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#### FORM N-Q

# QUARTERLY SCHEDULE OF PORTFOLIO HOLDINGS OF REGISTERED MANAGEMENT INVESTMENT COMPANY

Investment Company Act

file number 811-21338

Nicholas Applegate Convertible & Income Fund II (Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

1345 Avenue of the Americas, New York, NY (Address of principal executive offices)

10105 (Zip code)

Lawrence G. Altadonna 1345 Avenue of the Americas, New York, NY 10105 (Name and address of agent for service)

Registrant∏s telephone number,

including area code: 212-739-3371

Date of fiscal year February 28,

end: 2009

Date of reporting

period: May 31, 2008

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# **Item 1. Schedule of Investments**

## Nicholas-Applegate Convertible & Income Fund II Schedule of Investments

Shares (000)	LE DREEEDED CTOCK 45 FW	Credit Rating (Moody's/S&P)	Value*
CONVERTIB	LE PREFERRED STOCK-45.5%		
	Agriculture-1.7%		
	Bunge Ltd.,	5.4.55	+44 044 000
82	4.875%, 12/31/49	Ba1/BB	\$11,844,000
8	5.125%, 12/1/10	NR/BB	8,700,000
			20,544,000
	Automotive-1.7%		
	General Motors Corp.,		
511	5.25%, 3/6/32, Ser. B	Caa1/B	8,290,042
750	6.25%, 7/15/33, Ser. C	Caa1/B	12,382,500
			20,672,542
	Banking-7.8%		
	Bank of America Corp.,		
16	7.25%, 12/31/49, Ser. L	A1/A+	16,204,230
273	10.00%, 5/11/09, Ser. JNJ (Johnson & Johnson) (e)	Aa2/AA	18,340,411
	Wachovia Corp.,		
483	13.15%, 3/30/09, Ser. GE (General Electric Co.) (e)	Aa3/AA-	14,981,278
392	14.10%, 4/1/09, Ser. JPM (JP Morgan Chase & Co.) (e)	Aa3/AA-	16,741,350
292	Washington Mutual Capital Trust, 5.375%, 5/1/41, Ser. UNIT	Ba1/BB+	8,459,282
162	Wells Fargo Co., 8.00%, 6/1/08, Ser. AAPL (Apple, Inc.) (e)	Aa1/AA+	22,049,468
			96,776,019
	Commercial Services-0.7%		
287	United Rentals, Inc., 6.50%, 8/1/28	B3/B-	8,963,219
	Electric-4.4%		
367	AES Trust III, 6.75%, 10/15/29	B3/B-	18,045,351
273	Entergy Corp., 7.625%, 2/17/09	NR/BBB	19,328,400
48	NRG Energy, Inc., 5.75%, 3/16/09	B2/CCC+	17,007,000
			54,380,751
	Financial Services-13.0% Citigroup Funding, Inc., 4.583%, 9/27/08, Ser. GNW (Genworth Financial, Inc.)		
338	(d) (e)	Aa3/AA-	7,874,118
348	Citigroup, Inc., 6.50%, 12/31/49, Ser. T	A2/A	16,922,103
	Credit Suisse,		
632	11.00%, 3/16/09, Ser. MSFT (Microsoft Corp.) (e)	Aa1/AA-	17,186,322
298	11.00%, 4/25/09, Ser. KO (Coca-Cola Corp.) (e)	Aa1/AA-	18,613,125
	Eksportfinans A/S,		
371	10.00%, 3/12/09, Ser. HPQ (Hewlett Packard Co.) (e)	Aaa/AA+	16,411,194
1,101	13.00%, 11/1/08, Ser. TWX (Time Warner, Inc.) (e)	Aaa/A+	16,617,550
745	Goldman Sachs Group, Inc., 9.75%, 12/19/08, Ser. CSCO (Cisco Systems, Inc.)	V = 3 \NTD	10 167 020
745	(e)	Aa3/NR	19,167,830
000	Lehman Brothers Holdings, Inc., 6.00%, 10/12/10, Ser. GIS (General Mills, Inc.) (e)	A 1 / A ·	10.002.402
802		A1/A+	19,862,409
228	8.50%, 8/25/08, Ser. UTX (United Technologies Corp.) (e)	A1/A+	15,325,240
123	28.00%, 3/6/09, Ser. RIG (Transocean, Inc.) (e)	A1/A+	13,191,477

