Farnsworth Thomas C Jr Form 4 March 18, 2008

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

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1(b).

(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

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

(First) (Last)

(Middle)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

5865 RIDGEWAY CENTER

(Month/Day/Year)

03/14/2008

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

PARKWAY, SUITE 315

(Street)

(State)

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

MEMPHIS, TN 38120

(City)

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 onAcquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D) Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) 507,486	D	
Common Stock						247	I	Spouse
Common Stock						1,200 (1)	D	

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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount Number Shares
Option (2)	\$ 49.34					04/25/2001	04/25/2011	Common Stock	1,773
Option (2)	\$ 56.11					04/24/2002	04/24/2012	Common Stock	1,473
Option (2)	\$ 40.99					04/23/2003	04/23/2013	Common Stock	2,489
Option (3)	\$ 67.64					08/18/2004	04/25/2011	Common Stock	431
Phantom Stock Units (4)	<u>(4)</u>	03/14/2008		A	26.8673	<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	26.867

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
. 9	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. 03/18/2008

**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) Restricted stock held under SunTrust Banks, Inc. 2004 Stock Plan. The plan is exempt under Rule 16(b)-3.
- (2) Granted pursuant to the National Commerce Financial Corporation Amended and Restated Long-Term Incentive Plan.

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- (3) Granted pursuant to the National Commerce Financial Corporation 2003 Stock and Incentive Plan.
 - 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 phantom stock units convert to common stock on a one-for-one basis. Includes additional shares acquired as a result of reinvestment of dividends since the reporting person's last filing.

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