Clough Global Equity Fund Form N-Q September 26, 2017

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

FORM N-Q

QUARTERLY SCHEDULE OF PORTFOLIO HOLDINGS OF REGISTERED MANAGEMENT INVESTMENT COMPANY

Investment Company Act file number: 811-21712

<u>CLOUGH GLOBAL EQUITY FUND</u> (Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

<u>1290 Broadway, Suite 1100, Denver, Colorado 80203</u> (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip code)

Sareena Khwaja-Dixon Clough Global Equity Fund 1290 Broadway, Suite 1100 <u>Denver, Colorado 80203</u> (Name and address of agent for service)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (303) 623-2577

Date of fiscal year end: October 31

Date of reporting period: July 31, 2017

Item 1 – Schedule of Investments.

The Schedule of Investments is included herewith.

Clough Global Dividend and Income Fund STATEMENT OF INVESTMENTS July 31, 2017 (Unaudited)

	Shares	Value
COMMON STOCKS 69.02%		
Consumer Discretionary 10.43%		
DR Horton, Inc. ^{(a)(b)}	76,026	\$2,713,368
Lennar Corp Class A ^{(a)(b)}	18,100	949,164
Liberty Broadband Corp Class C ^{(a)(b)(c)}	27,948	2,771,883
Liberty Ventures - Series A ^{(a)(b)(c)}	89,243	5,406,341
Man Wah Holdings, Ltd.	368,800	318,712
PulteGroup, Inc. ^{(a)(b)}	65,600	1,601,952
Service Corp. International ^{(a)(b)}	29,100	1,010,643
Sony Corp.	27,700	1,140,714
		15,912,777
Consumer Staples 1.15%		
Japan Tobacco, Inc.	50,700	1,763,198
Energy 0.72%		
Fairway Energy LP ^{(c)(d)(e)(f)}	130,700	1,099,187
Tanway Energy Er Control	130,700	1,099,107
Financials 28.20%		
Ares Capital Corp. ^(a)	290,200	4,756,378
Ares Commercial Real Estate Corp. ^(a)	70,300	899,840
Bank of America Corp. ^{(a)(b)}	218,091	5,260,355
Blackstone Mortgage Trust, Inc Class A ^(a)	100,300	3,096,261
Citigroup, Inc. ^{(a)(b)}	83,530	5,717,629
Community Healthcare Trust, Inc. ^(a)	108,100	2,742,497
Franklin Resources, Inc. ^(a)	20,800	931,424
Global Medical REIT, Inc. ^(a)	77,000	716,100
Golub Capital BDC, Inc. ^(a)	128,400	2,511,504
JPMorgan Chase & Co. ^{(a)(b)}	29,800	2,735,640
Ladder Capital Corp. ^(a)	55,518	730,617
MTGE Investment Corp. ^(a)	24,000	446,400
PennyMac Mortgage Investment Trust ^(a)	116,614	2,052,406
Solar Capital, Ltd.	99,600	2,176,260
Solar Senior Capital, Ltd. ^(a)	66,900	1,179,447
Starwood Property Trust, Inc. ^(a)	241,200	5,316,048
Welltower, Inc. ^{(a)(b)}	24,000	1,761,360
		43,030,166
Health Care 6.22%	00.007	1 (00 520
Bristol-Myers Squibb Co. ^{(a)(b)}	28,287	1,609,530
Cardiome Pharma Corp. $^{(a)(b)(c)}$	149,200	628,132
Merck & Co., Inc. ^{(a)(b)}	49,700	3,174,836

