Form **8937**(December 2017) Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Report of Organizational Actions Affecting Basis of Securities

► See separate instructions.

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Part I Reporting	Issuer			
1 Issuer's name				2 Issuer's employer identification number (EIN)
RENASANT CORPORA	TION	64-0676974		
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		delivered to .	street address) of contact	7 City, town, or post office, state, and ZIP code of contact
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8 Date of action 9 C		9 Class	ssification and description	
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14 Describe the organiz	ational action and, if a	applicable, the	date of the action or the dat	te against which shareholders' ownership is measured for
the action ► SEE	ATTACHMENT			,
			 	
				
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17	List th	e applicable Internal Revenue Code section(s) and subsection(s) upon which the tax treatment is based >	SEE ATTACHMENT			
18	Can a	ny resulting loss be recognized?▶ SEE ATTACHMENT				
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19 Provide any other information necessary to implement the adjustment, such as the reportable tax year ▶ SEE ATTACHMENT						
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Attachment to Form 8937 Report of Organizational Actions Affecting Basis of Securities **Renasant Corporation**

FEIN: 64-0676974

Part II, Line 14

Renasant Corporation ("Renasant") acquired Brand Group Holdings, Inc. ("Brand") through a merger transaction and Brand simultaneously merged into Renasant effective September 1, 2018.

Part II, Line 15

Pursuant to the agreement and plan of merger, each share of Brand common stock was exchanged for 31.72 shares of Renasant common stock and \$74.57 in cash, plus cash in lieu of fractional shares.

Renasant believes that the merger will qualify as a tax-free reorganization under Section 368 of the Internal Revenue Code. Brand shareholders who received cash and shares of Renasant common stock as a result of the merger generally will recognize gain (but not loss) in an amount equal to the lesser of: (i) the amount by which the sum of the fair market value of Renasant common stock and cash received by the Brand shareholder exceeds shareholder's adjusted tax basis in the Brand shares and (ii) the amount of cash received by the shareholder (including cash received in lieu of a fractional share). Each Brand shareholder's aggregate basis in shares of Renasant common stock received as a result of the merger will be the same as the aggregate basis in the shares of Brand common stock surrendered in the merger, decreased by the amount of cash received and increased by the amount of gain recognized in the transaction.

The aggregate basis of Renasant common stock received as a result of the merger, once computed, must be allocated to shares of Renasant common stock, generally in proportion to the fair market value of the shares of stock received.

Part II, Line 16

Renasant believes that a reasonable method to determine the fair market value of Renasant common stock issued in the merger is the closing sales price of the shares on August 31, 2018, or \$46.69 per share. Shareholders should consult their own tax advisors regarding the tax consequences of the merger, including the calculation of gain and tax basis.

Part II, Line 17

Tax treatment of the merger is based on the following Internal Revenue Code (IRC) sections and subsections as more fully discussed below: 368(A), 354, 356, 358, and 1221.

Part II. Line 18

Generally, no loss can be recognized in respect of the merger, except that loss may be recognized in respect of fractional shares exchanged for cash. The deductibility of capital losses is subject to limitation. Shareholders should consult their tax advisors to determine the computation and deduction of any loss.

Part II, Line 19

The reportable tax year of the adjustment to the basis of the securities as a result of the organizational action is the shareholder's tax year that includes September 1, 2018.