

COHEN & STEERS QUALITY INCOME REALTY FUND INC  
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Washington, D.C. 20549

**FORM N-CSR**

**CERTIFIED SHAREHOLDER REPORT OF REGISTERED MANAGEMENT**

**INVESTMENT COMPANIES**

Investment Company Act File Number: 811-10481

**Cohen & Steers Quality Income Realty Fund, Inc.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

280 Park Avenue, New York, NY 10017

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip code)

Francis C. Poli

Cohen & Steers Capital Management, Inc.

280 Park Avenue

New York, New York 10017

(Name and address of agent for service)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (212) 832-3232

Date of fiscal year end: December 31

Date of reporting period: December 31, 2017

**Item 1. Reports to Stockholders.**

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**COHEN & STEERS QUALITY INCOME REALTY FUND, INC.**

To Our Shareholders:

We would like to share with you our report for the year ended December 31, 2017. The total returns for the Fund and its comparative benchmarks were:

|   | Six Months Ended<br>December 31, 2017 | Year Ended<br>December 31, 2017 |
|---|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Cohen & Steers Quality Income Realty Fund at Net Asset Value <sup>a</sup>                                       | 3.61%                                 | 9.18%                           |
| Cohen & Steers Quality Income Realty Fund at Market Value <sup>a</sup>  | 4.33%                                 | 11.69%                          |
| FTSE NAREIT Equity REIT Index <sup>b</sup>  | 2.46%                                 | 5.23%                           |
| Blended Benchmark 80% FTSE NAREIT Equity REIT Index/20% ICE BofAML REIT Preferred Securities Index <sup>b</sup> | 2.45%                                 | 6.84%                           |
| S&P 500 Index <sup>b</sup>  | 11.42%                                | 21.83%                          |

*The performance data quoted represent past performance. Past performance is no guarantee of future results. The investment return and the principal value of an investment will fluctuate and shares, if sold, may be worth more or less than their original cost. Current performance may be lower or higher than the performance data quoted.*

*Performance results reflect the effects of leverage, resulting from borrowings under a credit agreement. Current total returns of the Fund can be obtained by visiting our website at [cohenandsteers.com](http://cohenandsteers.com). The Fund's returns assume the reinvestment of all dividends and distributions at prices obtained under the Fund's dividend reinvestment plan. Index performance does not reflect the deduction of any fees, taxes or expenses. An investor cannot invest directly in an index. Performance figures for periods shorter than one year are not annualized.*

#### Managed Distribution Policy

Cohen & Steers Quality Income Realty Fund, Inc. (the Fund), acting in accordance with an exemptive order received from the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) and with approval of its Board of Directors (the Board), adopted a managed distribution policy under which the Fund intends to include long-term capital gains, where applicable, as part of the regular monthly cash distributions to its shareholders (the Plan). The Plan gives the Fund greater flexibility to realize long-term capital gains and to distribute those gains on a regular monthly basis. In accordance with the Plan, the Fund currently distributes \$0.08 per share on a monthly basis.

<sup>a</sup> As a closed-end investment company, the price of the Fund's exchange-traded shares will be set by market forces and can deviate from the net asset value (NAV) per share of the Fund.

<sup>b</sup> The FTSE NAREIT Equity REIT Index contains all tax-qualified real estate investment trusts (REITs) except timber and infrastructure REITs with more than 50% of total assets in qualifying real estate assets other than mortgages secured by real property that also meet minimum size and liquidity criteria. The ICE BofAML REIT Preferred Securities Index tracks the performance of fixed-rate U.S. dollar-denominated preferred securities issued in the U.S.

domestic market including all REITs. The S&P 500 Index is an unmanaged index of 500 large-capitalization stocks that is frequently used as a general measure of U.S. stock market performance.

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The Fund may pay distributions in excess of the Fund's investment company taxable income and net realized gains. This excess would be a return of capital distributed from the Fund's assets. Distributions of capital decrease the Fund's total assets and, therefore, could have the effect of increasing the Fund's expense ratio. In addition, in order to make these distributions, the Fund may have to sell portfolio securities at a less than opportune time.

Shareholders should not draw any conclusions about the Fund's investment performance from the amount of these distributions or from the terms of the Fund's Plan. The Fund's total return based on NAV is presented in the table above as well as in the Financial Highlights table.

The Plan provides that the Board may amend or terminate the Plan at any time without prior notice to Fund shareholders; however, at this time, there are no reasonably foreseeable circumstances that might cause the termination. The termination of the Plan could have the effect of creating a trading discount (if the Fund's stock is trading at or above NAV) or widening an existing trading discount.

### Market Review

U.S. real estate benefited from an improving economy in 2017, which drove demand for nearly all types of property and pushed occupancy rates in many markets to near-record levels. REIT balance sheets were generally in strong shape and companies continued to access capital at historically attractive levels. And although new supply became a greater factor in some sectors, it generally remained consistent with long-term averages.

Despite these strong fundamental conditions, REITs trailed the broader stock market by a wide margin amid concerns over rising interest rates and the growing challenges facing retail landlords. The disparity in returns resulted in a widening gap in REIT valuations relative to equities: REIT earnings multiples remained relatively stable, ending 2017 at the low end of their five-year range, while those of the broader equity market expanded materially, climbing to a five-year high.

