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FORM 4

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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 Address of Reporting Person * Farnsworth Thomas C Jr

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

(Middle)

SUNTRUST BANKS INC [STI]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(First)

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year)

_X__ Director 10% Owner Other (specify Officer (give title

5335 DISTRIPLEX FARMS DRIVE 04/19/2005

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

below)

MEMPHIS, TN 38141

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	rities Acq	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly 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. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or Amount (D) Price		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							512,947	D	
Common Stock							247	I	Spouse
Common Stock	04/19/2005		A	1,200	A	\$ 70.93	1,200	D (1)	

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	Expiration Da (Month/Day/Y	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (I	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amoun Numbe Shares	
Option (2)	\$ 49.34					04/25/2001	04/25/2011	Common Stock	1,77	
Option (2)	\$ 56.11					04/24/2002	04/24/2012	Common Stock	1,47	
Option (2)	\$ 40.99					04/23/2003	04/23/2013	Common Stock	2,48	
Option (3)	\$ 67.64					08/18/2004	04/25/2011	Common Stock	43	
Phantom Stock Units (4)	<u>(4)</u>					<u>(4)</u>	<u>(4)</u>	Common Stock	1,74	
Phantom Stock Units (5)	<u>(5)</u>	04/19/2005		A	183.2793	<u>(5)</u>	(5)	Common Stock	183.2	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Farnsworth Thomas C Jr
5335 DISTRIPLEX FARMS DRIVE X

MEMPHIS, TN 38141

Signatures

Kimberly N. Rhodes, Attorney-in-Fact for Thomas C. Farnsworth, Jr.

04/20/2005

**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) Restricted stock held under SunTrust Banks, Inc. 2004 Stock Plan. The plan is exempt under Rule 16(b)-3.
- (2) Granted pursuant to the National Commerce Financial Corporation Amended and Restated Long-Term Incentive Plan.

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- (3) Granted pursuant to the National Commerce Financial Corporation 2003 Stock and Incentive Plan.
- (4) Acquired under the National Commerce Financial Corporation's Director Fee Deferral Plan. Converts to SunTrust stock on a one-for-one basis. Payouts occur annually in January, ending in 2006.
- Acquired under the SunTrust Banks, Inc. Directors Deferred Compensation Plan and are to be settled upon the reporting person's
- (5) retirement. Directors fees are deferred into this plan and are accounted for as if invested in SunTrust common stock. These securities convert to common stock on a one-for-one basis.

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