

Nuveen Mortgage Opportunity Term Fund  
Form 8-K  
August 21, 2012

**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

**FORM 8-K**

**CURRENT REPORT**

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the  
Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported) August 21, 2012

**NUVEEN MORTGAGE OPPORTUNITY TERM FUND**

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

Massachusetts  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

811-22329  
(Commission  
File Number)

27-1094170  
(IRS Employer  
Identification Number)

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**333 West Wacker Drive, Chicago, Illinois**  
**(Address of principal executive offices)**  
**(800) 257-8787**

**60606**  
**(Zip Code)**

**(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)**

N/A

**(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)**

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- .. Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- .. Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

**Section 8 Other Events**

**Item 8.01 Other Events**

On August 21, 2012, Nuveen Investments, Inc. ( "Nuveen Investments" ), the parent company of Nuveen Fund Advisors, Inc., the Registrant's investment advisor, will conduct a conference call discussing an overview and outlook of the mortgage-backed securities market, as well as reviewing the Registrant's investment strategy and performance. A copy of the script for the conference call is filed as Exhibit 99.1 to this report. Mortgage-backed securities are the primary investment focus of the Registrant. Leading the discussion will be Mike Garrett, Senior Vice President and Fixed Income Portfolio Manager from Wellington Management Company ( "Wellington" ) and Dave Lamb, Senior Vice President, Financial Modeling and Analysis from Nuveen Investments. Wellington serves as the sub-adviser for the Registrant.

**Section 9 Financial Statements and Exhibits**

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits  
Exhibit 99.1 Script for Conference Call of August 21, 2012

**SIGNATURES**

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

**Nuveen Mortgage Opportunity Term Fund**

Date: August 21, 2012

By: /s/ Kevin J. McCarthy  
Name: Kevin J. McCarthy  
Title: Vice President

**EXHIBIT INDEX**

**Exhibit**

<b>Number</b>	<b>Description</b>
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