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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 Report LHOTA WILLIAM J	2. Issuer Na HUNTING [HBAN]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) 			
(Last) (First) HUNTINGTON CENTEI STREET	3. Date of Ea 08/17/200		sactio	on (Month	/Day/	Year)				
(Street) COLUMBUS, OH 43287	4. If Amendr	nent, Date	Origi	nal Filed(Month/I	Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securit						curities Ac	quired, Disposed of, or Bene	ficially Own	ed	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8) Code	on V	(A) or Disposed of (D) B (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) F T		d of (D) 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership
Common Stock	08/17/2006		А		418	А	\$ 23.9033	8,860	I	By Issuer's Deferred Compensation Plan for Huntington Bancshares Incorporated Directors
Common Stock								53,206	D	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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 Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

 (a.g., puts, calls, warrants, antions, convertible securities)

(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)															
1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction	3A. Deemed	4.		5.		6. Date Exer	rcisable	7. Tit	le and	8. Price of	9. Number of	10.	11. Nature
Derivative	Conversion	Date	Execution Date, if	Transact	ion	Num	ber	and Expirati	on Date	Amo	unt of	Derivative	Derivative	Ownership	of Indirect
Security	or Exercise	(Month/Day/Year)	any	Code		of		(Month/Day	/Year)	Unde	rlying	Security	Securities	Form of	Beneficial
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8))	Deriv	ative		ŕ	Secur	rities	(Instr. 5)	Beneficially	Derivative	Ownership
	Derivative					Secu	rities			(Instr	. 3 and		Owned	Security:	(Instr. 4)
	Security					Acqu	ired			4)			Following	Direct (D)	
						(A) o							Reported	or Indirect	
						Dispo	osed						Transaction(s)	(I)	
						of (D)						(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
						(Instr	. 3,								
						4, and	15)								
											Amount	1			
								_			or				
									Expiration		Number				
								Exercisable	Date		of				
				Code	V	(A)	(D)				Shares				

Reporting Owners

	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
LHOTA WILLIAM J HUNTINGTON CENTER 41 S. HIGH STREET COLUMBUS, OH 43287	Х						

Signatures

Elizabeth B. Moore	08/18/2006
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

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- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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