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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * HILL C T			2. Issuer Name and 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	(Encon un appricable)		
919 EAST MAIN STREET		ΞT	(Month/Day/Year) 04/05/2011	Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Corp. Executive Vice President		
(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		
RICHMOND, VA 23219				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Table	I - Non-De	erivative Securities Ac	quired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if	3. Transactio	4. Securities nAcquired (A) or	5. Amount of Securities	6. Ownership Form: Direct	7. Nature of Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8) Code V	Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or Amount (D) Price	Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock					37,459	D	
Common Stock					20,706.4341	D (1)	
Common Stock					49,770	D (2)	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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$\label{thm:convergence} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \end{tabular}$

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)	Secur (A) o (D)	nmber of vative rities Acquired or Disposed of r. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration Dat	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amour Underlying Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amo Num Shar	
Phantom Stock Units (3)	(3)						(3)	(3)	Common Stock	2,3	
Phantom Stock Units (4)	<u>(4)</u>						<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	40	
Phantom Stock Units (5)	<u>(5)</u>						<u>(5)</u>	(5)	Common Stock	10,	
Phantom Stock Units (6)	<u>(6)</u>	04/05/2011		M		4,590.7118	<u>(6)</u>	<u>(6)</u>	Common Stock	4,5	
Option (7)	\$ 64.57						11/13/2004	11/13/2011	Common Stock	1	
Option (7)	\$ 54.28						02/11/2006	02/11/2013	Common Stock	1	
Option (7)	\$ 73.19						02/10/2007	02/10/2014	Common Stock	1	
Option (8)	\$ 73.14						02/08/2008	02/08/2015	Common Stock	1	
Option (8)	\$ 71.03						02/14/2009	02/08/2016	Common Stock	2	
Option (8)	\$ 85.06						02/13/2010	02/13/2017	Common Stock]	
Option (8)	\$ 64.58						02/12/2011	02/12/2018	Common Stock	3	
Option (8)	\$ 29.54						12/31/2011	12/31/2018	Common Stock	4	
Option (8)	\$ 9.06						02/10/2012	02/12/2019	Common Stock	1	
Option (9)	\$ 29.2						04/01/2012	04/01/2021			

Common Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

HILL C T 919 EAST MAIN STREET RICHMOND, VA 23219

Corp. Executive Vice President

Signatures

David A. Wisniewski, Attorney-in-Fact for C.T. Hill

19,370 shares which vest on 12/16/2012.

04/07/2011

**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) 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 SunTrust Banks, Inc. 2004 Stock Plan and the 2009 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. Includes 5,000 shares which vest on 10/31/2011 and 25,400 shares which vest on 02/10/2012 and
- (3) The reported phantom stock units were acquired under SunTrust Banks, Inc.'s Deferred Compensation Plan. These phantom stock units convert to common stock on a one-for-one basis.
- (4) The reported phantom stock units were acquired under Crestar Bank's ANEX plan. These securities convert to common stock on a one-for-one basis.
- (5) Represents stock units granted under the SunTrust Banks, Inc. 2009 Stock Plan paid as salary. Reflects settlement of one-half in cash on March 31, 2011. Remainder will be settled on March 31, 2012, unless settled earlier due to the executive's death.
- (6) Reflects cash settlement of salary shares on April 5, 2011 based on closing stock price on the date of TARP repayment, March 30, 2011.
- (7) Granted pursuant to the SunTrust Banks, Inc. 2000 Stock Plan.
- (8) Granted pursuant to the SunTrust Banks, Inc. 2004 Stock Plan.
- (9) Granted pursuant to the SunTrust Banks, Inc. 2009 Stock Plan. Award vests annually over three years.

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