

Townsend Christopher
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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,
Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section
30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Â Townsend Christopher
(Last) (First) (Middle)

1633 BROADWAY

(Street)

NEW YORK,Â NYÂ 10019

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Date of Event Requiring Statement

(Month/Day/Year)
02/20/2012

3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

PIMCO CORPORATE & INCOME OPPORTUNITY FUND [PTY]

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____ 10% Owner
____ Officer ____X____ Other
(give title below) (specify below)
Affiliated Person

5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group

Filing(Check Applicable Line)
X Form filed by One Reporting Person
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security
(Instr. 4)

2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned
(Instr. 4)

3. Ownership Form:
Direct (D)
or Indirect (I)
(Instr. 5)

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
(Instr. 5)

Common stock

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D Â

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

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

1. Title of Derivative Security
(Instr. 4)

2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date
(Month/Day/Year)

3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security
(Instr. 4)

4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security

5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security:
Direct (D)
or Indirect

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
(Instr. 5)

Date Exercisable Expiration Date Title Amount or Number of

Shares

(I)
(Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Townsend Christopher 1633 BROADWAY NEW YORK, NY 10019	Â	Â	Â	Affiliated Person

Signatures

/s/ Christopher
Townsend

02/29/2012

__Signature of Reporting
Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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).

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Remarks:

AllianzÂ GlobalÂ InvestorsÂ FundÂ ManagementÂ LLCÂ (AGIFM)Â isÂ theÂ InvestmentÂ ManagerÂ ofÂ theÂ Issuer.Â

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