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

FORM 6-K

Report of Foreign Private Issuer Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

For the month of December, 2010

Commission File Number: 1-14678

CANADIAN IMPERIAL BANK OF COMMERCE

(Translation of registrant s name into English)

Commerce Court Toronto, Ontario Canada M5L 1A2

(Address of principal executive offices)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover of Form 20-F or Form 40-F:

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Indicate by check mark if the registrant is submitting the Form 6-K in paper as permitted by Regulation S-T Rule 101(b)(1): _____ Indicate by check mark if the registrant is submitting the Form 6-K in paper as permitted by Regulation S-T Rule 101(b)(7): _____ Indicate by check mark whether the registrant by furnishing the information contained in this Form is also thereby furnishing the information to the Commission pursuant to Rule 12g 3-2(b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934:

The information contained in this Form 6-K is incorporated by reference into the Registration Statements on Form S-8 File nos. 333-130283 and 333-09874 and Form F-9 File no. 333-168062.

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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, thereto duly authorized.

CANADIAN IMPERIAL BANK OF COMMERCE

Date: December 2, 2010 By: /s/ Stephen Forbes

Name: Stephen Forbes

Title: Executive Vice-President

News Release

CIBC declares dividends

Toronto, ON December 2, 2010 (CM: TSX; NYSE) CIBC announced today that its board of directors declared a dividend of 87 cents per share on common shares for the quarter ending January 31, 2011 payable on January 28, 2011 to shareholders of record at the close of business on December 29, 2010.

Class A Preferred Shares

Other dividends per share for the quarter ending January 31, 2011, payable on January 28, 2011 to shareholders of record at the close of business on December 29, 2010, were declared as follows:

Series 18 \$0.343750 Series 26 \$0.359375 Series 27 \$0.350000 Series 28 \$0.020000 Series 29 \$0.337500 Series 30 \$0.300000 Series 31 \$0.293750 Series 32 \$0.281250 Series 33 \$0.334375 Series 35 \$0.406250 Series 37 \$0.406250

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