

HUNTINGTON BANCSHARES INC/MD  
Form 8-K  
September 23, 2009

**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549  
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) September 18, 2009**

**HUNTINGTON BANCSHARES INCORPORATED**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Maryland

1-34073

31-0724920

(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

(Commission  
File Number)

(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

Huntington Center  
41 South High Street  
Columbus, Ohio

43287

(Address of principal executive  
Office)

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (614) 480-8300  
Not Applicable

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report.)

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)
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  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-(b))
  - Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))
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**Item 8.01. Other Events.**

On September 18, 2009, Huntington Bancshares Incorporated (the Company ) entered into an underwriting agreement (the Underwriting Agreement ) with Goldman, Sachs & Co. ( Goldman Sachs ), on behalf of themselves and the several underwriters specified therein (the Underwriters ), with respect to the sale of 95,238,000 shares of common stock, par value \$0.01, of the Company ( Common Stock ) to the Underwriters in connection with a public underwritten offering. Pursuant to the Underwriting Agreement, the Company granted the Underwriters an option to purchase up to 14,285,700 additional shares of Common Stock, which the Underwriters exercised in full. On September 23, 2009, the Company completed the sale of the 109,523,700 shares of Common Stock to the Underwriters.

The public underwritten offering is more fully described in a prospectus supplement, filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the Commission ) on September 18, 2009, to the accompanying prospectus filed with the Commission on January 13, 2009, as part of the Company s Registration Statement on Form S-3ASR (File No. 333-156700) (the Registration Statement ). A copy of the Underwriting Agreement is included as Exhibit 1.1 hereto and is incorporated herein by reference. The foregoing description of the Underwriting Agreement does not purport to be complete and is qualified in its entirety by reference to such exhibit.

**Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits.

**Exhibit No. Description**

Exhibit 1.1 Underwriting Agreement, dated September 18, 2009, between Huntington Bancshares Incorporated and Goldman, Sachs & Co., on behalf of themselves and the several underwriters specified therein.

**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.

HUNTINGTON BANCSHARES  
INCORPORATED

Date: September 23, 2009

By: /s/ Richard A. Cheap  
Name: Richard A. Cheap  
Title: General Counsel and Secretary

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