Putnam Investments

ORGANIZATIONAL ACTIONS TAX YEAR 2020

					2020	Net Asset
			Quotron	Record	Nondividend	Value
Taxpayer's Name - EIN / Organizational Action	Class	Cusip	Symbol	Date	Distributions	(NAV)
Putnam Premier Income Trust	Α	746853-10-0	XPPTX	01/23/20	\$0.011638	5.44
EIN 04-2995046	Α	746853-10-0	XPPTX	02/21/20	\$0.011638	5.44
Return of Capital Distribution	Α	746853-10-0	XPPTX	03/23/20	\$0.011638	4.32
	Α	746853-10-0	XPPTX	04/23/20	\$0.011638	4.57
	Α	746853-10-0	XPPTX	05/21/20	\$0.011638	4.65
	Α	746853-10-0	XPPTX	06/23/20	\$0.011638	4.84
	Α	746853-10-0	XPPTX	07/23/20	\$0.011638	4.77

Shareholders preparing their tax returns will also need to review their Form 1099-DIV (Dividends and Distributions) reports from the date of purchase to see if any of the dividends paid were classified as "return of capital" payments for tax purposes. These amounts reduce your cost basis. You are required to apply the return of capital to each tax lot separately, and cannot choose to apply it only to your high cost basis tax lots. You may end up with some tax lots where the cumulative return of capital payments exceed your original cost basis per share. In this case, you are required to recognize the excess return of capital payment for that tax lot as a capital gain

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