

ANNALY CAPITAL MANAGEMENT INC  
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April 16, 2010

UNITED STATES  
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Washington, D.C. 20549

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Important Notice Regarding the Availability of Proxy Materials for the  
Shareholder Meeting to Be Held on May 27, 2010

ANNALY CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, INC.

Meeting Information

Meeting Type: Annual Meeting

For holders as of: March 29, 2010

Date: May 27, 2010 Time: 9:00 AM EDT

Location: New York Marriott Marquis

1535 Broadway

New York, NY 10036

ANNALY CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, INC.  
1211 AVE. OF THE AMERICAS,STE 2902  
NEW YORK, NY 10036  
ATTN: KATHRYN FAGAN

You are receiving this communication because you hold shares  
in the above named company.

This is not a ballot. You cannot use this notice to vote these  
shares. This communication presents only an overview of the  
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[www.proxyvote.com](http://www.proxyvote.com) or easily request a paper copy (see reverse  
side).

We encourage you to access and review all of the important  
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See the reverse side of this notice to obtain proxy materials and  
voting instructions.

— Before You Vote —  
How to Access the Proxy Materials

Proxy Materials Available to VIEW or RECEIVE:

1. 2009 ANNUAL REPORT TO STOCKHOLDERS
2. 2010 NOTICE & PROXY STATEMENT

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— How To Vote —  
Please Choose One of the Following Voting Methods

**Vote In Person:** Many shareholder meetings have attendance requirements including, but not limited to, the possession of an attendance ticket issued by the entity holding the meeting. Please check the meeting materials for any special requirements for meeting attendance. At the meeting you will need to request a ballot to vote these shares.

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**Vote By Mail:** You can vote by mail by requesting a paper copy of the materials, which will include a proxy card.

Voting items

The Board of Directors recommends that you vote FOR the following:

1. Election of Directors

Nominees

01 Kevin P. Brady

02 E. Wayne Nordberg

The Board of Directors recommends you vote FOR the following proposal(s):

2. A proposal to approve the 2010 Equity Incentive Plan.
3. Ratification of the appointment of Deloitte & Touche LLP as independent registered public accounting firm for the Company for the 2010 fiscal year.

NOTE: Such other business as may properly come before the meeting or any adjournment thereof.