

SUNTRUST BANKS INC
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 Farnsworth Thomas C Jr

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 SUNTRUST BANKS INC [STI]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 5865 RIDGEWAY CENTER
 PARKWAY, SUITE 315

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 04/08/2008

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

(Street)
 MEMPHIS, TN 38120

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
				(A) or (D) Code V Amount (D) Price			
Common Stock					508,686	D (1)	
Common Stock					247	I	Spouse

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)**

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 Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
					Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
Option ⁽²⁾	\$ 49.34			V	(A)	(D)	Common Stock	1,773
Option ⁽²⁾	\$ 56.11						Common Stock	1,473
Option ⁽²⁾	\$ 40.99						Common Stock	2,489
Option ⁽³⁾	\$ 67.64						Common Stock	431
Phantom Stock Units ⁽⁴⁾	⁽⁴⁾	04/29/2008		A	53.3523	⁽⁴⁾ ⁽⁴⁾	Common Stock	53.352

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Farnsworth Thomas C Jr 5865 RIDGEWAY CENTER PARKWAY SUITE 315 MEMPHIS, TN 38120	X			

Signatures

David A. Wisniewski, Attorney-in-Fact for Thomas C.
Farnsworth, Jr. 05/01/2008

**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) Includes 1,200 shares of Restricted Stock which vested on April 17, 2008.
- (2) Granted pursuant to the National Commerce Financial Corporation Amended and Restated Long-Term Incentive Plan.
- (3) Granted pursuant to the National Commerce Financial Corporation 2003 Stock and Incentive Plan.
- (4) 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.

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These phantom stock units convert to common stock on a one-for-one basis.

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