HUNTINGTON BANCSHARES INC/MD Form 8-K July 12, 2001

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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: JULY 12, 2001

HUNTINGTON BANCSHARES INCORPORATED (EXACT NAME OF REGISTRANT AS SPECIFIED IN ITS CHARTER)

Maryland

0-2525

31-0724920

(COMMISSION FILE NO.) (IRS EMPLOYER IDENTIFICATION NUMBER)

(STATE OR OTHER JURISDICTION OF INCORPORATION OR ORGANIZATION)

Huntington Center 41 South High Street Columbus, Ohio 43287 (614) 480-8300 (ADDRESS, INCLUDING ZIP CODE, AND TELEPHONE NUMBER INCLUDING AREA CODE OF REGISTRANT'S PRINCIPAL EXECUTIVE OFFICES)

ITEM 5. OTHER EVENTS.

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On July 12, 2001, Huntington Bancshares Incorporated ("Huntington") issued a news release announcing a comprehensive restructuring and strategic refocus on its core Midwest markets. The information contained in the news release, which is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this report, is incorporated herein by reference. Huntington also presented this information during a conference call which was available via Internet Webcast. The presentation slides are attached as Exhibit 99.2 to this report, and are incorporated herein by reference. A transcript of the presentation will be filed by an amendment to this Current Report on Form 8-K.

The information contained or incorporated by reference in this Current Report on Form 8-K may contain forward-looking statements, including certain plans, expectations, goals, and projections, which are subject to numerous assumptions, risks, and uncertainties. Actual results could differ materially from those contained or implied by such statements for a variety of factors, including: changes in economic conditions; movements in interest rates; competitive pressures on product pricing and services; success and timing of business strategies; the successful integration of acquired businesses; the nature, extent, and timing of governmental actions and reforms; and extended disruption of vital infrastructure.

ITEM 7. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS.

(c) Exhibits.

- Exhibit 99.1 News release of Huntington Bancshares Incorporated, dated July 12, 2001.
- Exhibit 99.2 Presentation Slides of July 12, 2001.
- Exhibit 99.3 Presentation Transcript of July 12, 2001 (to be filed by amendment).

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:	July 12, 2001	By: /s/ John D. Van Fleet
		John D. Van Fleet, Controller

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