

BLALOCK ROBERT H  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
BLALOCK ROBERT H

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
UNITED COMMUNITY BANKS  
INC [UCBI]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
10/31/2008

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

PO BOX 708

(Street)

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

CLAYTON, GA 30525

(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)
				(A) or (D) Code V Amount (D) Price			
Common Stock					26,924 <sup>(1)</sup>	D	
Common Stock	01/30/2009		P	475 A \$ 5.339	7,394 <sup>(1) (2)</sup>	I	Elizabeth Blalock (Spouse)
Common Stock					94,414 <sup>(1) (3)</sup>	I	Blalock Insurance Agency
Common Stock					120 <sup>(4)</sup>	I	Cust FBO Julie Ann Blalock

(daughter)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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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)	Amount or Number of Shares	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	
Warrants to Purchase Common Stock	\$ 20	10/31/2008		J <sup>(5)</sup>	12,500	10/31/2008 10/31/2013	Common Stock	12,500	

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
BLALOCK ROBERT H PO BOX 708 CLAYTON, GA 30525		X		

## Signatures

Lois J. Rich 02/03/2009

\*\*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 shares acquired since last filing pursuant to 131/130 stock dividend October 1, 2008 and January 2, 2009.
- (2) Includes 7,394 shares owned by Mr. Blalock's spouse for which he claims beneficial ownership.
- (3) Includes 94,414 shares owned by Blalock Insurance Agency, a company wholly owned by Mr. Blalock.

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- (4) Includes 120 shares owned by Mr. Blalock's daughter for which he is custodian and claims beneficial ownership.
- (5) United Community Banks, Inc. issued the warrant to purchase shares of its common stock in connection with the private placement of capital securities by a trust affiliate of United.

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