## FORM 4

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#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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Name and Address of Reporting Person * Orfe Janis			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol UNION BANKSHARES CORP [ubsh]							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)Director10% Owner					
P. O. BOX 446, 211 NORTH MAIN STREET				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/21/2008						X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)  EVP					
(Street) BOWLING GREEN, VA 22427				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting PersonForm filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City		(State)	(Zip)		Ta	ble I - Noi	ı-Dei	ivative S	Securities	Acqui	red, Dispo	sed of, or I	Beneficially	Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transac Code (Instr. 8)	etion	tion 4. Securities (A) or Disp (Instr. 3, 4 a		of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
						Code	V	Amoun	1 1	Price				(Instr. 4)	
Common	Stock		10/21/2008(1)			P		8	A	\$ 23.54	643 (2)			D	
Common Stock										299		I	By Trustee of ESOP		
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	2. Conversion	e (Month/Day/Y	Execution Da Day/Year) any	4. Transaction Code Year) (Instr. 8)		5.	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Ti	tle and			Ownershi Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirec		
Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		Year) any		Code (Instr. 8)	Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)				Unde Secu	unt of erlying rities r. 3 and	Derivative Security	Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction	Owners Form of Derivat Security Direct ( or Indir	Ownersh (Instr. 4)

### **Reporting Owners**

	Relationships					
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Orfe Janis P. O. BOX 446 211 NORTH MAIN STREET BOWLING GREEN, VA 22427			EVP			

#### **Signatures**

/s/ Janis Orfe	10/22/2008
**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).
- (1) Voluntary purchase by administrator of DRSPP
- (2) Includes 489 shares of restricted stock

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