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Pfizer, Inc. ^{(a)(b)}	122,900	4,075,364 9,487,862		
Industrials 1.69% AMERCO ^{(a)(b)}	6,630	2,576,153	C1	X 7 1
Information Technology 20.10%			Shares	Value
Apple, Inc. ^{(a)(b)}			43,310	\$6,441,496
Broadcom, Ltd. ^{(a)(b)}			17,645	4,352,316
Cognizant Technology Solutions Corp Class	ss A ^{(a)(b)}		21,100	1,462,652
Cypress Semiconductor Corp. ^(a)			126,900	1,801,980
Foxconn Technology Co., Ltd.			316,000	950,234
Lam Research Corp. ^(a) Microsoft Corp. ^{(a)(b)}			15,300 46,300	2,439,738 3,366,010
Nintendo Co., Ltd.			40,500 1,800	611,946
Samsung Electronics Co., Ltd.			2,552	5,496,019
Ulvac, Inc.			16,300	875,287
ViaSat, Inc. ^{(a)(b)(c)}			25,749	1,701,752
Western Digital Corp. ^{(a)(b)}			13,700	1,166,144 30,665,574
Materials 0.51%			0.(22	774.000
Chr Hansen Holding A/S			9,622	774,998
TOTAL COMMON STOCKS (Cost \$91,488,799)				105,309,915
CLOSED-END FUNDS 1.97%				
Adams Diversified Equity Fund, Inc. ^(a)			132,430	1,957,315
Alpine Global Premier Properties Fund ^(a)			46,300	300,487
Liberty All-Star Equity Fund ^(a)			70,600	403,832
Pioneer High Income Trust			35,100	351,351
				3,012,985
TOTAL CLOSED-END FUNDS				
(Cost \$2,503,346)				3,012,985
PARTICIPATION NOTES 1.18%				
Consumer Discretionary 0.77% Midea Group Co., Ltd Class A (Loan Partic	vination Note	es issued by Morgan Stanley Asia		
Products), expiring 05/13/2019 ^(d)		is issued by worgan stanley Asia	192,800	1,180,484
Consumer Staples 0.41%				
Kweichow Moutai Co., Ltd Class A (Loan Asia Products), expiring 11/09/2017 ^(d)	Participatior	n Notes issued by Morgan Stanley	8,717	623,400
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TOTAL PARTICIPATION NOTES (Cost \$1,358,211)				1,803,884
(2000 \$1,000,211)				1,000,007

	Shares	Value
PREFERRED STOCKS 2.81%		
Annaly Capital Management, Inc. ^(a)		
Series E, 7.625%	47,542	\$1,214,222
Ares Management LP ^(a)		
Series A, 7.000%	35,000	943,950
Hercules Capital, Inc., 6.250%	7,700	196,350
MTGE Investment Corp. ^(a)		
Series A, 8.125%	10,640	275,257
PennyMac Mortgage Investment Trust		
Series A, 8.125% ^(a)	22,000	560,780
Series B, 8.000%	10,000	250,500
Solar Capital, Ltd., 6.750%	3,478	87,889
Two Harbors Investment Corp. ^(a)		
Series A, 8.125%	28,500	756,105 4,285,053
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TOTAL PREFERRED STOCKS		
(Cost \$4,077,167)		4,285,053
(Cost \$4,077,107)		4,205,055
WARRANTS 0.00% ^{(c)(g)}		
Atlas Mara, Ltd., Strike price 11.50, Expires 12/17/2017 ^(d)	116,958	322
And Mara, Ed., Surke price 11.30, Expres 12/17/2017	110,750	522
TOTAL WARRANTS		
(Cost \$1,170)		322
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Description and	Principal	** 1
Maturity Date	Amount	Value
CORPORATE BONDS 35.59%		
Amazon.com, Inc.		
11/29/2022, 2.500% ^{(a)(b)}	\$1,000,000	1,014,054
Ares Capital Corp.		
11/30/2018, 4.875% ^{(a)(b)}	1,000,000	1,036,172
01/19/2022, 3.625% ^(a)	1,402,000	1,426,936
AvalonBay Communities, Inc.	, - ,	, -,
09/15/2022, 2.950% ^(a)	1,000,000	1,017,950
Bank of America Corp.		
Series L, 01/15/2019, 2.600% ^{(a)(b)}	1,000,000	1,010,624
Berkshire Hathaway Energy Co.	, ,	, ,
11/15/2018, 2.000% ^(a)	1,000,000	1,003,834
BMW US Capital LLC		
09/15/2021, 1.850% ^(h)	500,000	493,048
09/15/2021, 1.850% ^{(a)(d)}	1,000,000	986,063
Boston Properties LP	, ,	,
05/15/2021, 4.125% ^(a)	1,000,000	1,061,739
BP Capital Markets PLC	, ,	
05/10/2019, 2.237% ^(a)	1,000,000	1,009,226
Chubb INA Holdings, Inc.	, , -	
11/03/2020, 2.300% ^{(a)(b)}	1,000,000	1,011,836
Citizens Bank National Association	, , -	

