AMBRO & CO Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES** 

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*

(Street)

(State)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

AMBRO & CO

AMERICAN NATIONAL BANKSHARES INC [amnb]

(Check all applicable)

(Last)

(City)

(First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director 10% Owner \_X\_ Other (specify Officer (give title

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

628 MAIN STREET

(Month/Day/Year) 11/22/2005

below) below)

bank's nominee

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

DANVILLE, VA 24541

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned 1.Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if (Instr. 3) (Month/Day/Year)

(Zip)

3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) 5. Amount of Transaction Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported

7. Nature Ownership of Indirect Form: Beneficial Direct (D) Ownership or Indirect (Instr. 4)

(A)

Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

(I) (Instr. 4)

American

Inc.

National 11/22/2005 Bankshares

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366

797,530.6501

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)

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					(Instr. 3, 4, and 5)						
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							Date		of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

AMBRO & CO 628 MAIN STREET DANVILLE, VA 24541

bank's nominee

# **Signatures**

Carolyn Compton 11/23/2005

\*\*Signature of Date
Reporting Person

# **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).

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