#### CHAPMAN ERIN E

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### FORM 3

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person \* Statement FIRST TRUST STRATEGIC HIGH INCOME FUND À CHAPMAN ERIN E (Month/Day/Year) [FHI] 06/01/2009 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) FIRST TRUST ADVISORS (Check all applicable) L.P., Â 120 EAST LIBERTY **DRIVE** Director 10% Owner X\_ Officer Other (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group (give title below) (specify below) Filing(Check Applicable Line) **Assistant Secretary** \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person WHEATON. ILÂ 60187 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 3.

1.Title of Security (Instr. 4)

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)

Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)

Ownership

Form:

Common Shares 0 D Â

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security	2. Date Exercisable and	3. Title and Amount of	4.	5.	6. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 4)	Expiration Date	Securities Underlying	Conversion	Ownership	Beneficial Ownership
	(Month/Day/Year)	Derivative Security	or Exercise	Form of	(Instr. 5)
		(Instr. 4)	Price of	Derivative	

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Date Expiration Title Exercisable Date

Amount or Derivative Number of Security Shares Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)

(Instr. 5)

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

CHAPMAN ERIN E

FIRST TRUST ADVISORS L.P.
120 EAST LIBERTY DRIVE

A Â Â Assistant Secretary Â

### **Signatures**

WHEATON, ILÂ 60187

/s/ Erin E.
Chapman

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

### **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(b)(v).
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