			161,171,368
	Hand/Machine Tools-1.4%		
20	Stanley Works, 4.344%, 5/17/12 (d)	A2/A	17,203,900
	Insurance-3.5%		
531	Metlife, Inc., 6.375%, 8/15/08	NR/BBB+	15,429,848
598	Platinum Underwriters Holdings Ltd., 6.00%, 2/15/09, Ser. A	NR/BB+	18,866,900
635	XL Capital Ltd., 7.00%, 2/15/09	Baa1/A-	8,839,200
			43,135,948
	Investment Company-1.4%		
239	Vale Capital Ltd., 5.50%, 6/15/10, Ser. RIO (Companhia Vale do Rio Doce) (e)	NR/NR	17,756,972
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	Metals & Mining-1.5%		
113	Freeport-McMoRan Copper & Gold, Inc., 6.75%, 5/1/10	NR/BB	18,695,768
	Oil & Gas-1.4%		
112	Chesapeake Energy Corp., 5.00%, 12/31/49	NR/B	17,347,475
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	Pharmaceuticals-1.4%		
87	Schering-Plough Corp., 6.00%, 8/13/10	Baa3/BBB	16,970,219
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	Real Estate (REIT)-1.2%		
777	FelCor Lodging Trust, Inc., 1.95%, 12/31/49, Ser. A	B2/B-	15,331,071
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Shares (000)		Credit Rating (Moody's/S&P)	Value*
	Sovereign-2.9%		
	Svensk Exportkredit AB,		
459	10.00%, 10/20/08, Ser. TEVA (Teva Pharmaceutical Industries Ltd.) (e)	Aa1/AA+	\$19,756,790
203	12.50%, 12/12/08, Ser. XOM (Exxon Mobil Corp.) (e)	Aa1/AA+	17,030,562 36,787,352
	Telecommunications-1.5%		
310	Crown Castle International Corp., 6.25%, 8/15/12	NR/NR	18,832,500
	Total Convertible Preferred Stock (cost-\$579,558,089)		564,569,104
CORPORAT	E BONDS & NOTES-40.5%		
Principal			
Amount (000)			
	Advertising-0.8%		
\$9,900	Affinion Group, Inc., 11.50%, 10/15/15	B3/B-	10,110,375
	Apparel-1.0%		
6,820	Levi Strauss & Co., 9.75%, 1/15/15	B2/B+	7,178,050
5,160	Oxford Industries, Inc., 8.875%, 6/1/11	B1/B+	5,031,000
			12,209,050
	Automotive-2.0%		
7,205	Accuride Corp., 8.50%, 2/1/15	B3/B-	5,980,150
3,385	American Axle & Manufacturing, Inc., 7.875%, 3/1/17	Ba3/BB-	2,894,175
12,120	Exide Technologies, 10.50%, 3/15/13, Ser. B	Caa1/CCC+	11,817,000
6,425	General Motors Corp., 8.375%, 7/15/33	Caa1/B	4,433,250
			25,124,575
	Chemicals-0.3%		
4,110	Momentive Performance Materials, Inc., 9.75%, 12/1/14	B3/B	3,832,575
	Coal-0.4%		
5,580	James River Coal Co., 9.375%, 6/1/12	Ca/CC	5,496,300
	Commercial Services-1.6%		
11,580	Cenveo Corp., 7.875%, 12/1/13	B3/B	10,103,550
9,440	Hertz Corp., 10.50%, 1/1/16	B2/B	9,463,600
			19,567,150
	Computers-0.7%		
8,925	Unisys Corp., 8.00%, 10/15/12	B2/B+	8,077,125
	Electric-1.8%		
10,895	AES Corp., 9.50%, 6/1/09	B1/BB-	11,303,563
6,440	Energy Future Holdings Corp., 10.875%, 11/1/17 (a) (b)	B3/B-	6,745,900
4,600	Texas Competitive Electric Holdings Co. LLC, 10.25%, 11/1/15 (a) (b)	B3/CCC	4,720,750
			22,770,213
	Electronics-0.9%		
10,335	Stoneridge, Inc., 11.50%, 5/1/12	B2/B+	10,774,238

