

SUNTRUST BANKS INC  
Form 8-K  
August 28, 2006

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

Washington, D.C. 20549

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**FORM 8-K**

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**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 28, 2006**

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**SunTrust Banks, Inc.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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**Georgia**  
(State or other jurisdiction

of incorporation)

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

**58-1575035**  
(IRS Employer

Identification No.)

**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)

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**Item 8.01. Other Events.**

On August 28, 2006, SunTrust Banks, Inc. (the Registrant ) announced that it received a letter from the Securities and Exchange Commission (the SEC ) informing it that the Staff of the SEC had terminated its investigation of the Registrant and that no enforcement action had been recommended to the SEC. A copy of the news release issued by the Registrant making such announcement is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated herein by reference.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits

99.1 News release dated August 28, 2006.

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: August 28, 2006.

By: /s/ David A. Wisniewski  
David A. Wisniewski,  
Group Vice President