Toward the end of the year, investors turned their focus to sweeping tax cuts, signed into law on December 22, 2017, adding fuel to an already healthy U.S. economy. Because REITs pay little to no taxes, they are expected to see little direct benefit from a lower corporate tax rate. However, we believe REITs held outside of U.S. open-end funds, closed-end funds, exchange-traded funds (ETFs) and unit investment trusts gained added investor appeal due to a new 20% deduction on pass-through income, reducing the effective tax rate on REIT income distributions. Additionally, lower taxes offered the prospect of a stronger business environment and increased consumer spending that could benefit overall demand for real estate.

REIT preferred securities outpaced real estate common shares and most classes of fixed income in the period, rising 13.4% as measured by the ICE BofAML REIT Preferred Securities Index. Supported by economic growth, REIT credit fundamentals generally improved amid strong demand and relatively limited new supply across most property types.

### *Fund Performance*

The Fund had a positive total return for the year and outperformed its blended benchmark on both a NAV and market price basis. Performance during the year varied significantly among different property sectors, with e-commerce trends having a major influence on REIT returns, weighing on retail sectors while lifting REITs that provide infrastructure for the digital ecosystem.



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Data centers were among the strongest performers, as the continued adoption of cloud computing and rising digital media consumption increased the need for data storage and computing power. Our overweight in data centers was an important contributor to the Fund's relative performance. The Fund also had an out-of-index allocation to cell tower REITs, which enjoyed substantial gains due to demand for faster mobile networks and more bandwidth. Late in the period, tower companies were aided by news that Sprint would not seek to merge with T-Mobile, positioning it to become a stronger standalone entity that will need to spend more to build out its network.

Industrial warehouse companies also benefited from e-commerce growth, which has prompted the need for better logistics capabilities close to population centers that enable rapid and cheap delivery of goods to stores and consumers. However, the Fund was underweight the sector based on our view that its growth story was well known and near-term valuations had become stretched.

Regional malls struggled amid soft year-over-year sales comparisons for major brick-and-mortar retailers, department store closings and tenant bankruptcies. The Fund's underweight allocation and favorable stock selection in the sector aided relative performance. The Fund's exposure was concentrated in owners of high-quality regional malls that ended the year largely unchanged. The stocks recovered from earlier losses as bids for GGP and Australia's Westfield, both of which own Class A malls in the U.S., boosted expectations that activist investors could target other higher-quality companies in the sector. We chose not to own lower-tier mall companies, which lagged far behind on continuing concerns about future occupancy rates and capital expenditure requirements.

Shopping centers also declined on tenant bankruptcies, increasing vacancies and downward pressure on rents. Investors were also concerned that grocery store anchor tenants may face competition from Amazon's entry into the space. Our underweight and stock selection in the sector contributed to relative performance, as we largely avoided the weakest stocks in the sector.

Hotels, which are levered to business travel and spending, rose on the improving economic outlook. The Fund held overweight positions in several companies, including Pebblebrook Hotel Trust and Host Hotels & Resorts, both of which outperformed on healthy fundamentals.

Among residential sectors, manufactured homes and single family homes for rent benefited from the improving job market and favorable supply-demand trends. Essentially no new supply has been created in either sector in recent years, while demand has been increasing. Our stock selection and overweight in single family homes contributed to relative performance, including an overweight position in Starwood Waypoint Homes, which rose on its merger with Invitation Homes, creating a combined company with 82,000 homes in its rental portfolio. The Fund's overweight in manufactured homes also contributed to relative performance.

Apartments also generally benefited from an improving job market and expensive coastal housing markets. However, our stock selection and overweight in the sector detracted from relative performance, due primarily to our overweight in student housing landlord American Campus Communities, which reported underwhelming results.

Office owners displayed a broad dispersion in returns: West Coast office companies produced solid gains, while New York-focused REITs underperformed amid more challenging conditions related to increased supply, continued space densification and reduced demand from banks and financial service companies, their primary tenants. Beneficial stock selection in offices contributed relative performance.





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The self storage sector trailed the benchmark as growth continued to decelerate after peaking in 2016 amid rising supply. Demand picked up in hurricane-affected areas in Texas and Florida in the fall, however. Favorable stock selection in the sector aided the Fund's relative performance, including an overweight in Extra Space Storage, although this was offset by our underweight in the sector.

Health care underperformed due to concerns about skilled nursing government reimbursement and supply in the area of senior housing. Medical office building and life-science-focused companies generally performed well amid steady fundamentals. Our underweight and security selection in health care positively impacted relative performance.

In the specialty sector, which comprises companies engaged in a wide variety of businesses, our underweight allocation and stock selection detracted from relative performance. We chose not to own document storage company Iron Mountain. Viewed as a defensive company, Iron Mountain rallied on efficiency gains and from an earlier announced acquisition. The timing of our allocations to CoreCivic, which operates detention facilities, also hampered relative performance.

The Fund's underweight allocation and security selection in REIT preferreds detracted from relative performance, including not owning several issues from self storage company Public Storage that outperformed the benchmark.

*Impact of Leverage on Fund Performance*

The Fund employs leverage as part of a yield-enhancement strategy. Leverage, which can increase total return in rising markets (just as it can have the opposite effect in declining markets), significantly contributed to the Fund's performance for the 12-month period ended December 31, 2017.

Sincerely,

THOMAS N. BOHJALIAN  
*Portfolio Manager*

WILLIAM F. SCAPELL  
*Portfolio Manager*

JASON YABLON  
*Portfolio Manager*

*The views and opinions in the preceding commentary are subject to change without notice and are as of the date of the report. There is no guarantee that any market forecast set forth in the commentary will be realized. This material represents an assessment of the market environment at a specific point in time, should not be relied upon as investment advice and is not intended to predict or depict performance of any investment.*

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## Our Leverage Strategy

(Unaudited)

Our current leverage strategy utilizes borrowings up to the maximum permitted by the Investment Company Act of 1940 to provide additional capital for the Fund, with an objective of increasing the net income available for shareholders. As of December 31, 2017, leverage represented 24% of the Fund's managed assets.

