management investment company that was organized as a corporation under the laws of Maryland. On March 24, 1980, applicant registered under the Act as an investment company, and filed a registration statement to register its shares under the Securities Act of 1933. The registration statement was declared effective on March 31, 1980, and the initial public offering commenced shortly thereafter.

2. On April 27, 1994 and May 25, 1994, applicant's board of trustees approved an agreement and plan of reorganization (the "Plan") between applicant and Smith Barney Money Funds, Inc.—Government Portfolio (the "Acquiring Fund")—a registered open-end management investment company. In addition, the board of trustees made the findings required by rule 17a-8 under the Act.<sup>1</sup>

3. On July 27, 1994, applicant mailed proxy materials to its shareholders. On

November 11, 1994, applicant's shareholders approved the reorganization at a special meeting of shareholders.

4. Pursuant to the Plan, on November 18, 1994, applicant transferred all of its assets to the Acquiring Fund in exchange for shares of the Acquiring Fund and the assumption by the Acquiring Fund of certain liabilities of applicant. Immediately thereafter, applicant liquidated and distributed *pro rata* to its shareholders the shares it received from the Acquiring Fund in the reorganization. On November 18, 1994, applicant had 3,137,812,379 shares outstanding, having an aggregate net asset value of \$3,137,185,387 and a per share net asset value of \$1.00.<sup>2</sup>

5. Expenses incurred in connection with the reorganization, consisting of accounting, printing, administrative, and legal expenses, totaled \$472,492. One half of the expenses were borne by the Fund's sponsor, Smith Barney Inc., and the remainder were divided between applicant and the Acquiring Fund based on relative net assets.

6. There are no security holders to whom distributions in complete liquidation of their interests have not been made. Applicant has no debts or other liabilities that remain outstanding. Applicant is not a party to any litigation or administrative proceeding.

7. Applicant intends to file the appropriate notice of termination with Maryland authorities.

8. Applicant is not now engaged, nor does it propose to engage, in any business activities other than those necessary for the winding up of its affairs.

For the Commission, by the Division of Investment Management, pursuant to delegated authority.

**Margaret H. McFarland,**

*Deputy Secretary.*

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#### Smith Barney Daily Dividend Fund Inc.; Application

April 18, 1995.

**AGENCY:** Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC" or "Commission").

<sup>2</sup> Dividing the number of outstanding shares by the total net assets does not yield a precise figure of \$1.00 per share. This results from both the effect on the total net assets of realized gains and losses resulting from the sale of portfolio securities prior to their stated maturity and the effect of penny rounding.

**ACTION:** Notice of application for deregistration under the Investment Company Act of 1940 (the "Act").

**APPLICANT:** Smith Barney Daily Dividend Fund Inc.

**RELEVANT ACT SECTION:** Section 8(f).

**SUMMARY OF APPLICATION:** Applicant seeks an order declaring that it has ceased to be an investment company.

**FILING DATE:** The application was filed on February 22, 1995 and amended on April 5, 1995.

**HEARING OR NOTIFICATION OF HEARING:** An order granting the application will be issued unless the SEC orders a hearing. Interested persons may request a hearing by writing to the SEC's Secretary and serving applicant with a copy of the request, personally or by mail. Hearing requests should be received by the SEC by 5:30 p.m. on May 15, 1995, and should be accompanied by proof of service on applicant, in the form of an affidavit or, for lawyers, a certificate of service. Hearing requests should state the nature of the writer's interest, the reason for the request, and the issues contested. Persons may request notification of a hearing by writing to the SEC's Secretary.

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#### Applicant's Representations

1. Applicant is an open-end management investment company that was organized as a corporation under the laws of Maryland. On March 20, 1979, applicant registered under the Act as an investment company, and filed a registration statement to register its shares under the Securities Act of 1933. The registration statement was declared effective on June 21, 1979, and the initial public offering commenced shortly thereafter.

2. On April 27, 1994 and May 25, 1994, applicant's board of trustees approved an agreement and plan of reorganization (the "Plan") between applicant and Smith Barney Money Funds, Inc.—Cash Portfolio (the "Acquiring Fund")—a registered open-

<sup>1</sup> Section 17(a) of the Act generally prohibits sales or purchases of securities between registered investment companies and any affiliated person of that company. Rule 17a-8 provides an exemption from section 17(a) for certain reorganizations among registered investment companies that may be affiliated persons, or affiliated persons of an affiliated person, solely by reason of having a common investment adviser, common directors, and/or common officers. Applicant and the Acquiring Fund were "affiliated persons" as defined in the Act solely by reason of having a common investment adviser.