Fortin Raymond D Form 4 November 30, 2012

### FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person ** Fortin Raymond D			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	SUNTRUST BANKS INC [STI]  3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)		
303 PEACHTREE STREET, N.E.		EET, N.E.	(Month/Day/Year) 11/29/2012	Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)  Corp. EVP & General Counsel		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person		
ATLANTA, GA 30308				Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		

(Ci	ty)	(State) (	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed o	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3	7	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)						
			(Month/Day/Tear)	Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
Comm Stock	ion	11/29/2012		F	444	D	\$ 27.02	80,737 (1)	D	
Comm	ion							3,069.7658	I	401(k) (2)

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)	5. Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		e	7. Title and A Underlying S (Instr. 3 and	Securities
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Phantom Stock (3)	<u>(3)</u>					<u>(3)</u>	<u>(3)</u>	Common Stock	1,792.7195
Option (4)	\$ 54.28					02/11/2006	02/11/2013	Common Stock	13,158
Option (4)	\$ 73.19					02/10/2007	02/10/2014	Common Stock	15,000
Option (5)	\$ 73.14					02/08/2008	02/08/2015	Common Stock	18,000
Option (5)	\$ 71.03					02/14/2009	02/14/2016	Common Stock	20,000
Option (5)	\$ 85.06					02/13/2010	02/13/2017	Common Stock	18,000
Option (5)	\$ 64.58					02/12/2011	02/12/2018	Common Stock	33,500
Option (5)	\$ 9.06					02/10/2012	02/08/2019	Common Stock	183,273
Option (6)	\$ 32.27					02/08/2014	02/08/2021	Common Stock	66,300
Option (7)	\$ 21.67					<u>(7)</u>	02/14/2022	Common Stock	30,000

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Fortin Raymond D			Corp. EVP					
303 PEACHTREE STREET, N.E.			& General					
ATLANTA, GA 30308			Counsel					

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### **Signatures**

David A. Wisniewski, Attorney-in-Fact for Raymond D. Fortin

11/30/2012

\*\*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) Includes the following shares which are subject to forfeiture: 15,159 which vest on 12/16/2012; 1,200 which vest on 3/6/2013; 1,200 which vest on 7/14/2013; and 21,000 which vest on 2/8/2014.
- (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.
- (3) The phantom stock units were acquired under the SunTrust Banks, Inc. Deferred Compensation Plan and convert to common stock on a one-to-one basis.
- (4) Granted pursuant to the SunTrust Banks, Inc. 2000 Stock Plan.
- (5) Granted pursuant to the SunTrust Banks, Inc. 2004 Stock Plan.
- (6) Granted pursuant to the SunTrust Banks, Inc. 2009 Stock Plan.
- (7) Granted pursuant to the SunTrust Banks, Inc. 2009 Stock Plan. One third of the award vests each year for three years.

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