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03/14/2019, 2.500% ^(a) 05/13/2021, 2.550% ^{(a)(b)}			1,000,000 2,000,000	1,008,645 2,008,844
Dr Pepper Snapple Group, Inc.			2,000,000	2,000,044
11/15/2021, 2.530% ^(a)			965,000	976,053
EMC Corp.			705,000	770,055
06/01/2020, 2.650% ^(a)			1,000,000	987,246
06/01/2023, 3.375% ^(a)			1,000,000	971,144
Description and	Principal		1,000,000	971,144
Maturity Date	Amount	Value		
CORPORATE BONDS (continued)	Allount			
Exelon Generation Co. LLC				
10/01/2017, 6.200% ^{(a)(b)}	¢ 1 000 000	¢ 1 006 0	075	
	\$1,000,000 750,000	\$1,006,9		
01/15/2020, 2.950% ^(a)	730,000	766,23	5	
First Republic Bank	1 000 000	1 007	001	
$06/17/2019, 2.375\%^{(a)}$	1,000,000	1,007,0		
02/13/2047, 4.625% ^(a)	1,000,000	1,019,4	454	
Five Corners Funding Trust	2 000 000	0 177	400	
11/15/2023, 4.419% ^{(a)(b)(d)}	2,000,000	2,177,4	402	
Ford Motor Credit Co. LLC	1 000 000	1.000		
03/12/2019, 2.375% ^(a)	1,000,000	1,006,0		
03/18/2021, 3.336% ^{(a)(b)}	1,000,000	1,024,0	650	
General Motors Financial Co., Inc.	1 000 000	1 00 1	60.0	
04/10/2018, 2.400% ^(a)	1,000,000	1,004,0	600	
Goldman Sachs Group, Inc.				
04/25/2019, 2.000% ^{(a)(b)}	1,000,000	1,003,0		
09/15/2020, 2.750% ^{(a)(b)}	1,000,000	1,015,0		
11/15/2021, 2.350% ^(a)	1,000,000	992,16	b 1	
Jackson National Life Global Funding				
$04/29/2021, 2.250\%^{(a)(d)}$	1,000,000	993,73	50	
Jersey Central Power & Light Co.				
06/15/2018, 4.800% ^(a)	1,000,000	1,022,	800	
JPMorgan Chase & Co.				
$06/07/2021, 2.400\%^{(a)}$	1,000,000	1,003,		
09/23/2022, 3.250%	1,000,000	1,033,2	273	
Lear Corp.				
01/15/2023, 4.750% ^(a)	1,497,000	1,549,		
01/15/2025, 5.250% ^(a)	1,000,000	1,071,9	965	
Liberty Mutual Group, Inc.				
$03/15/2037, 4.151\%^{(a)(b)(d)(i)}$	1,500,000	1,473,	750	
Manufacturers & Traders Trust Co.				
02/06/2020, 2.100% ^(a)	1,000,000	1,004,	865	
Metropolitan Life Global Funding I				
$09/15/2021, 1.950\%^{(a)(d)}$	1,000,000	985,12	24	
Morgan Stanley				
01/24/2019, 2.500% ^(a)	1,000,000	1,009,	715	
06/16/2020, 2.800% ^(a)	1,000,000	1,018,	718	
New York Life Global Funding				
04/09/2020, 2.000% ^{(a)(d)}	1,000,000	1,001,	506	
ONE Gas, Inc.				
02/01/2019, 2.070% ^(a)	1,114,000	1,117,	159	
PNC Bank National Association				

