#### SUNTRUST BANKS INC

Form 4

August 15, 2016

### FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Johnson Susan S		orting Person *	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol SUNTRUST BANKS INC [STI]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check an applicable)		
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner		
303 PEACHTREE STREET, NE		EET, NE	08/12/2016	_X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)		
				Corporate Executive Vice Pres		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person		
ATLANTA,	GA 30308			Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

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(City)	(State)	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acqu	uired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securing(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	spose	d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	08/12/2016		M	2,381	A	\$ 41.84	3,500.478	D	
Common Stock	08/12/2016		F	795	D	\$ 41.84	2,741.478	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)	Secu Acqu (A) ( Disp (D)	nrities uired or oosed of er. 3, 4,	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 or Number of Shares
Phantom Stock (2)	(2)						08/12/2017	08/12/2024	Common Stock	2,279
Phantom Stock (2)	(2)	08/12/2016		M		2,279	08/12/2016	08/12/2024	Common Stock	2,279
Phantom Stock	(3)						02/10/2017	<u>(3)</u>	Common Stock	1,099
Phantom Stock	(3)						02/10/2018	<u>(3)</u>	Common Stock	1,098
Phantom Stock (1)	<u>(1)</u>						02/09/2017	02/09/2017	Common Stock	1,221
Phantom Stock (1)	(1)						02/09/2018	02/09/2018	Common Stock	1,221
Phantom Stock (1)	(1)						02/09/2019	02/09/2019	Common Stock	1,222

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Johnson Susan S 303 PEACHTREE STREET, NE ATLANTA, GA 30308			Corporate Executive Vice Pres			

# **Signatures**

David Wisniewski, Attorney-in-Fact for Susan S.	08/15/2016
Johnson	06/13/2010

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

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- \* 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).
- Represents time-vested restricted stock units granted on February 9, 2016 under the SunTrust Banks, Inc. 2009 Stock Plan. The plan is exempt under Rule 16b-3. Units will be settled in shares. The award agreement contains tax withholding features which allow us to withhold units to satisfy withholding obligations.
- Represents time-vested phantom stock granted on August 12, 2014 under the SunTrust Banks, Inc. 2009 Stock Plan. the plan is exempt (2) under Rule 16b-3. The restricted stock unit agreements contain tax withholding privisions which allow us to withhold units to satisfy tax withholding obligations. Units will be settled in shares.
- Represents time-vested restricted stock units granted on February 10, 2015 under the 2009 Stock Plan. the Plan is exempt under Rule (3) 16b-3. The restricted stock unit award agreements contain tax withholding features which allow us to withhold units to satisfly withholding obligations. Units will be settled in shares.

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