NUVEEN CALIFORNIA AMT-FREE MUNICIPAL INCOME FUND Form 3 October 24, 2014 FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549 OMB APPROVAL OMB Number: 3235-0104

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> CITIGROUP INC		2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 10/22/2014		3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NUVEEN CALIFORNIA AMT-FREE MUNICIPAL INCOME FUND [NKX]					
(Last) (First)	(Middle)	10/22/2011		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	
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(Street)					(Check all applicable)			6. Individual or Joint/Group	
NEW YORK,Â	À NYÂ 1()022			Director Officer (give title below	X 10% Other /) (specify belo		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-Derivati	ive Securiti	es Be	neficially Owned	
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
CITIGROUP INC 399 PARK AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10022	Â	X	Â	Â			
Signatures							
Citigroup Inc., By: /s/ Ali L. Karshan, Assistant Secretary 10/24/2014							
<u>**</u> Signature of Reportir		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 Variable Rate Demand Preferred Shares ("Shares") reported in Table I represent Shares beneficially owned by Citigroup Global
- (1) Markets Inc. ("CGMI"). Citigroup Financial Products Inc. ("CFP") is the sole stockholder of CGMI. Citigroup Global Markets Holdings Inc. ("CGMH") is the sole stockholder of CFP. Citigroup Inc. is the sole stockholder of CGMH.

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