

Report of Organizational Actions Affecting Basis of Securities

▶ See separate instructions.

Part I Reporting Issuer			
1 Issuer's name		2 Issuer's employer identification number (EIN)	
HARTFORD SCHRODERS EMERGING MARKETS MULTI-SECTOR BOND FUND		46-2277868	
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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	
690 LEE ROAD		WAYNE, PA 19087	
8 Date of action		9 Classification and description	
10/31/19		NON-DIVIDEND DISTRIBUTION PAID IN 2019	
10 CUSIP number	11 Serial number(s)	12 Ticker symbol	13 Account number(s)
SEE ATTACHMENT	N/A	SEE ATTACHMENT	N/A

Part II Organizational Action Attach additional statements if needed. See back of form for additional questions.

14 Describe the organizational action and, if applicable, the date of the action or the date against which shareholders' ownership is measured for the action ▶ HARTFORD SCHRODERS EMERGING MARKETS MULTI-SECTOR BOND FUND PAID NON-TAXABLE RETURN OF CAPITAL DISTRIBUTIONS TO ITS SHAREHOLDERS PER THE ATTACHED SCHEDULE.

15 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 AMOUNT OF NON-TAXABLE RETURN OF CAPITAL, ON THE ATTACHED SCHEDULE, REPRESENTS AN ADJUSTMENT IN THE SHAREHOLDERS' TAX BASIS IN THEIR SHARES HELD.

16 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 TAX BASIS OF THE SHAREHOLDERS' SHARES IS DECREASED BY THE PER SHARE AMOUNT OF NON-TAXABLE TAXABLE RETURN OF CAPITAL, ON THE ATTACHED SCHEDULE, MULTIPLIED BY THE NUMBER OF SHARES THE SHAREHOLDER OWNS.

Part II Organizational Action *(continued)*

17 List the applicable Internal Revenue Code section(s) and subsection(s) upon which the tax treatment is based ► PURSUANT TO IRC SEC. 301(C)(1), THE PORTION OF A DISTRIBUTION, WHICH IS A DIVIDEND (AS DEFINED IN IRC SEC. 316), IS INCLUDIBLE IN GROSS INCOME. PURSUANT TO IRC SEC. 301(C)(2), THE PORTION OF A DISTRIBUTION, WHICH IS NOT A DIVIDEND, SHALL BE APPLIED AGAINST AND REDUCE THE ADJUSTED TAX BASIS OF THE STOCK.

18 Can any resulting loss be recognized? ► NO LOSS WILL BE RECOGNIZED AS A RESULT OF ANY NON-TAXABLE RETURN OF CAPITAL. A LOSS MAY BE REALIZED UPON THE DISPOSITION OF SHARES.

19 Provide any other information necessary to implement the adjustment, such as the reportable tax year ► PURSUANT TO IRC SEC. 6045, BROKERS ARE REQUIRED TO REFLECT THESE ADJUSTMENTS IN COST BASIS REPORTING FOR COVERED SECURITIES. IF A BROKER IS NOT REQUIRED TO PROVIDE COST BASIS TO A PARTICULAR SHAREHOLDER, THE COST BASIS OF THE SHAREHOLDER'S SHARES SHOULD BE ADJUSTED AS OF THE DISTRIBUTION DATE TO REFLECT THE RETURN OF CAPITAL DESCRIBED ABOVE. THE FINAL AMOUNT OF TAXABLE DIVIDENDS AND NON-TAXABLE RETURN OF CAPITAL (I.E. NON-DIVIDEND DISTRIBUTIONS) WILL BE REPORTED TO SHAREHOLDERS ON THEIR 2019 FORM 1099-DIV.

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 officer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.

Sign Here

Signature ►  Date ► 1/15/2020

Print your name ► DENISE D. LAUBER Title ► ASSISTANT TREASURER

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.

