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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person * Statement DREYFUS MUNICIPAL INCOME INC [DMF] **BANK OF AMERICA CORP** (Month/Day/Year) /DE/ 12/31/2009 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) **BANK OF AMERICA** (Check all applicable) CORPORATE CENTER, 100 N TRYON STREET Director __X__ 10% Owner (Street) Officer Other 6. Individual or Joint/Group (give title below) (specify below) Filing(Check Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person CHARLOTTE, NCÂ 28255 _X_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 2. Amount of Securities 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial 1. Title of Security Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (Instr. 5) **Auction Rate Preferred** 577 (1) Ι By Subsidiary Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a

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

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1. Title of Derivative Security
2. Date Exercisable and Securities Underlying Conversion Ownership Ownership Operivative Security

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3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Ownership Ownership Operivative Security

4. Securities Underlying Ownership Ownership Operivative Security

5. Ownership Ownership Ownership Ownership Operivative Security

6. Nature of Indirect Ownership Ownership Ownership Operivative Security

8. Date Exercisable and Securities Underlying Ownership Ownershi

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| | | (Instr. 4) | | Price of | Derivative |
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| Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | Derivative Security | Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | | Relationships | | | |
|---|---|---------------|---------|-------|--|
| | | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | |
| BANK OF AMERICA CORP /DE/ BANK OF AMERICA CORPORATE CENTER 100 N TRYON STREET CHARLOTTE, NC 28255 | Â | ÂΧ | Â | Â | |
| MERRILL LYNCH, PIERCE, FENNER & SMITH INC. 4 WORLD FINANCIAL CENTER NORTH TOWER NEW YORK, NY 10080 | Â | ÂX | Â | Â | |
| BANK OF AMERICA NA 100 N. TRYON STREET CHARLOTTE, NC 28255 | Â | ÂX | Â | Â | |

Signatures

| Bank of America Corporation and Bank of America, N.A. By: /s/ Debra I. Cho, Senior Vice President | | | |
|---|------|--|--|
| **Signature of Reporting Person | Date | | |
| Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith, Inc. By: /s/ Robert M. Shine, Attorney-In-Fact | | | |
| **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).
- The Auction Rate Preferred Shares ("Shares") reported in Table 1 represent 204 Shares beneficially owned by Merrill Lynch, Pierce, (1) Fenner & Smith, Inc. ("MLPFS") and 373 Shares beneficially owned by Bank of America, N.A. ("BANA"). MLPFS and BANA are each indirect, wholly owned subsidiaries of Bank of America Corporation ("Bank of America").

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Remarks:

The Shares reported herein represent Bank of America's combined holdings in multiple series of auct securities of the issuer, which are treated herein as one class of securities in accordance with th Securities--Global Exemptive Relief no-action letter issued by the Securities and Exchange Commission 22, 2008. Bank of America undertakes to provide upon request by the SEC, the issuer or a se complete information regarding the number of equity securities of the issuer purchased or sold at Â date of all transactions in such securities that occurred after Bank of America became a 10% ov this filing

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