

RE: First Trust NYSE Area Biotechnology ETF

Tax Year End: 12/31/2022

PFIC ANNUAL INFORMATION STATEMENT

1)	The Fund uses December 31, as the end of its taxable year	 The first and last days of the taxable year of the
	Fund to which this information statement applies are Januar	ry 1, 2022 and December 31, 2022, respectively.

2)	First Trust NYSE Arca Biotechnology ETF has the following ordinary earnings and net capital
	gains per share:

Common
Ordinary earnings: \$0.00

Net capital gain: \$0.00

3) The amount of cash and the fair market value of other property distributed or deemed distributed per share:

Common

Cash: \$0.00

Fair Market Value of Property: NONE

4) The following information is being provided to assist with the new "Part I - Summary of Annual Information" filing requirements on Form 8621. Please consult your tax advisor.

Description of each class of shares held by the shareholder:

Number of shares held at the end of the taxable year:

90,000

Value of shares held at the end of the taxable year:

\$1,816,966

5) The Fund will permit you to inspect and copy its permanent books of account, records, and such other documents as may be maintained by the Fund that are necessary to establish that the Fund's ordinary earnings and net capital gain, as provided in section 1293(e) of the Code, are computed in accordance with U.S. income tax principles.

Date: March 10, 2023 By

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