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U.S. Income Tax Return for Regulated Investment Companies

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

For calendar year 2018 or tax year beginning _____, 2018, and ending _____, 20_____

2018

▶ Go to www.irs.gov/Form1120RIC for instructions and the latest information.

A Year of RIC status election	Please type or print	Name of fund	C Employer identification number
B Date fund was established (see instructions)		Number, street, and room or suite no. (If a P.O. box, see instructions.)	D Total assets (see instructions)
		City or town, state, and ZIP code	\$ _____

E Check applicable boxes: (1) Final return (2) Name change (3) Address change (4) Amended return

F Check if the fund is a personal holding company (attach Sch. PH) or if the fund is not in compliance with Regs. sec. 1.852-6 for this tax year ▶

Part I—Investment Company Taxable Income (see instructions)

Income	1 Dividends	1	
	2 Interest	2	
	3 Net foreign currency gain or (loss) from section 988 transactions (attach statement)	3	
	4 Payments with respect to securities loans	4	
	5 Excess of net short-term capital gain over net long-term capital loss from Schedule D (Form 1120), line 16 (attach Schedule D (Form 1120))	5	
	6 Net gain or (loss) from Form 4797, Part II, line 17 (attach Form 4797)	6	
	7 Other income (see instructions—attach statement)	7	
	8 Total income. Add lines 1 through 7 ▶	8	
Deductions (see instructions)	9 Compensation of officers (see instructions—attach Form 1125-E)	9	
	10 Salaries and wages (less employment credits)	10	
	11 Rents	11	
	12 Taxes and licenses	12	
	13 Interest (see instructions)	13	
	14 Depreciation (attach Form 4562)	14	
	15 Advertising	15	
	16 Registration fees	16	
	17 Insurance	17	
	18 Accounting and legal services	18	
	19 Management and investment advisory fees	19	
	20 Transfer agency, shareholder servicing, and custodian fees and expenses	20	
	21 Reports to shareholders	21	
	22 Other deductions (see instructions—attach statement)	22	
	23 Total deductions. Add lines 9 through 22 ▶	23	
	24 Taxable income before deduction for dividends paid and deductions under sections 851(d)(2) and 851(j). Subtract line 23 from line 8	24	
	25 Less: a Deduction for dividends paid (Schedule A, line 8a)	25a	
b Deductions for tax imposed under sections 851(d)(2) and 851(i) (Schedule J, line 2c)	25b		
	25c		

Sign Here Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than taxpayer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.

Signature of officer	Date	Title	May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown below? See instructions. <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
_____	_____	_____	

Paid Preparer Use Only	Print/Type preparer's name	Preparer's signature	Date	Check <input type="checkbox"/> if self-employed	PTIN
	Firm's name ▶				Firm's EIN ▶
	Firm's address ▶				Phone no.

Part I—Investment Company Taxable Income (see instructions) (continued)

Tax and Payments	26	Investment company taxable income. Subtract line 25c from line 24	26	
	27	Total tax. (Schedule J, line 7)	27	
	28	2018 Net 965 Tax Liability Paid from Form 965-B, Part II, column (k), line 2	28	
	29a	2017 overpayment credited to 2018	29a	
	b	2018 estimated tax payments	29b	
	c	Less 2018 refund applied for on Form 4466	29c	()
			dBal	
	e	Tax deposited with Form 7004	29d	
	f	Credit for tax paid on undistributed capital gains (attach Form 2439)	29e	
	g	Credit for federal tax paid on fuels (attach Form 4136)	29f	
	h	Refundable credits from Form 8827, line 8c	29g	
	i	2018 Net 965 Tax Liability from Form 965-B, Part I, column (d), line 2	29h	
			29i	
30	Estimated tax penalty (see instructions). Check if Form 2220 is attached <input type="checkbox"/>	30		
31	Amount owed. If line 29j is smaller than the total of lines 27, 28, and 30, enter amount owed	31		
32	Overpayment. If line 29j is larger than the total of lines 27, 28, and 30, enter amount overpaid	32		
33	Enter amount from line 32: Credited to 2019 estimated tax ▶ Refunded ▶	33		

Part II—Tax on Undistributed Net Capital Gain Not Designated Under Section 852(b)(3)(D)

1	Net capital gain from Schedule D (Form 1120), line 17 (attach Schedule D (Form 1120))	1	
2	Capital gain dividends from Schedule A, line 8b	2	
3	Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	
4	Capital gains tax. Multiply line 3 by 21% (0.21). Enter tax here and on line 2b, Schedule J	4	

Schedule A Deduction for Dividends Paid (Do not include exempt-interest dividends or capital gain dividends reported on Form 2438, line 9b. See instructions.)

