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

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ANNUAL REPORT OF PROXY VOTING RECORD OF REGISTERED MANAGEMENT INVESTMENT COMPANY

Investment Company Act file number: 811-2151

BANCROFT CONVERTIBLE FUND, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

65 Madison Avenue, Morristown, New Jersey 07960-7308

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(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip code)

Thomas H. Dinsmore Bancroft Convertible Fund, Inc. 65 Madison Avenue Morristown, New Jersey 07960-7308 (Name and address of agent for service)

Copy to: Martha J. Hays, Esq. Ballard Spahr Andrews & Ingersoll, LLP 1735 Market Street Philadelphia, PA 19103-7599

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: 973-631-1177 Date of fiscal year end: October 31 Date of reporting period: June 30, 2005

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Item 1. Proxy Voting Record

Description	Proposal Type	Voted	Vote	For/ Agnst Mgmt
Issuer: Valero Energy Corp. Ticker symbol: VLO CUSIP: 91913Y407 Meeting date: 4/28/2005				
Election of Directors	MGMT	YES	FOR ALL	FOR
Ratification of the appointment of independent auditors for 2005	MGMT	YES	FOR	FOR

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Approval of the 2005 Omnibus Stock Incentive Plan	MGMT	YES	FOR	FOR			
Issuer: Kerr-McGee Corp. Ticker symbol: KMG CUSIP: 492386107 Meeting date: 5/10/2005							
Election of Directors	MGMT	YES	FOR ALL	FOR			
Ratification of the appointment of independent auditors for 2005	MGMT	YES	FOR	FOR			
Approval of 2005 Long Term Incentive Plan	MGMT	YES	FOR	FOR			
Approval to amend the Certificate of Incorporation to increase the authorized number of Shares of Common Stock	MGMT	YES	FOR	FOR			
Shareholder proposal to establish an Office of the Board of Directors	SHLDR	YES	ABSTAIN	AGNST			
Issuer: Emmis Communications Corp. Ticker symbol: EMMS CUSIP: 291525202 Meeting date: 6/13/2005							
Approval of amendment to the	MGMT	YES	FOR	FOR			

## 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.

Bancroft Convertible Fund, Inc. By /s/Thomas H. Dinsmore Thomas H. Dinsmore Principal Executive Officer Date: July 26, 2005

Articles of Incorporation