

HEINTZMAN DAVID P  
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**FORM 4**

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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 \*  
HEINTZMAN DAVID P

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
3019 POPPY WAY  
(Street)

LOUISVILLE, KY 40206

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
12/10/2008

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**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)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	09/19/2008		G	V	270	D	2
Common Stock	12/11/2008		M		728	A	1
Common Stock	12/11/2008		S		228	D	\$ 27
Common Stock	12/11/2008		S		100	D	\$ 27.01
Common Stock	12/11/2008		S		400	D	\$ 26.87

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Common Stock						3,495	I	By Spouse	
Common Stock	12/10/2008		S	450	D	\$ 28	1,119.1749	I	By Minor Child
Common Stock						18,888.3732	I	By 401k/ESOP - fbo David Heintman	

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)	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)	Amount or Number of Shares	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	
Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 11.3989	12/11/2008		M	728	07/12/1999	01/12/2009	Common Stock	728
Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 11.3989					10/20/1999	04/20/2009	Common Stock	4,620
Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 10					07/07/2000	01/07/2010	Common Stock	20,790
Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 9.8238					06/21/2000	12/21/2010	Common Stock	27,300
Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 16					06/27/2001	12/27/2011	Common Stock	21,000
	\$ 18.619					06/17/2002	12/17/2012		16,590

Option (Right to Buy)					Common Stock	
Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 20.1714	06/16/2004	12/16/2013	Common Stock		15,750
Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 22.8095	06/14/2005	12/14/2014	Common Stock		25,095
Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 24.0667	07/17/2006	01/17/2016	Common Stock		31,500
Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 26.83	08/20/2007	02/20/2017	Common Stock		22,000
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 23.37	08/19/2008	02/19/2018	Common Stock		13,500

### Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
HEINTZMAN DAVID P 3019 POPPY WAY LOUISVILLE, KY 40206	X		Chairman & CEO	

### Signatures

//David P.  
Heintzman  
Date  
12/12/2008

\*\*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).
- (1) Exercise of stock option
- (2) gifts of stock

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