

Poindexter Philip
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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Poindexter Philip

(Last) (First) (Middle)

320 MOCKINGBIRD HILL ROAD

(Street)

LOUISVILLE, KY 40207

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
S Y BANCORP INC [SYBT]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
04/19/2012

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)

Executive Vice President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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	04/19/2012		F	V Amount (D) Price 64 D \$ 22.33	7,725.5772	D	
Common Stock					4,766.1191 <u>(1)</u>	I	ESOP/401k - fbo Philip Poindexter

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)
						Date Exercisable Expiration Date	Title Amount or Number of Shares
				Code V (A) (D)			
Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 23.95					12/14/2005 12/14/2014	Common Stock 7,500
Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 25.27					01/17/2007 01/17/2016	Common Stock 9,000
Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 26.83					02/20/2008 02/20/2017	Common Stock 6,000
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 23.37					02/19/2009 02/19/2018	Common Stock 3,700
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 22.14					02/17/2010 02/17/2019	Common Stock 3,700
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 21.03					02/16/2011 02/16/2020	Common Stock 6,858
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 23.76					03/15/2012 03/15/2021	Common Stock 4,097
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 22.86					02/20/2013 02/20/2022	Common Stock 7,132

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other
Executive Vice President

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LOUISVILLE, KY 40207

Signatures

//Philip

Poindexter

04/23/2012

**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 annual employer contribution.

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