BAILEY CHARLES STANLEY

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Addre BAILEY CHA	•	_	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SUPERIOR BANCORP [SUPR]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)			
12615 HIGHWAY 69 NORTH (Street)			(Month/Day/Year) 05/23/2007	_X Director 10% Owner _X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Chairman and CEO			
			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person			
BAILEYTON,	AL 35019			Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acq	uired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned			

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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)	ransactiorDisposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(I) (Instr. 4)		
common stock	05/23/2007		I	8,631.5336		\$ 10.02	8,631.5336	I	By Superior Bancorp 401(k) Plan	
common stock							263,686	D		
common stock							1,000	I (1)	By Mary Brittain Bailey Trust	
							1,116.339	I		

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common stock

By Superior Bancorp Employee Stock Ownership Plans

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)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. orNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3,	3	ate	7. Title Amour Underl Securit (Instr.	nt of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Nu Deriv Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
			Code V	4, and 5) (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
•	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
BAILEY CHARLES STANLEY 12615 HIGHWAY 69 NORTH BAILEYTON, AL 35019	X		Chairman and CEO					

Signatures

William H. Caughran,
attorney-in-fact

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- * 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).
- Reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares held by this trust of which the reporting person's spouse is the trustee. This

(1) report should not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of shares held by the trust for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.

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