

First Investors Funds

Fund Optimization

On August 21, 2018, we filed a prospectus sticker to close the **First Investors Long Short Fund**. This action is the result of several factors. The Fund's subadvisor, Lazard Asset Management LLC, has decided to cease management of its long/short equity strategy and its management of this Fund. Due to insufficient growth and lagging performance since the Fund's inception, Foresters Investment Management Company, Inc. believes there is limited opportunity for growth in the Fund and has determined that liquidation is the best course of action.

As of August 22, new investors can no longer make any purchases in the Fund; however, current shareholders may continue to buy additional shares until September 26.

On September 26, the Long Short Fund will complete its liquidation (see *Exhibit 1* for share class specifics).

Exhibit 1: First Investors Long Short Fund - Share class details

Fund Name	Share class	Ticker symbol	CUSIP
First Investors Long Short Fund	A	FRLBX	320579105
	Advisor	FRLDX	320579204
	Institutional	FRLIX	320579303

For shares held directly by the Fund, proceeds representing non-retirement assets will be mailed via check to clients at their address of record. For retirement assets in which Foresters Financial acts as the custodian, proceeds will automatically be moved into the First Investors Government Cash Management Fund on a non-reportable basis. All positions held with a broker-dealer in networked or omnibus accounts will be liquidated on September 26.

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