SUNTRUST BANKS INC

Form 4

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FORM 4

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Stock

Common

Stock (1)

(Print or Type Responses)

	Address of Reporting I ALSTON D	Symbol	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SUNTRUST BANKS INC [STI]			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) P.O. BOX 1	· · ·	3. Date of (Month/D 02/08/20	•	ansaction		X Director Officer (given	10% re title Oth	6 Owner er (specify
	(Street)	4. If Ame	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)			below) below) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person		
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(,)	(2)	Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	securities Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. SecuritonAcquired Disposed (Instr. 3,	l (A) or l of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common						15 600 010	-	

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

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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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)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration Date Under (Month/Day/Year) (Instr.		7. Title and Underlying (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
Phantom Stock Units	<u>(2)</u>	02/08/2005		A	61.5258	(2)	(2)	Common Stock	61.525
Option (3)	\$ 51.125					11/14/2000	11/14/2010	Common Stock	2,000
Option (3)	\$ 64.57					11/13/2001	11/13/2011	Common Stock	2,000
Option (3)	\$ 54.28					02/11/2003	02/11/2013	Common Stock	2,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
1 8	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
CORRELL ALSTON D P.O. BOX 105605 ATLANTA, GA 30348	X					

Signatures

Raymond D. Fortin, Attorney-in-Fact for Alston D.

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**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).
- (1) Restricted stock held under SunTrust Banks, Inc. 2004 Stock Plan. The plan is exempt under Rule 16(b)-3.
 - The phantom stock units were accrued under the SunTrust Banks, Inc. Directors Deferred Compensation Plan and are to be settled upon
- (2) the reporting person's retirement. Directors fees are deferred into this plan and are accounted for as if invested in SunTrust common stock. These securities convert to common stock on a one-for-one basis.
- (3) Granted pursuant to the SunTrust Banks, Inc. 2000 Stock Plan.

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