Report of Organizational Actions Affecting Basis of Securities

Part I Reporting Issuer

1 Issuer's name
SPDR Portfolio Total Stock Market ETF (F.K.A. SPDR Russell 3000 ETF)

2 Issuer's employer identification number (EIN)
04-3526697

3 Name of contact for additional information
SSGA Funds Management, Inc.

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Boston, MA 02111-2900

8 Date of action
October 16, 2017

9 Classification and description
6:1 Share Split and Ticker symbol change

10 CUSIP number
784444A80

11 Serial number(s)
N/A

12 Ticker symbol
SPTM (F.K.A THRK)

13 Account number(s)
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. Effective, October 16, 2017, the Fund underwent a 6 for 1 share split.

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. Upon effective date of the share split, each post-split share has a tax basis equal to one-sixth of the tax basis of a pre-split share.

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 basis of each share of the Fund held by a shareholder after the share split is one-sixth of the basis before the share split, however the shareholders' total investment basis remains the same.
Part II  Organizational Action (continued)

17  List the applicable Internal Revenue Code section(s) and subsection(s) upon which the tax treatment is based ► IRC 358, 368, and 354.

18  Can any resulting loss be recognized? ► No

19  Provide any other information necessary to implement the adjustment, such as the reportable tax year ► Fund shareholders should consult with their Tax Advisor to determine the impact of this transaction with respect to their individual facts and circumstances for the 2017 tax year.

Sign Here

Signature ► [Signature] Date ► 10/26/17

Print your name ► Darlene Ancerson-Vasquez

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