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### CERTIFIED SHAREHOLDER REPORT OF REGISTERED MANAGEMENT INVESTMENT COMPANIES

Investment Company Act File Number: 811-21676

Eaton Vance Tax-Managed Buy-Write Income Fund (Exact Name of registrant as Specified in Charter)

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> > **December 31** Date of Fiscal Year End

**December 31, 2006** Date of Reporting Period Item 1. Reports to Stockholders

Annual Report December 31, 2006

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INVESTMENT UPDATE

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#### The Fund

- Eaton Vance Tax-Managed Buy-Write Income Fund (the Fund) is a diversified, closed-end investment company traded on the New York Stock Exchange under the symbol ETB.
- Based on share price, the Fund had a total return of 27.44% for the year ended December 31, 2006. This return resulted from an increase in share price to \$21.10 on December 31, 2006, from \$18.16 on December 31, 2005, and the reinvestment of \$1.80 in quarterly distributions.
- Based on net asset value (NAV), the Fund had a total return of 14.88% for the year ended December 31, 2006. This return resulted from an increase in NAV per share to \$20.32 on December 31, 2006, from \$19.40 on December 31, 2005, and the reinvestment of all

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distributions.

- For comparison, the CBOE S&P 500 BuyWrite Index an unmanaged stock-plus-covered-call index created and maintained by the Chicago Board Options Exchange had a return of 13.33% during the same period.(1) The S&P 500 Stock Index a broad-based, unmanaged, market index commonly used as a measure of overall U.S. stock market performance had a total return of 15.78% during the same period.(1)
- The Fund s Lipper peer group, Lipper Options Arbitrage/Options Strategies Funds Classification, had a total return of 13.71% at NAV during the same period.(1)

#### **Management Discussion**

- The Fund s primary investment objective is to provide current income and gains, with a secondary objective of capital appreciation. In pursuing these objectives, the Fund invests in a diversified portfolio of common stocks that seeks to exceed the performance of the S&P 500 Stock Index,(1) sells S&P 500 call options on a continuous basis and employs a number of tax-management strategies.
- The U.S. stock market moved modestly higher through April 2006, but underwent a sharp correction in May and June 2006, as the spike in oil prices and the flagging real estate market temporarily cooled investor sentiment. The market moved higher in mid-summer, as the Federal Reserve left rates unchanged in a series of meetings. That pause interrupted a string of 17 consecutive rate hikes dating to June 2004. The market rally gained further momentum in the fall of 2006, as energy prices continued to decline from their summer peak. Good corporate earnings and increasing merger activity generated further momentum through the rest of the year.
- The Fund maintained a highly diversified portfolio of stocks that tracked the S&P 500 Stock Index.(1) Among the Fund s common stock holdings, its largest sector weightings at December 31, 2006, were financials, information technology, health care, consumer discretionary and energy.
- The Fund s chief investment strategy seeks current earnings from option premiums. At December 31, 2006, the Fund had written call options on 100% of its equity holdings. The level of option premium available from writing call options is dependent, to a large extent, on investors expectation of the future volatility of the underlying asset. This volatility expectation, or implied volatility, is the primary driving force in determining the level of option premiums.
- The implied volatility of equity index options moderated in the second half of 2006, in step with a slow but steady advance in the U.S. capital markets. This low implied volatility was designed into options modeling and strategy. Should market volatility revert to the

(1) It is not possible to invest directly in an Index or a Lipper Classification. An Index s total return does not reflect commissions or expenses that would have been incurred if an investor individually purchased or sold the securities represented in the Index. The Lipper average is the average total return, at net asset value, of the funds that are in the same Lipper Classification as the Fund. Lipper Averages are available as of month end only.

