

SUNTRUST BANKS INC  
Form 8-K  
June 11, 2012

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): June 8, 2012

SunTrust Banks, Inc.  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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| Georgia<br>(State or other jurisdiction<br>of incorporation) | 001-08918<br>(Commission<br>File Number) | 58-1575035<br>(IRS Employer<br>Identification No.) |
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| 303 Peachtree St., N.E., Atlanta, Georgia<br>(Address of principal executive offices) | 30308<br>(Zip Code) |
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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):

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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 8.01 Other.

On June 8, 2012, SunTrust Banks, Inc. (the "Company" or the "Registrant") announced that it will redeem in whole at par certain trust preferred securities including all of the outstanding:

(i) SunTrust Capital VIII 6.100% Trust Preferred Securities issued December 6, 2006, due December 15, 2036, CUSIP 86800YAA4 (the "6.100% Trups"), which will be redeemed July 11, 2012; and

(ii) SunTrust Capital IX 7.875% Trust Preferred Securities issued March 4, 2008, due March 15, 2068, CUSIP 867885105 (the "7.875% Trups," together with the 6.100% Trups, the "Securities"), which will be redeemed July 11, 2012.

The complete terms and conditions of the redemption are as set forth in a notice to holders of the Securities, and the news release by which the Company made such announcement is filed as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

9.01 Exhibits.

99.1 News release dated June 8, 2012.

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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.  
(Registrant)

Date: June 11, 2012.

By: /s/ David A. Wisniewski  
David A. Wisniewski,  
Senior Vice President, Deputy General Counsel and  
Assistant Secretary