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**FIDELITY ADVISOR SERIES 8**

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FIDELITY ADVISOR EMERGING MARKETS INCOME FUND - CLASS A  
 FIDELITY ADVISOR EMERGING MARKETS INCOME FUND - CLASS B  
 A FUND OF FIDELITY ADVISOR SERIES VIII  
 SUPPLEMENT TO THE STATEMENT OF ADDITIONAL INFORMATION  
 DATED JUNE 30, 1994

MANAGEMENT CONTRACT. Effective August 1, 1994, FMR agreed to voluntarily adopt the revised group fee rate schedule shown below for purposes of calculating the group fee component of the management fee. The revised schedule provides for lower management fees as total assets under management increase, and it will be presented to shareholders for approval at the next shareholder meeting.

The following information replaces the "Group Fee Rate" and "Effective Annual Fee Rate" schedules found on page 28.

GROUP FEE RATE SCHEDULE		EFFECTIVE ANNUAL FEE RATES	
Average Group Assets	Annualized Rate	Group Net Assets	Effective Annual Fee Rate
0 - \$ 3 billion	.3700%	\$ 0.5 billion	.3700%
3 - 6	.3400	25	.2664
6 - 9	.3100	50	.2188
9 - 12	.2800	75	.1986
12 - 15	.2500	100	.1869
15 - 18	.2200	125	.1793
18 - 21	.2000	150	.1736
21 - 24	.1900	175	.1690
24 - 30	.1800	200	.1652
30 - 36	.1750	225	.1618
36 - 42	.1700	250	.1587
42 - 48	.1650	275	.1560
48 - 66	.1600	300	.1536
66 - 84	.1550	325	.1514
84 - 120	.1500	350	.1494

120 - 156	.1450	375	.1476
156 - 192	.1400	400	.1459
192 - 228	.1350		
228 - 264	.1300		
264 - 300	.1275		
300 - 336	.1250		
336 - 372	.1225		
Over 372	.1200		

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