Instruction 1(b)

## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol AUTOZONE INC [ AZO ]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
(Last)	ist) (First) (Middle)					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/01/2018								X	Office below	er (give title	10% ( Other below	(specify
123 SOUTH FRONT STREET  (Street)  MEMPHIS TN 38103  (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Indiv Line) X	Form	al or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable orm filed by One Reporting Person orm filed by More than One Reporting erson		
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																	
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Yell)						Execution Date		,	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Disposed Of					Secur Benef		ficially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Tra		action(s) 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup> 01/01/201						18		A		182.74 <sup>(2)</sup>	A <sup>(3)</sup>	\$711	.37(4)		741.91	D		
	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	Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any (Month/Day/Year) if any (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transa Code ( 8)	Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		ative rities ired osed	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)  Date Expiration Date Expiration Date			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. : and 4)  Amount or Number of Title Shares		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Granted in accordance with the Amended and Restated AutoZone, Inc. 2011 Equity Incentive Award Plan (the "Plan"). Pursuant to the AutoZone, Inc. 2018 Director Compensation Program (the "2018) Program"), directors may elect to be paid either (1) 100% of their annual retainer fees and any additional fees in the form of restricted stock units ("RSUs") or (2) \$85,000 of their annual retainer fees and any additional fees in the form of restricted stock units. All fees taken in the form of RSUs are paid annually and any portion of the fees to be paid in cash are paid on a quarterly basis.
- 2. Restricted stock units (fully vested on the date of grant) issued to the reporting person in accordance with the Plan and the 2018 Program in lieu of a portion of the annual retainer fees in an aggregate amount equal to \$130,000. The number of shares of the issuer's common stock underlying the restricted stock unit award is equal to \$130,000, divided by the closing market price of a share of the issuer's common stock on December 29, 2017. The remainder of the aggregate of annual retainer fees plus additional fees will be paid in cash in quarterly installments on January 1, April 1, July 1 and October 1.
- 3. The shares will be delivered to the reporting person upon the earlier of (a) the date on which the reporting person ceases to be a director for any reason, provided that such reporting person incurs a "separation from service" from the issuer (within the meaning of Section 409A of the Internal Revenue Code and the related Treasury Regulations) (the "Termination Date") or (b) the fifth anniversary of the grant date, in which event the reporting person will have an opportunity to re-defer the delivery of the shares up to one year prior to the fifth anniversary; unless the reporting person has irrevocably elected in writing by December 31, 2017, to defer the delivery of such shares until the Termination Date.
- 4. The price per share is equal to the closing market price of a share of the issuer's common stock on December 29, 2017.

01/02/2018 /s/ Douglas H. Brooks

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- \* 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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