

UNITED COMMUNITY BANKS INC

Form 4

February 13, 2017

**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 \*  
**KUMLER ALAN 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)  
**C/O UNITED COMMUNITY  
BANKS, INC., PO BOX 398**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
**01/27/2017**

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_\_\_\_X\_\_\_\_ Officer (give title \_\_\_\_ Other (specify  
below) below)  
**SVP, CHIEF ACCOUNTING OFFICER**

(Street)

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

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

**BLAIRSVILLE, GA 30514**

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

| 1. Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A)<br>or Disposed of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I)<br>(Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Ownership<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |             |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------|
|                                       |                                         |                                                             | Code                                 | V                                                                       | Amount<br>(1)                                                                                                      | (A)<br>or<br>(D)                                                        | Price                                                                          |             |
| Common<br>Stock                       | 01/27/2017                              |                                                             | F                                    |                                                                         | 1,434.15<br>(1)                                                                                                    | D                                                                       | \$<br>29.62                                                                    | 11,562 (2)  |
| Common<br>Shares<br>Issuable          |                                         |                                                             |                                      |                                                                         |                                                                                                                    |                                                                         |                                                                                | 7,311.5 (2) |
| Common<br>Stock<br>(RSUs)             |                                         |                                                             |                                      |                                                                         |                                                                                                                    |                                                                         |                                                                                | 10,938      |
| Common<br>Stock                       |                                         |                                                             |                                      |                                                                         |                                                                                                                    |                                                                         |                                                                                | 717         |
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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<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 5. Number<br>of<br>Derivative<br>Securities<br>Acquired<br>(A) or<br>Disposed<br>of (D)<br>(Instr. 3,<br>4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and<br>Amount of<br>Underlying<br>Securities<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5) | 9. Nu<br>Deriv<br>Secur<br>Bene<br>Own<br>Follo<br>Repor<br>Trans<br>(Instr |
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|                                                     |                                                                    |                                         |                                                             | Code                                 | V (A) (D)                                                                                                          | Date<br>Exercisable                                            | Expiration<br>Date                                                        | Title                                               | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares                                      |

## Reporting Owners

### Reporting Owner Name / Address

### Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

KUMLER ALAN H  
C/O UNITED COMMUNITY BANKS,  
INC.  
PO BOX 398  
BLAIRSVILLE, GA 30514

SVP, CHIEF ACCOUNTING  
OFFICER

## Signatures

Lois J. Rich as Attorney  
in Fact 02/13/2017

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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- (1) Represents shares of United Community Banks, Inc. common stock withheld to satisfy tax obligations upon distribution from the United Community Banks, Inc. Deferred Compensation Plan.
- (2) Reflects reclassification of Common Shares Issuable into Common Stock pursuant to a distribution from the United Community Banks, Inc. Deferred Compensation Plan.

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