

**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE****PUTNAM ANNOUNCES DISTRIBUTION RATES FOR CLOSED-END FUNDS**

BOSTON, Massachusetts (March 16, 2018) -- The Trustees of The Putnam Funds have declared the following fund distributions.

<b><u>FUND NAME AND DISTRIBUTIONS</u></b>	<b><u>EX DATE</u></b>	<b><u>RECORD DATE</u></b>	<b><u>PAYMENT DATE</u></b>
<u>Putnam High Income Securities Fund (NYSE: PCF) (CUSIP: 746779-10-7)</u> \$0.0283 per share investment income	4/23/18	4/24/18	5/1/18
<u>Putnam Master Intermediate Income Trust (NYSE:PIM) (CUSIP: 746909-10-0)</u> \$0.0250 per share investment income	4/23/18	4/24/18	5/1/18
<u>Putnam Managed Municipal Income Trust (NYSE:PMM) (CUSIP: 746823-10-3)</u> \$0.0318 per share investment income	4/23/18	4/24/18	5/1/18
<u>Putnam Municipal Opportunities Trust (NYSE:PMO) (CUSIP: 746922-10-3)</u> \$0.0461 per share investment income	4/23/18	4/24/18	5/1/18
<u>Putnam Premier Income Trust (NYSE: PPT) (CUSIP: 746853-10-0)</u> \$0.0260 per share investment income	4/23/18	4/24/18	5/1/18

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