

SUNTRUST BANKS INC

Form 4

April 19, 2007

**FORM 4****UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**ROYAL FRANK S**

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**1122 NORTH 25TH  
STREET, SUITE A**

(Street)

**RICHMOND, VA 23223**

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading  
Symbol  
**SUNTRUST BANKS INC [STI]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
**04/17/2007**

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to  
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

☒ Director ☐ 10% Owner  
☐ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  
Applicable Line)  
☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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Person

**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

| 1. Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3.<br>Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired<br>(A) or Disposed of<br>(D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or<br>Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Common<br>Stock                       |                                         |                                                             |                                         | (A)<br>or<br>(D)                                                           | Price                                                                                                              |                                                                      |                                                                   |
|                                       |                                         |                                                             | Code                                    | V                                                                          | Amount                                                                                                             |                                                                      |                                                                   |
| Common<br>Stock                       | 04/17/2007                              |                                                             | A                                       |                                                                            | 1,200                                                                                                              | A                                                                    | \$<br>83.4                                                        |
|                                       |                                         |                                                             |                                         |                                                                            | 7,578 <sup>(1)</sup>                                                                                               | D                                                                    |                                                                   |
|                                       |                                         |                                                             |                                         |                                                                            | 1,200 <sup>(2)</sup>                                                                                               | 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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 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 Units                        | (3)                                                    |                                      |                                                    |                                |                                                                                         | (3) (3)                                                  | Common Stock 2,052.8133                                       |
| Option (5)                                 | \$ 51.125                                              |                                      |                                                    |                                |                                                                                         | 11/14/2000 11/14/2010                                    | Common Stock 2,000                                            |
| Option (5)                                 | \$ 64.57                                               |                                      |                                                    |                                |                                                                                         | 11/13/2001 11/13/2011                                    | Common Stock 2,000                                            |
| Option (5)                                 | \$ 54.28                                               |                                      |                                                    |                                |                                                                                         | 02/11/2003 02/11/2013                                    | Common Stock 2,000                                            |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                           | Relationships                    |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
|                                                                          | Director 10% Owner Officer Other |
| ROYAL FRANK S<br>1122 NORTH 25TH STREET<br>SUITE A<br>RICHMOND, VA 23223 | X                                |

## Signatures

David A. Wisniewski, Attorney-in-Fact for Frank S. Royal,  
M.D. 04/19/2007

\_\_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 1,200 shares of restricted stock which vested on April 18, 2007.
- (2) Restricted stock held under SunTrust Banks, Inc. 2004 Stock Plan. The plan is exempt under Rule 16(b)-3.
- (3) Phantom stock units represent stock equity awards and deferred cash and/or stock payable to the Reporting Person as an annual retainer for past service on the Board of Crestar Bank, which was acquired by SunTrust. Units will be distributed to the Reporting

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Person in stock on February 15 of the year following the year in which he ends service on the Board of SunTrust Bank, Issuer's wholly-owned subsidiary. These securities convert to common stock on a one-for-one basis.

- (4) Includes additional shares acquired as a result of reinvestment of dividends since the reporting person's last filing.
- (5) Granted pursuant to the SunTrust Banks, Inc. 2000 Stock Plan.

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