

# Renaissance Global Equity Private Pool (the "Fund")

#### PFIC Annual Information Statement for the Year Ended June 30, 2019

#### IMPORTANT TAX NOTICE TO U.S. UNITHOLDERS OF THE FUND

This statement is provided for unitholders who are U.S. persons for purposes of the U.S. Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended ("Code") and the regulations thereunder. It is not relevant to other unitholders. U.S. persons include U.S. citizens (whether or not they are U.S. residents), certain individuals with U.S. permanent resident status, U.S. corporations, and certain U.S. trusts and estates.

The Fund may be deemed to be classified as a Passive Foreign Investment Company (PFIC) as defined in Code Section 1297(a) for its U.S. tax year ended June 30, 2019.

The attached PFIC Annual Information Statement is being provided pursuant to the requirements of Treasury Regulation Section 1.1295-1(g) (1). The PFIC Annual Information Statement contains information to enable you (should you so choose based on your personal tax circumstances) to elect to treat the Fund as a qualified electing fund (QEF) for the U.S. tax year ended June 30, 2019.

A U.S. unitholder who makes a QEF election is required to annually include in his or her income, the pro-rata share of ordinary earnings and net capital gains of the Fund, whether or not that Fund distributes any amounts to its shareholders.

While the choice of whether the QEF election is appropriate for you will depend on your personal circumstances, please note that the QEF election is the only way that appreciation in the value of the Fund can be eligible for U.S. taxation at the more favorable capital gains rates.

The QEF election is generally made on Form 8621 (*Return by a Shareholder of a Passive Foreign Investment Company or Qualified Electing Fund*) on or before the due date, including extensions, for the income tax return with respect to the tax year to which the election relates. Unitholders who are U.S. persons are required to report their holdings of the Fund on Form 8621 whether or not they make the QEF election. Where a U.S. person is a unitholder in a Fund that holds other funds in its portfolio, that person is an indirect investor in the lower-tier funds and is required to file a separate Form 8621 report for each of the lower-tier funds. The attached information is designed to enable a unitholder to make a QEF election for both directly held top-tier and indirectly held lower-tier funds.

This information is provided in order to assist unitholders in making calculations and does not constitute tax advice. For help with these calculations, Renaissance Investments suggests that investors consult with a qualified U.S. tax advisor.

Further information on PFIC rules and the QEF election is available on the Internal Revenue Service website at www.irs.gov/instructions/i8621/ch01.html.



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#### PFIC Annual Information Statement For the Year ended June 30, 2019

- 1) This Information Statement applies to the taxable year of the Fund commencing on July 1, 2018 and ending on June 30, 2019.
- 2) The pro-rata per-unit per-day shares of ordinary earnings and net capital gains of these funds and their per-unit amounts distributed by Renaissance Global Equity Private Pool for the period specified in paragraph 1 are as follows:

Renaissance Global Equity Private Pool	Original Earnings	Net Capital Gains
	(US\$)	(US\$)
CLASS F PREMIUM	0.0001867445	0.0022368508
CLASS O	0.0004433900	0.0022956503
CLASS P	0.0000000000	0.0020772865
CLASS F PREMIUM-HEDGED	0.0001792155	0.0021676519
CLASS O-HEDGED	0.0004544652	0.0023529923
CLASS PREMIUM-HEDGED	0.0000000000	0.0020926496
CLASS N PREMIUM	0.0001946082	0.0022168242
CLASS N PREMIUM-HEDGED	0.0002132812	0.0021662459
CLASS PREMIUM T4	0.0000000000	0.0019505266
CLASS PREMIUM T6	0.0000000000	0.0018965647
CLASS F PREMIUM T4	0.0001776607	0.0020281909
CLASS F PREMIUM T6	0.0001729779	0.0019754593
CLASS N PREMIUM T4	0.0001776607	0.0020281909
CLASS N PREMIUM T6	0.0001729779	0.0019754593
CLASS PREMIUM T4-HEDGED	0.0000000000	0.0018500337
CLASS PREMIUM T6-HEDGED	0.0000000000	0.0018364088
CLASS N PREMIUM T4-HEDGED	0.0001964236	0.0020001588
CLASS N PREMIUM T6-HEDGED	0.0001898445	0.0019386102
CLASS F PREMIUM T4-HEDGED	0.0001964236	0.0020001588
CLASS F PREMIUM T6-HEDGED	0.0001898445	0.0019386102

Renaissance Global Equity Private	Distribution	Price
Pool	(US\$)	(US\$)
Premium Class T4		
7/31/2018	0.0269	8.2204
8/31/2018	0.0268	8.1615
9/28/2018	0.0271	8.1648
10/31/2018	0.0266	7.5047
11/30/2018	0.0263	7.5593
12/31/2018	0.0256	6.9608
1/31/2019	0.0244	7.5115
2/28/2019	0.0243	7.6292



3/29/2019	0.0239	7.6443
4/30/2019	0.0239	7.9107
5/31/2019	0.0237	7.3881
6/28/2019	0.0244	7.8535

