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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and A Person *  Carroll Jo		porting	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PIMCO INCOME STRATEGY FUND [PFL]							
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	02/20/2012	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			5. If Amendment, Date Origina Filed(Month/Day/Year)				
1633 BROA	DWAY						(··				
	(Street)			(Check all applicable)			6. Individual or Joint/Group				
NEW YORF	ζ, NYÂ	10019	Director				Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - N	Non-Derivat	ive Securiti	ies Beneficially Owned					
1.Title of Secur (Instr. 4)	rity		2. Amount o Beneficially (Instr. 4)		3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Na Owne (Instr	*				
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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		4. Conversion or Exercise	5. Ownership Form of	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
			(Instr. 4)		Price of	Derivative	
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of	Security	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	

Shares

(I) (Instr. 5)

### **Reporting Owners**

**Reporting Owner Name / Address** 

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Carroll John

1633 BROADWAY Â Â Â Affiliated Person

NEW YORK, NYÂ 10019

### **Signatures**

/s/ John Carroll

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:**

Allianz Global Investors Fund Management LLC (AGIFM) is the Investment Manager of the Issuer.Â

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