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Internal Revenue Service

Report of Organizational Actions Affecting Basis of Securities

▶ See separate instructions.

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Reporting Issuer Part 2 Issuer's employer identification number (EIN) Issuer's name PERFORMANCE FUNDS TRUST - THE INTERMEDIATE TERM INCOME FUND 13-3661236 3 Name of contact for additional information 4 Telephone No. of contact 5 Email address of contact **CHRIS SABATO** CHRISTOPHER.SABATO@CITI.COM 6 Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address) of contact 7 City, town, or post office, state, and Zip code of contact COLUMBUS, OH 43219 3435 STELZER ROAD 9 Classification and description 8 Date of action 9/21/2012 REGULATED INVESTMENT COMPANY (TAX-FREE REORGANIZATION) 10 CUSIP number 11 Serial number(s) 12 Ticker symbol 13 Account number(s) SEE ATTACHED SEE ATTACHED Organizational Action Attach additional statements if needed. See back of form for additional questions. Describe the organizational action and, if applicable, the date of the action or the date against which shareholders' ownership is measured for the action ▶ On September 21, 2012, Federated Total Return Bond Fund acquired all of the assets of the issuer solely in exchange for shares of beneficial interest (see details below). The merger of Performance Funds Trust -The Intermediate Term Income Fund into the Federated Total Return Bond Fund qualifies as a tax-free reorganization under IRC Section 368(a)(1)(c). The Target shareholders' total basis in the Acquiring shares received is the same as their total basis in the old Target shares. The exchange is based on the number and value of shares outstanding at the close of business on September 21, 2012 Describe the quantitative effect of the organizational action on the basis of the security in the hands of a U.S. taxpayer as an adjustment per 15 share or as a percentage of old basis A shareholder's aggregate basis in the Federated Total Return Bond Fund they received in exchange for their share of Performance Funds Trust - The Intermediate Term Income Fund will be the same as their aggregate basis in the shares of Performance Funds Trust - The Intermediate Term Income Fund. The number of Federated Total Return Bond Fund shares that were received for each share of Performance Funds Trust - The Intermediate Term Income Fund is as follows: 0.9711379 shares of Federated Total Return Bond Fund Class A for 1 share of Performance Funds Trust - The Intermediate Term Income Fund Class A 0.9721207 shares of Federated Total Return Bond Fund Service Shares for 1 share of Performance Funds Trust-The Intermediate Term Fund Institutional Class Describe the calculation of the change in basis and the data that supports the calculation, such as the market values of securities and the valuation dates ► There was no change in aggregate basis as a result of the above described organizational action.

Part I		Organizational Action (conti	nued)		
17 Li	st the	applicable Internal Revenue Code s	ection(s) and subsection(s) upon which	ch the tax treatment is base	ed ▶
IRC Sec	ctions	368, 354 and 358			
18 Ca	an any	resulting loss be recognized? ▶ _			
There w	as no	gain or loss on the transaction. A	Accordingly, each investor's aggree	gate basis in the shares of	Federated Total Return Bond
Fund re	ceive	d in the exchange will be the same	e as the aggregate basis in their sh	ares of the Performance F	Funds Trust - The
Interme	diate	Term Income Fund exchanged.			
19 Pi	ovide	any other information necessary to	implement the adjustment, such as the	ne reportable tax year ▶	
The abo	ove de	scribed organizational action is re	eportable in tax year 2012.		
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<u>Performance Intermediate Term Income Fund</u>

Share Class	Box 10, CUSIP	Box 12, Ticker Symbol
Class A	713756500	PFFCX
Institutional Class	713756609	PFFIX

Federated Total Return Bond Fund

Share Class	Box 10, CUSIP	Box 12, Ticker Symbol
Class A	31428Q820	TLRAX
Service Shares	31428Q507	FTRFX