



**BLUE RIBBON INCOME FUND  
ANNOUNCES MONTHLY DISTRIBUTIONS**

**Toronto, January 20, 2017** – (TSX: RBN.UN) [Blue Ribbon Income Fund](#) (the “Fund”) announces distributions in the amount of \$0.05 per unit per month for record dates from January to March 2017. At this time, the Fund expects that this will be the monthly distribution rate throughout 2017 with formal announcements made quarterly.

<u>Record Date</u>	<u>Payment Date</u>
January 31, 2017	February 14, 2017
February 28, 2017	March 14, 2017
March 31, 2017	April 17, 2017

Since the Fund’s inception in September 1997, the Fund has paid cash distributions of \$17.58 per unit.

Unitholders are reminded that the Fund offers a distribution reinvestment plan (“DRIP”) which provides unitholders with the ability to automatically reinvest distributions, commission free, and realize the benefits of compound growth. Unitholders can enroll in the DRIP program by contacting their investment advisor.

For further information, please contact your investment advisor, call Brompton’s investor relations line at 416-642-6000 (toll-free at 1-866-642-6001), email [info@bromptongroup.com](mailto:info@bromptongroup.com) or visit our website at [www.blueribbonincomefund.com](http://www.blueribbonincomefund.com).

*You will usually pay brokerage fees to your dealer if you purchase or sell units of the investment fund on the Toronto Stock Exchange or other alternative Canadian trading system (an “exchange”). If the units are purchased or sold on an exchange, investors may pay more than the current net asset value when buying units of the investment fund and may receive less than the current net asset value when selling them.*

*There are ongoing fees and expenses associated with owning units of an investment fund. An investment fund must prepare disclosure documents that contain key information about the fund. You can find more detailed information about the Fund in the public filings available at [www.sedar.com](http://www.sedar.com). Investment funds are not guaranteed, their values change frequently and past performance may not be repeated.*

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