Southern National Bancorp of Virginia Inc

Form 4

January 30, 2008

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Common Stock

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(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 DERRICO GEORGIA S Issuer Symbol Southern National Bancorp of (Check all applicable) Virginia Inc [SONA] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction _X__ Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) 2954 BURRLAND LANE 01/29/2008 Chairman of the Board (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting THE PLAINS, VA 20198 Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed 3. 4. Securities Acquired 5. Amount of 6. Ownership 7. Nature of Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if Transaction(A) or Disposed of Securities Form: Direct Indirect (Instr. 3) any Code (D) Beneficially (D) or Beneficial Indirect (I) Ownership (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Owned Following (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Reported (A) Transaction(s) or (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price Southern National Bancorp of 241,450 (1) D Virginia Common Stock Southern National Bancorp of P 1,000 A 01/29/2008 66,524 Ι **BY IRA** Virginia

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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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			7. Title and Underlying (Instr. 3 and	Securities 1
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Warrants (right to buy)	\$ 9.09					10/21/2004	10/21/2014	Common Stock	8,250
Employee Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 9.09					12/31/2005	04/14/2015	Common Stock	27,500
Employee Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 9.09					12/31/2005	11/17/2015	Common Stock	2,750
Employee Stock Options (right to buy)	\$ 9.2					01/23/2009(2)	01/22/2018	Common Stock	10,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
•	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
DERRICO GEORGIA S	X		Chairman of the Board				
2954 BURRLAND LANE							

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Georgia S.
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01/30/2008

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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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).
- (1) These shares are owned jointly with spouse R. Roderick Porter.
- (2) These shares are exercisable as follows: 2000 shares on 1/23/09 2000 shares on 1/23/10 2000 shares on 1/23/11 2000 shares on 1/23/12 2000 shares on 1/23/13

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