Through a combination of variable and fixed-rate financing, the Fund has locked in interest rates on a significant portion of this additional capital for periods expiring in 2020, 2021 and 2022<sup>a</sup> (where we effectively reduce our variable rate obligation and lock in our fixed-rate obligation over various terms). Locking in a significant portion of our leveraging costs is designed to protect the dividend-paying ability of the Fund. The use of leverage increases the volatility of the Fund's NAV in both up and down markets. However, we believe that locking in portions of the Fund's leveraging costs for the various terms partially protects the Fund's expenses from an increase in short-term interest rates.

Leverage Facts<sup>b,c</sup>

|                                     |                        |
|-------------------------------------|------------------------|
| Leverage (as a % of managed assets) | 24%                    |
| % Fixed-Rate                        | 85%                    |
| % Variable Rate                     | 15%                    |
| Weighted Average Rate on Financing  | 2.4% <sup>a</sup>      |
| Weighted Average Term on Financing  | 3.6 years <sup>a</sup> |

The Fund seeks to enhance its dividend yield through leverage. The use of leverage is a speculative technique and there are special risks and costs associated with leverage. The NAV of the Fund's shares may be reduced by the issuance and ongoing costs of leverage. So long as the Fund is able to invest in securities that produce an investment yield that is greater than the total cost of leverage, the leverage strategy will produce higher current net investment income for shareholders. On the other hand, to the extent that the total cost of leverage exceeds the incremental income gained from employing such leverage, shareholders would realize lower net investment income. In addition to the impact on net income, the use of leverage will have an effect of magnifying capital appreciation or depreciation for shareholders. Specifically, in an up market, leverage will typically generate greater capital appreciation than if the Fund were not employing leverage. Conversely, in down markets, the use of leverage will generally result in greater capital depreciation than if the Fund had been unlevered. To the extent that the Fund is required or elects to reduce its leverage, the Fund may need to liquidate investments, including under adverse economic conditions which may result in capital losses potentially reducing returns to shareholders. There can be no assurance that a leveraging strategy will be successful during any period in which it is employed.

- <sup>a</sup> On February 24, 2015, the Fund amended its credit agreement to extend the fixed-rate financing terms, originally expiring in 2017, 2018 and 2019, by three years, now expiring in 2020, 2021 and 2022. The weighted average rate on financing does not include the three year extension for the 2021 and 2022 fixed-rate tranches and will increase as the extended fixed-rate tranches become effective. The weighted average term on financing includes the three year extension.
- <sup>b</sup> Data as of December 31, 2017. Information is subject to change.
- <sup>c</sup> See Note 6 in Notes to Financial Statements.

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Top Ten Holdings<sup>a</sup>

(Unaudited)

|                                      | Value         | % of<br>Managed<br>Assets |
|--------------------------------------|---------------|---------------------------|
| Security                             |               |                           |
| Simon Property Group                 | \$ 94,304,323 | 4.9                       |
| Equinix                              | 91,125,320    | 4.7                       |
| Prologis                             | 89,697,284    | 4.6                       |
| UDR                                  | 66,588,253    | 3.4                       |
| Equity Residential                   | 65,643,180    | 3.4                       |
| Host Hotels & Resorts                | 58,644,582    | 3.0                       |
| Essex Property Trust                 | 54,338,421    | 2.8                       |
| Crown Castle International Corp.     | 50,277,872    | 2.6                       |
| Healthcare Trust of America, Class A | 46,977,153    | 2.4                       |
| Mid-America Apartment Communities    | 46,036,066    | 2.4                       |

<sup>a</sup> Top ten holdings are determined on the basis of the value of individual securities held. The Fund may also hold positions in other types of securities issued by the companies listed above. See the Schedule of Investments for additional details on such other positions.

Sector Breakdown

(Based on Managed Assets)

(Unaudited)

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## SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS

December 31, 2017

|   |        | Number of<br>Shares | Value         |
|---|--------|---------------------|---------------|
| COMMON STOCK  | 106.2% |                     |               |
| COMMUNICATIONS TOWERS                               | 3.4%   |                     |               |
| Crown Castle International Corp.                    |        | 452,913             | \$ 50,277,872 |
| REAL ESTATE   | 102.8% |                     |               |
| DATA CENTERS  | 10.4%  |                     |               |
| CyrusOne <sup>a,b</sup>                             |        | 383,706             | 22,842,018    |
| Digital Realty Trust <sup>a,b</sup>                 |        | 359,662             | 40,965,502    |
| Equinix <sup>a,b</sup>                              |        | 201,062             | 91,125,320    |
|   |        |                     | 154,932,840   |
| DIVERSIFIED   | 1.4%   |                     |               |
| American Assets Trust <sup>a,b</sup>                |        | 337,860             | 12,919,767    |
| BGP Holdings PLC (EUR) (Australia) <sup>c,d</sup>   |        | 3,927,678           | 0             |
| JBG SMITH Properties <sup>a,b</sup>                 |        | 204,084             | 7,087,837     |
|   |        |                     | 20,007,604    |
| HEALTH CARE   | 9.0%   |                     |               |
| HCP <sup>a,b</sup>                                  |        | 1,239,948           | 32,337,844    |
| Healthcare Trust of America, Class A <sup>a,b</sup> |        | 1,563,820           | 46,977,153    |
| National Health Investors <sup>a,b</sup>            |        | 263,998             | 19,900,169    |
| Physicians Realty Trust <sup>a,b</sup>              |        | 1,913,060           | 34,415,949    |
|   |        |                     | 133,631,115   |
| HOTEL   | 6.8%   |                     |               |
| Host Hotels & Resorts <sup>a,b</sup>                |        | 2,954,387           | 58,644,582    |
| Pebblebrook Hotel Trust                             |        | 467,408             | 17,373,555    |
| Sunstone Hotel Investors <sup>a,b</sup>             |        | 1,493,037           | 24,679,902    |
|   |        |                     | 100,698,039   |
| INDUSTRIALS   | 6.1%   |                     |               |
| Prologis <sup>a,b</sup>                             |        | 1,390,440           | 89,697,284    |
| NET LEASE   | 4.3%   |                     |               |

