SUNTRUST BANKS INC

Form 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and A	Person * 2. Issue Symbol	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
			SUNTRUST BANKS INC [STI]			(Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First) (N	Middle) 3. Date of	f Earliest Ti	ransaction					
303 PEACE	`	(Month/Day/Year) 02/08/2005			(give title below)				
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	4. If Amo	4. If Amendment, Date Original			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check				
	Filed(Mo	Filed(Month/Day/Year)			Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person				
ATLANTA					Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-I	Derivative Securities A	Acquired, Dispose	d of, or Benefic	ially Owned		
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securities	5. Amount of	6.	7. Nature of		
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	onAcquired (A) or	Securities	Ownership	Indirect		
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	Disposed of (D)	Beneficially	Form: Direct	Beneficial		
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	Owned	(D) or	Ownership		
					Following	Indirect (I)	(Instr. 4)		

(mstr. 3)	(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(A) or	Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock		Code V	Amount (D) Price	38,667	D	
Common Stock				150,000	I	Limited Partnership (1)
Common Stock				23,394	I	Trust (2)
Common Stock				29,042.686	I	401(k) (3)
Common Stock				33,200	I	Spouse

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Common Restricted 186,630 Ι Stock (4) Stock

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)	e 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 of Number of Shares
Phantom Stock Units (5)	<u>(5)</u>						<u>(5)</u>	(5)	Common Stock	9,478.02
Phantom Stock Units (6)	<u>(6)</u>						<u>(6)</u>	(6)	Common Stock	140,00
Option (7	<u>)</u> \$ 73.0625						11/09/2002	11/09/2009	Common Stock	75,00
Option (8	\$ 51.125						11/14/2003	11/14/2010	Common Stock	150,00
Option (8)	<u>)</u> \$ 64.57						11/13/2004	11/13/2011	Common Stock	150,00
Option (8)	<u>)</u> \$ 54.28						02/11/2006	02/11/2013	Common Stock	150,00
Option (8)	<u>)</u> \$73.19						02/10/2007	02/10/2014	Common Stock	150,00
Option (9)	<u>9</u> \$ 73.14	02/08/2005		A	97,000	,	02/08/2008	02/08/2015	Common Stock	97,00

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Director 10% Owner Officer Other

2 Reporting Owners

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HUMANN L PHILLIP 303 PEACHTREE ST. ATLANTA, GA 30308

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Chairman and CEO

Signatures

Raymond D. Fortin, Attorney-in-Fact for L. Phillip Humann

02/10/2005

**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).
- (1) Held by Humann Partners, L.P.
- (2) Held in trust by spouse for members of immediate family.
- (3) Because the stock fund component of the 401(k) Plan is accounted for in unit accounting, the number of share equivalents varies based on the closing price of SunTrust stock on the applicable measurement date.
 - Restricted stock held under 1986 SunTrust Executive Stock Plan, 1995 SunTrust Executive Stock Plan and SunTrust Banks, Inc. 2000
- (4) Stock Plan. Subject to certain vesting conditions. Restricted stock agreements contain tax withholding features allowing stock to be withheld to satisfy tax withholding obligations. All plans are exempt under Rule 16(b)-3.
- (5) The reported phantom stock units were acquired under SunTrust Banks, Inc.s' 401(k) excess benefit plan. These securities convert to common stock on a one-for-one basis.
- (6) Granted in exchange for restricted stock. Will be paid out on various dates. These securities convert to common stock on a one-for-one basis
- (7) Granted pursuant to the 1995 SunTrust Executive Stock Plan.
- (8) Granted pursuant to the SunTrust Banks, Inc. 2000 Stock Plan.
- (9) Granted pursuant to the SunTrust Banks, Inc. 2004 Stock Plan.

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