AMSOUTH BANCORPORATION

Form 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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SECURITIES

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obligations may continue.

See Instruction

Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

| 1. Name and Ad GAFFNEY Jo | * | rting Person * | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer | | |
|---|------------|----------------|--|--|--|--|
| | | | AMSOUTH BANCORPORATION [ASO] | (Check all applicable) | | |
| (Last) (First) (Middle) 1900 5TH AVENUE NORTH | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction | Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) Sr Executive Vice President | | |
| | | | (Month/Day/Year) 11/04/2006 | | | |
| (Street) | | | 4. If Amendment, Date Original | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check | | |
| BIRMINGHA | AM, AL 352 | 203 | Filed(Month/Day/Year) | Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | | | | |

| (City) | (State) | (Zip) Tak | ole I - Non- | Derivative Secu | ırities | Acqui | red, Disposed of, | or Beneficial | ly 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 Acord Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4 and Amount | (D) | d (A) | 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 | 11/04/2006 | | D | 38,643 | D | <u>(1)</u> | 0 | D | |
| Common Stock | 11/04/2006 | | D | 6,327.4787 | D | <u>(1)</u> | 0 | I | By 401(k) |
| Common Stock | 11/04/2006 | | D | 50 | D | (1) | 0 | I | By Custodian For Child |
| Common Stock | 11/04/2006 | | D | 40,000 | D | <u>(1)</u> | 0 | I | By Spouse |

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

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$\label{thm:convergence} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \end{tabular}$

| 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) | 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 |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 24.25 | 11/04/2006 | | D | 2,700 | 02/06/1999 | 02/05/2008 | Common Stock | 2,700 |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 28.75 | 11/04/2006 | | D | 9,937 | 01/22/2000 | 01/21/2009 | Common Stock | 9,937 |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 32.92 | 11/04/2006 | | D | 1,500 | 03/16/2000 | 03/15/2009 | Common Stock | 1,500 |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 16.0625 | 11/04/2006 | | D | 3,113 | 02/12/2001 | 02/11/2010 | Common Stock | 3,113 |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 17.02 | 11/04/2006 | | D | 55,000 | 02/02/2002 | 02/01/2011 | Common Stock | 55,000 |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to | \$ 20.26 | 11/04/2006 | | D | 60,000 | 01/30/2003 | 01/29/2012 | Common Stock | 60,000 |

| Buy) | | | | | | | | |
|---|----------|------------|---|--------|------------|------------|-----------------|--------|
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 20.49 | 11/04/2006 | D | 75,600 | 02/10/2004 | 02/09/2013 | Common Stock | 75,600 |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 24.36 | 11/04/2006 | D | 4,105 | 02/05/2005 | 02/05/2014 | Common Stock | 4,105 |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy) | \$ 27.48 | 11/04/2006 | D | 60,000 | 04/02/2007 | 04/02/2016 | Common Stock | 60,000 |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)1 | \$ 25.53 | 11/04/2006 | D | 3,916 | 02/08/2006 | 02/07/2015 | Common Stock | 3,916 |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------|-----------------------------|-------|--|--|--|
| reporting o where runner, requires | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | |
| GAFFNEY JOHN M 1900 5TH AVENUE NORTH | | | Sr Executive Vice President | | | | |
| BIRMINGHAM, AL 35203 | | | SI Executive vice Fresident | | | | |

Signatures

By: Michelle Bridges - Attorney in Fact

**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).
- Shares disposed of pursuant to merger between AmSouth Bancorporation and Region Financial Corporation pursuant to which each share (1) of AmSouth common stock was exchanged for 0.7974 shares of Regions common stock having a market value of \$29.82 per share on the effective date of the merger.
- In the merger of AmSouth and Regions, each outstanding option to purchase AmSouth common stock was converted to an option to purchase Regions stock on substantially the same terms, except that the number of options was adjusted by multiplying the number of AmSouth options by 0.7974, the grant price was adjusted by dividing the AmSouth grant price by 0.7974, and the options became immediately exercisable at the effective time of the merger and will remain exercisable until the expiration date of the option.

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