

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

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FORM 8-K

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

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DATE OF REPORT: JUNE 19, 1997

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HUNTINGTON BANCSHARES INCORPORATED  
(Exact Name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

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Maryland  
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(State or other  
jurisdiction of  
incorporation or  
organization)

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0-2525  
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(Commission File No.)

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31-0724920  
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(IRS Employer  
Identification Number)

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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)

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ITEM 5. OTHER EVENTS.

Huntington Bancshares Incorporated announced today that it is temporarily reactivating its stock repurchase program for the limited purpose of acquiring no more than 550,000 shares of Huntington Common Stock by means of open market or privately negotiated transactions at prevailing market prices. The shares will be acquired prior to the consummation of, and used solely in connection with, the acquisition of The Bank of Winter Park.

ITEM 7. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS.

None

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: June 23, 1997

By: /s/ Gerald R. Williams  
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Gerald R. Williams, Executive  
Vice President and Chief  
Financial Officer