#### Sluyters Julian Form 3 November 20, 2012 FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549 OMB Number:

### 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 <u>*</u> Sluyters Julian			2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 11/19/2012	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PIMCO CALIFORNIA MUNICIPAL INCOME FUND III [PZC]						
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	11/1//2012	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)			
1633 BROA	DWAY									
(Street) NEW YORK, NY 10019				(Check all applicable) <u>Director</u> 10% Owner Officer X_ Other (give title below) (specify below) Affiliated Person			6. Individual or Joint/Group			
							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	on-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned					
1.Title of Secur (Instr. 4)	ity		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 (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of	5. Ownership Form of Derivative	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	

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# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Addre	SS	Relationships						
		10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Sluyters Julian 1633 BROADWAY NEW YORK, NY 10019	Â	Â	Â	Affiliated Person				
Signatures								
/s/ Julian 1 Sluyters	1/20/2012							
**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:**

### Mr. Sluyters is a member of the Management Board of Allianz Global Investors Fund ManagementÂ

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