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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Murray Dane H Issuer Symbol SCBT FINANCIAL CORP [SCBT] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify C/O SCBT FINANCIAL 02/15/2010 below) CORPORATION, 520 GERVAIS SENIOR EXECUTIVE VP **STREET** (Street) 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 Form filed by More than One Reporting

COLUMBIA, SC 29201

(State)

(City) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 1. Title of 3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 6. 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of Securities Ownership Indirect (Instr. 3) Code (D) Beneficially Form: Direct Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Owned (Instr. 8) (D) or Ownership Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) Following Reported (Instr. 4) (A) Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price **COMMON** 940 (1) 02/15/2010 D Α 66,606 35.2 **STOCK**

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)

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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. Transacti Code (Instr. 8)	(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4,	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
					Code V	and 5)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Number of Shares
	STOCK OPTIONS	\$ 35.2	02/15/2010		A	2,236	02/15/2011	02/15/2020	COMMON STOCK	2,230

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Murray Dane H

Murray Dane H C/O SCBT FINANCIAL CORPORATION 520 GERVAIS STREET COLUMBIA, SC 29201

SENIOR EXECUTIVE VP

Signatures

DANE H.

MURRAY 02/16/2010

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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) These restricted shares cliff vest 100% on 02/15/2014.
- (2) These options vest at 25% per year for 4 years beginning 02/15/2011.

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