

EDINGER CHARLES R III
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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
 EDINGER CHARLES R III

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
 S Y BANCORP INC [SYBT]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
 1012 STORY AVE.
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
 12/19/2008

Director 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)

LOUISVILLE, KY 40206

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
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(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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					67,731.3715	D	
Common Stock					53,056.7357	I	By Spouse
Common Stock	12/19/2008		P	136.124 A	\$ 7,006.642	I	Trust-Directors' Deferred Comp Plan
Common Stock					14,885.8981	I	1% general partner & 8.2316% limited partner - Edinger

Securities
Partnership, LP

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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)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 20.2476					04/21/2005 ⁽¹⁾ 04/21/2014	Common Stock	1,050

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
EDINGER CHARLES R III 1012 STORY AVE. LOUISVILLE, KY 40206		X		

Signatures

//Charles R.
Edinger, III
Date: 12/23/2008

**Signature of 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).

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(1) These options vest 20% per year beginning 4/26/1996

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