

## Report of Organizational Actions Affecting Basis of Securities

▶ See separate instructions.

**Part I Reporting Issuer**

1 Issuer's name  FXCM Inc.		2 Issuer's employer identification number (EIN)  27-3268672	
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8 Date of action  October 1, 2015		9 Classification and description  1-for 10 reverse stock split	
10 CUSIP number  302693205	11 Serial number(s)	12 Ticker symbol  FXCM	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 September 21, 2015, the Board of Directors of FXCM Inc. declared a 10-for-1 reverse stock split of the Corporation's common shares effective 9 a.m. (Eastern Time) October 1, 2015. Each shareholder of record as of September 30, 2015 received one share of stock for each 10 shares they previously held. The new CUSIP is 302693205.

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 the 1-for 10 reverse stock split, each shareholder of FXCM Inc. common stock received 1 share in exchange for each 10 shares held. No fractional shares were issued in the reverse stock split. Shareholders who would otherwise receive a fractional share, received a cash payment in lieu of such fractional share. As a result of the reverse stock split, FXCM Inc. shareholders will be required to allocate the aggregate tax basis in their common stock held immediately prior to the reverse stock split among the shares of common stock held immediately after the reverse stock split (including any fractional share interest for which cash was received).

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 ▶ Post-split (new) basis per share = pre-split (old) basis per share times 10. While the basis "per share" is impacted, the basis of the shareholder's total investment in FXCM Inc. remains unchanged.

Shareholders who received cash in lieu of fractional shares will be treated as having received such fractional shares in the transaction, and then as having exchanged such fractional shares for cash. The amount of any gain or loss recognized as a result of such exchange will be equal to the difference between the ratable portion of the tax basis that is allocated to such fractional share and the cash received in lieu.

**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 Section 358(b)(1)

18 Can any resulting loss be recognized? ▶ The 1-for-10 reverse stock split should not constitute a taxable transaction, except to the extent of any cash received for fractional shares. Shareholders should consult their tax advisor to determine the tax impact of this transaction with respect to their individual facts and circumstances for tax year 2015.

19 Provide any other information necessary to implement the adjustment, such as the reportable tax year ▶ The reportable tax year is 2015.

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.

**Sign Here**

Signature ▶  Date ▶ Oct 26, 2015

Print your name ▶ Alan Oliver Title ▶ VP Tax

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