Form 8937

Report of Organizational Actions Affecting Basis of Securities

1 Issuer’s name

iShares U.S. Utilities ETF

2 Issuer’s employer identification number (EIN)

94-3351317

3 Name of contact for additional information

BlackRock Fund Advisors

4 Telephone No. of contact

1-800-474-2737

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isharesetfs@blackrock.com

6 Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address) of contact

c/o BlackRock Inc., 1 University Square DR

7 City, town, or post office, state, and ZIP code of contact

Princeton, NJ 08540

8 Date of action

December 4, 2020

9 Classification and description

Common Stock - Regulated Investment Company

10 CUSIP number

464287107

11 Serial number(s)

IDU

12 Ticker symbol

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 November 6, 2020, the Board of Trustees of iShares Trust has approved a 2 for 1 split for the fund for shareholders of record as of the close of business on December 2, 2020, payable after the close of trading on December 4, 2020.]

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. [Under Internal Revenue Code (IRC) Section 305(a), the stock split was a non-taxable transaction. Under IRC Section 307(a), each shareholder is required to allocate the aggregate tax basis in his or her shares held immediately prior to the 2 for 1 split among the shares held immediately after the split. As a result, the number of shares held by each shareholder were multiplied by 2 and the basis in each share following the stock split was 1/2 of the basis immediately prior to the stock split.]

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 Section 15 above.]
Part II  Organizational Action (continued)

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

Internal Revenue Code Sections 305(a) and 307(a)

18  Can any resulting loss be recognized? ► No

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

This organizational action is reportable with respect to calendar year 2020.

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Signature ► RONALD FISHER  
Date ► 1/12/21

Print your name ► RONALD FISHER  
Title ► Assistant Treasurer

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