

GROSS WILLIAM H  
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**FORM 4**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
GROSS WILLIAM H

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
PIMCO INCOME STRATEGY FUND [PFL]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
C/O PIMCO, 840 NEWPORT CENTER DRIVE, SUITE 100  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
04/01/2010

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_ Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
See Remarks

NEWPORT BEACH, CA 92660

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
 Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D) Code V Amount (D) Price			
Common Stock	04/01/2010		X	931 A 11 3,726		I	By Spouse
Common Stock					75,350	D	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**  
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	Amount or Number of Shares
Subscription Rights (Right to Buy)	\$ 10.77 (1)	04/01/2010		X	2,793 (2)	03/24/2010 04/23/2010	Common Stock	931 (2)

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
GROSS WILLIAM H C/O PIMCO 840 NEWPORT CENTER DRIVE, SUITE 100 NEWPORT BEACH, CA 92660				See Remarks

## Signatures

Kevin Broadwater, Attorney-in-Fact for William H. Gross  
Date: 04/01/2010

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(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 subscription price will be determined based upon a formula equal to 90% of the average of the last reported sale prices of the Issuer's common shares on the NYSE on April 23, 2010 (the "Expiration Date") and on each of the four preceding trading days (the "Formula Price"). If, however, the Formula Price is less than 80% of the Issuer's net asset value per common share on the Expiration Date, then the subscription price will be 80% of the Issuer's net asset value per common share on that day. Rights holders may not know the Subscription Price at the time of exercise and will be required initially to pay for both the common shares subscribed for pursuant to the primary subscription and, if eligible, any additional common shares subscribed for pursuant to the over-subscription privilege at the estimated subscription price of \$10.77 per common share.
- (1) Date, then the subscription price will be 80% of the Issuer's net asset value per common share on that day. Rights holders may not know the Subscription Price at the time of exercise and will be required initially to pay for both the common shares subscribed for pursuant to the primary subscription and, if eligible, any additional common shares subscribed for pursuant to the over-subscription privilege at the estimated subscription price of \$10.77 per common share.
  - (2) The subscription rights entitle the holder to purchase one new common share for every three rights held (1-for-3).

### Remarks:

Mr. Gross is Portfolio Manager of the Issuer. Mr. Gross is the Co-Chief Information Officer of Pacific Investment Management

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Exhibit List: Exhibit 24.1 - Power of Attorney

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