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Report of Organizational Actions Affecting Basis of Securities

▶ See separate instructions.

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Internal Revenue Service Reporting Issuer Part 2 Issuer's employer identification number (EIN) Issuer's name PERFORMANCE FUNDS TRUST - THE STRATEGIC DIVIDEND FUND 20-1653214 3 Name of contact for additional information 4 Telephone No. of contact 5 Email address of contact **CHRIS SABATO** (614) 470-8418 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 8 Date of action 9 Classification and description SEE ATTACHED REGULATED INVESTMENT COMPANY (RIC) SHARES 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 ► THE FOLLOWING PERCENTAGE OF THE MONTHLY DISTRIBUTIONS FOR THE PERIOD BEGINING JUNE 1, 2012. THROUGH SEPTEMBER 21, 2012 ARE CONSIDERED A RETURN OF CAPITAL: RECORD DATE JUNE 28, 2012: 83.6189% RECORD DATE JULY 30, 2012: 100% RECORD DATE AUGUST 30, 2012: 100% RECORD DATE SEPTEMBER 17, 2012: 100% 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 share or as a percentage of old basis ► THE FOLLOWING PERCENTAGE OF THE MONTHLY DISTRIBUTIONS FOR THE PERIOD BEGINING JUNE 1, 2012 THROUGH SEPTEMBER 21, 2012 ARE CONSIDERED A RETURN OF CAPITAL: RECORD DATE JUNE 28, 2012: 83.6189% RECORD DATE JULY 30, 2012: 100% RECORD DATE AUGUST 30, 2012: 100% RECORD DATE SEPTEMBER 17, 2012: 100% 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 ► THE BASIS OF EACH STOCKHOLDER OF RECORD WILL BE REDUCED BY THE AMOUNT OF RETURN OF CAPITAL APPLICABLE TO EACH DISTRIBUTION. THIS AMOUNT WAS DETERMINED IN ACCORDANCE WITH IRC SECTIONS 301 AND 316.

Part I		Organizational Action (continued)							
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Short Tax Year: 9/21/2012

Performance Strategic Dividend Fund

		Box 10	Box 12	Distribution	Return of Capital
Record Date	Share Class	CUSIP	Ticker Symbol	Per Share	Per Share
6/28/2012	Class A	713756674	PSDHX	0.005009	0.004188
	Institutional Class	713756666	PSDFX	0.006824	0.005706
7/30/2012	Class A	713756674	PSDHX	0.010898	0.010898
	Institutional Class	713756666	PSDFX	0.013190	0.013190
8/30/2012	Class A	713756674	PSDHX	0.022123	0.022123
	Institutional Class	713756666	PSDFX	0.024782	0.024782
9/17/2012	Class A	713756674	PSDHX	0.009798	0.009798
	Institutional Class	713756666	PSDFX	0.011317	0.011317