

ADAMS RICHARD M SR

Form 4

February 18, 2009

FORM 4**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

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1(b).

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF
SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
ADAMS RICHARD M SR

2. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading
Symbol
UNITED BANKSHARES INC/WV
[UBSI]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to
Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

514 MARKET STREET

(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
02/18/2009

☐ Director ☐ 10% Owner
☒ Officer (give title below) ☐ Other (specify below)

Chairman of the Board & CEO

PARKERSBURG, WV 26101

4. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check
Applicable Line)
☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person
☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting
Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	
Common Stock	02/18/2009	02/18/2009	P		10,000	A	\$ 17.3	540,401.36 D
Common Stock								28,283.3 ⁽¹⁾ I
Common Stock								1,400 I
Common Stock								35,030.88 ⁽²⁾ I
Common Stock								3,390 I
								By 401(k) ⁽¹⁾
								By Corporation
								By Immediate Family
								Wife - IRA

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Common
Stock -
Direct
IRA

3,854 D

Common
Stock-
Direct
Keogh

1,362 D

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Pri Deriv Secur (Instr	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option	\$ 25.63							11/04/1999	11/04/2009	Common Stock	24,000
Stock Option	\$ 19.19							11/02/2000	11/02/2010	Common Stock	24,000
Stock Option	\$ 27.12							11/01/2001	11/01/2011	Common Stock	30,000
Stock Option	\$ 29.37							11/08/2002	11/08/2012	Common Stock	30,000
Stock Option	\$ 30.2							11/06/2003	11/06/2013	Common Stock	30,000
Stock Option	\$ 36.71							11/04/2004	11/04/2014	Common Stock	30,000
Stock Option	\$ 37.19							11/03/2005	11/03/2015	Common Stock	30,000
	\$ 27.77							11/01/2007	11/01/2017		30,000

Stock
Option

Common
Stock

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
ADAMS RICHARD M SR 514 MARKET STREET PARKERSBURG, WV 26101	X		Chairman of the Board & CEO	

Signatures

By: Jennie S Singer, Lmted POA,
Attorney-in-Fact

02/18/2009

__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) Includes additional shares acquired under the UBSI 401K plan since the date of the reporting person's last 401K ownership report.
- (2) Additional stock acquired in the Dividend Reinvestment Plan.

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