



DIVISION OF  
CORPORATION FINANCE  
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UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

December 30, 2015

Via E-mail

Mr. G. William Beale  
President and Chief Executive Officer  
Union Bankshares Corporation  
1051 East Cary Street, Suite 1200  
Richmond, VA 23219

**Re: Union Bankshares Corporation  
Form 10-K for the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2014  
Filed February 27, 2015  
Definitive Proxy Statement on Schedule 14A  
Filed March 11, 2015  
File No. 000-20293**

Dear Mr. Beale:

We have completed our review of your filings. We remind you that our comments or changes to disclosure in response to our comments do not foreclose the Commission from taking any action with respect to the company or the filings and the company may not assert staff comments as a defense in any proceeding initiated by the Commission or any person under the federal securities laws of the United States. We urge all persons who are responsible for the accuracy and adequacy of the disclosure in the filings to be certain that the filings include the information the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and all applicable rules require.

Sincerely,

/s/ Era Anagnosti

Era Anagnosti  
Legal Branch Chief  
Office of Financial Services