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| Four Corners Property Trust                    | 849,169 | 21,823,643 |
| Gaming and Leisure Properties                  | 615,634 | 22,778,458 |
| Gramercy Property Trust                        | 727,008 | 19,382,033 |
|  |         | 63,984,134 |
| OFFICE   | 16.1%   |            |
| Alexandria Real Estate Equities <sup>a,b</sup> | 276,221 | 36,071,700 |

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

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## SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS (Continued)

December 31, 2017

|   | Number of<br>Shares | Value         |
|---|---------------------|---------------|
| Boston Properties <sup>a,b</sup>                            | 294,272             | \$ 38,264,188 |
| Douglas Emmett <sup>a,b</sup>                               | 828,297             | 34,009,875    |
| Highwoods Properties  | 376,096             | 19,147,047    |
| Hudson Pacific Properties <sup>a,b</sup>                    | 554,129             | 18,978,918    |
| Kilroy Realty Corp. <sup>a,b</sup>                          | 450,652             | 33,641,172    |
| SL Green Realty Corp.                                       | 264,705             | 26,716,676    |
| Vornado Realty Trust <sup>a,b</sup>                         | 408,169             | 31,910,653    |
|   |                     | 238,740,229   |
| RESIDENTIAL   | 25.4%               |               |
| APARTMENT   | 16.8%               |               |
| Apartment Investment & Management Co., Class A <sup>a</sup> | 385,952             | 16,869,962    |
| Equity Residential <sup>a,b</sup>                           | 1,029,374           | 65,643,180    |
| Essex Property Trust <sup>a,b</sup>                         | 225,125             | 54,338,421    |
| Mid-America Apartment Communities                           | 457,797             | 46,036,066    |
| UDR <sup>a,b</sup>  | 1,728,667           | 66,588,253    |
|   |                     | 249,475,882   |
| MANUFACTURED HOME   | 3.0%                |               |
| Sun Communities <sup>a,b</sup>                              | 474,661             | 44,039,048    |
| SINGLE FAMILY   | 3.0%                |               |
| Invitation Homes  | 1,919,622           | 45,245,490    |
| STUDENT HOUSING   | 2.6%                |               |
| American Campus Communities <sup>a,b</sup>                  | 942,138             | 38,655,922    |
| TOTAL RESIDENTIAL   |                     | 377,416,342   |
| SELF STORAGE  | 6.5%                |               |
| Extra Space Storage <sup>a,b</sup>                          | 352,420             | 30,819,129    |
| Life Storage <sup>a,b</sup>                                 | 266,266             | 23,716,313    |
| Public Storage <sup>a,b</sup>                               | 202,733             | 42,371,197    |
|   |                     | 96,906,639    |



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|--|-------|---------|------------|
| SHOPPING CENTERS                         | 12.5% |         |            |
| COMMUNITY CENTER                         | 4.1%  |         |            |
| Brixmor Property Group <sup>a,b</sup>    |       | 758,339 | 14,150,606 |
| Regency Centers Corp. <sup>a,b</sup>     |       | 450,728 | 31,181,363 |
| Weingarten Realty Investors <sup>a</sup> |       | 492,937 | 16,202,839 |
|  |       |         | 61,534,808 |

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December 31, 2017

|  |       | Number of<br>Shares | Value         |
|--|-------|---------------------|---------------|
| REGIONAL MALL  | 8.4%  |                     |               |
| GGP <sup>a,b</sup>   |       | 1,280,586           | \$ 29,952,907 |
| Simon Property Group <sup>a,b</sup>  |       | 549,111             | 94,304,323    |
|  |       |                     | 124,257,230   |
| TOTAL SHOPPING CENTERS   |       |                     | 185,792,038   |
| SPECIALTY  | 4.3%  |                     |               |
| CoreCivic <sup>a</sup>   |       | 502,099             | 11,297,227    |
| Lamar Advertising Co., Class A   |       | 313,287             | 23,258,427    |
| QTS Realty Trust, Class A <sup>a</sup>   |       | 539,499             | 29,219,266    |
|  |       |                     | 63,774,920    |
| TOTAL REAL ESTATE  |       |                     | 1,525,581,184 |
| TOTAL COMMON STOCK<br>(Identified cost \$1,089,610,233)  |       |                     | 1,575,859,056 |
| PREFERRED SECURITIES \$25 PAR VALUE  | 16.5% |                     |               |
| BANKS  | 0.7%  |                     |               |
| GMAC Capital Trust I, 7.201% , due 2/15/40, Series 2 (TruPS) (FRN) (3 Month<br>US LIBOR + 5.785%) <sup>e</sup> |       | 250,000             | 6,487,500     |
| Huntington Bancshares, 6.25%, Series D <sup>f</sup>  |       | 113,600             | 3,196,704     |
|  |       |                     | 9,684,204     |
| FINANCIAL DIVERSIFIED FINANCIAL SERVICES   | 0.2%  |                     |               |
| KKR & Co. LP, 6.75%, Series A <sup>f</sup>   |       | 120,000             | 3,241,200     |
| INDUSTRIALS  | 0.2%  |                     |               |
| CHS, 6.75% to 9/30/24 <sup>f,g</sup>   |       | 107,931             | 2,856,933     |
| REAL ESTATE  | 15.4% |                     |               |
| DIVERSIFIED  | 4.6%  |                     |               |
| Colony NorthStar, 8.25%, Series B <sup>f</sup>   |       | 34,183              | 868,932       |
| Colony NorthStar, 8.50%, Series D <sup>f</sup>   |       | 191,097             | 4,884,439     |