Hartford Schroders Emerging Markets Multi-Sector Bond Fund

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FISCAL YEAR ENDED: October 31, 2019

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Share Class	Box 10 CUSIP Number	Box 12 Ticker Symbol	Record Date	Ex Date	Payable Date	Per Share Distribution	Record Date Shares	Total Distribution	Return of Capital Per Class	Box 14 per share Return of Capital	Per share Taxable Dividend	Total Per Share
2019 Quarterly Distributions - Class SDR												
SDR	41665H688	SMSRX	3/27/2019	3/28/2019	3/29/2019	0.147877000	3,931,308,452	581,350.10	60,098.76	0.015287215	0.132589785	0.147877000
SDR	41665H688	SMSRX	6/26/2019	6/27/2019	6/28/2019	0.126354000	3,938,958,086	497,703.11	51,161.51	0.013062212	0.11291786	0.126354000
SDR	41665H688	SMSRX	9/26/2019	9/27/2019	9/30/2019	0.128652000	4,021,721,146	521,424.19	53,903.74	0.013403153	0.116248847	0.128652000
								1,600,477.40	165,454.01		0.362130420	0.403883000
								Class SDR ROC %	10.3378%			
2019 Daily Distributions - Class Y												
Y	41665H714	HFZYX	3/27/2019	3/28/2019	3/29/2019	0.147103000	160,030,183	23,540.92	2,435.61	0.015207201	0.131885799	0.147103000
Y	41665H714	HFZYX	6/26/2019	6/27/2019	6/28/2019	0.125848000	182,326,219	22,945.39	2,372.05	0.013009803	0.112830897	0.125848000
Y	41665H714	HFZYX	9/26/2019	9/27/2019	9/30/2019	0.128619000	205,183,993	26,390.56	2,728.20	0.013296363	0.115322637	0.128619000
								72,876.87	7,633.86	0.041513467	0.360056533	0.401570000
								Class Y ROC %	10.3378%			
2019 Daily Distributions - Class R5												
R5	41665H722	HFZTX	3/27/2019	3/28/2019	3/29/2019	0.145559000	1,180,484	171.83	17.76	0.015047585	0.130511415	0.145559000
R5	41665H722	HFZTX	6/26/2019	6/27/2019	6/28/2019	0.123967000	1,199,513	148.70	15.37	0.012815449	0.111151551	0.123967000
R5	41665H722	HFZTX	9/26/2019	9/27/2019	9/30/2019	0.128479000	1,215,607	156.18	16.15	0.013281891	0.115197109	0.128479000
								476.71	49.28	0.041144625	0.356860075	0.399005000
								Class R5 ROC %	10.3378%			
2019 Daily Distributions - Class R4												
R4	41665H730	HFZSX	3/27/2019	3/28/2019	3/29/2019	0.143094000	1,176,569	168.36	17.40	0.014792759	0.126301241	0.143094000
R4	41665H730	HFZSX	6/26/2019	6/27/2019	6/28/2019	0.121604000	1,185,191	145.34	15.02	0.012571167	0.109032833	0.121604000
R4	41665H730	HFZSX	9/26/2019	9/27/2019	9/30/2019	0.127045000	1,210,910	153.84	15.90	0.013133647	0.113911353	0.127045000
								467.54	48.33	0.040497573	0.351246427	0.391743000
								Class R4 ROC %	10.3378%			
2019 Daily Distributions - Class R3												
R3	41665H748	HFZRX	3/27/2019	3/28/2019	3/29/2019	0.141425000	1,170,514	165.54	17.11	0.014620221	0.126804779	0.141425000
R3	41665H748	HFZRX	6/26/2019	6/27/2019	6/28/2019	0.120945000	1,188,805	143.78	14.86	0.012503041	0.108441959	0.120945000
R3	41665H748	HFZRX	9/26/2019	9/27/2019	9/30/2019	0.128521000	1,201,516	154.42	15.96	0.013286232	0.115234768	0.128521000
								463.74	47.94	0.040409494	0.350481506	0.390891000
								Class R3 ROC %	10.3378%			

