

HOECK GREGORY A  
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 \*  
HOECK GREGORY A

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
555 SUNSET ROAD  
(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)  
09/25/2012

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Executive Vice President

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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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)
				(A) or (D) Code V Amount (D) Price			
Common Stock	09/25/2012		M	1,466 A \$ 22,572		D	
Common Stock	09/25/2012		S	1,466 D \$ 24.3736	21,106	D	
Common Stock	09/25/2012		F	2,920 D \$ 18,186		D	
Common Stock	09/25/2012		M	3,784 A \$ 21,970		D	
Common Stock					4,200	I	By Spouse

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Common Stock	9,938.7172 I	By ESOP/401k-fbo Greg Hoeck
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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)	\$ 18.619	09/25/2012		M	5,250	12/17/2003      12/17/2012	Common Stock	5,250
Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 21.18					12/16/2004      12/16/2013	Common Stock	4,500
Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 23.95					12/14/2005      06/14/2014	Common Stock	6,000
Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 25.27					01/17/2007      01/17/2016	Common Stock	9,000
Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 26.83					02/20/2008      02/20/2017	Common Stock	5,000
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 23.37					02/19/2009      02/19/2018	Common Stock	3,200
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 22.14					02/17/2010      02/17/2019	Common Stock	2,900

Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 21.03	02/16/2011	02/16/2020	Common Stock	5,18
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 23.76	03/15/2012	03/15/2021	Common Stock	3,22
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 22.86	02/20/2013	02/20/2022	Common Stock	5,49

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
HOECK GREGORY A 555 SUNSET ROAD LOUISVILLE, KY 40206			Executive Vice President	

## Signatures

//Gregory A.  
Hoeck

09/26/2012

\*\*Signature of  
Reporting Person

Date

## 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) Stock option exercise

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