CLAY JOHN W JR Form 4 February 12, 2003

FORM 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Ado			ne and Ticl		Per	6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s)					
Clay, Jr., John V (Last) 303 Peachtree S	of Repor	ting ity (v	tification N Person, voluntary)	Number	Mont	atement for h/Day/Year uary 11, 2003	109 X 0	o Issuer (Check all applicable) _ Director			
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Atlanta, GA 303	308						(Mon	nth/Day/Year)	Per _ 1	rson	One Reporting More than One
(City)	(State) (Zip)	Т	able	I Non-D	erivati	ve Secu	rities Acquired,	Dispose	d of, or Benef	icially Owned
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Trans- action Date	2A. Deemed Execution Date,	(Instr. 8	Code)	4. Securition (A) or Disposition (Instr. 3, 4	posed o & 5)	f (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially		6. Owner- ship Form: Direct (D)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial
	(Month/ Day/ Year)	if any (Month/Day/ Year)	Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Owned Following Reported Transactions(s) (Instr. 3 & 4)		or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock									32,703	D	
Common Stock									8,738	I	Spouse
Common Stock								8	,287.177	I	401(k)(1)
Common Stock								4	,171.532	I	Family Trust ⁽²⁾
Common Stock								1	,119.380	I	Family Trust(3)
Common Stock									503.841	I	Family Trust(4)
Common Stock									200	I	Family Trust(5)
Common Stock									6,434	I	Unitrust <u>(6)</u>

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Common Stock	2/11/03	A	4,420	A	42,420	I	Restricted Stock ⁽⁷⁾

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

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FORM 4 (continued) Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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Explanation of Responses:

- (1) Because the stock fund component of the 401(k) Plan 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.
- (2) John Clay Children's Family Trust.
- (3) In family trust for Madelaine Wood Clay.
- (4) In family trust for Abigail Campbell Clay.
- (5) In family trust for Anne Cecile Meredith.
- (6) In charitable lead unitrust.
- (7) Restricted stock held under 1986 SunTrust Executive Stock Plan, 1995 SunTrust Executive Stock Plan and SunTrust Banks, Inc. 2000 Stock Plan. Subject to certain vesting conditions. Restricted stock agreements contain tax withholding features allowing stock to be withheld to satisfy tax withholding obligations. All plans are exempt under Rule 16(b)-3.
- (8) The reported phantom stock units were acquired under SunTrust Banks, Inc.'s 401(k) excess benefit plan.

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(9) Granted in exchange for restricted stock. Will be paid out on various dates.

(10) This option becomes exercisable in 10% increments over 10 years or in the event of death, disability or change of control. This option was granted pursuant to the 1995 SunTrust Executive Stock Plan.

(11) Granted pursuant to the 1995 SunTrust Executive Stock Plan.

(12) Granted pursuant to the SunTrust Banks, Inc. 2000 Stock Plan.

By: /s/ Margaret Hodgson, Attorney-in-Fact for John W. February 12, 2003
Clav, Jr. Date

**Signature of Reporting Person

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