#### SYNOVUS FINANCIAL CORP

Form 4 June 03, 2009

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

OMB Number:

3235-0287

Expires:

January 31, 2005

0.5

Estimated average burden hours per

**OMB APPROVAL** 

response...

if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations

Check this box

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Add BLANCHAR	•	_	2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol SYNOVUS FINANCIAL CORP	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer				
			[SNV]	(Check all applicable)				
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)	_X_ Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)				
P.O. BOX 120	U		06/02/2009					
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check				
			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person				
COLUMBUS	, GA 31902			Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-l	Derivative S	ecurit	ies Acc	quired, Disposed	of, or Benefic	ially Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securitie on(A) or Disp (Instr. 3, 4)	osed o	of (D)	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	06/02/2009		J(1)	350,000	D D	\$ 0	0	I	GRAT 06/2007
Common Stock	06/02/2009		<u>J(1)</u>	350,000	A	\$ 0	578,877	D	
Common Stock	06/02/2009		J(2)	169,088	D	\$0	0	I	Spouse GRAT 08/2007
Common Stock	06/02/2009		J(2)	169,088	A	\$0	169,201	I	By Spouse
Common Stock							625,000	I	GRAT 05/2009

#### Edgar Filing: SYNOVUS FINANCIAL CORP - Form 4

Common Stock	99,408	I	GRAT 05/2008
Common Stock	240,000	I	GRAT 01/2009
Common Stock	4,650	I	By DEB Irrevocable Trust

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

Persons who respond to the collection of SEC 1474 information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control number.

(9-02)

9. Nu Deriv Secu Bene Own Follo Repo Trans (Insti

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. Transa Code (Instr.		5. biNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	Amor Unde Secur	rlying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
				Code	v	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
BLANCHARD JAMES H P.O. BOX 120 COLUMBUS, GA 31902	X							

# **Signatures**

/s/ Alana Griffin, 06/03/2009 Attorney-in-Fact

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

2 Reporting Owners

#### Edgar Filing: SYNOVUS FINANCIAL CORP - Form 4

## **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) On June 2, 2009, the form of ownership of these shares changed when the reporting person's 06/2007 GRAT transferred the shares for no consideration to the reporting person.
- (2) On June 2, 2009, the form of ownership of these shares changed when the reporting person's spouse's 08/2007 GRAT transferred the shares for no consideration to the reporting person's spouse.

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient, *see* Instruction 6 for procedure. Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB number.