

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

Mail Stop 4720

January 14, 2016

Via E-mail
Howell D. McCullough III
Chief Executive Officer
Huntington Bancshares Incorporated
41 South High Street
Columbus, Ohio 43287

Re: Huntington Bancshares Incorporated

Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2014

Filed February 13, 2015 File No. 001-34073

Dear Mr. McCullough:

We have completed our review of your filing. We remind you that our comments or changes to disclosure in response to our comments do not foreclose the Commission from taking any action with respect to the company or the filing and the company may not assert staff comments as a defense in any proceeding initiated by the Commission or any person under the federal securities laws of the United States. We urge all persons who are responsible for the accuracy and adequacy of the disclosure in the filing to be certain that the filing includes the information the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and all applicable rules require.

Sincerely,

/s/ Kevin W. Vaughn

Kevin W. Vaughn Branch Chief Office of Financial Services