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 GERLACH JOHN E	2. Issuer Nar HUNTING [HBAN]			_	-							
(Last) LANCASTER COL CORPORATION, 3	3. Date of Ear 05/01/2006		ction	(Month/I	Day/Ye	ear)						
	(Street)		4. If Amendm	ent, Date O	rigin	al Filed(M	onth/Day	y/Year)	_X_ Form filed by One Reporting	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing/Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
COLUMBUS, OH 4		(7:)										
	(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned										ed	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D)	Beneficial Ownership	
				Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	(IIISII. 3 and 4)	or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock		05/01/2006		A		419	9 A \$ 23.90		16,985	I	By Issuer's Deferred Compensation Plan for Huntington Bancshares Incorporated Directors	
Common Stock									44,920	D		
Common Stock									517	I	By Wife	
Common Stock									3,125	I	By Issuer's Deferred Compensation Plan for Directors	
Common Stock									50,295	I	By Children	
Common Stock									1,066,147	I	by Trust	
Common Stock									1,790	I	by Darby Road Company	
Common Stock									3,133	I	By Darby Road Limited Partnership	
Reminder: Report on a se	eparate lir	ne for each class of s	ecurities beneficiall	y owned di	F	Persons containe	who r	is form	to the collection of inform	nd unless	SEC 1474 (9-02	

]	Security Instr. 3)	Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)		Number		and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		Amount of Underlying		Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	Securities Beneficially Owned Following	Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	V	(A)		Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

Reporting Owners

	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
GERLACH JOHN B JR LANCASTER COLONY CORPORATION 37 W. BROAD STREET COLUMBUS, OH 43215	X						

Signatures

Elizabeth B. Moore	05/01/2006
**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).

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