

SUNTRUST BANKS INC  
Form 8-K  
August 20, 2009

**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

**FORM 8-K**

**CURRENT REPORT**

**Pursuant to Section 13 OR 15(d) of The Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

**Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported) August 20, 2009**

**SunTrust Banks, Inc.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Georgia**  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

**001-08918**  
(Commission File Number)

**58-1575035**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

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303 Peachtree St., N.E., Atlanta, Georgia  
(Address of principal executive offices)

30308  
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (404) 588-7711

**Not Applicable**

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

- .. Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- .. Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- .. Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

**Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure.**

SunTrust Banks, Inc. (the Registrant or SunTrust ) is scheduled to meet with and make a presentation to certain institutional investors beginning on Thursday, August 20, 2009 at 10:00 AM Eastern Time and beginning on Friday, August 21, 2009 at 7:15 AM Eastern Time. Mark A. Chancy, Corporate Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer, and Jerome T. Lienhard, Senior Vice President and Treasurer, will make SunTrust's presentation. A copy of the slide package to be used by the Registrant during these meetings is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated by reference herein. Such slide package will also be available on the Registrant's web site at [www.suntrust.com](http://www.suntrust.com). Information contained on the Registrant's website expressly is not incorporated by reference into this Current Report on Form 8-K.

The information in the preceding paragraph, as well as Exhibit 99.1, shall not be deemed filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the Exchange Act ), or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section. It may only be incorporated by reference into another filing under the Exchange Act or Securities Act of 1933 if such subsequent filing specifically references Section 7.01 of this Current Report on Form 8-K. All information in the slide package speaks as of the date thereof and the Registrant does not assume any obligation to update said information in the future. In addition, the Registrant disclaims any inference regarding the materiality of such information which otherwise may arise as a result of its furnishing such information under Item 7.01 of this report on Form 8-K.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits.

99.1 Slide package to be presented on August 20 and 21, 2009 (furnished with the Commission as a part of this Current Report on Form 8-K).

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

SUNTRUST BANKS, INC.

Date: August 20, 2009

By: /s/ David A. Wisniewski  
David A. Wisniewski  
Group Vice President and Associate General Counsel