Past performance is no guarantee of future results. Returns are historical and are calculated by determining the percentage change in net asset value or share price (as applicable) with all distributions reinvested. The Fund s performance at market share price will differ from its results at NAV. Although share price performance generally reflects investment results over time, during shorter periods, returns at share price can also be affected by factors such as changing perceptions about the Fund, market conditions, fluctuations in supply and demand for the Fund s shares, or changes in Fund distributions. Investment return and principal value will fluctuate so that shares, when sold, may be worth more or less than their original cost. Performance is for the stated time period only; due to market volatility, the Fund s current performance may be lower or higher than quoted. For performance as of the most recent month end, please refer to www.eatonvance.com.

Fund shares are not insured by the FDIC and are not deposits or other obligations of, or guaranteed by, any depository institution. Shares are subject to investment risks, including possible loss of principal invested.

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mean by increasing, the higher attendant implied volatilities and thus, higher option premiums benefit the Fund by giving Rampart the opportunity to generate more income and/or write call options further out-of-the-money.

A call option is out-of-the-money when its strike price is greater than the price of the underlying security. The Fund tends to write farther out-of-the-money options after a market decline (when implied volatility typically increases) a good time to have more upside exposure. Conversely, the Fund tends to write closer-to-the-money options after a period of market strength (when implied volatility typically decreases) a good time to be taking a more conservative position. In effect, this strategy seeks to emulate a buy low (less hedge)/sell high (more hedge) investment approach.

Management pursued a tax-managed strategy in order to minimize the impact of federal income taxes. The Fund used losses to offset gains, selected share lots for sale that would result in more favorable tax treatment and emphasized investments in stocks paying qualified dividend income.

#### Performance

Average Annual Total Returns (by share price, New York Stock Exchange)	
One Year	27.44 %
Life of Fund (4/29/05)	15.21
Average Annual Total Returns (at net asset value)	
One Year	14.88 %
Life of Fund	12.66

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#### Sector Weightings(1)

By total investments

(1) Reflects the Fund s total investments as of December 31, 2006. Fund information may not be representative of the Fund s current or future investments and may change due to active management.

#### Ten Largest Holdings(2)

By total investments

Exxon Mobil Corp.	4.1 %
General Electric Co.	3.6
Citigroup, Inc.	2.7
Microsoft Corp.	2.6
Bank of America Corp.	2.4
Procter & Gamble Co.	2.0
Cisco Systems, Inc.	1.9
Chevron Corp.	1.8
International Business Machines Corp.	1.7
Johnson & Johnson Co.	1.6

(2) Ten Largest Holdings represented 24.4% of the Fund s total investments as of December 31, 2006. Fund information may not be representative of the Fund s current or future investments and may change due to active management.

### PORTFOLIO OF INVESTMENTS

Common Stocks 100.7%		
	Sharea	Value
Security	Shares	Value
Aerospace & Defense 2.0%	27.222	¢ 2.410.201
Boeing Co.	27,232	\$ 2,419,291
Honeywell International, Inc.	64,761	2,929,788
Northrop Grumman Corp.	26,780	1,813,006
Rockwell Collins, Inc.	7,248	458,726
United Technologies Corp.	38,848	2,428,777
		\$ 10,049,588
Air Freight & Logistics 0.5%		
United Parcel Service, Inc., Class B	36,301	\$ 2,721,849
		\$ 2,721,849
Airlines 0.4%		
Southwest Airlines Co.	122,034	\$ 1,869,561
		\$ 1,869,561
Auto Components 0.4%		
BorgWarner, Inc.	16,316	\$ 962,970
Johnson Controls, Inc.	13,713	1,178,221
		\$ 2,141,191
Beverages 3.2%		
Anheuser-Busch Cos, Inc.	79,253	\$ 3,899,248
Brown-Forman Corp., Class B	6,113	404,925
Coca-Cola Co.	130,353	6,289,532
PepsiCo, Inc.	82,053	5,132,415
		\$ 15,726,120
Biotechnology 1.3%		
Amgen, Inc. <sup>(1)</sup>	64,255	\$ 4,389,259
Biogen Idec, Inc. <sup>(1)</sup>	35,276	1,735,226
CV Therapeutics, Inc. <sup>(1)</sup>	10,306	143,872
		\$ 6,268,357
Capital Markets 3.8%		
Amvescap PLC ADR	54,842	\$ 1,351,855
Bank of New York Co., Inc.	99,510	3,917,709
Credit Suisse Group ADR	21,404	1,495,069
Federated Investors, Inc., Class B	32,602	1,101,296
Franklin Resources, Inc.	31,557	3,476,635
	51,557	5,110,055

