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Report of Organizational Actions Affecting Basis of Securities

► See separate instructions.

OMB No. 1545-0123

| Part I Reportir | ng Issuer | | | |
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| 1 Issuer's name | - - " · | 2 Issuer's employer identification number (EIN) | | |
| FIRST FINANCIAL BAN | IKSHARES INC AND S | 75-0944023 | | |
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| P.O. BOX 701 | | | | ABILENE, TX 79604 |
| 8 Date of action | | Monte in 10004 | | |
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| JUNE 3, 2019 10 CUSIP number | 11 Serial number(| | 12 Ticker symbol | SPLIT 13 Account number(s) |
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| Part II Organiza | ational Action Attac | ch additiona | l statements if needed. S | ee back of form for additional questions. |
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| | | | | nares Inc approved a two-for-one stock split of the |
| Corporation's outstand | ling common stock in t | he form of a | 100% stock dividend. Eac | h shareholder as of the record date received one |
| | | nare held. Th | e record date for the stock | s split was May 15, 2019 and the distribution date of the |
| new shares was June 3 | 3, 2019. | | | |
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| | | | | , immediately after the stock dividend, the shareholder's |
| | | | | e new share. This resulted in each shareholder's number |
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| 16 Describe the calcu | lation of the change in b | asis and the | data that supports the calcu | flation, such as the market values of securities and the |
| valuation dates ► • | To determine the basis | in both the | original and the new share | s, each shareholder would multiply the basis in the |
| | | | | ne basis in both the original share and the new share |
| issued. | | | | |
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