Renaissance Global Equity Private	Distribution	Price
Pool	(US\$)	(US\$)
Class H-Premium T4		
7/31/2018	0.0269	8.0555
8/31/2018	0.0268	7.9503
9/28/2018	0.0271	8.0249
10/31/2018	0.0266	7.2296
11/30/2018	0.0263	7.2660
12/31/2018	0.0256	6.4501
1/31/2019	0.0221	7.2409
2/28/2019	0.0220	7.3578
3/29/2019	0.0217	7.2524
4/30/2019	0.0216	7.5016
5/31/2019	0.0215	6.9140
6/28/2019	0.0221	7.5414

Renaissance Global Equity Private	Distribution	Price
Pool	(US\$)	(US\$)
Premium Class T6		
7/31/2018	0.0392	8.0459
8/31/2018	0.0391	7.9801
9/28/2018	0.0395	7.9694
10/31/2018	0.0387	7.3119
11/30/2018	0.0384	7.3556
12/31/2018	0.0374	6.7641
1/31/2019	0.0350	7.2901
2/28/2019	0.0350	7.3921
3/29/2019	0.0344	7.3946
4/30/2019	0.0343	7.6399
5/31/2019	0.0340	7.1236
6/28/2019	0.0351	7.5604

Renaissance Global Equity Private Pool	Distribution (US\$)	Price (US\$)
Class H-Premium T6	(ΟΟψ)	(ΟΟΨ)
7/31/2018	0.0407	7.9625
8/31/2018	0.0406	7.8851
9/28/2018	0.0410	7.9527
10/31/2018	0.0403	7.1662
11/30/2018	0.0399	7.1578
12/31/2018	0.0388	6.3966
1/31/2019	0.0335	7.1254



2/28/2019	0.0334	7.2264
3/29/2019	0.0329	7.1535
4/30/2019	0.0328	7.3691
5/31/2019	0.0326	6.7762
6/28/2019	0.0336	7.3710

Renaissance Global Equity Private	Distribution (US\$)	Price (US\$)
Class FH-Premium T4	(ΟΟΨ)	(ΟΟΨ)
7/31/2018	0.0269	8.2294
8/31/2018	0.0268	8.2403
9/28/2018	0.0271	8.3170
10/31/2018	0.0266	7.5195
11/30/2018	0.0263	7.5517
12/31/2018	0.0256	6.7130
1/31/2019	0.0236	7.5283
2/28/2019	0.0236	7.6748
3/29/2019	0.0232	7.5821
4/30/2019	0.0231	7.8213
5/31/2019	0.0229	7.1859
6/28/2019	0.0237	7.8238

Renaissance Global Equity Private	Distribution	Price
Pool	(US\$)	(US\$)
Class FH-Premium T6	, ,	, ,
7/31/2018	0.0400	8.0521
8/31/2018	0.0398	8.0501
9/28/2018	0.0403	8.1123
10/31/2018	0.0395	7.3095
11/30/2018	0.0391	7.3237
12/31/2018	0.0381	6.4919
1/31/2019	0.0335	7.2479
2/28/2019	0.0334	7.3790
3/29/2019	0.0329	7.3032
4/30/2019	0.0328	7.5239
5/31/2019	0.0326	6.9108
6/28/2019	0.0336	7.5215

Renaissance Global Equity Private Pool	Distribution (US\$)	Price (US\$)
Class F-Premium		
12/31/2018	0.7296	7.3769

Renaissance Global Equity Private Pool	Distribution (US\$)	Price (US\$)
Class FH-Premium		



12/31/2018	0.3975	6.9007
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Renaissance Global Equity Private	Distribution	Price
Pool	(US\$)	(US\$)
Class F-Premium T4		
7/31/2018	0.0269	8.2344
8/31/2018	0.0268	8.2203
9/28/2018	0.0271	8.2252
10/31/2018	0.0266	7.5607
11/30/2018	0.0263	7.6182
12/31/2018	0.0256	7.0109
1/31/2019	0.0244	7.5700
2/28/2019	0.0243	7.7177
3/29/2019	0.0239	7.7372
4/30/2019	0.0239	8.0118
5/31/2019	0.0237	7.4793
6/28/2019	0.0244	7.9520

Renaissance Global Equity Private	Distribution	Price
Pool	(US\$)	(US\$)
Class F-Premium T6		
7/31/2018	0.0392	8.0713
8/31/2018	0.0391	8.0465
9/28/2018	0.0395	8.0403
10/31/2018	0.0387	7.3797
11/30/2018	0.0384	7.4236
12/31/2018	0.0374	6.8247
1/31/2019	0.0358	7.3600
2/28/2019	0.0357	7.4916
3/29/2019	0.0352	7.4985
4/30/2019	0.0351	7.7526
5/31/2019	0.0348	7.2251
6/28/2019	0.0359	7.6698

