DREYFUS HIGH YIELD STRATEGIES FUND

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August 17, 2006
UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, DC 20549

FORM N-PX

ANNUAL REPORT OF PROXY VOTING RECORD OF REGISTERED MANAGEMENT INVESTMENT COMPANY

Investment Company Act file number: 811-08703

Dreyfus High Yield Strategies Fund

(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter) c/o The Dreyfus Corporation 200 Park Avenue
New York, New York 10166

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip code) Mark N. Jacobs, Esq. 200 Park Avenue

New York, New York 10166

(Name and address of agent for service)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (212) 922-6000

Date of fiscal year end: 3/31

Date of reporting period: July 1, 2005-June 30, 2006

Item 1. Proxy Voting Record

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ADELPHIA COMMUNICATIONS CORP.

Ticker: ADELQ Security ID: 006848BC8

Meeting Date: MAY 14, 2006 Meeting Type: Written Consent

Record Date: NOV 28, 2005

Proposal Mgt Rec Vote Cast Sponsor

1 DEBTORS FOURTH AMENDED JOINT PLAN OF None For Management

REORGANIZATION UNDER CHAPTER 11 OF THE BANKRUPTCY CODE DATED NOVEMBER 21, 2005.M

HUNTSMAN CORP

Ticker: HUN Security ID: 447011107

Meeting Date: MAY 4, 2006 Meeting Type: Annual

Record Date: MAR 16, 2006

#	Proposal	Mgt Rec	Vote Cast	Sponsor
1.1	Elect Director Peter R. Huntsman	For	For	Management
1.2	Elect Director Wayne A. Reaud	For	For	Management
1.3	Elect Director Alvin V. Shoemaker	For	For	Management
2	Ratify Auditors	For	For	Management

HUNTSMAN CORP

Ticker: HUN Security ID: 447011107

Meeting Date: NOV 2, 2005 Meeting Type: Annual

Record Date: SEP 13, 2005

#	Proposal	Mgt Rec	Vote Cast	Sponsor
1.1	Elect Director Jon M. Huntsman	For	For	Management
1.2	Elect Director Marsha J. Evans	For	For	Management
1.3	Elect Director David J. Matlin	For	For	Management
1.4	Elect Director Christopher R. Pechock	For	For	Management
2	Ratify Auditors	For	For	Management

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ION MEDIA NETWORKS INC

Ticker: ION Security ID: 704231604 Meeting Date: JUN 23, 2006 Meeting Type: Annual

Record Date: APR 24, 2006

#	Proposal	Mgt Rec	Vote Ca	st Sponsor
1	Elect Director Frederick M	1. R. Smith For	For	Management
2	Change Company Name	For	For	Management
3	Increase Authorized Common Stock	For	For	Management
4	Approve Omnibus Stock Plan	For	For	Management
5	Ratify Auditors	For	For	Management

MIRANT CORP

Ticker: MIR.XA Security ID: 60467R100

Meeting Date: MAY 9, 2006 Meeting Type: Annual

Record Date: MAR 24, 2006

#	Proposal	Mgt Rec	Vote Cast	Sponsor
1.1	Elect Director Thomas W. Cason	For	For	Management
1.2	Elect Director A.D. Correll	For	For	Management
1.3	Elect Director Terry G. Dallas	For	For	Management
1.4	Elect Director Thomas H. Johnson	For	For	Management
1.5	Elect Director John T. Miller	For	For	Management
1.6	Elect Director Edward R. Muller	For	For	Management
1.7	Elect Director Robert C. Murray	For	For	Management
1.8	Elect Director John M. Quain	For	For	Management
1.9	Elect Director William L. Thacker	For	For	Management
2	Ratify Auditors	For	For	Management

MIRANT CORP

Ticker: MIR.XA Security ID: 842815AC6

Meeting Date: NOV 10, 2005 Meeting Type: Written Consent

Record Date: SEP 28, 2005

Proposal Mgt Rec Vote Cast Sponsor
1 PLAN OF REORGANIZATION For Management

WILLIAMS COMPANIES, INC., THE

Ticker: WMB Security ID: 969457100

Meeting Date: MAY 18, 2006 Meeting Type: Annual

Record Date: MAR 27, 2006

#	Proposal	Mgt Rec	Vote Cast	Sponsor
1.1	Elect Director Irl F. Engelhardt	For	For	Management
1.2	Elect Director William R. Granberry	For	For	Management
1.3	Elect Director William E. Green	For	For	Management
1.4	Elect Director W.R. Howell	For	For	Management
1.5	Elect Director George A. Lorch	For	For	Management
2	Ratify Auditors	For	For	Management
3	Require a Majority Vote for the Election	Against	For	Shareholder
	of Directors			

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of 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.

Dreyfus High Yield Strategies Fund

By: /s/ Stephen E. Canter

Stephen E. Canter

President

Date: August 16, 2006

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