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FORM 4

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may continue.

See Instruction

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Last)

Security

(Instr. 3)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <u>*</u> HABERMEYER H WILLIAM JR

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(First)

(Street)

(Middle)

SOUTHERN CO [SO]

(Check all applicable)

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3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 03/01/2007

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

30 IVAN ALLEN JR. BLVD

4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Instr. 8)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line)
X Form filed by One Reporting Person
___ Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

ATLANTA, GA 30308

(City) (State) (Zip)

1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed

2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities
(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or any Code Disposed of (D)

5. Amount of Securities Form: Direct Indirect
Beneficially (D) or Indirect Beneficial
Owned (I) Ownership
Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A) Reported
or (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

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)

| 1. Title of | 2. | 3. Transaction Date | 3A. Deemed | 4. | 5. Number of | 6. Date Exercisable and | 7. Title and Amount of | |
|-------------|-------------|---------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|-------------------------|------------------------|--|
| Derivative | Conversion | (Month/Day/Year) | Execution Date, if | TransactionDerivative | | Expiration Date | Underlying Securities | |
| Security | or Exercise | | any | Code | Securities | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 3 and 4) | |
| (Instr. 3) | Price of | | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | Acquired (A) or | | | |

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| | Derivative Security | | | | Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | | | | | |
|----------------------------|------------------------|------------|------|---|--------------------------------------|-----|---------------------|--------------------|--|----------------------------------|
| | | | Code | V | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Deferred Stock Units | \$ 0 | 03/01/2007 | A | | 69.8336 | | <u>(1)</u> | <u>(1)</u> | Southern Company Common Stock | 69.8336 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|
| | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | |
| HABERMEYER H WILLIAM JR 30 IVAN ALLEN JR. BLVD ATLANTA, GA 30308 | X | | | | | |

Signatures

/s/ Patricia L. Roberts, Attorney in Fact 03/05/2007

**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).
- (1) Acquired pursuant to Southern's Deferred Compensation Plan, payable in stock only upon termination. There is no exercise or expiration date.

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