11/05/2020, 2.450% ^(a)	1,000,000	1,013,900
Pricoa Global Funding I	1 000 000	
05/16/2019, 2.200% ^{(a)(d)}	1,000,000	1,007,670
Scripps Networks Interactive, Inc. 06/15/2022, 3.500% ^{(a)(b)}	800,000	819,280
Sempra Energy	000,000	017,200
10/07/2019, 1.625% ^{(a)(b)}	1,000,000	995,755
VF Corp.		
09/01/2021, 3.500% ^(a)	1,000,000	1,044,527
Voya Financial, Inc. 02/15/2018, 2.900% ^(a)	1,000,000	1,006,357
Wells Fargo & Co.	1,000,000	1,000,557
12/07/2020, 2.550% ^{(a)(b)}	2,000,000	2,027,616
Welltower, Inc.		
04/01/2019, 4.125% ^(a)	1,000,000	1,031,948

Description and Maturity Date CORPORATE BONDS (continued) Xcel Energy, Inc. 03/15/2021, 2.400% ^{(a)(b)}	Principal Amount \$2,000,000	Value \$2,016,668		
TOTAL CORPORATE BONDS (Cost \$54,014,153)		54,296,324		
ASSET/MORTGAGE BACKED SECURITIES 7.83% Federal National Mortgage Association - REMICS Series 2017-60, Class C, 08/25/2047, 3.500% ^(f) Government National Mortgage Association - REMICS	1,000,000	990,000		
Series 2014-67, Class AE, 05/16/2039, 2.150%	1,100,856	1,113,801		
Series 2012-83, Class A, 07/16/2041, 1.368%	770,776	748,628		
Series 2014-172, Class AC, 09/16/2041, 1.900%	525,430	525,067		
Series 2011-47, Class C, 02/16/2042, 3.844% ⁽ⁱ⁾	539,673	551,895		
Series 2013-68, Class AC, 02/16/2046, 1.300%	826,881	789,089		
Series 2015-130, Class AB, 08/16/2047, 2.550%	786,028	788,192		
Series 2016-92, Class AB, 04/16/2050, 2.100%	490,654	486,657		
Series 2014-166, Class PJ, 07/16/2051, 2.500%	678,962	681,537		
Series 2012-111, Class A, 09/16/2052, 2.387%	1,291,951	1,290,964		
Series 2012-125, Class AB, 02/16/2053, 2.111% ⁽ⁱ⁾	665,914	648,930		
Series 2013-101, Class AD, 12/16/2053, 2.623% ⁽ⁱ⁾	745,140	732,942		
Series 2017-29, Class A, 01/16/2058, 2.400%	2,486,726	2,456,572		
United States Small Business Administration				
Series 2008-20L, Class 1, 12/01/2028, 6.220%	130,265	144,585		
TOTAL ASSET/MORTGAGE BACKED SECURITIES				
(Cost \$12,088,238)		11,948,859		
GOVERNMENT & AGENCY OBLIGATIONS 8.62%				
U.S. Treasury Bonds				
11/15/2026, 6.500% ^(a)	1,600,000	2,171,062		
08/15/2029, 6.125% ^(a)	1,250,000	1,740,356		
05/15/2030, 6.250%	1,000,000	1,423,711		
02/15/2038, 4.375%	1,000,000	1,266,699		
05/15/2040, 4.375%	500,000	634,434		
11/15/2040, 4.250%	3,000,000	3,747,246		
02/15/2044, 3.625%	1,000,000	1,143,398		
02/15/2047, 3.000%	1,000,000	1,021,328		
5_/10/2017,0100070	1,000,000	1,021,020		
TOTAL GOVERNMENT & AGENCY OBLIGATIONS				
(Cost \$13,165,331)		13,148,234		
Description and			Principal	X 7 1
Maturity Date			Amount	Value
MUNICIPAL BONDS 6.30%				
Colorado State Housing & Finance Authority Revenue Bo	onds, Series A			
08/01/2047, 3.000%	\$1,625,000	\$1,627,470		
Florida State Board of Administration Finance Corp. Reve	enue Bonds, Se	eries A		
07/01/2021, 2.638% ^(a)	,		2,000,000	2,020,260
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Memphis-Shelby County, Tennessee Industrial Development Board Revenue Bonds, Series C 11/01/2022, 2.608% ^(a)	1,000,0	00 1,010,080
New York City Transitional Finance Authority Revenue Bonds, Series E-2 02/01/2026, 3.080% New York State Transportation Development Corp. Revenue Bonds, Series B	1,000,0	
07/01/2024, 3.023%	1,000,0	00 974,050
New York State Urban Development Corp. Revenue Bonds, Series B 03/15/2023, 2.670% Wisconsin State General Fund Annual Appropriation Revenue Bonds, Series A	1,000,0	00 1,007,940
05/01/2023, 2.049% ^(a)	1,000,0 1,000,0	,
TOTAL MUNICIPAL BONDS (Cost \$9,600,937)		9,613,300
	Shares	Value
SHORT-TERM INVESTMENTS 4.44% Money Market Fund 4.44%		
BlackRock Liquidity Funds, T-Fund Portfolio - Institutional Class (0.887% 7-day yield)	6,772,040	6,772,040
TOTAL SHORT-TERM INVESTMENTS (Cost \$6,772,040)		6,772,040
Total Investments - 137.76% (Cost \$195,069,392)		210,190,916
Liabilities in Excess of Other Assets - (37.76%) ^(j)		(57,614,288)

