NUVEEN INSURED CALIFORNIA PREMIUM INCOME MUNICIPAL FUND 2 IN Form N-Q July 28, 2006

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, DC 20549

## **FORM N-Q**

QUARTERLY SCHEDULE OF P	ORTFOLIO HOLDINGS OF REGISTERED MANAGEMENT INVESTMENT COMPANY
restment Company Act file number	811-7492

| Nuveen Insured California Premium Income Municipal Fund 2. Inc. (Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

| 333 West Wacker Drive, Chicago, Illinois 60606 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip code)

| Jessica R. Droeger Vice President and Secretary 333 West Wacker Drive, Chicago, Illinois 60606 (Name and address of agent for service)

| Registrant's telephone number, including area code: 312-917-7700 |
| Date of fiscal year end: 8/31 |

Form N-Q is to be used by management investment companies, other than small business investment companies registered on Form N-5 (§§ 239.24 and 274.5 of this chapter), to file reports with the Commission, not later than 60 days after the close of the first and third fiscal quarters, pursuant to rule 30b1-5 under the Investment Company Act of 1940 (17 CFR 270.30b1-5). The Commission may use the information provided on Form N-Q in its regulatory, disclosure review, inspection, and policymaking roles.

A registrant is required to disclose the information specified by Form N-Q, and the Commission will make this information public. A registrant is not required to respond to the collection of information contained in Form N-Q unless the Form displays a currently valid Office of Management and Budget (OMB) control number. Please direct comments concerning the accuracy of the information collection burden estimate and any suggestions for reducing the burden to the Secretary, Securities and Exchange Commission, 450 Fifth Street, NW, Washington, DC 20549-0609. The OMB has reviewed this collection of information under the clearance requirements of 44 U.S.C. § 3507.

Item 1. Schedule of Investments

Date of reporting period: \_\_\_\_\_5/31/06

Portfolio of Investments (Unaudited)

Nuveen Insured California Premium Income Municipal Fund 2, Inc. (NCL)

May 31, 2006

Principal
Amount (000) Description (1)