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| Colony NorthStar, 8.75%, Series E <sup>a,f</sup>                        | 172,107 | 4,572,883 |
| Colony NorthStar, 7.15%, Series I <sup>a,f</sup>                        | 105,000 | 2,643,900 |
| EPR Properties, 9.00%, Series E (Convertible) <sup>a,f</sup>            | 251,000 | 9,174,050 |
| EPR Properties, 5.75%, Series G <sup>f</sup>                            | 195,000 | 4,880,850 |
| Investors Real Estate Trust, 6.625%, Series C <sup>f</sup>              | 98,959  | 2,575,408 |
| Lexington Realty Trust, 6.50%, Series C (\$50 Par Value) <sup>a,f</sup> | 76,395  | 3,920,973 |
| National Retail Properties, 5.70%, Series E <sup>f</sup>                | 175,615 | 4,488,720 |

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## SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS (Continued)

December 31, 2017

|   | Number of<br>Shares | Value        |
|---|---------------------|--------------|
| National Retail Properties, 5.20%, Series F <sup>f</sup>                | 111,902             | \$ 2,807,621 |
| Urstadt Biddle Properties, 6.75%, Series G <sup>f</sup>                 | 50,000              | 1,318,000    |
| Urstadt Biddle Properties, 6.25%, Series H <sup>f</sup>                 | 122,556             | 3,204,840    |
| VEREIT, 6.70%, Series F <sup>a,f</sup>                                  | 710,890             | 18,177,457   |
| Wells Fargo Real Estate Investment Corp., 6.375%, Series A <sup>f</sup> | 207,537             | 5,497,655    |
|   |                     | 69,015,728   |
| <b>FINANCE</b>  | <b>0.2%</b>         |              |
| Ventas Realty LP/Ventas Capital Corp., 5.45%, due 3/15/43               | 130,054             | 3,271,508    |
| <b>HOTEL</b>  | <b>2.4%</b>         |              |
| Ashford Hospitality Trust, 7.375%, Series F <sup>f</sup>                | 216,000             | 5,486,400    |
| Ashford Hospitality Trust, 7.50%, Series H <sup>f</sup>                 | 100,000             | 2,541,000    |
| Ashford Hospitality Trust, 7.50%, Series I <sup>f</sup>                 | 165,000             | 4,143,150    |
| LaSalle Hotel Properties, 6.30%, Series J <sup>f</sup>                  | 134,000             | 3,449,160    |
| Pebblebrook Hotel Trust, 6.50%, Series C <sup>f</sup>                   | 160,000             | 4,043,200    |
| Summit Hotel Properties, 6.45%, Series D <sup>f</sup>                   | 123,000             | 3,136,500    |
| Summit Hotel Properties, 6.25%, Series E <sup>f</sup>                   | 185,000             | 4,748,950    |
| Sunstone Hotel Investors, 6.95%, Series E <sup>f</sup>                  | 180,000             | 4,714,200    |
| Sunstone Hotel Investors, 6.45%, Series F <sup>f</sup>                  | 127,100             | 3,239,779    |
|   |                     | 35,502,339   |
| <b>INDUSTRIALS</b>  | <b>1.3%</b>         |              |
| Monmouth Real Estate Investment Corp., 6.125%, Series C <sup>f</sup>    | 200,000             | 5,008,000    |
| PS Business Parks, 5.75%, Series U <sup>a,b,f</sup>                     | 217,978             | 5,503,945    |
| PS Business Parks, 5.70%, Series V <sup>f</sup>                         | 120,000             | 3,036,000    |
| Rexford Industrial Realty, 5.875%, Series A <sup>f</sup>                | 85,500              | 2,175,975    |
| STAG Industrial, 6.875%, Series C <sup>f</sup>                          | 120,000             | 3,141,600    |
|   |                     | 18,865,520   |
| <b>MANUFACTURED HOME</b>  | <b>0.1%</b>         |              |
| UMH Properties, 6.75%, Series C <sup>f</sup>                            | 58,725              | 1,597,320    |
| <b>MORTGAGE</b>   | <b>0.2%</b>         |              |
|   | 120,000             | 3,098,400    |

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Annaly Capital Management, 6.95% to 9/30/22,  
Series F<sup>f,g</sup>

|  |      |        |         |
|--|------|--------|---------|
| NET LEASE  | 0.4% |        |         |
| Gladstone Commercial Corp., 7.00%, Series D <sup>f</sup> |      | 20,000 | 518,000 |

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## SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS (Continued)

