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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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See Instruction

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * BANK OF AMERICA CORP /DE/

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

NUVEEN INSURED MUNICIPAL OPPORTUNITY FUND INC [NIO]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(City)

(First)

(Middle)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

Director Officer (give title below)

X__ 10% Owner Other (specify

BANK OF AMERICA CORPORATE CENTER, 100 N. TRYON STREET

(Street)

(State)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

01/20/2011

Form filed by One Reporting Person _X_ Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

Table I. Non Derivative Securities Acquired Disposed of or Peneficially Owned

CHARLOTTE, NC 28255

(City)	(State) (2	Table	e I - Non-Do	erivative S	Securi	ties Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned
1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or			5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect	
(Instr. 3)	(Month/Day/Year)	any	Code	Disposed of (D)			Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial
, ,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership
							Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
				(A)		Reported Transaction(s)			
			$C \rightarrow V$		or	ъ.	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Auction			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price			See
Rate	01/20/2011		J(2)	384	D	(2)	1,066	I	Footnote
Preferred (1)	01/20/2011		3 <u>~</u>	304	D	<u>127</u>	1,000	1	(1)
Auction									See
Rate	01/21/2011		J(2)	729	D	(2)	337	I	Footnote
Preferred (1)			_						<u>(1)</u>
Auction									See
Rate	01/24/2011		J(2)	337	D	<u>(2)</u>	0	I	Footnote
Preferred (1)									<u>(1)</u>

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Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Title Amoun Underly Securit: (Instr. 3	nt of ying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title I	Amount or Number of Shares	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships					
The state of the s	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
BANK OF AMERICA CORP /DE/ BANK OF AMERICA CORPORATE CENTER 100 N. TRYON STREET CHARLOTTE, NC 28255		X					
BANK OF AMERICA NA BANK OF AMERICA CORPORATE CENTER 100 NORTH TRYON STREET CHARLOTTE, NC 28255		X					
MERRILL LYNCH, PIERCE, FENNER & SMITH INC. 4 WORLD FINANCIAL CENTER NORTH TOWER NEW YORK, NY 10080		X					
Blue Ridge Investments, L.L.C. 214 N. TRYON STREET CHARLOTTE, NC 28255		X					

Signatures

Bank of America Corporation and Bank of America, N.A., By:/s/Michael Didovic, Title: Director

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**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Incorporated, By:/s/Lawrence Emerson, Title: Attorney-In-Fact

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**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Blue Ridge Investments, L.L.C., By:/s/ John Hiebendahl, Title: SVP

01/24/2011

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
 - The Auction Rate Preferred Shares ("Shares") reported in Table I represent Shares beneficially owned by Bnk of America, N.A. ("BANA"), Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Inc. ("MLPFS") and Blue Ridge Investors, L.L.C. ("Blue Ridge"). BANA and
- MLPFS are wholly owned subsidiaries of Bank of America Corporation ("Bank of America") and Blue Ridge is a wholly owned subsidiary of BANA.
- (2) The Shares were called for redemption by the issuer at par value.

Remarks:

The Shares reported herein represent Bank of America's combined holdings in multiple series of auction rate preferred securities. Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.

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