Optiona

Provisions (2

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	Education and Civic Organizations [] 12.5% (8.4% of Total Investments)	
	California Educational Facilities Authority, Revenue Bonds, Santa Clara University,	
	Series 1996:	
2,400	5.750%, 9/01/21 🛘 MBIA Insured	9/06 at 102.00
3,000	5.750%, 9/01/26 [] MBIA Insured	9/06 at 102.00
2,000	California Educational Facilities Authority, Revenue Bonds, University of the Pacific, Series 2000, $5.875\%$ , $11/01/20\ \square$ MBIA Insured	11/10 at 100.00
2,125	California Educational Facilities Authority, Student Loan Revenue Bonds, Cal Loan Program, Series 2001A, 5.400%, 3/01/21 [] MBIA Insured (Alternative Minimum Tax)	3/08 at 102.00
5,380	California State University, Systemwide Revenue Bonds, Series 2004A, 5.000%, 11/01/16 $\ \square$ FSA Insured	5/14 at 100.00
1,500	California State University, Systemwide Revenue Bonds, Series 2005A, 5.000%, 11/01/25 $\ \square$ AMBAC Insured	5/15 at 100.00
6,000	University of California, Revenue Bonds, Multi-Purpose Projects, Series 2003A, 5.000%, 5/15/27 [] AMBAC Insured	5/13 at 100.00
22,405	Total Education and Civic Organizations	
	Health Care  ☐ 1.8% (1.2% of Total Investments)	
1,450	California Health Facilities Financing Authority, Insured Health Facility Revenue Refunding Bonds, Mark Twain St. Joseph Healthcare Corporation, Series 1996A, 6.000%, 7/01/19	7/06 at 102.00
1,755		5/12 at 101.00
3,205	Total Health Care	
	Housing/Single Family  ☐ 0.6% (0.4% of Total Investments)	
1,100		8/07 at 101.50
	Tax Obligation/General  ☐ 14.8% (9.9% of Total Investments)	
1,460	-	8/10 at 101.00
4,400		2/13 at 100.00
1,000	5.000%, 2/01/18  AMBAC Insured	2/14 at 100.00
2,250	5.000%, 4/01/31  AMBAC Insured	4/14 at 100.00
3,000	California, General Obligation Veterans Welfare Bonds, Series 2001BZ, 5.375%, 12/01/24 [] MBIA Insured (Alternative Minimum Tax)	6/07 at 101.00
1,910	Fresno Unified School District, Fresno County, California, General Obligation Bonds, Series 2002A, 6.000%, 8/01/26 [] MBIA Insured	No Opt. Ca
1,255	Los Angeles Community College District, Los Angeles County, California, General Obligation Bonds, Series 2005A, 5.000%, 8/01/24 [] FSA Insured	8/15 at 100.0
2,200		7/13 at 100.0
1,270	Merced City School District, Merced County, California, General Obligation Bonds, Series 2004,	8/13 at 100.0
	3,000 2,000 2,125 5,380 1,500 6,000 22,405 1,450 1,755 3,205 1,100 1,460 4,400 1,000 2,250 3,000 1,910 1,255 2,200	California Educational Facilities Authority, Revenue Bonds, Santa Clara University, Series 1996: 3,000 5.750%, 9/01/21    MBIA Insured 3,000 5.750%, 9/01/26    MBIA Insured 3,000 5.750%, 9/01/26    MBIA Insured 2,000 California Educational Facilities Authority, Revenue Bonds, University of the Pacific, Series 2000, 5.875%, 11/01/20    MBIA Insured 2,125 California Educational Facilities Authority, Student Loan Revenue Bonds, Cal Loan Program, Series 2001A, 5.400%, 3/01/21    MBIA Insured (Alternative Minimum Tax) 5,380 California Educational Facilities Authority, Student Loan Revenue Bonds, Cal Loan Program, Series 2001A, 5.400%, 3/01/21    MBIA Insured (Alternative Minimum Tax) 5,380 California State University, Systemwide Revenue Bonds, Series 2004A, 5.000%, 11/01/16    FSA Insured 1,500 California State University, Systemwide Revenue Bonds, Series 2005A, 5.000%, 11/01/25    AMBAC Insured 6,000 University of California, Revenue Bonds, Multi-Purpose Projects, Series 2003A, 5.000%, 5/15/27    AMBAC Insured  22,405 Total Education and Civic Organizations  Health Care    1.8% (1.2% of Total Investments) 1,450 California Health Facilities Financing Authority, Insured Health Facility Revenue Refunding Bonds, Mark Twain St. Josephijs Healthcare Corporation, Series 1996A, 6.000%, 7/01/19    MBIA Insured 1,755 University of California, Hospital Revenue Bonds, UCLA Medical Center, Series 2004A, 5.500%, 5/15/18    AMBAC Insured  3,205 Total Health Care  Housing/Single Family    0.6% (0.4% of Total Investments) 1,100 California Housing Finance Agency, Single Family Mortgage Bonds, Series 1997C-2-II, 5.625%, 8/01/20    MBIA Insured (Alternative Minimum Tax)  Tax Obligation/General    14.8% (9.9% of Total Investments) 1,460 ABC Unified School District, Los Angeles County, California, General Obligation Bonds, Series 2008, 5.750%, 8/01/18    AMBAC Insured 2,205 5.000%, 4/01/31    AMBAC Insured 3,000 California, General Obligation Bonds, Series 2004: 1,000 5.000%, 8/01/18    AMBAC Insured 3,000 California, General Obligation