Shares	Value
3,037	\$ 605,426
31,837	2,964,025
49,306	4,014,988
	\$ 18,927,003
	3,037 31,837

Chemicals 1.3%

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Ashland, Inc.	6,811	\$ 471,185
E.I. du Pont de Nemours and Co.	77,067	3,753,934
Eastman Chemical Co.	31,031	1,840,449
Rohm and Haas Co.	7,911	404,410
		\$ 6,469,978
Commercial Banks 2.9%		
Comerica, Inc.	6,819	\$ 400,139
Compass Bancshares, Inc.	5,081	303,082
First Horizon National Corp.	5,141	214,791
Huntington Bancshares, Inc.	9,423	223,796
Marshall & Ilsley Corp.	8,458	406,914
National City Corp.	89,918	3,287,402
Popular, Inc.	50,757	911,088
Wachovia Corp.	105,100	5,985,445
Wells Fargo & Co.	82,804	2,944,510
		\$ 14,677,167
Commercial Services & Supplies 1.0%		
Acco Brands Corp. <sup>(1)</sup>	4,260	\$ 112,762
Avery Dennison Corp.	382	25,949
Cintas Corp.	28,120	1,116,645
R.R. Donnelley & Sons Co.	57,895	2,057,588
Waste Management, Inc.	51,616	1,897,920
		\$ 5,210,864
Communications Equipment 4.0%		
Cisco Systems, Inc. <sup>(1)</sup>	343,090	\$ 9,376,650
Corning, Inc. <sup>(1)</sup>	112,580	2,106,372
Harris Corp.	30,013	1,376,396
Motorola, Inc.	116,382	2,392,814
Nokia Oyj ADR	48,082	977,026
QUALCOMM, Inc.	90,295	3,412,248
Tellabs, Inc. <sup>(1)</sup>	25,662	263,292
		\$ 19,904,798

See notes to financial statements

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Security	Shares	Value
Computer Peripherals 3.1%		
Hewlett-Packard Co.	41,218	\$ 1,697,769
International Business Machines Corp.	89,023	8,648,584
Network Appliance, Inc. <sup>(1)</sup>	30,962	1,216,187
Palm, Inc. <sup>(1)</sup>	18,656	262,863
SanDisk Corp. <sup>(1)</sup>	20,338	875,144
Seagate Technology	66,365	1,758,672
Synaptics, Inc. <sup>(1)</sup>	39,754	1,180,296
		\$ 15,639,515
Construction & Engineering 0.1%		
Fluor Corp.	8,580	\$ 700,557
		\$ 700,557
Consumer Finance 1.0%		
American Express Co.	47,841	\$ 2,902,513
Capital One Financial Corp.	28,163	2,163,482
		\$ 5,065,995
Containers & Packaging 0.2%		
Bemis Co., Inc.	8,256	\$ 280,539
Temple-Inland, Inc.	20,807	957,746
		\$ 1,238,285
Distributors 0.1%		
Genuine Parts Co.	7,145	\$ 338,887
		\$ 338,887
Diversified Consumer Services 0.3%		
H&R Block, Inc.	58,152	\$ 1,339,822
		\$ 1,339,822
Diversified Financial Services 6.6%		
Bank of America Corp.	226,316	\$ 12,083,011
Citigroup, Inc.	246,225	13,714,732
JPMorgan Chase & Co.	144,915	6,999,394
		\$ 32,797,137
Diversified Telecommunication Services 3.4%		
AT&T, Inc.	169,919	\$ 6,074,604
BellSouth Corp.	12,669	596,837
Citizens Communications Co.	177,817	