	(a) Ordinary dividends		(b) Capital gain dividends	
	1	2	3	4
1 Dividends paid (other than dividends paid after the end of the tax year). Do not include dividends deemed paid in the preceding tax year under section 852(b)(7) or 855(a), or deficiency dividends as defined in section 860(f)				
2 Dividends paid in the 12-month period following the close of the tax year that the fund elects to treat as paid during the tax year under section 855(a)				
3 Dividends declared in October, November, or December and deemed paid on December 31 under section 852(b)(7)				
4 Consent dividends (section 565) (attach Forms 972 and 973)				
5 Deficiency dividends (section 860) (attach Form 976)				
6 Foreign tax paid deduction (section 853(b)(1)(B)), if applicable				
7 Credits from tax credit bonds distributed to shareholders (see instructions)				
8 Deduction for dividends paid:				
a Ordinary dividends. Add lines 1 through 7 of column (a). Enter here and on line 25a, Part I	8a			
b Capital gain dividends. Add lines 1 through 5 of column (b). Enter here and on line 2, Part II, above	8b			

Schedule B Information Required With Respect to Income From Tax-Exempt Obligations

1	Did the fund qualify under section 852(b)(5) or 852(g) to pay exempt-interest dividends for 2018? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If "Yes," complete lines 2 through 5.		
2	Amount of interest excludible from gross income under section 103(a)	2	
3	Amounts disallowed as deductions under sections 265 and 171(a)(2)	3	
4	Net income from tax-exempt obligations. Subtract line 3 from line 2	4	
5	Amount of line 4 designated as exempt-interest dividends	5	

Schedule J Tax Computation (see instructions)

1	Check if the fund is a member of a controlled group (attach Schedule O (Form 1120)) <input type="checkbox"/>		
2a	Tax on investment company taxable income	2a	
b	Tax on undistributed net capital gain (from Part II, line 4)	2b	
c	Tax imposed under sections <input type="checkbox"/> 851(d)(2) and <input type="checkbox"/> 851(i)	2c	
d	Income tax. Add lines 2a through 2c	2d	
3a	Foreign tax credit (attach Form 1118)	3a	
b	Credit from Form 8834, line 7 (attach Form 8834)	3b	
c	General business credit (attach Form 3800)	3c	
d	Other credits (attach statement—see instructions)	3d	
e	Total credits. Add lines 3a through 3d	3e	
4	Subtract line 3e from line 2d	4	

Schedule J Tax Computation (see instructions) (continued)

5	Personal holding company tax (attach Schedule PH (Form 1120))	5	
6	Other taxes. Check if from: <input type="checkbox"/> Form 4255 <input type="checkbox"/> Other (attach statement)	6	
7	Total tax. Add lines 4 through 6. Enter here and on line 27	7	

Schedule K Other Information (see instructions)

		Yes	No
1	Check method of accounting:		
a	<input type="checkbox"/> Cash		
b	<input type="checkbox"/> Accrual		
c	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) ▶ _____		
2	At the end of the tax year, did the RIC own, directly or indirectly, 50% or more of the voting stock of a domestic corporation? (For rules of attribution, see section 267(c).) If "Yes," attach a statement showing (a) name and identification number, (b) percentage owned, and (c) taxable income or (loss) before a net operating loss (NOL) and special deductions of such corporation for the tax year ending with or within your tax year.		
3	Is the RIC a subsidiary in a parent-subsidiary controlled group? If "Yes," enter the employer identification number and the name of the parent corporation ▶ _____		
4	At the end of the tax year, did any individual, partnership, corporation, estate, or trust own, directly or indirectly, 50% or more of the RIC's voting stock? (For rules of attribution, see section 267(c).) If "Yes," attach a statement showing name and identification number. (Do not include any information already entered in 3 above.) Enter percentage owned ▶ _____		
5	At any time during the tax year, did one foreign person own, directly or indirectly, at least 25% of:		
a	The total voting power of all classes of stock of the fund entitled to vote, or		
b	The total value of all classes of stock of the fund?		
	If "Yes," enter:		
	(1) Percentage owned ▶ _____		
	(2) Owner's country ▶ _____		
	The fund may have to file Form 5472. Enter number of Forms 5472 attached ▶ _____		
6	During this tax year, did the fund pay dividends (other than stock dividends and distributions in exchange for stock) in excess of the fund's current and accumulated earnings and profits? (see sections 301 and 316) If "Yes," file Form 5452.		
7	Check this box if the fund issued publicly offered debt instruments with original issue discount ▶ <input type="checkbox"/> If checked, the fund may have to file Form 8281.		
8	Enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the tax year. ▶ \$ _____		
9	If this return is being filed for a series fund (as defined in section 851(g)(2)), enter		
a	The name of the regulated investment company in which the fund is a series ▶ _____		
b	The date the regulated investment company was incorporated or organized ▶ _____		
10a	Section 853 election. Check this box if the fund meets the requirements of section 853(a) and section 901(k) and elects to pass through the deduction or credit for foreign taxes it paid to its shareholders. See the instructions for additional details and requirements ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>		
b	Section 852(g) election. Check this box if the fund meets the requirements of section 852(g) and elects the application of section 853 without regards to the requirement of section 853(a)(1). See the instructions for additional details and requirements ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>		
11	Section 853A election. Check this box if the fund elects under section 853A to pass through credits from tax credit bonds to its shareholders. See instructions ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>		
12	Section 852(b)(8) election. Check this box if, for purposes of computing taxable income, the fund elects under section 852(b)(8) to defer all or part of its post-October capital loss or late-year ordinary loss for this tax year ▶ <input type="checkbox"/> If the election is made, enter the amounts deferred:		
a	Post-October capital loss ▶ _____		
b	Late-year ordinary loss ▶ _____		
13	Did the corporation have an election under section 163(j) for any real property trade or business for any farming business in effect during the tax year (see instructions)?		
14	Does the corporation satisfy one of the following conditions and the corporation does not own a pass-through entity with current year, or prior year carryover, excess business interest expense? (see instructions)		
a	The corporation's aggregate average annual gross receipts (determined under section 448(c)) for the 3 tax years preceding the current tax year do not exceed \$25 million, and the corporation is not a tax shelter, or		
b	The corporation only has business interest expense from (1) an electing real property trade or business, (2) an electing farming business, or (3) certain utility businesses under section 163(j)(7). If "No," complete and attach Form 8990.		