	5.000%, 8/01/22 [] FGIC Insured	
	Oakland Unified School District, Alameda County, California, General Obligation Bonds,	
	Series 2005:	
405	5.000%, 8/01/25 [] MBIA Insured	8/15 at 100.0
430	5.000%, 8/01/26 [] MBIA Insured	8/15 at 100.0
1,125	San Diego Unified School District, California, General Obligation Bonds, Election of 1998,	No Opt. Ca
2.000	Series 1999A, 0.000%, 7/01/21 [] FGIC Insured	
2,000	San Francisco Community College District, California, General Obligation Bonds, Series 2002A, 5.000%, 6/15/26 [] FGIC Insured	6/10 at 102.0
	San Jose-Evergreen Community College District, Santa Clara County, California, General	
	Obligation Bonds, Series 2005A:	
320	5.000%, 9/01/25   MBIA Insured	9/15 at 100.0
465	5.000%, 9/01/23   MBIA Insured	9/15 at 100.0
	San Ramon Valley Unified School District, Contra Costa County, California, General Obligation	8/14 at 100.0
1,000	Bonds, Series 2004, 5.000%, 8/01/24 [FSA Insured	0/14 01 100.0
2.445	Washington Unified School District, Yolo County, California, General Obligation Bonds, Series	8/13 at 100.0
<b>-,</b>	2004A, 5.000%, 8/01/21 [] FGIC Insured	0,10 00 1011
26,935	Total Tax Obligation/General	
	Tax Obligation/Limited [] 45.0% (30.1% of Total Investments)	
	Anaheim Public Finance Authority, California, Subordinate Lease Revenue Bonds, Public	
	Improvement Project, Series 1997C:	
5,130	0.000%, 9/01/18 [] FSA Insured	No Opt. Ca
8,000	0.000%, 9/01/21 [] FSA Insured	No Opt. Ca
3,500	California Department of Transportation, Federal Highway Grant Anticipation Bonds, Series	No Opt. Ca
	2004A, 5.000%, 2/01/15 [] FGIC Insured	
	California Infrastructure Economic Development Bank, Revenue Bonds, North County Center for	
	Self-Sufficiency Corporation, Series 2004:	
1,535	5.000%, 12/01/20 [] AMBAC Insured	12/13 at 100.0
1,780	5.000%, 12/01/23 [] AMBAC Insured	12/13 at 100.0
5,000	Compton Community Redevelopment Agency, California, Tax Allocation Refunding Bonds, Merged	8/06 at 101.0
	Area Redevelopment Projects, Series 1995A, 6.500%, 8/01/13 [] FSA Insured	
4,000	Contra Costa County, California, Certificates of Participation Refunding, Merrithew Memorial	11/07 at 102.0
	Hospital Replacement, Series 1997, 5.500%, 11/01/22 🛘 MBIA Insured	
6,000	El Monte, California, Senior Lien Certificates of Participation, Department of Public Services	1/11 at 100.0
	Facility Phase II, Series 2001, 5.000%, 1/01/21 🛘 AMBAC Insured	
8,280	Fontana Public Financing Authority, California, Tax Allocation Revenue Bonds, North Fontana	10/15 at 100.0
	Redevelopment Project, Series 2005A, 5.000%, 10/01/32 [] AMBAC Insured	
3,000	Galt Schools Joint Powers Authority, Sacramento County, California, Revenue Refunding Bonds,	11/07 at 102.0
	High School and Elementary School Facilities, Series 1997A, 5.875%, 11/01/24 [] MBIA Insured	
285	Hesperia Community Redevelopment Agency, California, Tax Allocation Bonds, Series 2005A,	9/15 at 100.0
	5.000%, 9/01/20   XLCA Insured	
5,000	Kern County Board of Education, California, Certificates of Participation Refunding, Series	5/08 at 102.0
	1998A, 5.200%, 5/01/28 [] MBIA Insured	
5,000	La Quinta Redevelopment Agency, California, Tax Allocation Refunding Bonds, Redevelopment	9/07 at 102.0
	Project Area 1, Series 1998, 5.200%, 9/01/28 [] AMBAC Insured	
2,300	Long Beach Bond Finance Authority, California, Multiple Project Tax Allocation Bonds, Housing	8/15 at 100.
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	and Gas Utility Financing Project Areas, Series 2005A-1, 5.000%, 8/01/25 [] AMBAC Insured	10/14 . 100 00
1,000	Los Angeles Community Redevelopment Agency, California, Tax Allocation Bonds, Bunker Hill	12/14 at 100.00
1.050	Project, Series 2004A, 5.000%, 12/01/20  FSA Insured	7/12 : 100 00
