ASTA FUNDING INC Form 3 April 08, 2016 FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549 OMB

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

OMB APPROVAL

OMB Number: 3235-0104 Expires: January 31, 2005 Estimated average burden hours per response... 0.5

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> Foster Bruce Robert			2. Date of Event Require Statement (Month/Day/Year)		3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ASTA FUNDING INC [ASFI]			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	03/10/2016		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	
C/O ASTA	FUNDING.	,						
	SYLVAN			(Check all applicable)				
ENGLEWC CLIFFS,Â				.u		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabla	- Non-Derive	tivo Socuriti	ios Ro	neficially Owned	
1.Title of Sect (Instr. 4)	urity		2. Amou	nt of Securities ally Owned	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)		ture of Indirect Beneficial rship	
No securities are beneficially owned			ed 0	0		Â		
Reminder: Rep owned directly	-	ate line for ea	ch class of securities ber	eficially	SEC 1473 (7-02	2)		
	inform	ation conta	oond to the collection ined in this form are nd unless the form d	not				

currently valid OMB control number.

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

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

Edgar Filing: ASTA FUNDING INC - Form 3

Date	Expiration	Amount or	or Indirect
Exercisable	Date	Number of	(I)
		Shares	(Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships					
		Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Foster Bruce Robert C/O ASTA FUNDING, INC. 210 SYLVAN AVENUE ENGLEWOOD CLIFFS, NJ 07632		Â	Â	Chief Financial Officer	Â		
Signatures							
/s/ Gregory Krauss, POA	04/08/2016						
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date						

Explanation of Responses:

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

** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *See* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.