Liabilities in Excess of Other Assets - (37.76%)^(j) NET ASSETS - 100.00% SCHEDULE OF SECURITIES SOLD SHORT ^(c) Shares Value

COMMON STOCKS (7.18%) Consumer Discretionary (1.42%) Viacom, Inc. - Class B (33,700) (1,176,804) \$ 152,576,628

SCHEDULE OF SECURITIES SOLD SHORT ^(c) (continued) Consumer Discretionary (continued)	Shares	Value
Williams-Sonoma, Inc.	(21,300)	\$(988,959) (2,165,763)
Financials (1.17%)		
Ally Financial, Inc.	(52,700)	(1,193,128)
Deutsche Bank AG	(31,300)	(558,392)
Santander Consumer USA Holdings, Inc.	(2,100)	(26,901)
		(1,778,421)
Health Care (1.73%)		
AmerisourceBergen Corp.	(9,200)	(863,144)
McKesson Corp.	(5,500)	(890,285)
Owens & Minor, Inc.	(27,400)	(883,102)
		(2,636,531)
Information Technology (2.86%)		
Amkor Technology, Inc.	(72,700)	(753,899)
AU Optronics Corp Sponsored ADR	(76,300)	(306,726)
Ingenico Group SA	(6,543)	(686,416)
International Business Machines Corp.	(12,200)	(1,764,974)
LINE Corp Sponsored ADR	(19,700)	(724,172)
Manhattan Associates, Inc.	(3,000)	(132,600)
		(4,368,787)
TOTAL COMMON STOCKS		
(Proceeds \$10,855,487)		(10,949,502)
EXCHANGE TRADED FUNDS (0.61%)		
United States Natural Gas Fund LP	(147,200)	(930,304)
TOTAL EXCHANGE TRADED FUNDS		
(Proceeds \$1,161,828)		(930,304)
TOTAL SECURITIES SOLD SHOPT		
TOTAL SECURITIES SOLD SHORT (Proceeds \$12,017,315)		\$(11,879,806)

Pledged security; a portion or all of the security is pledged as collateral for securities sold short or borrowings. As of (a) July 31, 2017, the aggregate value of those securities was \$150,369,573, representing 98.55% of net assets. (See Note 1 and Note 3)

(b)Loaned security; a portion or all of the security is on loan as of July 31, 2017.

(c) Non-income producing security.

Security exempt from registration of the Securities Act of 1933. These securities may be resold in transactions (d) exempt from registration under Rule 144A, normally to qualified institutional buyers. As of July 31, 2017, these securities had an aggregate value of \$11,528,638 or 7.56% of net assets.

