SUNTRUST BANKS INC

Form 4

December 22, 2006

FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

SUNTRUST BANKS INC [STI]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

OMB Number:

3235-0287

Expires:

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

(Check all applicable)

Issuer

January 31, 2005

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may continue.

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Symbol

1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

GARROTT THOMAS M

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

(First)

(Middle)

P.O. BOX 11227		`	(Month/Day/Year) 12/22/2006				_X_ Director Officer (g below)	give title below	10% Owner Other (specify
		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			
MEMPHIS						Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owner							icially Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securition(A) or Dis(D) (Instr. 3, 4)	sposed	of	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	12/22/2006		G V	28,240	D	(1)	174,452	D	
Common Stock							107,852	I	GRAT (2)
Common Stock							21,291	I	Investment I, LP
Common Stock							134,582	I	Investment II, LP
Common Stock							59,007	I	Children (3)
							459,635	I	

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Common Stock

Garrott 2005 Investments, LTD (4)

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(9-02)

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)	

	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. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			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
Option (5)	\$ 48.33					10/01/2004	01/14/2013	Common Stock	2,069
Option (5)	\$ 52.09					10/01/2004	01/15/2012	Common Stock	1,919
Option (5)	\$ 48.33					01/14/2004	01/14/2013	Common Stock	120,418
Option (5)	\$ 52.09					01/15/2003	01/15/2012	Common Stock	120,568
Option (6)	\$ 49.97					01/16/2002	01/16/2011	Common Stock	53,086
Option (7)	\$ 56.17					10/01/2004	01/21/2014	Common Stock	122,488
Option (8)	\$ 73.14					02/08/2008	02/08/2015	Common Stock	122,488
Option (8)	\$ 71.03					02/14/2009	02/14/2016	Common Stock	122,488
Phantom Stock Units (9)	<u>(9)</u>					<u>(9)</u>	<u>(9)</u>	Common Stock	24,921.2235

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

GARROTT THOMAS M P.O. BOX 11227 X MEMPHIS, TN 38111

Signatures

Raymond D. Fortin, Attorney-in-Fact for Thomas M.

Garrott

12/22/2006

**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) This transaction is a gift.
- (2) Thomas M. Garrott 2005-1 Grantor Retained Annuity Trust.
- (3) Held in trust for children.
- (4) Garrott 2005 Investments LTD with respect to which the Reporting Person serves as general partner.
- (5) Granted pursuant to the National Commerce Financial Corporation Amended and Restated Long-Term Incentive Plan.
- (6) Granted pursuant to the National Commerce Financial Corporation 1994 Stock Plan Amended and Restated.
- (7) Granted pursuant to the National Commerce Financial Corporation 2003 Stock and Incentive Plan.
- (8) Granted pursuant to the SunTrust Banks, Inc. 2004 Stock Plan.
- (9) Acquired under the National Commerce Financial Corporation Equity Investment Plan, which was frozen 12/31/04, and under the SunTrust Banks, Inc. 401(k) Excess Benefit Plan. These phantom stock units convert to common stock on a one-for-one basis.

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