IVESTER M DOUGLAS

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **IVESTER M DOUGLAS**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

SUNTRUST BANKS INC [STI]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(City)

1.Title of

Security

(Instr. 3)

(First)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

X_ Director Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

3384 PEACHTREE RD., SUITE 375 11/08/2005

(Street)

(State)

(Month/Day/Year)

below) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

D

Person

ATLANTA, GA 30326

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if

(Zip)

4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported (A) or

Code V Amount (D) Price

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Common Stock

30,000

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

(Month/Day/Year)

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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (E) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5))	te	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A) (I	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
Phantom Stock Units (1)	(1)	11/08/2005		A	61.3079	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1)</u>	Common Stock	61.30
Option (2)	\$ 51.125					11/14/2000	11/14/2010	Common Stock	2,00
Option (2)	\$ 64.57					11/13/2001	11/13/2011	Common Stock	2,00
Option (2)	\$ 54.28					02/11/2003	02/11/2013	Common Stock	2,00
Phantom Stock (3)	(3)					(3)	(3)	Common Stock	2,473.3

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
IVESTER M DOUGLAS 3384 PEACHTREE RD. SUITE 375 ATLANTA, GA 30326	X					

Signatures

Raymond D. Fortin, Attorney-in-Fact for M. Douglas
Ivester

11/09/2005

**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).
- The phantom stock units were accrued under the SunTrust Banks, Inc. Directors Deferred Compensation Plan and are to be settled upon 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.
- (2) Granted pursuant to the SunTrust Banks, Inc. 2000 Stock Plan.
- (3) Restricted stock units granted under the SunTrust Banks, Inc. 2004 Stock Plan. Payments commence following the reporting person's departure from the Board of Directors of SunTrust Banks, Inc. These securities convert to common stock on a one-for-one basis.

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