

Gillani Aleem  
Form 3  
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# FORM 3 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting  
Person \*

Â Gillani Aleem

(Last) (First) (Middle)

303 PEACHTREE STREET, NE

(Street)

ATLANTA,Â GAÂ 30308

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Date of Event Requiring  
Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

04/26/2011

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

4. Relationship of Reporting  
Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_X\_\_ Officer \_\_\_\_ Other  
(give title below) (specify below)  
CEVP, CFO and Treasurer

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group  
Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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Person  
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Reporting Person

### Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security  
(Instr. 4)

2. Amount of Securities  
Beneficially Owned  
(Instr. 4)

3. Ownership  
Form:  
Direct (D)  
or Indirect  
(I)  
(Instr. 5)

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial  
Ownership  
(Instr. 5)

|              |           |                  |                                  |
|--------------|-----------|------------------|----------------------------------|
| Common Stock | 49,975    | D <sup>(1)</sup> | Â                                |
| Common Stock | 200       | I                | Custodial Account <sup>(2)</sup> |
| Common Stock | 2,000     | I                | Custodial Account <sup>(3)</sup> |
| Common Stock | 3,500     | I                | Trust <sup>(4)</sup>             |
| Common Stock | 5,030.065 | I                | 401 (k) <sup>(5)</sup>           |

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially  
owned directly or indirectly.

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)**

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| 1. Title of Derivative Security<br>(Instr. 4) | 2. Date Exercisable and<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) |                    | 3. Title and Amount of<br>Securities Underlying<br>Derivative Security<br>(Instr. 4) |                                  | 4. Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 5. Ownership<br>Form of<br>Derivative<br>Security:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I)<br>(Instr. 5) | 6. Nature of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 5) |
|-----------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|
|                                               | Date<br>Exercisable                                            | Expiration<br>Date | Title                                                                                | Amount or<br>Number of<br>Shares |                                                                    |                                                                                                      |                                                                |
| Phantom Stock                                 | Â (6)                                                          | Â (6)              | Common<br>Stock                                                                      | 971.7448                         | \$ (6)                                                             | D                                                                                                    | Â                                                              |
| Option (7)                                    | 01/14/2013                                                     | 01/14/2020         | Common<br>Stock                                                                      | 5,000                            | \$ 23.7                                                            | D                                                                                                    | Â                                                              |
| Option (7)                                    | 02/08/2014                                                     | 02/08/2021         | Common<br>Stock                                                                      | 19,300                           | \$ 32.27                                                           | D                                                                                                    | Â                                                              |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                 | Relationships |           |                           |       |
|----------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------------------------|-------|
|                                                                | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                   | Other |
| Gillani Aleem<br>303 PEACHTREE STREET, NE<br>ATLANTA, GA 30308 | Â             | Â         | Â CEVP, CFO and Treasurer | Â     |

## Signatures

David A. Wisniewski, Attorney-in-Fact for Aleem  
Gillani

04/28/2011

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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 2,500 shares of restricted stock which vest on October 31, 2011, 6,810 shares of restricted stock which vest on February 10, 2012, 9,225 shares of restricted stock which vest on August 11, 2012, 3,800 shares which vest on February 9, 2013 and 7,290 shares which vest on February 8, 2014.
- (2) Shares are held in a custodial account for the benefit of an adult family member of the reporting person and over which shares the reporting person has investment and voting control.
- (3) Shares are held in a custodial account for the benefit of a minor child of the reporting person and over which shares the reporting person has investment and voting control.
- (4) Reporting person has voting and investment control of the shares owned by a family trust.
- (5) 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 the SunTrust stock on the applicable measurement date.
- (6) The reported phantom stock units were acquired under the SunTrust Banks, Inc. 401 (k) Deferred Compensation plan. These phantom stock units convert to common stock on a one-for-one basis.
- (7) Granted under the SunTrust Banks, Inc. 2009 Stock Plan.

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