Renaissance Global Equity Private	Distribution	Price
Pool	(US\$)	(US\$)
Class NH-Premium T4	, ,	
7/31/2018	0.0269	8.2294
8/31/2018	0.0268	8.2403
9/28/2018	0.0271	8.3170
10/31/2018	0.0266	7.5195
11/30/2018	0.0263	7.5517
12/31/2018	0.0256	6.7130
1/31/2019	0.0236	7.5283
2/28/2019	0.0236	7.6748
3/29/2019	0.0232	7.5821
4/30/2019	0.0231	7.8213



5/31/2019	0.0229	7.1859
6/28/2019	0.0237	7.8238

Renaissance Global Equity Private	Distribution	Price
Pool	(US\$)	(US\$)
Class NH-Premium T6		
7/31/2018	0.0400	8.0521
8/31/2018	0.0398	8.0501
9/28/2018	0.0403	8.1123
10/31/2018	0.0395	7.3095
11/30/2018	0.0391	7.3237
12/31/2018	0.0381	6.4919
1/31/2019	0.0335	7.2479
2/28/2019	0.0334	7.3790
3/29/2019	0.0329	7.3032
4/30/2019	0.0328	7.5239
5/31/2019	0.0326	6.9108
6/28/2019	0.0336	7.5215

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## **Class N-Premium**

Note: The Fund Class did not distribute during the reporting year.

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# **Class NH-Premium**

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Renaissance Global Equity Private Pool		
Class N-Premium T4	(US\$)	(US\$)
7/31/2018	0.0269	8.2344
8/31/2018	0.0268	8.2203
9/28/2018	0.0271	8.2252
10/31/2018	0.0266	7.5607
11/30/2018	0.0263	7.6182
12/31/2018	0.0256	7.0109
1/31/2019	0.0244	7.5700
2/28/2019	0.0243	7.7177
3/29/2019	0.0239	7.7372
4/30/2019	0.0239	8.0118
5/31/2019	0.0237	7.4793
6/28/2019	0.0244	7.9520

Renaissance Global Equity Private Pool	Distribution	Price
Class N-Premium T6	(US\$)	(US\$)



7/31/2018	0.0392	8.0713
8/31/2018	0.0391	8.0465
9/28/2018	0.0395	8.0403
10/31/2018	0.0387	7.3797
11/30/2018	0.0384	7.4236
12/31/2018	0.0374	6.8247
1/31/2019	0.0358	7.3600
2/28/2019	0.0357	7.4916
3/29/2019	0.0352	7.4985
4/30/2019	0.0351	7.7526
5/31/2019	0.0348	7.2251
6/28/2019	0.0359	7.6698

Renaissance Global Equity Private Pool	Distribution	Price
Class O	(US\$)	(US\$)
12/31/2018	1.0051	7.4474

Renaissance Global Equity Private Pool	Distribution	Price
Class OH	(US\$)	(US\$)
12/31/2018	0.3808	7.7364

Renaissance Global Equity Private Pool	Distribution	Price
Premium Class	(US\$)	(US\$)
12/31/2018	0.8362	6.9868

Renaissance Global Equity Private Pool	Distribution	Price
Class H-Premium	(US\$)	(US\$)
12/31/2018	0.2888	7.1252

- 3) For each PFIC, your U.S. tax preparer requires the following:
  - The PFIC Annual Information Statement for the fund provided by Renaissance Investments
  - Your account statements for the tax year provided by your investment dealer
  - i) The PFIC Annual Information Statement will provide the pro-rata share of the fund's ordinary earnings, net capital gain per unit per day.

To calculate your individual amounts for a QEF election, multiply the number of unit days you held the fund series by the pro-rata amounts provided above.

To calculate the number of unit days, multiply the number of units held by the number of days the units were held for the tax year. For example, an account that held 1000 units of a fund for the full year (July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2019, 365 days), the number of unit days would be  $1000 \times 365 = 365,000$ . If those units were held for 181 days (July 1, 2018 to December 28, 2018), the number of unit days would be  $1000 \times 181 = 181,000$ . This



value would then be multiplied by the pro-rata values on the Annual Information Statement and reported on IRS <u>Form 8621</u>.

If the number of units changes over the course of the year, the unit days calculation should be adjusted accordingly. For example, consider an account that starts the year with 1000 units then, 66 days into the year, another 1000 units are purchased (increasing the total number of units to 2000). If no other changes are made for the remaining 300 days of the year, the unit days calculation would be:  $(1000 \text{ units} \times 66 \text{ days}) + (2000 \text{ units} \times 300 \text{ days}) = 666,000 \text{ unit days}$ .

ii) The PFIC Annual Information Statement will provide the per unit amounts distributed by the Fund.

To calculate your individual amounts for a QEF election, multiply the number of units you held of the Fund series by the per unit amounts provided above.

4) The Fund will, upon receipt of request, permit you to inspect and copy its permanent books of account, records, and other such documents as may be maintained by the Fund. This is to establish that their respective ordinary earnings and net capital gains are computed in accordance with U.S. income tax principles, and to verify these amounts and your pro-rata shares thereof.

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