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Report of Organizational Actions Affecting Basis of Securities

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Internal Revenue Service Reporting Issuer Part I 2 Issuer's employer identification number (EIN) Issuer's name MFS RESEARCH INTERNATIONAL FUND 04-3339404 3 Name of contact for additional information Telephone No. of contact 5 Email address of contact MFS SERVICE CENTER, INC (800) 225-2606 dlinternet-svcs@mfs.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 500 BOYLSTON ST. BOSTON, MA 02116 9 Classification and description 8 Date of action 05/11/12 REGULATED INVESTMENT COMPANY (RIC) SHARES - CLASS W 10 CUSIP number 11 Serial number(s) 12 Ticker symbol 13 Account number(s) **MRIWX** 55273H437 Organizational Action Attach additional statements if needed. See back of form for additional guestions. Part II Describe the organizational action and, if applicable, the date of the action or the date against which shareholders' ownership is measured for the action MFS Research International Fund is a multiple class open end Regulated Investment Company ("RIC) under Subchapter M of the IRC. The distinguishing feature of the various classes is a differential allocation of certain fund expenses. On May 11, 2012, all shares of Class W of MFS Research International Fund were converted into Class I shares of the same fund in a tax-free exchange. 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 ▶ The Class W shareholders' total basis in the Class I shares received is the same as their total basis in the old Class W shares. Per share, for each Class W share of MFS Research International Fund (MRIWX) held, shareholders received 0.965710287 Class I shares of MFS Research International Fund (MRSIX) 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 per share basis calculations are based on the respective net asset values of the Class W and Class I shares as of the close of business on 05/10/2012. These net asset values ("NAVs") are determined based on the market value of the underlying securities held by the funds. The NAV of Class W was \$13.80 per share and the NAV of Class I was \$14.29 per share on 05/10/2012. Thus the exchange ratio is 0.965710287 shares of Class I received for each share of Class W surrendered.

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17 L	ist the	applicable Internal Revenue Code section(s) and subsection(s) upon which t	he tax treatment is based	·
IRC Sec. 1036(a) - No gain or loss is recognized.					
IRC Se	c. 103	I(d) - The aggregate basis of the shares	exchanged equals the aggregat	e basis of the shares rece	eived.
18 Can any resulting loss be recognized? ► No.					
19 Provide any other information necessary to implement the adjustment, such as the reportable tax year ▶					
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