Private Placement; these securities may only be resold in transactions exempt from registration under the Securities (e) Act of 1933. As of July 31, 2017, these securities had a total value of \$1,099,187 or 0.72% of net assets and have been deemed illiquid by the Adviser based on procedures approved by the Board of Trustees. (See Note 1)

^(f) Fair valued security; valued by management in accordance with procedures approved by the Fund's Board of Trustees. As of July 31, 2017, these securities had an aggregate market value of \$2,089,187 or 1.37% of total net assets.

(g)Less than 0.005% or (0.005%) of net assets.

Securities were purchased pursuant to Regulation S under the Securities Act of 1933, which exempts securities offered and sold outside of the United States from registration. Such securities cannot be sold in the United States without either an effective registration statement filed pursuant to the Securities Act of 1933, or pursuant to an

(h) without either an effective registration statement filed pursuant to the Securities Act of 1955, or pursuant to an exemption from registration. These securities have been deemed liquid under guidelines approved by the Fund's Board of Trustees. As of July 31, 2017, the aggregate value of those securities was \$493,048, representing 0.32% of net assets.

(i) Floating or variable rate security - rate disclosed as of July 31, 2017.

^(j)Includes cash which is being held as collateral for total return swap contracts, securities sold short or futures contracts.

FUTURES CONTRACTS

	Position		Expiration	Underlying Face Amount at	Unrealized	
Description		Contracts	Date	Value	Depreciation	
Foreign Currency Contracts						
Japanese Yen Currency Futures	Short	8	09/18/2017	\$(909,100)	\$ (3,636)
				(909,100)	\$ (3,636)

TOTAL RETURN SWAP CONTRACTS

						Net
Counter	Reference	Notional	Floating Rate	Floating	Termination	Unrealized
Party	Entity/Obligation	Amount	Paid by the Fund	Rate Index	Date	Appreciation
Credit			125 bps + 1M			
Suisse	Hero MotoCorp, Ltd.	\$1,169,385	LIBOR	1 M LIBOR	12/31/2020	\$ 206,096
Morgan			225 bps + 1D			
Stanley	Hero MotoCorp, Ltd.	699,924	FEDEF	1 D FEDEF	07/12/2018	81,018
Credit	Housing Development		125 bps + 1M			
Suisse	Finance Corp.	2,349,638	LIBOR	1 M LIBOR	12/31/2020	1,054,752
Morgan	Housing Development		225 bps + 1D			
Stanley	Finance Corp.	2,020,030	FEDEF	1 D FEDEF	07/12/2018	595,208
Credit	Indiabulls Housing		125 bps + 1M			
Suisse	Finance	1,233,808	LIBOR	1 M LIBOR	12/31/2020	590,863
Morgan			225 bps + 1D			
Stanley	ITC, Ltd.	1,200,826	FEDEF	1 D FEDEF	07/12/2018	173,834
Credit			125 bps + 1M			
Suisse	Larsen & Toubro, Ltd.	2,331,966	LIBOR	1 M LIBOR	12/31/2020	627,000
Morgan			225 bps + 1D			
Stanley	Larsen & Toubro, Ltd.	568,919	FEDEF	1 D FEDEF	07/12/2018	112,001
Morgan	Mahindra & Mahindra,		225 bps + 1D			
Stanley	Ltd.	1,862,982	FEDEF	1 D FEDEF	07/12/2018	298,933
Morgan			225 bps + 1D			
Stanley	State Bank of India	1,099,981	FEDEF	1 D FEDEF	07/25/2019	38,836
		\$14,537,459)			\$ 3,778,541

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Carvana Co. ^(a)	44,000	858,880
DR Horton, Inc. ^{(b)(c)}	138,321	4,936,676
Lennar Corp Class A ^{(b)(c)}	35,800	1,877,352
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PulteGroup, Inc. ^{(b)(c)}	121,500	2,967,030
Service Corp. International ^{(b)(c)}	40,900	1,420,457
Sony Corp.	44,600	1,836,673
TRI Pointe Group, Inc. ^(a)	85,500	1,137,150
Vipshop Holdings, Ltd ADR ^{(a)(b)(c)}		