#### SUNTRUST BANKS INC

Form 4

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# FORM 4

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

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Dierker David F			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol SUNTRUST BANKS INC [STI]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner			
303 PEACHTREE STREET			10/23/2007	_X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
				Corp. EVP & Chief Adm. Off.			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line)			
ATLANTA, GA 30308				_X_ 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. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities A orDisposed of (E) (Instr. 3, 4 and	)	d (A) or	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(I) (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	10/23/2007		M	785	A	\$ 54.4	5,842	D		
Common Stock	10/23/2007		M	178	A	\$ 54.39	6,020	D		
Common Stock	10/23/2007		M	1,053	A	\$ 54.39	7,073	D		
Common Stock	10/24/2007		P	2,704.6641	A	\$ 71.46	3,623.67	I	401(k) (1)	
Common Stock							4,000	I	Restricted Stock (2)	

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

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 $\label{thm:convergence} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \end{tabular}$ 

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)	Code	5. Number Insaction of Derivative Ide Securities Id		6. Date Exerci Expiration Dat (Month/Day/Y	te	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Phantom Stock Units (3)	(3)						(3)	(3)	Common Stock	455.233
Option (4)	\$ 54.4	10/23/2007		M		785	01/22/1999	01/22/2008	Common Stock	785
Option (4)	\$ 54.39	10/23/2007		M		1,231	01/22/1999	01/22/2008	Common Stock	1,231
Option (5)	\$ 65.1875						12/31/2000	02/09/2009	Common Stock	1,000
Option (5)	\$ 73.0625						11/09/2002	11/09/2009	Common Stock	1,900
Option (6)	\$ 51.125						11/14/2003	11/14/2010	Common Stock	4,000
Option (6)	\$ 64.57						11/13/2004	11/13/2011	Common Stock	3,500
Option (6)	\$ 54.28						02/11/2006	02/11/2013	Common Stock	10,000
Option (6)	\$ 73.19						02/10/2007	02/10/2014	Common Stock	4,000
Option (7)	\$ 73.14						02/08/2008	02/08/2015	Common Stock	18,000
Option (7)	\$ 71.03						02/14/2009	02/14/2016	Common Stock	30,000
Option (7)	\$ 85.06						02/13/2010	02/13/2017	Common Stock	30,000

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## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Dierker David F 303 PEACHTREE STREET ATLANTA, GA 30308

Corp. EVP & Chief Adm. Off.

# **Signatures**

David A. Wisniewski, Attorney-in-Fact for David F. Dierker

10/25/2007

\*\*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).
- Because the stock fund component of the 401(k) is accounted for in unit accounting, the number of share equivalents varies based on the closing price of SunTrust stock on the applicable measurement date.
- Restricted stock held under SunTrust Banks, Inc. 2000 Stock Plan and SunTrust Banks, Inc. 2004 Stock Plan. Subject to certain vesting conditions. Restricted stock agreements contain tax withholding features allowing stock to be withheld to satisfy tax withholding obligations. Both plans are exempt under Rule 16(b)-3.
- (3) The reported phantom stock units were acquired under SunTrust Banks, Inc.'s 401(k) excess benefit plan. These phantom stock units convert to common stock on a one-for-one basis.
- (4) Granted pursuant to a Crestar Financial Corporation plan.
- (5) Granted pursuant to the 1995 SunTrust Executive Stock Plan.
- (6) Granted pursuant to the SunTrust Banks, Inc. 2000 Stock Plan.
- (7) Granted pursuant to the SunTrust Banks, Inc. 2004 Stock Plan.

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