	Financial Services-3.1%		
10,755	AMR Holdings Co., 10.00%, 2/15/15	B1/B-	11,507,850
9,205	Ford Motor Credit Co., 7.00%, 10/1/13	B1/B	7,749,137
6,930	GMAC LLC, 6.75%, 12/1/14	B2/B	5,371,907
8,710	KAR Holdings, Inc., 8.75%, 5/1/14	B3/CCC+	8,143,850
3,223	MedCath Holdings Corp., 9.875%, 7/15/12	Caa1/B-	3,368,035
5,430	Residential Capital LLC, 6.375%, 6/30/10	Ca/CC	2,932,200
			39,072,979
	Healthcare-1.8%		
5,865	Alliance Imaging, Inc., 7.25%, 12/15/12	B3/B-	5,747,700
7,985	Hanger Orthopedic Group, Inc., 10.25%, 6/1/14	Caa1/CCC+	8,264,475
4,615	HCA, Inc, 9.25%, 11/15/16	B2/BB-	4,886,131
3,075	Healthcare Net, Inc., 6.375%, 6/1/17	Ba2/BB+	2,782,875
			21,681,181
	Home Furnishings-1.4%		
9,210	Central Garden & Pet Co., 9.125%, 2/1/13	Caa1/CCC+	8,358,075
9,760	Jarden Corp., 7.50%, 5/1/17	B3/B	8,759,600
			17,117,675

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Principal		
Amount	Credit Rating	
(000)	(Moody's/S&P)	Value*
Manufacturing-2.4%		
\$11,965 Harland Clarke Holdings Corp., 9.50%, 5/15/15	Caa1/B-	\$9,871,125
1,845 Park-Ohio Industries, Inc., 8.375%, 11/15/14	B3/B-	1,598,231
8,290 Polypore, Inc., 8.75%, 5/15/12	B3/B-	8,331,450
10,385 Sally Holdings LLC, 10.50%, 11/15/16	Caa1/CCC+	10,177,300
		29,978,106
Metals & Mining-1.4%		
7,090 PNA Group, Inc., 10.75%, 9/1/16	B3/B-	7,019,100
10,875 RathGibson, Inc., 11.25%, 2/15/14	B3/B	10,766,250
		17,785,350
Miscellaneous-0.6%		
6,723 Dow Jones CDX High Yield, 10.50%, 12/29/09 (a) (b) (c)	NR/NR	7,050,745
Multi-Media-1.4%		
10,021 CCH   LLC, 11.00%, 10/1/15	Caa3/CCC	8,567,955
9,110 Mediacom LLC, 9.50%, 1/15/13	B3/B-	8,745,600
		17,313,555
Office Furnishings-0.8%		
Interface, Inc.,		
4,165 9.50%, 2/1/14	B3/B-	4,373,250
5,715 10.375%, 2/1/10	B1/BB-	6,029,325
		10,402,575
Packaging & Containers-0.5%		
6,920 Smurfit-Stone Container Enterprises, Inc., 8.375%, 7/1/12	B3/B-	6,470,200
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Paper Products-1.6%		
8,730 Neenah Paper, Inc., 7.375%, 11/15/14	B2/B+	7,857,000
11,055 NewPage Corp., 12.00%, 5/1/13	B3/CCC+	11,745,938
		19,602,938
Pipelines-0.7%		
8,900 Dynegy Holdings, Inc., 7.75%, 6/1/19	B2/B	8,477,250
Retail-4.9%		
7,550 Bon-Ton Stores, Inc., 10.25%, 3/15/14	Caa1/CCC+	5,473,750
6,450 Burlington Coat Factory Warehouse Corp., 11.125%, 4/15/14	B3/CCC+	5,514,750
7,125 El Pollo Loco Finance Corp., 11.75%, 11/15/13	Caa1/CCC+	6,875,625
10,975 Michaels Stores, Inc., 10.00%, 11/1/14	B2/CCC	10,206,750
11,295 Neiman-Marcus Group, Inc., 10.375%, 10/15/15	B3/B	11,732,681
4,090 R.H. Donnelley, Inc., 8.875%, 1/15/16, Ser. A-3	B3/B-	2,822,100
10,960 Rite Aid Corp., 8.625%, 3/1/15	Caa1/CCC+	8,603,600
9,650 Star Gas Partners L.P., 10.25%, 2/15/13, Ser. B	Caa3/CCC	9,601,750
		60,831,006
Semi-Conductors-1.5%		

