

BankUnited, Inc.  
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**FORM 4**

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

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**PAULS DOUGLAS J**

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**C/O BANKUNITED, INC., 14817  
OAK LANE**

(Street)

**MIAMI LAKES, FL 33016**

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**BankUnited, Inc. [BKU]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
**05/13/2015**

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

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**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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|--|
|  |                                      |  | Code                           | V   | Amount or Price   |  |  |
| Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share | 05/13/2015                           |  | A                              |   | 1,000<br><u>(1)</u>   | A  | \$ 0   |
| Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share |                                      |  |                                |   | 31,000  | I  | As co-trustee<br><u>(2)</u>                  |

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) | 8. Price of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--|
| Common Stock Option (right to buy)         | \$ 27  |                                      |  |                                | (3)   | 02/02/2021   | Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share                      | 181,399  |
| Common Stock Option (right to buy)         | \$ 22.31   |                                      |  |                                | (3)   | 12/16/2021   | Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share                      | 33,333   |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address   | Relationships |           |         |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |
| PAULS DOUGLAS J<br>C/O BANKUNITED, INC.<br>14817 OAK LANE<br>MIAMI LAKES, FL 33016 |               | X         |         |       |

## Signatures

/s/ Susan Greenfield,  
Attorney-in-Fact

05/14/2015

\_\_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) Reflects 1,000 restricted shares issued pursuant to the terms of the BankUnited, Inc. 2010 Omnibus Equity Incentive Plan. The restricted shares have a grant date of May 13, 2015, and will vest in substantially equal installments on each of the first three anniversaries of the

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grant date.

Shares held by the Pauls Family Foundation, for which Mr. Pauls serves as a co-trustee. The reporting person disclaims beneficial

(2) ownership of these securities except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein and the inclusion of these share in this report shall not be deemed an admission of beneficial ownership of these shares for Section 16 or for any other purpose.

(3) Currently exercisable.

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