#### NATIONAL BANKSHARES INC

Form 4

October 25, 2007

## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

1(b).

Common

Stock

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

DENARDO F BRAD			Symbol NATIO	Symbol NATIONAL BANKSHARES INC [NKSH]				Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(M			(Month/E	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/25/2007				Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)  Corporate Officer			
				nendment, Date Original Ionth/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			
	(City)	(State) (Z	Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-I	Derivative	Secui		ired, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned	
	1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securion(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	ispose	d of (D)	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)	
	Common Stock	10/25/2007		M	4,290	A	\$ 14.825	11,392	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. Transactic 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)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Incentive Stock Option	\$ 14.825	10/25/2007		M	4,290	11/13/2006	11/12/2012	Common Stock	4,290

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

DENARDO F BRAD 3009 LANCASTER DRIVE BLACKSBURG, VA 24060

Corporate Officer

## **Signatures**

/s/ F. Brad Denardo 10/25/2007

\*\*Signature of Date
Reporting Person

## **Explanation of Responses:**

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