United States 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

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): January 18, 2021

ATLANTIC UNION BANKSHARES CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Virginia

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

001-39325 (Commission File Number) **54-1598552** (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

1051 East Cary Street Suite 1200 Richmond, Virginia 23219

(Address of principal executive offices, including Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (804) 633-5031

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

□ Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)

□ Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)

□ Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

D Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

Title of each class	Trading Symbol(s)	Name of each exchange on which registered
Common Stock, par value \$1.33 per share	AUB	The NASDAQ Global Select Market
Depositary Shares, Each Representing a 1/400 th Interest in a Share of 6.875% Perpetual Non- Cumulative Preferred Stock, Series A	AUBAP	The NASDAQ Global Select Market

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act. \Box

Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

On January 18, 2021, Michael W. Clarke notified the Board of Directors of Atlantic Union Bankshares Corporation (the "Company") of his resignation from the Boards of Directors of the Company and its subsidiary, Atlantic Union Bank (the "Bank"), effective January 18, 2021, in order to focus his time and attention on other commitments. Mr. Clarke has served as a director of the Company and the Bank since February 2019, having been initially appointed in connection with the Company's merger with Access National Corporation. His resignation does not relate to any disagreement on matters relating to the Company's or the Bank's operations, policies or practices or any other matter. A copy of Mr. Clarke's letter of resignation is attached hereto as Exhibit 17.1.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit No.	Description of Exhibit
17.1	Director resignation letter, dated January 18, 2021
104	Cover Page Interactive Data File – the cover page iXBRL tags are embedded within the Inline XBRL document

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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.

ATLANTIC UNION BANKSHARES CORPORATION

Date: January 18, 2021

By:

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/s/ Robert M. Gorman Robert M. Gorman Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

Michael W. Clarke [address] [phone number]

January 18, 2021

Ron Tillet Chairman of the Board John Asbury Chief Executive Officer Atlantic Union Bank 1051 East Cary Street Richmond, VA 23219

Dear Mr. Tillet and Mr. Asbury:

This letter is to inform you that I hereby resign from the Board of Directors of both Atlantic Union Bankshares Corporation and Atlantic Union Bank effective immediately.

I have no disagreement with the board or management of the company.

Relinquishing this formal role with the company affords me more time and flexibility in managing investments outside of AUB.

AUB is in good hands with the current leadership. The strategic direction of the company will best serve our shareholder's long-term interests. I plan to retain a meaningful investment in the company with a long-term outlook.

I value the relationships that have been forged with yourselves, the other directors and management. Please feel free to call on me anytime I can support your continuing success.

Regards,

/s/ Michael W. Clarke

Michael W. Clarke

cc: Tom Snead, Chair of the Nominating and Governance Committee Rachel Lape, General Counsel