December 31, 2017

|   | Number of<br>Shares | Value        |
|---|---------------------|--------------|
| Spirit Realty Capital, 6.00%, Series A <sup>f</sup>                         | 189,071             | \$ 4,696,524 |
|   |                     | 5,214,524    |
| OFFICE  | 1.1%                |              |
| SL Green Realty Corp., 6.50%, Series I <sup>f</sup>                         | 197,446             | 4,951,946    |
| Vornado Realty Trust, 6.625%, Series G <sup>f</sup>                         | 180,000             | 4,503,600    |
| Vornado Realty Trust, 6.625%, Series I <sup>f</sup>                         | 172,420             | 4,327,742    |
| Vornado Realty Trust, 5.70%, Series K <sup>f</sup>                          | 86,024              | 2,172,966    |
|   |                     | 15,956,254   |
| RESIDENTIAL   | 1.5%                |              |
| APARTMENT   | 0.7%                |              |
| Apartment Investment & Management Co., 6.875% <sup>a,f</sup>                | 204,000             | 5,589,600    |
| Blue Rock Residential Growth REIT, 8.25%, Series A <sup>f</sup>             | 157,100             | 4,143,905    |
|   |                     | 9,733,505    |
| SINGLE FAMILY   | 0.8%                |              |
| American Homes 4 Rent, 5.50%, Series C <sup>f</sup>                         | 70,000              | 1,991,500    |
| American Homes 4 Rent, 6.50%, Series D <sup>f</sup>                         | 201,340             | 5,512,689    |
| American Homes 4 Rent, 6.35%, Series E <sup>f</sup>                         | 177,900             | 4,765,941    |
|   |                     | 12,270,130   |
| TOTAL RESIDENTIAL   |                     | 22,003,635   |
| SELF STORAGE  | 0.3%                |              |
| National Storage Affiliates Trust, 6.00% to 10/11/22, Series A <sup>f</sup> | 120,000             | 3,124,800    |
| Public Storage, 4.90%, Series E <sup>f</sup>                                | 75,286              | 1,873,869    |
|   |                     | 4,998,669    |
| SHOPPING CENTERS  | 2.6%                |              |
| COMMUNITY CENTER  | 1.4%                |              |
| Cedar Realty Trust, 7.25%, Series B <sup>a,f</sup>                          | 109,652             | 2,769,809    |
| DDR Corp., 6.375%, Series A <sup>f</sup>                                    | 172,703             | 4,542,089    |

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|   |         |            |
|---|---------|------------|
| DDR Corp., 6.50%, Series J <sup>a,f</sup>   | 416,300 | 10,449,130 |
| Saul Centers, 6.875%, Series C <sup>f</sup> | 99,725  | 2,518,056  |
|   |         | 20,279,084 |
| REGIONAL MALL                               | 1.2%    |            |
| GGP, 6.375%, Series A <sup>f</sup>          | 231,468 | 5,842,252  |

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## COHEN &amp; STEERS QUALITY INCOME REALTY FUND, INC.

## SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS (Continued)

December 31, 2017

|   | Number of<br>Shares         | Value              |
|---|-----------------------------|--------------------|
| Pennsylvania REIT, 7.20%, Series C <sup>f</sup>                                     | 158,825                     | \$ 4,113,568       |
| Pennsylvania REIT, 6.875%, Series D <sup>f</sup>                                    | 120,000                     | 3,013,200          |
| Taubman Centers, 6.25%, Series K <sup>f</sup>                                       | 187,582                     | 4,732,694          |
|   |                             | 17,701,714         |
| <b>TOTAL SHOPPING CENTERS</b>   |                             | <b>37,980,798</b>  |
| <b>SPECIALTY</b>  | <b>0.7%</b>                 |                    |
| Digital Realty Trust, 6.625%, Series C <sup>f</sup>                                 | 150,000                     | 4,138,500          |
| Digital Realty Trust, 6.35%, Series I <sup>f</sup>                                  | 234,000                     | 6,437,340          |
|   |                             | 10,575,840         |
| <b>TOTAL REAL ESTATE</b>  |                             | <b>228,080,535</b> |
| <b>TOTAL PREFERRED SECURITIES \$25 PAR VALUE</b><br>(Identified cost \$227,690,598) |                             | <b>243,862,872</b> |
|   | <b>Principal<br/>Amount</b> |                    |
| <b>PREFERRED SECURITIES CAPITAL SECURITIES</b>                                      | <b>6.7%</b>                 |                    |
| <b>BANKS</b>  | <b>1.4%</b>                 |                    |
| Bank of America Corp., 6.30% to 3/10/26, Series DD <sup>a,b,f,g</sup>               | \$ 7,000,000                | 7,927,500          |
| Farm Credit Bank of Texas, 10.00%, 144A, Series I <sup>a,f,h</sup>                  | 6,000                       | 7,170,000          |
| JPMorgan Chase & Co., 6.75% to 2/1/24, Series S <sup>f,g</sup>                      | 4,500,000                   | 5,101,875          |
|   |                             | 20,199,375         |
| <b>BANKS FOREIGN</b>  | <b>2.6%</b>                 |                    |
| BNP Paribas SA, 7.625% to 3/30/21, 144A (France) <sup>f,g,h</sup>                   | 2,000,000                   | 2,205,000          |
| Credit Agricole SA, 8.125% to 12/23/25, 144A (France) <sup>f,g,h</sup>              | 2,000,000                   | 2,403,712          |
| Credit Suisse Group AG, 7.50% to 12/11/23, 144A (Switzerland) <sup>f,g,h</sup>      | 2,891,000                   | 3,310,050          |
| DNB Bank ASA, 6.50% to 3/26/22 (Norway) <sup>f,g</sup>                              | 3,000,000                   | 3,232,500          |
| Dresdner Funding Trust I, 8.151%, due 6/30/31, 144A (Germany) <sup>h</sup>          | 4,000,000                   | 5,317,512          |
| HBOS Capital Funding LP, 6.85% (United Kingdom) <sup>f</sup>                        | 2,600,000                   | 2,674,360          |
| Lloyds Banking Group PLC, 7.50% to 6/27/24 (United Kingdom) <sup>f,g</sup>          | 4,000,000                   | 4,545,000          |



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## COHEN &amp; STEERS QUALITY INCOME REALTY FUND, INC.

## SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS (Continued)

December 31, 2017

|   | Principal<br>Amount | Value             |
|---|---------------------|-------------------|
| Royal Bank of Scotland Group PLC, 7.648% to 9/30/31 (United Kingdom) <sup>f,g</sup>       | \$ 4,000,000        | \$ 5,240,000      |
| Royal Bank of Scotland Group PLC, 8.625% to 8/15/21 (United Kingdom) <sup>f,g</sup>       | 4,300,000           | 4,853,625         |
| UBS Group AG, 7.125% to 2/19/20 (Switzerland) <sup>f,g</sup>                              | 4,200,000           | 4,468,779         |
|   |                     | 38,250,538        |
| <b>COMMUNICATIONS</b>   | <b>0.6%</b>         |                   |
| Crown Castle International Corp., 6.875%, due 8/1/20, Series A (Convertible) <sup>a</sup> | 7,700               | 8,706,198         |
| <b>INSURANCE</b>  | <b>0.6%</b>         |                   |
| <b>LIFE/HEALTH INSURANCE FOREIGN</b>  | <b>0.3%</b>         |                   |
| La Mondiale Vie, 7.625% to 4/23/19 (France) <sup>f,g</sup>                                | 3,750,000           | 3,978,506         |
| <b>PROPERTY CASUALTY FOREIGN</b>  | <b>0.3%</b>         |                   |
| QBE Insurance Group Ltd., 6.75% to 12/2/24,<br>due 12/2/44 (Australia) <sup>g</sup>       | 4,052,000           | 4,609,150         |
| <b>TOTAL INSURANCE</b>  |                     | <b>8,587,656</b>  |
| <b>REAL ESTATE</b>  | <b>1.1%</b>         |                   |
| <b>FINANCE</b>  | <b>0.9%</b>         |                   |
| AT Securities BV, 5.25% to 7/21/23 (Netherlands) <sup>f,g</sup>                           | 7,500,000           | 7,613,325         |
| CyrusOne LP/CyrusOne Finance Corp., 5.00%, due 3/15/24, 144A <sup>h</sup>                 | 2,000,000           | 2,080,000         |
| CyrusOne LP/CyrusOne Finance Corp., 5.375%, due 3/15/27, 144A <sup>h</sup>                | 4,000,000           | 4,210,000         |
|   |                     | 13,903,325        |
| <b>SPECIALTY</b>  | <b>0.2%</b>         |                   |
| Equinix, 5.375%, due 5/15/27  | 3,000,000           | 3,217,500         |
| <b>TOTAL REAL ESTATE</b>  |                     | <b>17,120,825</b> |
| <b>UTILITIES</b>  | <b>0.4%</b>         |                   |
| Enel SpA, 8.75% to 9/24/23, due 9/24/73, 144A (Italy) <sup>g,h</sup>                      | 5,250,000           | 6,542,813         |
| <b>TOTAL PREFERRED SECURITIES CAPITAL SECURITIES</b><br>(Identified cost \$89,529,426)    |                     | <b>99,407,405</b> |

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## COHEN &amp; STEERS QUALITY INCOME REALTY FUND, INC.

## SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS (Continued)

December 31, 2017

|   | Number of<br>Shares | Value            |
|---|---------------------|------------------|
| SHORT-TERM INVESTMENTS  | 1.1%                |                  |
| MONEY MARKET FUNDS  |                     |                  |
| State Street Institutional Treasury Money Market Fund, Premier Class,<br>1.15% <sup>i</sup>             | 16,664,500          | \$ 16,664,500    |
| TOTAL SHORT-TERM INVESTMENTS<br>(Identified cost \$16,664,500)  |                     | 16,664,500       |
| TOTAL INVESTMENTS IN SECURITIES<br>(Identified cost \$1,423,494,757)                                    | 130.5%              | 1,935,793,833    |
| LIABILITIES IN EXCESS OF OTHER ASSETS   | (30.5)              | (451,868,500)    |
| NET ASSETS (Equivalent to \$13.59 per share based on 109,161,402<br>shares of common stock outstanding) | 100.0%              | \$ 1,483,925,333 |

## Glossary of Portfolio Abbreviations

|       |                               |
|-------|-------------------------------|
| EUR   | Euro Currency                 |
| FRN   | Floating Rate Note            |
| LIBOR | London Interbank Offered Rate |
| REIT  | Real Estate Investment Trust  |
| TruPS | Trust Preferred Securities    |

Note: Percentages indicated are based on the net assets of the Fund.

Represents shares.

<sup>a</sup> All or a portion of the security is pledged as collateral in connection with the Fund's credit agreement. \$938,191,277 in aggregate has been pledged as collateral.

<sup>b</sup> A portion of the security has been rehypothecated in connection with the Fund's credit agreement. \$422,786,217 in aggregate has been rehypothecated.

<sup>c</sup> Security value is determined based on significant unobservable inputs (Level 3).