1,250	Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority, California, Proposition A First Tier	7/13 at 100.00
2.500	Senior Sales Tax Revenue Bonds, Series 2003B, 5.000%, 7/01/19  MBIA Insured	7/15   100 00
2,500	Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority, California, Proposition A First Tier	7/15 at 100.00
2.065	Senior Sales Tax Revenue Bonds, Series 2005A, 5.000%, 7/01/26  AMBAC Insured	7/10   101 00
3,865	Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority, California, Proposition C Second	7/10 at 101.00
4.000	Senior Lien Sales Tax Revenue Bonds, Series 2000A, 5.250%, 7/01/30 [] FGIC Insured	C/12 -+ 100 00
4,000		6/13 at 100.00
2.700	Series 2003AW, 5.000%, 6/01/33 [] AMBAC Insured	N. O. I. O. I.
2,780	Pittsburg Redevelopment Agency, California, Tax Allocation Refunding Bonds, Los Medanos	No Opt. Cal
4.140	Community Development Project, Series 2003A, 5.000%, 8/01/12   MBIA Insured	C/12 -+ 101 00
4,140	Plumas County, California, Certificates of Participation, Capital Improvement Program, Series	6/13 at 101.00
2.000	2003A, 5.000%, 6/01/28 AMBAC Insured	12/10 -+ 102 00
2,000		12/10 at 102.00
225	Project, Series 2000, 5.750%, 6/15/33  MBIA Insured  Project, Series 2000, 5.750%, 6/15/33  MBIA Insured  Project, Series 2000, 5.750%, 6/15/33  MBIA Insured  Project, Series 2000, 5.750%, 6/15/33  MBIA Insured	0/15 at 100 00
325	Rialto Redevelopment Agency, California, Tax Allocation Bonds, Merged Project Area, Series	9/15 at 100.00
605	2005A, 5.000%, 9/01/35   XLCA Insured  Riverside County Public Financing Authority, California, Tax Allegation Rends, Multiple	10/15 at 100.00
685	Riverside County Public Financing Authority, California, Tax Allocation Bonds, Multiple	10/15 at 100.00
1 000	Projects, Series 2005A, 5.000%, 10/01/35   XLCA Insured	9/13 at 100.00
1,000	Rocklin Unified School District, Placer County, California, Special Tax Bonds, Community	9/13 at 100.00
F 000	Facilities District 1, Series 2004, 5.000%, 9/01/25 [] MBIA Insured  San Bernardino Joint Powers Financing Authority, California, Certificates of Participation	9/09 at 102.00
3,000	Refunding, Police Station Financing Project, Series 1999, 5.500%, 9/01/20   MBIA Insured	9/09 at 102.00
	Returning, Folice Station Financing Froject, Series 1999, 5.500%, 5/01/20   Fibira insured	
87,355	Total Tax Obligation/Limited	
	Transportation [] 6.9% (4.6% of Total Investments)	
6,500	Foothill/Eastern Transportation Corridor Agency, California, Toll Road Revenue Refunding	1/10 at 65.32
	Bonds, Series 1999, 0.000%, 1/15/18 [] MBIA Insured	
4,000	Orange County Transportation Authority, California, Toll Road Revenue Bonds, 91 Express Lanes	8/13 at 100.00
	Project, Series 2003A, 5.000%, 8/15/18 🛘 AMBAC Insured	
5,000	San Francisco Airports Commission, California, Revenue Refunding Bonds, San Francisco	5/11 at 100.00
	International Airport, Second Series 2001, Issue 27A, 5.250%, 5/01/31 🛮 MBIA Insured	
	(Alternative Minimum Tax)	
15,500	Total Transportation	
	U.S. Guaranteed  ☐ 32.9% (22.0% of Total Investments) (4)	
	California Infrastructure Economic Development Bank, Revenue Bonds, Asian Art Museum of San	
	Francisco, Series 2000:	
1,295	5.500%, 6/01/19 (Pre-refunded 6/01/10) ∏ MBIA Insured	6/10 at 101.00
1,000	5.500%, 6/01/20 (Pre-refunded 6/01/10)   MBIA Insured	6/10 at 101.00
3,450	California State Public Works Board, Lease Revenue Bonds, Department of Health Services,	11/09 at 101.00
3, .30	Series 1999A, 5.750%, 11/01/24 (Pre-refunded 11/01/09)   MBIA Insured	, 00 01 101.00
2.500	California, Various Purpose General Obligation Bonds, Series 1999, 5.500%, 9/01/24	9/09 at 101.00
_,200	(Pre-refunded 9/01/09) [] FSA Insured	2,22 32 232.00

