## UNITED STATES OF AMERICA BEFORE THE SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

## **INVESTMENT COMPANY ACT OF 1940**

Release No. 32861 / October 16, 2017

In the Matter of

EAGLE SERIES TRUST
EAGLE CAPITAL APPRECIATION FUND
EAGLE GROWTH & INCOME FUND
CARILLON TOWER ADVISERS, INC.

880 Carillon Parkway St. Petersburg, FL 33716

(812-14777-01)

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ORDER UNDER SECTION 6(c) OF THE INVESTMENT COMPANY ACT OF 1940 GRANTING AN EXEMPTION FROM SECTION 15(a) OF THE ACT AND RULE 18f-2 UNDER THE ACT AND CERTAIN DISCLOSURE REQUIREMENTS

Eagle Series Trust, Eagle Capital Appreciation Fund, Eagle Growth & Income Fund and Carillon Tower Advisers, Inc. filed an application on May 17, 2017, and an amendment to the application on August 22, 2017, requesting an order under section 6(c) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (the "Act") exempting applicants from section 15(a) of the Act and rule 18f-2 under the Act, as well as from certain disclosure requirements. The order permits applicants to enter into and materially amend subadvisory agreements without shareholder approval and also grants relief from certain disclosure requirements.

On September 18, 2017, a notice of the filing of the application was issued (Investment Company Act Release No. 32802A). The notice gave interested persons an opportunity to request a hearing and stated that an order granting the application would be issued unless a hearing was ordered. No request for a hearing has been filed, and the Commission has not ordered a hearing.

The matter has been considered and it is found, on the basis of the information set forth in the application, as amended, that granting the requested exemption is appropriate in the public interest and consistent with the protection of investors and the purposes fairly intended by the policy and provisions of the Act.

Accordingly,

IT IS ORDERED, under section 6(c) of the Act, that the relief requested by Eagle Series Trust, *et al.* (File No. 812-14777-01) is granted, effective immediately, subject to the conditions contained in the application, as amended.

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

Eduardo A. Aleman Assistant Secretary