## (December 2017 Department of the Treasury

## **Report of Organizational Actions Affecting Basis of Securities**

▶ See separate instructions.

OMB No. 1545-0123

Internal Revenue Service Reporting Issuer Part I 2 Issuer's employer identification number (EIN) Issuer's name Franklin Limited Duration Income Trust 20-0099615 3 Name of contact for additional information Telephone No. of contact 5 Email address of contact **Shareholder Services** (800) 632-2301 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 One Franklin Parkway; Attn: Fund Tax Department San Mateo, CA 94403 8 Date of action 9 Classification and description Various Common stock of a Regulated Investment Company 10 CUSIP number 11 Serial number(s) 12 Ticker symbol 13 Account number(s) See Statement 1 See Statement 1 N/A Organizational Action Attach additional statements if needed. See back of form for additional guestions. Describe the organizational action and, if applicable, the date of the action or the date against which shareholders' ownership is measured for the action ► The Fund paid monthly cash distributions to common shareholders from April 2017 through January 2018. A portion of this distribution constitutes a non-taxable return of capital. See Statement 1 for additional information. 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 portion of the distribution that constitutes a non-taxable return of capital will decrease a U.S. taxpayer's basis in the shares of the Fund. See Statement 1 for per share non-taxable return of capital information. 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 calculation of the return of capital is based upon the Fund's current and accumulated earnings and profits as of its fiscal year ended December 31, 2017. Non-taxable return of capital represents the portion of distribution paid from April 2017 through January 2018 in excess of the Fund's current and accumulated earnings and profits

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**Franklin Limited Duration Income Trust** 

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Attachment to Form 8937 - Statement 1

Part II - Line 14

Part II - Line 15

Part I - Line 10	Part I - Line 12			Original Distribution	Revised Distribution		
CUSIP	Ticker Symbol	Record Date	Ex- Date	Pay Date	Dividend/Share	Dividend	Return of Capital
354 72T 101	FTF	3/31/2017	3/29/2017	4/13/2017	0.1088	0.0527	0.0561
354 72T 101	FTF	4/28/2017	4/26/2017	5/15/2017	0.1079	0.0487	0.0592
354 72T 101	FTF	5/31/2017	5/26/2017	6/15/2017	0.1079	0.0478	0.0601
354 72T 101	FTF	6/30/2017	6/28/2017	7/14/2017	0.1077	0.0477	0.0600
354 72T 101	FTF	7/31/2017	7/27/2017	8/15/2017	0.1073	0.0475	0.0598
354 72T 101	FTF	8/31/2017	8/29/2017	9/15/2017	0.1067	0.0467	0.0600
354 72T 101	FTF	9/29/2017	9/28/2017	10/13/2017	0.1062	0.0470	0.0592
354 72T 101	FTF	10/31/2017	10/30/2017	11/15/2017	0.1057	0.0465	0.0592
354 72T 101	FTF	11/30/2017	11/29/2017	12/15/2017	0.1052	0.0462	0.0590
354 72T 101	FTF	12/29/2017	12/28/2017	1/12/2018	0.1042	0.0532	0.0510