	California, Various Purpose General Obligation Bonds, Series 2000:	
7,995	5.750%, 3/01/22 (Pre-refunded 3/01/10) [ MBIA Insured	3/10 at 101.00
1,900	5.750%, 3/01/27 (Pre-refunded 3/01/10) [] MBIA Insured	3/10 at 101.00
2,580	Central Unified School District, Fresno County, California, General Obligation Bonds, Series 1993, 5.625%, 3/01/18 [] AMBAC Insured (ETM)	9/06 at 100.00
3,000	Escondido Union High School District, San Diego County, California, General Obligation Bonds, Series 1996, 5.700%, 11/01/10 🏿 MBIA Insured (ETM)	11/06 at 102.00
	Fresno Unified School District, Fresno County, California, General Obligation Bonds, Series 2001F:	
1,065	5.125%, 8/01/21 [] FSA Insured (ETM)	8/09 at 102.00
1,160	5.125%, 8/01/22 [] FSA Insured (ETM)	8/09 at 102.00
1,220	5.125%, 8/01/23 [] FSA Insured (ETM)	8/09 at 102.00
1,500	Hacienda La Puente Unified School District, Los Angeles County, California, General Obligation Bonds, Series 2000A, 5.250%, 8/01/25 (Pre-refunded 8/01/10) [] MBIA Insured Kern Community College District, California, General Obligation Bonds, Series 2003A:	8/10 at 101.00
3,655	5.000%, 11/01/20 (Pre-refunded 11/01/13) ☐ FGIC Insured	11/13 at 100.00
2,665	5.000%, 11/01/21 (Pre-refunded 11/01/13) [] FGIC Insured	11/13 at 100.00
1,750	Lake Tahoe Unified School District, El Dorado County, California, General Obligation Bonds,	8/09 at 100.00
,	Series 1999A, 5.250%, 8/01/24 (Pre-refunded 8/01/09) ☐ FGIC Insured	
	Manteca Unified School District, San Joaquin County, California, General Obligation Bonds, Series 2004:	
1,000	5.250%, 8/01/21 (Pre-refunded 8/01/14) [] FSA Insured	8/14 at 100.00
1,000	5.250%, 8/01/22 (Pre-refunded 8/01/14) [] FSA Insured	8/14 at 100.00
440	Menifee Union School District, Riverside County, California, Certificates of Participation,	9/06 at 102.00
	School Projects, Series 1996, 6.125%, 9/01/24 (Pre-refunded 9/01/06) [] FSA Insured	
2,500	Oakland, California, Insured Revenue Bonds, 1800 Harrison Foundation [] Kaiser Permanente,	1/10 at 100.00
	Series 1999A, 6.000%, 1/01/29 (Pre-refunded 1/01/10) [] AMBAC Insured	
4,320	Riverside County, California, GNMA Mortgage-Backed Securities Program Single Family Mortgage	No Opt. Cal
•	Revenue Bonds, Series 1987B, 8.625%, 5/01/16 (Alternative Minimum Tax) (ETM)	•
1,690	Sacramento City Financing Authority, California, Capital Improvement Revenue Bonds, Solid	12/09 at 102.00
•	Waste and Redevelopment Projects, Series 1999, 5.800%, 12/01/19 (Pre-refunded 12/01/09)  AMBAC Insured	,
1,000	Sacramento County Sanitation District Financing Authority, California, Revenue Bonds, Series	12/10 at 101.00
	2000A, 5.500%, 12/01/20 (Pre-refunded 12/01/10) [] AMBAC Insured	
3,500	San Francisco Bay Area Rapid Transit District, California, Sales Tax Revenue Bonds, Series	7/09 at 101.00
	1999, 5.500%, 7/01/34 (Pre-refunded 7/01/09) [] FGIC Insured	
4,450	Visalia, California, Certificates of Participation Refunding, Motor Vehicle License Fee	12/06 at 102.00
	Enhancement, Series 1996A, 5.375%, 12/01/26 (Pre-refunded 12/01/06) [] MBIA Insured	
56,635	Total U.S. Guaranteed	
	Utilities [] 11.7% (7.8% of Total Investments)	
3,740	California Pollution Control Financing Authority, Revenue Refunding Bonds, Southern California Edison Company, Series 1999B, 5.450%, 9/01/29 [] MBIA Insured	9/09 at 101.0
670	Merced Irrigation District, California, Electric System Revenue Bonds, Series 2005, 5.125%, 9/01/31 🛮 XLCA Insured	9/15 at 100.00
3,215	Modesto Irrigation District, California, Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 1996A, 6.000%,	10/06 at 102.00