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FISCAL YEAR ENDED: October 31, 2019

EIN: 46-2277866

Share Class	Box 10 CUSIP Number	Box 12 Ticker Symbol	Record Date	Ex Date	Payable Date	Per Share Distribution	Record Date Shares	Total Distribution	Return of Capital Per Class	Box 14 per share Return of Capital	Per share Taxable Dividend	Total Per Share
2019 Daily Distributions - Class I												
I	41665H755	SMSNX	3/27/2019	3/28/2019	3/29/2019	0.145562000	3,564,367.143	521,747.65	53,937.18	0.015047895	0.130514105	0.145562000
I	41665H755	SMSNX	6/26/2019	6/27/2019	6/28/2019	0.124364000	3,571,736.676	444,195.46	45,920.00	0.012866490	0.111507510	0.124364000
I	41665H755	SMSNX	9/26/2019	9/27/2019	9/30/2019	0.127698000	3,237,804.834	413,182.56	42,713.95	0.013191848	0.114416152	0.127698000
								1,379,125.67	142,571.13	0.041086233	0.356437767	0.397534000
								Class I ROC %	10.3378%			
2019 Daily Distributions - Class C												
C	41665H763	HFZCX	3/27/2019	3/28/2019	3/29/2019	0.111198000	15,953.344	1,773.98	183.39	0.01485417	0.099702563	0.111198000
C	41665H763	HFZCX	6/26/2019	6/27/2019	6/28/2019	0.087689000	15,217.033	1,476.95	152.66	0.010033757	0.087025243	0.097059000
C	41665H763	HFZCX	9/26/2019	9/27/2019	9/30/2019	0.111226000	29,087.174	3,235.25	334.45	0.011489311	0.098727689	0.111226000
								6,485.18	670.53	0.033027465	0.286455515	0.319483000
								Class C ROC %	10.3378%			
2019 Daily Distributions - Class A												
A	41665H771	SMSVX	3/27/2019	3/28/2019	3/29/2019	0.138790000	355,065.855	49,275.59	5,994.42	0.014347520	0.12442180	0.138790000
A	41665H771	SMSVX	6/26/2019	6/27/2019	6/28/2019	0.116946000	233,172.062	27,265.54	2,818.96	0.012089633	0.106865367	0.116946000
A	41665H771	SMSVX	9/26/2019	9/27/2019	9/30/2019	0.121766000	269,796.577	32,852.05	3,396.19	0.012587515	0.108178095	0.121766000
								109,400.18	11,309.56	0.039025368	0.338476632	0.377502
								Class A ROC %	10.3378%			
2019 Daily Distributions - Class F												
F	41665X842	HFZFX	3/27/2019	3/28/2019	3/29/2019	0.147855000	3,240,131.345	478,068.62	49,525.22	0.015284941	0.132570059	0.147855000
F	41665X842	HFZFX	6/26/2019	6/27/2019	6/28/2019	0.128785000	2,701,531.885	342,513.72	35,408.35	0.013106769	0.113879232	0.128785000
F	41665X842	HFZFX	9/26/2019	9/27/2019	9/30/2019	0.129651000	2,718,257.919	352,452.04	36,435.76	0.013404083	0.116258917	0.129651000
								1,174,038.38	121,368.32	0.041795792	0.362505208	0.404301000
								Class F ROC %	10.3378%			
							Total Distributions	4,343,810.00	449,054.00			
								ROC per 10.31-19 PROVISION				
								Total 2019 Distributions A	4,343,810			
								ROC per 10.31-19 Provision B	\$449,054			
								B/A=C	10.3378%			
								Total Fiscal Distributions Ordinary	5,509,517.00			
								Total Distributions paid 12/31/18	1,165,707.00			
									4,343,810.00			