Schedule L Balance Sheets per Books		Beginning of tax year		End of tax year	
		(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)
Assets					
1	Cash				
2a	Trade notes and accounts receivable				
b	Less allowance for bad debts	()		()	
3	U.S. government obligations				
4	Tax-exempt securities (see instructions)				
5	Other current assets (attach statement)				
6	Loans to shareholders				
7	Mortgage and real estate loans				
8	Other investments (attach statement)				
9a	Buildings and other fixed depreciable assets				
b	Less accumulated depreciation	()		()	
10	Land (net of any amortization)				
11a	Intangible assets (amortizable only)				
b	Less accumulated amortization	()		()	
12	Other assets (attach statement)				
13	Total assets				
Liabilities and Shareholder's Equity					
14	Accounts payable				
15	Mortgages, notes, bonds payable in less than 1 year				
16	Other current liabilities (attach statement)				
17	Loans from shareholders				
18	Mortgages, notes, bonds payable in 1 year or more				
19	Other liabilities (attach statement)				
20	Capital stock				
21	Additional paid-in capital				
22	Retained earnings—Appropriated (attach statement)				
23	Retained earnings—Unappropriated				
24	Adjustments to shareholders' equity (attach statement)				
25	Less cost of treasury stock		()		()
26	Total liabilities and shareholders' equity				

Note: The fund is not required to complete Schedules M-1 and M-2 if the total assets on Schedule L, line 13, column (d), are less than \$25,000.

Schedule M-1 Reconciliation of Income (Loss) per Books With Income per Return (see instructions)			
1	Net income (loss) per books		7 Income recorded on books this year not included on this return (itemize):
2	Federal income tax (less built-in gains tax)		Tax-exempt interest \$ _____
3	Excess of capital losses over capital gain		8 Deductions on this return not charged against book income this year (itemized):
4	Income subject to tax not recorded on books this year (itemize): _____		a Depreciation . . . \$ _____
5	Expenses recorded on books this year not deducted on this return (itemize):		b Deduction for dividends paid (line 25a, Part I) . . . \$ _____
a	Depreciation . . . \$ _____		9 Net capital gain from Form 2438, line 9a
b	Expenses allocable to tax-exempt interest income \$ _____		10 If the fund did not file Form 2438, enter the net capital gain from Schedule D (Form 1120), line 17. Otherwise, enter -0-
c	Section 4982 tax . . . \$ _____		11 Add lines 7 through 10
d	Travel and entertainment \$ _____		12 Investment company taxable income (line 26, Part I)—line 6 less line 11
6	Add lines 1 through 5		

Schedule M-2 Analysis of Unappropriated Retained Earnings per Books (Schedule L, line 23)			
1	Balance at beginning of year		5 Distributions: a Cash
2	Net income (loss) per books		b Stock
3	Other increases (itemize): _____		c Property
	_____		6 Other decreases (itemize): _____
	_____		7 Add lines 5 and 6
4	Add lines 1, 2, and 3		8 Balance at end of year (line 4 less line 7)