10/01/15 [] MBIA Insured

7/12 at 101.00

3,500 Puerto Rico Electric Power Authority, Power Revenue Bonds, Series 2002II, 5.125%, 7/01/26

	FSA Insured	
100	Sacramento City Financing Authority, California, Capital Improvement Revenue Bonds, Solid	12/09 at 102.00
	Waste and Redevelopment Projects, Series 1999, 5.800%, 12/01/19 ☐ AMBAC Insured	
1,950	Salinas Valley Solid Waste Authority, California, Revenue Bonds, Series 2002, 5.250%,	8/12 at 100.00
	8/01/27   AMBAC Insured (Alternative Minimum Tax)	
	Santa Clara, California, Subordinate Electric Revenue Bonds, Series 2003A:	
2,800	5.000%, 7/01/24 [] MBIA Insured	7/13 at 100.00
5,000	5.000%, 7/01/28 [] MBIA Insured	7/13 at 100.00
20,975	Total Utilities	
	Water and Sewer  ☐ 23.3% (15.6% of Total Investments)	
1,700	Castaic Lake Water Agency, California, Revenue Certificates of Participation, Series 2004A,	8/14 at 100.00
	5.000%, 8/01/20 [] AMBAC Insured	
2,975	Chino Basin Regional Finance Authority, California, Sewerage System Revenue Bonds, Inland	8/06 at 100.00
	Empire Utilities Agency, Series 1994, 6.000%, 8/01/16 🛘 AMBAC Insured	
2,000	El Dorado Irrigation District, California, Water and Sewer Certificates of Participation,	3/14 at 100.00
	Series 2004A, 5.000%, 3/01/21 [] FGIC Insured	
460	Healdsburg Public Financing Authority, California, Wastewater Revenue Bonds, Series 2006,	4/16 at 100.00
	5.000%, 4/01/36 (WI/DD, Settling 6/06/06) [] MBIA Insured	
2,700	Los Angeles County Sanitation Districts Financing Authority, California, Senior Revenue Bonds,	10/13 at 100.00
	Capital Projects, Series 2003A, 5.000%, 10/01/21 🛮 FSA Insured	
12,000	Orange County Sanitation District, California, Certificates of Participation, Series 2003,	8/13 at 100.00
	5.000%, 2/01/33 [] FGIC Insured	
2,775	Pomona Public Financing Authority, California, Revenue Bonds, Water Facilities Project, Series	5/09 at 101.00
	1999AC, 5.500%, 5/01/29 [] FGIC Insured	
750	Sacramento County Sanitation District Financing Authority, California, Revenue Bonds, Series	12/14 at 100.00
	2004A, 5.000%, 12/01/21 🛘 AMBAC Insured	
1,520	San Buenaventura, California, Water Revenue Certificates of Participation, Series 2004,	10/14 at 100.00
	5.000%, 10/01/25 [] AMBAC Insured	
3,675	San Dieguito Water District, California, Water Revenue Bonds, Series 2004, 5.000%, 10/01/23 [] FGIC Insured	10/14 at 100.00
	Santa Clara Valley Water District, California, Certificates of Participation, Series 2004A:	
1,400		2/14 at 100.00
445		2/14 at 100.00
465	, , , , ,	2/14 at 100.0
2,130		9/14 at 100.0
	9/01/18   FGIC Insured	
2,500		8/13 at 100.0
	2003A, 5.000%, 8/01/30 [] MBIA Insured	
	Yorba Linda Water District, California, Certificates of Participation, Highland Reservoir	
	Renovation, Series 2003:	
2,010		10/13 at 100.0
2,530		10/13 at 100.00