9,690	Amkor Technology, Inc., 9.25%. 6/1/16	B1/B+	9,665,775
10,595	Freescale Semiconductor, Inc., 10.125%, 12/15/16	B3/B-	8,979,262
	Software-0.8%		18,645,037
10,605	First Data Corp., 9.875%, 9/24/15 (a) (b)	B3/B	9,610,781
	Telecommunications-6.3%		
8,295	Centennial Cellular Operating Co., 10.125%, 6/15/13	B2/B	8,668,275
4,440	Centennial Communications Corp., 10.00%, 1/1/13	Caa1/CCC+	4,462,200
925	Cincinnati Bell, Inc., 8.375%, 1/15/14	B2/B-	925,000
5,190	Cricket Communications, Inc., 9.375%, 11/1/14	B3/B-	5,034,300
11,640	Hawaiian Telcom Communications, Inc., 12.50%, 5/1/15, Ser. B	Caa3/CCC	2,997,300
12,198	Level 3 Financing, Inc., 12.25%, 3/15/13	Caa1/CCC+	12,746,910
8,315	MasTec, Inc., 7.625%, 2/1/17	B1/B+	7,317,200
13,510	Millicom International Cellular S.A., 10.00%, 12/1/13	B1/BB	14,421,925
10,820	Nortel Networks Ltd., 10.75%, 7/15/16	B3/B-	10,738,850
12,155	West Corp., 11.00%, 10/15/16	Caa1/B-	10,817,950
			78,129,910
	Theaters-0.9%		
11,060	AMC Entertainment, Inc., 11.00%, 2/1/16	B2/CCC+	11,281,200
	Travel Services-0.9%		
12,440	Travelport LLC, 11.875%, 9/1/16	Caa1/CCC+	11,475,900
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	Total Corporate Bonds & Notes (cost-\$531,015,192)		502,887,989

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Principal			
Amount		Credit Rating	
(000)		(Moody's/S&P)	Value*
CONVERTIE	BLE BONDS & NOTES-9.3%		
	Automotive-1.1%		
\$14,260	Ford Motor Co., 4.25%, 12/15/36	Caa1/CCC+	\$13,636,125
	Commercial Services-0.3%		
3,125	Bowne & Co., Inc., 5.00%, 10/1/33	B1/B-	3,168,125
	Computers-1.5%		
17,260	Maxtor Corp., 6.80%, 4/30/10	Ba1/NR	18,468,200
	Hotels/Gaming-0.2%		
2,125	Mandalay Resort Group, Inc., 3.349%, 3/21/33 (d)	Ba2/BB	3,006,875
2,123	Mandalay Resolt Group, Inc., 3.349%, 3/21/33 (d)	Daz/Db	3,000,873
	Internet-1.2%		
13,320	Amazon.com, Inc., 4.75%, 2/1/09	Ba2/B+	14,801,850
	Real Estate (REIT)-0.8%		
10,750	Developers Diversified Realty Corp., 3.00%, 3/15/12	NR/BBB	9,661,563
	Retail-1.4%		
18,535	Sonic Automotive, Inc., 5.25%, 5/7/09	B2/B	18,071,660
	Telecommunications-2.8%		
20,000	Level 3 Communications, Inc., 6.00%, 3/15/10	Caa3/CCC	18,250,000
16,885	Nextel Communications, Inc., 5.25%, 1/15/10	Baa3/BB	16,209,600
			34,459,600
	Total Convertible Bonds & Notes (cost-\$117,646,143)		115,273,998
U.S. GOVER	RNMENT SECURITIES-2.6%		
Principal			
Amount			
(000)			
(000)	United States Treasury Notes,		
\$21,565	12.00%, 8/15/13		21,977,776
\$21,303 9,225	13.25%, 5/15/14		
9,223			10,143,902
	Total U.S. Government Securities (cost-\$35,613,665)		32,121,678
SHORT-TER	RM INVESTMENT-2.1%		
	Time Deposit-2.1%		
25,467	Bank of America London, 1.46%, 6/2/08		25,467,108
	(cost-\$25,467,108)		

