SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 or 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

DATE OF REPORT: MAY 22, 2001

HUNTINGTON BANCSHARES INCORPORATED (EXACT NAME OF REGISTRANT AS SPECIFIED IN ITS CHARTER)

Maryland

31-0724920 0-2525 • . _____ (STATE OR OTHER (COMMISSION FILE NO.) _____ (IRS EMPLOYER IDENTIFICATION NUMBER)

JURISDICTION OF INCORPORATION OR ORGANIZATION)

Huntington Center 41 South High Street Columbus, Ohio 43287 (614) 480-8300 (ADDRESS, INCLUDING ZIP CODE, AND TELEPHONE NUMBER INCLUDING AREA CODE OF REGISTRANT'S PRINCIPAL EXECUTIVE OFFICES)

ITEM 5. OTHER EVENTS.

On May 22, 2001, Huntington Bancshares Incorporated ("Huntington") announced that Martin Mahan has resigned his position as Executive Vice President in charge of Retail Banking of Huntington's principal subsidiary, The Huntington National Bank ("HNB"), to pursue other interests, effective June 15, 2001. During the transition, HNB's retail operations will report directly to Ronald Baldwin, Vice Chairman of Huntington and HNB.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

HUNTINGTON BANCSHARES INCORPORATED

Date: May 22, 2001

By: /s/ Richard A. Cheap _____

Richard A. Cheap, Secretary