

HUNTINGTON BANCSHARES INC/MD  
Form 8-K  
March 17, 2014

**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): March 17, 2014**

**Huntington Bancshares Incorporated**

**(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)**

**Maryland**  
**(State or other jurisdiction**  
**of incorporation)**

**1-34073**  
**(Commission**  
**File Number)**

**31-0724920**  
**(I.R.S. Employer**  
**Identification No.)**

**41 South High Street, Columbus, Ohio**

**43287**

(Address of principal executive offices)

(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:

- .. 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-2(b))
- .. Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

**Item 8.01 Other Events.**

On March 17, 2014, Huntington Bancshares Incorporated issued a press release announcing the appointment of Howell D. Mac McCullough III as senior executive vice president and chief financial officer. A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 hereto.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits

The following exhibits are filed herewith:

| Exhibit No. | Description                         |
|-------------|-------------------------------------|
| 99.1        | Press release dated March 17, 2014. |

**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

*March 17, 2014*

*By: /s/ Richard A. Cheap  
Name: Richard A. Cheap  
Title: Secretary*

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