**Total Investments** (cost-\$1,289,300,197)**□100.0%** 

\$1,240,319,877

#### Notes to Schedule of Investments:

- Portfolio securities and other financial instruments for which market quotations are readily available are stated at market value. Portfolio securities and other financial instruments for which market quotations are not readily available or if a development/event occurs that may significantly impact the value of a security, are fair valued, in good faith, pursuant to guidelines established by the Board of Trustees or persons acting at their discretion pursuant to procedures approved by the Board of Trustees. The Fund's investments are valued daily using prices supplied by an independent pricing service or dealer quotations, or the last sale price on the exchange that is the primary market for such securities, or the mean between the last quoted bid and ask price for those securities for which the over-the-counter market is the primary market or for listed securities in which there were no sales. Independent pricing services use information provided by market makers or estimates of market values obtained from yield data relating to investments or securities with similar characteristics. Short-term securities maturing in 60 days or less are valued at amortized cost, if their original term to maturity was 60 days or less, or by amortizing their value on the 61st day prior to maturity, if the original term exceeded 60 days. The prices used by the Fund to value securities may differ from the value that would be realized if the securities were sold. The Fund's net asset value is normally determined as of the close of regular trading (normally, 4:00 p.m. Eastern time) on the New York Stock Exchange ("NYSE") on each day the NYSE is open for business.
- \*\* Amount less than 500.
  - (a) 144A Security-Security exempt from registration under Rule 144A of the Securities Act of 1933. These securities may be resold in transactions exempt from registration, typically only to qualified institutional buyers. Unless otherwise indicated, these securities are not considered to be illiquid.
  - (b) Private Placement. Restricted as to resale and may not have a readily available market. Securities with an aggregate market value of \$28,128,176, representing 2.27% of total investments.
  - (c) Credit-linked trust certificate.
  - (d) Variable Rate Notes. Instruments whose interest rates change on specified date (such as a coupon date or interest payment date) and/or whose interest rates vary with changes in a designated base rate (such as the prime interest rate.). The interest rate disclosed reflects the rate in effect on May 31, 2008.
  - (e) Securities exchangeable or convertible into securities of an entity different than the issuer. Such entity is identified in the parenthetical.

#### **Glossary:**

NR∏Not Rated

REIT

Real Estate Investment Trust

Fair Value Measurements ☐ Effective March 1, 2008, the Fund adopted Financial Accounting Standards Board Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 157, Fair Value Measurements ("FAS 157"). This standard clarifies the definition of fair value for financial reporting, establishes a framework for measuring fair value and requires additional disclosures about the use of the fair value measurements. The three levels of the fair value hierarchy under FAS 157 are described below:

${ m oxedsymbol{\square}}$ Level ${ m 1oxedsymbol{\square}}$ quoted prices in active markets for identical investments
☐ Level 2 ☐ other significant observable inputs (including quoted prices for similar investments, interest rateprepayment speeds
credit risk, etc.)
☐ Level 3 ☐ significant unobservable inputs (including the Fund's own assumptions in determining the fair value of investments)

The inputs or methodology used for valuing securities are not necessarily an indication of the risk associated with investing in those securities.

The following is a summary of the inputs used at May 31, 2008 in valuing the Fund's investments carried at value:

**Valuation Inputs** 

Investments in Securities

Level 1 

Quoted Prices

\$ 304,924,624

Level 2 Other Significant

Observable Inputs 925,369,278

Level 3 [Significant

Unobservable Inputs 10,025,975 **Total** \$1,240,319,877

A roll forward of fair value measurement using significant unobservable inputs (Level 3) at May 31, 2008, were as follows:

#### **Investments in Securities**

Beginning balance, 2/29/08 Net purchases (sales) and \$ 3,006,875 settlements Accrued discounts (premiums) Total realized and unrealized gain (loss) 744,450 Transfers in and/or out of Level 6,274,650

Ending balance, 5/31/08

#### **Item 2. Controls and Procedures**

- (a) The registrant President & Chief Executive Officer and Treasurer, Principal Financial & Accounting Officer have concluded that the registrant disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Rule 30a-3(c) under the Act (17 CFR 270.30a -3(c))), are effective based on their evaluation of these controls and procedures as of a date within 90 days of the filing date of this document.
- (b) There were no significant changes in the registrant internal controls over financial reporting (as defined in Rule 30a-3(d) under the Act (17 CFR 270.30a -3(d))) that occurred during the registrant is last fiscal quarter that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant internal control over financial reporting.

#### Item 3. Exhibits

(a) Exhibit 99.302 Cert. ☐ Certification pursuant to Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002

#### **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the Investment Company Act of 1940, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

Registrant: Nicholas-Applegate Convertible & Income Fund II

By /s/ Brian S. Shlissel President & Chief Executive Officer

Date: July 23, 2008

By /s/ Lawrence G. Altadonna Treasurer, Principal Financial & Accounting Officer

Date: July 23, 2008

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the Investment Company Act of 1940, this report has been signed below by the following persons on behalf of the registrant and in the capacities and on the dates indicated.

By /s/ Brian S. Shlissel President & Chief Executive Officer

Date: July 23, 2008

By /s/ Lawrence G. Altadonna Treasurer, Principal Financial & Accounting Officer

Date: July 23, 2008