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Form 4

December 19, 2002

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

| File | ed 1 | pursuant | to | Section | 16(a) | of | the | Securities | Exchange | Act | of | 1934 |
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| Section 1 | .7 (a) |) of the | Pul | olic Uti | lity | | | | | | | |

Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(f) of the Investment $\,$ Company Act of 1940 FORM 4 $\,$

// Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16, Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*

Dawson III William D.

(Last) (First) (Middle)

c/o Federated Investors, Inc.
1001 Liberty Avenue
(Street)

Pittsburgh PA 15222-3779 (City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Federated Premier Municipal Income Fund FMN

- 3. I.R.S. Identification Number of Reporting Person, if an entity (voluntary)
- 4. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)

12/19/2002

- 5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year)
- 6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer
 (Check all applicable)
 _____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 ____ X___ Officer (give title below) ___ X___ Other (specify below)

Chief Investment Officer; Director Federated Investment Management Co.

7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Limit) $\underline{\hspace{1cm}} X_\hspace{1cm}$ Form filed by One Reporting Person

_____ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

Table I -- Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

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| 1. Title of | 2. | 2A. Deemed | 3. | 4. Seci | urities A | cquired | 5. Amount of | 6. |
|--------------|--------------|-------------|---------|--------------|-----------|----------|-----------------|----|
| Security | Transaction | Execution | Transac | tion(A) | or Dispos | ed of | Securities | Ow |
| (Instr. 3) | Date | Date if | Code | (D) | (Instr. 3 | , 4, and | Beneficially | Fo |
| | (Month/Day/Y | | 5 | Owned at End | | | | |
| | | (Month/Day/ | (Instr. | | | | Month (Instr. 3 | or |
| | | Year) | 8) | | | | and 4) | In |
| | | | | | | | | (I |
| | | | | | | | | (I |
| | | | Code V | Amount | (A) or | Price | | |
| | | | | | (D) | | | |
| Common Stock | 12/19/2002 | | P | 200 | A | \$15 | 200 | D |

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

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting $% \left(v\right) =\left(v\right) =0$ person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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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 | 2. | 3. | 3A. Deemed | 4. | | 5. Numb | er of | 6 |
|---------------------|-------------|-----------------------------|-------------|------|-----------|---------------------------------|-------|-----|
| Derivative Security | Conversion | Transaction | Execution | Tr | ansaction | Derivati | ve | E |
| (Instr. 3) | or Exercise | Date | Date if any | Со | de | Securiti | es | E |
| | Price of | (Month/Day/Year (Month/Day/ | | (| Instr. 8) | Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) | | |
| | Derivative | | | | | | | |
| | Security | | | | | (Instr. 3, 4, | | |
| | - | | | | | and 5) | | |
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7. Title and Amount of 8. Price of 9. Number of

10. Ownership Form of Underlying Securities Derivative derivative Securities Derivative Security: Direct (Instr. 3 and 4) Security Beneficially Owned at (D) or indirect (I) (Instr. 5) End of Month (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Title Amount or Number of Shares

Explanation of Responses:

** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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/s/William D. Dawson III **Signature of Reporting Person Date

December 19, 2002