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**PUTNAM ANNOUNCES DIVIDEND RATES FOR CLASS A
OPEN-END FUNDS**

BOSTON, Massachusetts (November 16, 2018) -- The Trustees of The Putnam Funds declared the following fund distributions.

<u>FUND NAME AND DISTRIBUTIONS</u>	<u>RECORD/ EX DATE</u>	<u>PAYMENT DATE</u>
<u>Putnam Convertible Securities Fund– Class A Shares (PCONX)</u>		
\$0.1200 per share investment income	12/26/18	12/28/18
<u>Putnam Dynamic Asset Allocation Balanced Fund– Class A Shares (PABAX)</u>		
\$0.0650 per share investment income	12/18/18	12/20/18
<u>Putnam Dynamic Asset Allocation Conservative Fund– Class A Shares (PACAX)</u>		
\$0.0170 per share investment income	12/18/18	12/20/18
	1/17/19	1/22/19
<u>Putnam Diversified Income Trust – Class A Shares (PDINX)</u>		
\$0.0260 per share investment income	12/14/18	12/20/18
	1/15/19	1/22/19
<u>Putnam Equity Income Fund – Class A Shares (PEYAX)</u>		
\$0.0790 per share investment income	12/26/18	12/28/18
<u>Putnam Fixed Income Absolute Return Fund – Class A Shares (PTRNX)</u>		
\$0.0310 per share investment income	12/18/18	12/20/18
	1/17/19	1/22/19
<u>George Putnam Balanced Fund – Class A Shares (PGEOX)</u>		
\$0.0710 per share investment income	11/28/18	11/30/18

