## 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 Reporting Person* PEAY D ANTHONY      |   |                       | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol UNION BANKSHARES CORP [UBSH] |               |  |     |             |  |               |                        | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner |                           |                           |   |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| P O BOX 446 (First) (Middle)                                 |   |                       | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/21/2005              |               |  |     |             |  |               |                        | X_Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)  EVP & CFO                              |                           |                           |   |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| BOWLING  | GREEN,  | (Street) VA 22427     |  | 4. If Am      | end  | men | t, Da       | te Ori   | ginal F       | Filed(M                | Ionth/I  | Day/Year)                 |                           | _ For                                     | m filed by (  | One Reporting F  | Filing(Check<br>Person<br>Reporting Person | Applicable I   | ine)   |  |
| (City)   |   | (State)               | (Zip)  |               |  |     | ŗ           | Table  | I - No        | n-Der                  | ivati  | ve Securities             | Acquire                   | ed, D                                     | isposed   | of, or Benef   | icially Owne                               | d  |  |  |
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)                               |   |                       | 2. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year)                               | Execut<br>any | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, i<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Yea |     | e, if       |  | :             | (A) or                 |  | r Disposed of 3, 4 and 5) | f (D) Owned I<br>Transact |   | tount of Securities Beneficially<br>d Following Reported<br>action(s)<br>3 and 4) |  | Ownership<br>Form: Of<br>Be                |  | Nature<br>Indirect<br>neficial<br>wnership<br>estr. 4) |  |
| Common st  | cock, \$2 pa  | r value               | 10/21/2005   |               |  |     | P           |  |               | Amou                   | Δ  | Price \$ 41 3.            | 3,183                     |   | (Instr. 4) D  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3)          | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security |                       | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Yea                   | Code          |  | ion | of<br>Deriv | vative<br>rities<br>uired<br>or<br>osed<br>O)<br>r. 3, | Expir<br>(Mon | ate Exe<br>ration I    | Date   | ble and                   | of Unde<br>Securiti       | of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) |   | 8. Price of Derivative Derivative Security (Instr. 5)  Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4) |  | Owne<br>Form<br>Derive<br>Securi<br>Direct<br>or Ind | of ative ity:  | 11. Natur<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficia<br>Ownersh<br>(Instr. 4) |
|  |   |                       |  | Cod           | e  | v   | (A)         | (D)  | Date<br>Exerc | cisable                |  | Expiration<br>Date        | Title                     |   | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Employee<br>stock<br>option vest<br>@200<br>shares/year      |   |                       |  |               |  |     |             |  | 01/2          | 2/199                  | 99 0   | 01/22/2008                | Comm<br>stock,<br>par va  | \$2                                       | 2,000   |  | 2,000                                      | Б  | )  |  |
| Employee<br>stock<br>options<br>vest @300<br>shares/year     | \$<br>12.8125   |                       |  |               |  |     |             |  | 01/2          | 5/200                  | 02 0   | 01/25/2011                | Comm<br>stock,<br>par va  | \$2                                       | 1,500   |  | 3,500                                      | D  | )  |  |
| Employee<br>stock<br>options<br>vest @<br>400<br>shares/year | \$ 16   |                       |  |               |  |     |             |  | 01/0          | 02/200                 | 03 0   | 01/02/2012                | Comm<br>stock,<br>par va  | \$2                                       | 2,000   |  | 5,500                                      | Б  | )  |  |
| Employee<br>stock<br>options<br>vest @<br>400<br>shares/year | \$ 27.87  |                       |  |               |  |     |             |  | 01/2          | 3/200                  | 04 0   | 01/23/2013                | Comm<br>stock,<br>par va  | \$2                                       | 2,000   |  | 7,500                                      | Б  |  |  |

| Employee<br>stock<br>options<br>vest @<br>500 | \$ 33.98 |  |  |  | 01/29/2005 | 01/29/2014 | Common<br>stock, \$2<br>par value | 2,500 | 10,000 | D |  |
|---|----------|--|--|--|------------|------------|-----------------------------------|-------|--------|---|--|
| 500<br>shares/year                            |          |  |  |  |            |            | par varae                         |       |        |   |  |

#### **Reporting Owners**

|                                | Relationships |              |           |       |  |  |  |  |
|--------------------------------|---------------|--------------|-----------|-------|--|--|--|--|
| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Director      | 10%<br>Owner | Officer   | Other |  |  |  |  |
| PEAY D ANTHONY                 |               |              |           |       |  |  |  |  |
| P O BOX 446                    |               |              | EVP & CFO |       |  |  |  |  |
| BOWLING GREEN, VA 22427        |               |              |           |       |  |  |  |  |

### **Signatures**

| D. Anthony Peay                 | 10/27/2005 |
|---------------------------------|------------|
| **Signature of Reporting Person | Date       |

### **Explanation of Responses:**

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- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Voluntary purchase by administrator of DRIP/SPP

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