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NUVEEN ARIZONA DIVIDEND ADVANTAGE MUNICIPAL FUND 3 Form 3 August 06, 2007 FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549 OMB 2225 O

INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> AMBOIAN JOHN P			2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 08/02/2007	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NUVEEN ARIZONA DIVIDEND ADVANTAGE MUNICIPAL FUND 3 [NXE]				
(Last) (Fi	irst)	(Middle)	00/02/2007	4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			5. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	
333 W. WACKE	ER DRIV	νE						
(Street) CHICAGO, IL 60606				(Check all applicable)			6. Individual or Joint/Group	
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(City) (St	ate)	(Zip)	Table I - N	Non-Derivati	ve Securiti	es Be	neficially Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 4)			2. Amount of Beneficially (Instr. 4)	Owned	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nat Owne (Instr	*	
Common Stock			0		D	Â		
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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of	5. Ownership Form of Derivative	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of	Derivative Security	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	

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Estimated average burden hours per

Shares

(I) (Instr. 5)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
AMBOIAN JOHN P 333 W. WACKER DRIVE CHICAGO, IL 60606	Â	Â	Â	CEO of Investment Adviser		
Signatures						
By: Kevin J. McCarthy/Signed under POA		08/0	3/2007			
**Signature of Reporting Person]	Date			
Evaluation of Decremence.						

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