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

## INVESTMENT COMPANY ACT OF 1940 Release no. 34776 / December 16, 2022

In the Matter of

PROSPECT FLOATING RATE AND ALTERNATIVE INCOME FUND, INC. AND PROSPECT CAPITAL MANAGEMENT L.P. 10 East 40th Street, 42nd Flor New York, New York 10016 (812-15393)

ORDER UNDER SECTION 6(c) OF THE INVESTMENT COMPANY ACT OF 1940 GRANTING AN EXEMPTION FROM SECTIONS 18(a)(2), 18(c), 18(i) AND 61(a) OF THE ACT

Prospect Floating Rate and Alternative Income Fund, Inc. and Prospect Capital Management L.P. filed an application on October 5, 2022 requesting an order under section 6(c) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 ("Act") granting an exemption from sections 18(a)(2), 18(c), 18(i) and 61(a) of the Act. The order permits certain closed-end management investment companies that have elected to be regulated as business development companies to issue multiple classes of shares with varying sales loads and asset-based service and/or distribution fees.

On November 21, 2022, a notice of the filing of the application was issued (Investment Company Act Release No. 34755). The notice gave interested persons an opportunity to request a hearing and stated that an order disposing of 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, in the matter of Prospect Floating Rate and Alternative Income Fund, Inc. and Prospect Capital Management L.P. (File No. 812-15393),

IT IS ORDERED, under section 6(c) of the Act, that the requested exemption from sections 18(a)(2), 18(c), 18(i) and 61(a) of the Act is granted, effective immediately, subject to the condition in the application, as amended.

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

Sherry R. Haywood Assistant Secretary