Form **8937**
(December 2011)
Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Report of Organizational Actions Affecting Basis of Securities

▶ See separate instructions.

OMB No. 1545-2224

Part I Reporting Issuer

1 Issuer's name John Hancock New York Tax-Free Income Fund		**2** Issuer's employer identification number (EIN) 04-6564703
3 Name of contact for additional information John Hancock Investments	**4** Telephone No. of contact 800-225-5291	**5** Email address of contact https://www.jhinvestments.com/ContactUs.aspx
6 Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address) of contact 601 Congress Street		**7** City, town, or post office, state, and Zip code of contact Boston, MA 02210-2805
8 Date of action February 13, 2015	**9** Classification and description Regulated Investment Company Fund Merger	

10 CUSIP number See Attachment	**11** Serial number(s)	**12** Ticker symbol See Attachment	**13** Account number(s)

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 ▶

On February 13, 2015 John Hancock New York Tax-Free Income Fund (EIN: 04-6564703) merged into John Hancock Tax-Free Bond Fund (EIN: 76-0296098).

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 ▶

See Attachment

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 ▶

See Attachment

Part II **Organizational Action** (continued)

17 List the applicable Internal Revenue Code section(s) and subsection(s) upon which the tax treatment is based ▶

See Attachment

18 Can any resulting loss be recognized? ▶

Tax-free reorganization under IRC Section 368(a). No gain or loss is recognized.

19 Provide any other information necessary to implement the adjustment, such as the reportable tax year ▶

The reportable tax year is 2015.

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

Signature ▶ Date ▶

Print your name ▶ A signed copy is maintained by the issuer Title ▶

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Firm's name ▶			Firm's EIN ▶	
Firm's address ▶			Phone no.	

Send Form 8937 (including accompanying statements) to: Department of the Treasury, Internal Revenue Service, Ogden, UT 84201-0054

John Hancock New York Tax-Free Income Fund
Merger Date: February 13, 2015

RETIRING FUND INFORMATION								ACQUIRING FUND INFORMATION								
Cusip	Ticker	FUND NAME	Class / Series		TNA	Shares	4 Digit NAV	Cusip	Ticker	FUND NAME	Class / Series		TNA	SHARES	4 Digit NAV	Conversion Ratio
410229306	JHNYX	JHF NY TAX-FREE INCOME FUND	A	$	41,237,996.40	3,340,134.656	12.3462	41013Y104	TAMBX	JHF TAX-FREE BOND FUND	A	$	414,172,059.70	40,530,099.396	10.2189	1.20817671
410229504	JNTRX	JHF NY TAX-FREE INCOME FUND	B	$	1,231,964.38	99,770.248	12.3480	41013Y203	TSMBX	JHF TAX-FREE BOND FUND	B	$	5,372,152.17	525,676.955	10.2195	1.20828049
410229702	JNYCX	JHF NY TAX-FREE INCOME FUND	C	$	7,272,559.35	588,950.901	12.3483	41013Y609	TBMBX	JHF TAX-FREE BOND FUND	C	$	40,054,174.19	3,920,332.453	10.2170	1.20860201

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The merger is intended to be a tax-free reorganization pursuant to Section 368(a) of the Internal Revenue Code. The aggregate tax basis of the shares of the Acquiring Fund received by the shareholders will be the same as the aggregate tax basis of the shares of the Retiring Fund. The holding period of the shares of the Acquiring Fund received by the shareholder includes the holding period of the shares of the Retiring Fund. Total shares of the Retiring Fund should be multiplied by the merger ratio in order to calculate the shares in the Acquiring Fund. The information contained on this form is not intended to be used as tax advice. Consult your tax professional about tax consequences of a merger.