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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Addre Chancy Mark A	*	g Person *	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)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction			
303 PEACHTREE STREET			(Month/Day/Year) 12/16/2010	Director 10% Owner Nother (give title Other (specifically) below) Corp. EVP and CFO		
(Street) ATLANTA, GA 30308			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acq	uired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned		

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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. Securit n(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4)	sposed	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	12/07/2010		G V	400	D	<u>(1)</u>	21,369	D	
Common Stock							1,250.2697	D (2)	
Common Stock	12/16/2010		A	21,810	A	\$ 25.86	66,660	D (3)	

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)	5. Dr. Dr. Dr. Dr. Dr. Dr. Dr. Dr. Dr. Dr			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 (4)	<u>(4)</u>					<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	2,211.8317
Phantom Stock Units (5)	<u>(5)</u>					(5)	(5)	Common Stock	31,440.6658
Option (6)	\$ 68.87					07/27/2004	07/27/2011	Common Stock	5,441
Option (6)	\$ 64.57					11/13/2004	11/13/2011	Common Stock	2,500
Option (6)	\$ 54.28					02/11/2006	02/11/2013	Common Stock	1,452
Option (6)	\$ 73.19					02/10/2007	02/10/2014	Common Stock	10,000
Option (7)	\$ 73.14					02/08/2008	02/08/2015	Common Stock	40,000
Option (7)	\$ 71.03					02/14/2009	02/14/2016	Common Stock	45,000
Option (7)	\$ 85.06					02/13/2010	02/13/2017	Common Stock	42,000
Option (7)	\$ 64.58					02/12/2011	02/12/2018	Common Stock	115,000
Option (7)	\$ 29.54					12/31/2011	12/31/2018	Common Stock	100,000
Option (7)	\$ 9.06					02/10/2012	02/12/2019	Common Stock	250,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Chancy Mark A 303 PEACHTREE STREET ATLANTA, GA 30308

Corp. EVP and CFO

Signatures

Raymond D. Fortin, Attorney-in-Fact for Mark A. Chancy

12/20/2010

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

which vest on 02/10/2012 and 21,810 shares which vest on 12/16/2013.

- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- This transaction is a gift.
- (2) 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 granted under SunTrust Banks, Inc. 2004 Stock Plan. Restricted stock agreements contain tax withholding features (3) allowing stock to be withheld to satisfy tax withholding obligations. This plan is exempt under Rule 16(b)-3. Includes 27,600 shares
- (4) The 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.
- (5) Represents stock units granted under the SunTrust Banks, Inc. 2009 Stock Plan paid as salary. The stock units will be settled in cash one half on March 31, 2011 and one half on March 31, 2012, unless settled earlier due to the executive's death.
- (6) Granted pursuant to the SunTrust Banks, Inc. 2000 Stock Plan.
- (7) Granted pursuant to the SunTrust Banks, Inc. 2004 Stock Plan.

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