

NUVEEN INSURED DIVIDEND ADVANTAGE MUNICIPAL FUND  
Form 8-A12B  
October 09, 2009

**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
**WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549**

**FORM 8-A**

**FOR REGISTRATION OF CERTAIN CLASSES OF SECURITIES**  
**PURSUANT TO SECTION 12(b) OR (g) OF THE**  
**SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

**NUVEEN INSURED DIVIDEND ADVANTAGE MUNICIPAL FUND**

*(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)*

**MASSACHUSETTS**  
*(State of Incorporation*

*or Organization)*

**333 West Wacker Drive**

**Chicago, Illinois 60606**

**75-2998730**  
*(I.R.S. Employer*

*Identification No.)*

*(Address of Principal Executive Offices)*

**Securities to be registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:**

**Title of Each Class**

**Name of Each Exchange On Which**

**to be so Registered**

**Each Class is to be Registered**

**MuniFund Term Preferred Shares,  
\$10.00 liquidation preference per share**

**New York Stock Exchange**

**If this form relates to the registration of a class of securities pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Exchange Act and is effective pursuant to General Instruction A.(c), please check the following box.**

**If this form relates to the registration of a class of securities pursuant to Section 12(g) of the Exchange Act and is effective pursuant to General Instruction A.(d), please check the following box.**

**Securities Act registration statement file number to which this form relates: 333-160630**

**Securities to be registered pursuant to Section 12(g) of the Act:**

**NONE**

*(Title of Class)*

Item 1. Description of Registrant's Securities to be Registered.

The shares (the "Shares") to be registered hereunder are MuniFund Term Preferred Shares, \$10.00 liquidation value per share, of Nuveen Insured Dividend Advantage Municipal Fund (the "Registrant"). A description of the Shares is contained under the heading "Description of Shares" in the prospectus to be included in an amendment to the Registrant's registration statement on Form N-2, which registration statement was filed under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended, on October 9, 2009 (Registration Nos. 333-1606306 and 811-09475, respectively), and such description is incorporated herein by reference.

Item 2. Exhibits.

Under the Instructions as to Exhibits with respect to Form 8-A, no exhibits are required to be filed, because no other securities of the Registrant are registered on the New York Stock Exchange and the securities registered hereby are not being registered pursuant to Section 12(g) of the Exchange Act.

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of Section 12 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this registration statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereto duly authorized.

Date: October 9, 2009

NUVEEN INSURED DIVIDEND ADVANTAGE

MUNICIPAL FUND

By /s/ Gifford R. Zimmerman  
Name: Gifford R. Zimmerman  
Title: Chief Administrative Officer