42,035 Total Water and Sewer

276,145 Total Investments (cost \$268,161,629) ☐ 149.5%

Other Assets Less Liabilities [] 1.4%

Preferred Shares, at Liquidation Value 
☐ (50.9)%

Net Assets Applicable to Common Shares ☐ 100%

All of the bonds in the Portfolio of Investments, are either covered by Original Issue Insurance, Secondary Market Insurance or Portfolio Insurance, or are backed by an escrow or trust containing sufficient U.S. Government or U.S. Government agency securities, any of which ensure the timely payment of principal and interest.

- (1) All percentages shown in the Portfolio of Investments are based on net assets applicable to Common shares unless otherwise noted.
- (2) Optional Call Provisions: Dates (month and year) and prices of the earliest optional call or redemption. There may be other call provisions at varying prices at later dates. Certain mortgage-backed securities may be subject to periodic principal paydowns.
- (3) Ratings: Using the higher of Standard & Poor s or Moody s rating. Ratings below BBB by Standard & Poor s Group or Baa by Moody□s Investor Service, Inc. are considered to be below investment grade.
- Backed by an escrow or trust containing sufficient U.S. Government or U.S. Government agency securities which ensure the timely payment of principal and interest.
- (ETM) Escrowed to maturity.
- WI/DD Purchased on a when-issued or delayed delivery basis.

#### Income Tax Information

The following information is presented on an income tax basis. Differences between amounts for financial statement and federal income tax purposes are primarily due to the treatment of paydown gains and losses, timing differences in recognizing taxable market discount and timing differences in recognizing certain gains and losses on investment transactions.

At May 31, 2006, the cost of investments was \$268,006,579.

Gross unrealized appreciation and gross unrealized depreciation of investments at May 31, 2006, were as follows:

Gross unrealized:

Appreciation \$11,957,847 Depreciation (800,839)

Net unrealized appreciation (depreciation) of investments \$11,157,008

### Item 2. Controls and Procedures.

a. The registrant's principal executive and principal financial officers, or persons performing similar functions, have concluded that the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Rule 30a-3(c) under the

Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended (the "1940 Act") (17 CFR 270.30a-3(c))) are effective, as of a date within 90 days of the filing date of this report that includes the disclosure required by this paragraph, based on their evaluation of the controls and procedures required by Rule 30a-3(b) under the 1940 Act (17 CFR 270.30a-3(b)) and Rule 13a-15(b) or 15d-15(b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (17 CFR 240.13a-15(b) or 240.15d-15(b)).

b. There were no changes in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Rule 30a-3(d) under the 1940 Act (17 CFR 270.30a-3(d)) that occurred during the registrant's last fiscal quarter that have materially affected, or are reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

#### Item 3. Exhibits.

File as exhibits as part of this Form a separate certification for each principal executive officer and principal financial officer of the registrant as required by Rule 30a-2(a) under the 1940 Act (17 CFR 270.30a-2(a)), exactly as set forth below: EX-99 CERT Attached hereto.

## **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the Investment Company Act of 1940, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

(Registrant) Nuveen Inst	ured California Premium Income Municipal Fund 2, Inc.
By (Signature and Title)*	/s/ Jessica R. Droeger  Jessica R. Droeger  Vice President and Secretary
DateJuly 28, 2006	
	of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the Investment Company Act of 1940, this report has been signed ns on behalf of the registrant and in the capacities and on the dates indicated.
By (Signature and Title)*	/s/ Gifford R. Zimmerman Gifford R. Zimmerman Chief Administrative Officer (principal executive officer)
DateJuly 28, 2006	
By (Signature and Title)*	/s/ Stephen D. Foy Stephen D. Foy Vice President and Controller (principal financial officer)
DateJuly 28, 2006	

SIGNATURES 8

<sup>\*</sup> Print the name and title of each signing officer under his or her signature.