FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* BEALE G WILLIAM					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol UNION BANKSHARES CORP [UBSH]							5	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner						
(Last) (First) (Middle)			·	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/24/2004								X Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) President & CEO							
(Street)			4.	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/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)				p)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned														
(Instr. 3) Date (Month/Day/Year) a			y/Year) Exec	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		(Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquire (A) or Disposed of (I (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			of (D	D) Beneficia		nt of Securities ally Owned Following I Transaction(s)		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
			(IVIOI			Cod	le	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Pri		(or Inc (I) (Instr	direct (Instr. 4)	
Common Value	Stock, \$2	Par	08/24/200	04			P <u>(1</u>	נ		13.5318	3 A	\$ 29.	56	2,896.53	318		I	a C f	Spouse and As Custodian For Children
Common Value	Stock, \$2	Par											2	22,615			D		
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Reporting Owners

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Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
BEALE G WILLIAM	X		President & CEO					

Signatures

G. William Beale		08/30/2004
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**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 DRIP/SPP.

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