#### SUNTRUST BANKS INC

Form 4 May 01, 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).

(Last)

(City)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* WILLIAMS KAREN HASTIE

(First)

(Street)

(State)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

SUNTRUST BANKS INC [STI]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

below)

(Middle)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

04/29/2008

(Check all applicable)

10% Owner

Other (specify

1001 PENNSYLVANIA AVE.

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X\_ Director

Officer (give title

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

WASHINGTON, DC 20004

(City)	(State) (	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	rities Acqu	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	y 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. Securi on(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	d 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 Stock							3,100	D (1)	
Common Stock	04/29/2008		A	1,200	A	\$ 56.23	1,200	D (2)	

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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	;		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Phantom Stock Units (3)	(3)					(3)	(3)	Common Stock	1,863.2565
Option (5)	\$ 54.28					02/11/2003	02/11/2013	Common Stock	2,000
Phantom Stock (6)	<u>(6)</u>					<u>(6)</u>	<u>(6)</u>	Common Stock	2,626.0026

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
<b>Fg</b> -	Director	10% Owner	Officer Other				
WILLIAMS KAREN HASTIE 1001 PENNSYLVANIA AVE. WASHINGTON, DC 20004	X						

# **Signatures**

David A. Wisniewski, Attorney-in-Fact for Karen Hastie Williams

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) Restricted stock held under SunTrust Banks, Inc. 2004 Stock Plan. The plan is exempt under Rule 16(b)-3.
- Phantom stock units represent stock equity awards and deferred cash and/or stock payable to the Reporting Person as an annual retainer for past service on the Board of Crestar Bank, which was acquired by SunTrust. Units will be distributed to the Reporting Person in stock on February 15 of the year following the year in which she ends service on the Board of SunTrust Bank, Issuer's wholly-owned subsidiary. These securities convert to common stock on a one-for-one basis.
- (4) Includes additional shares acquired as a result of reinvestment of dividends since the reporting person's last filing.
- (5) Granted pursuant to the SunTrust Banks, Inc. 2000 Stock Plan.
- (6) 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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