- <sup>d</sup> Non-income producing security.
- <sup>e</sup> Variable rate. Rate shown is in effect at December 31, 2017.
- <sup>f</sup> Perpetual security. Perpetual securities have no stated maturity date, but they may be called/redeemed by the issuer. The date indicated, if any, represents the next call date.
- <sup>g</sup> Security converts to floating rate after the indicated fixed-rate coupon period.
- <sup>h</sup> Resale is restricted to qualified institutional investors. Aggregate holdings amounted to \$33,239,087 or 2.2% of the net assets of the Fund, of which 0.0% are illiquid.
- <sup>i</sup> Rate quoted represents the annualized seven-day yield of the fund.

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**COHEN & STEERS QUALITY INCOME REALTY FUND, INC.**

## STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

December 31, 2017

|  |                         |
|--|-------------------------|
| <b>ASSETS:</b>   |                         |
| Investments in securities, at value <sup>a</sup> (Identified cost \$1,423,494,757) | \$ 1,935,793,833        |
| Receivable for dividends and interest  | 10,001,593              |
| Other assets   | 458,716                 |
| <b>Total Assets</b>  | <b>1,946,254,142</b>    |
| <b>LIABILITIES:</b>  |                         |
| Payable for:   |                         |
| Credit agreement   | 460,000,000             |
| Investment management fees   | 1,402,752               |
| Dividends and distributions declared   | 435,245                 |
| Interest expense   | 123,945                 |
| Administration fees  | 99,018                  |
| Directors' fees  | 156                     |
| Other liabilities  | 267,693                 |
| <b>Total Liabilities</b>   | <b>462,328,809</b>      |
| <b>NET ASSETS</b>  | <b>\$ 1,483,925,333</b> |
| <b>NET ASSETS consist of:</b>  |                         |
| Paid-in capital  | \$ 927,715,106          |
| Accumulated undistributed net investment income                                    | 6,277,711               |
| Accumulated undistributed net realized gain  | 37,633,440              |
| Net unrealized appreciation  | 512,299,076             |
|  | <b>\$ 1,483,925,333</b> |
| <b>NET ASSET VALUE PER SHARE:</b>  |                         |
| (\$1,483,925,333 ÷ 109,161,402 shares outstanding)                                 | \$ 13.59                |
| <b>MARKET PRICE PER SHARE</b>  | <b>\$ 12.65</b>         |
| <b>MARKET PRICE PREMIUM (DISCOUNT) TO NET ASSET VALUE PER SHARE</b>                | <b>(6.92)%</b>          |

<sup>a</sup> Includes \$938,191,277 pledged, of which \$422,786,217 has been rehypothecated, in connection with the Fund's credit agreement, as describe in Note 6.

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**COHEN & STEERS QUALITY INCOME REALTY FUND, INC.**

## STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS

For the Year Ended December 31, 2017

|  |                       |
|--|-----------------------|
| <b>Investment Income:</b>  |                       |
| Dividend income  | \$ 57,048,265         |
| Interest income  | 6,098,337             |
| Rehypothecation income   | 95,547                |
| <b>Total Investment Income</b>   | <b>63,242,149</b>     |
| <b>Expenses:</b>   |                       |
| Investment management fees   | 16,479,853            |
| Interest expense   | 9,315,170             |
| Administration fees  | 796,602               |
| Shareholder reporting expenses   | 621,117               |
| Custodian fees and expenses  | 134,168               |
| Directors' fees and expenses   | 105,695               |
| Professional fees  | 89,710                |
| Transfer agent fees and expenses   | 30,406                |
| Miscellaneous  | 184,293               |
| <b>Total Expenses</b>  | <b>27,757,014</b>     |
| <b>Net Investment Income (Loss)</b>  | <b>35,485,135</b>     |
| <b>Net Realized and Unrealized Gain (Loss):</b>  |                       |
| <b>Net realized gain (loss) on:</b>  |                       |
| Investments in securities  | 52,878,247            |
| Foreign currency transactions  | 445,810               |
| <b>Net realized gain (loss)</b>  | <b>53,324,057</b>     |
| <b>Net change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation) on investments in securities</b> | <b>34,630,115</b>     |
| <b>Net Realized and Unrealized Gain (Loss)</b>   | <b>87,954,172</b>     |
| <b>Net Increase (Decrease) in Net Assets Resulting from Operations</b>                   | <b>\$ 123,439,307</b> |

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**COHEN & STEERS QUALITY INCOME REALTY FUND, INC.**

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN NET ASSETS

|   | For the<br>Year Ended<br>December 31, 2017 | For the<br>Year Ended<br>December 31, 2016 |
|---|--|--|
| <b>Change in Net Assets:</b>  |  |  |
| <b>From Operations:</b>   |  |  |
| Net investment income (loss)  | \$ 35,485,135                              | \$ 39,126,481                              |
| Net realized gain (loss)  | 53,324,057                                 | 94,113,972                                 |
| Net change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation)                | 34,630,115                                 | (32,250,587)                               |
| <br>Net increase (decrease) in net assets resulting from operations | <br>123,439,307                            | <br>100,989,866                            |
| <b>Dividends and Distributions to Shareholders from:</b>            |  |  |
| Net investment income   | (34,817,682)                               | (38,341,402)                               |
| Net realized gain   | (69,977,264)                               | (66,453,544)                               |
| <br>Total dividends and distributions to shareholders               | <br>(104,794,946)                          | <br>(104,794,946)                          |
| <br>Total increase (decrease) in net assets                         | <br>18,644,361                             |  |