UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549
FORM 4
STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP
() Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16.
Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instructions 1(b).
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person
Michael W. Michelson
Kohlberg Kravis Roberts & Co.
2800 Sand Hill Road
Suite 200
CA, Menlo Park 94025
2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
AutoZone, Inc. (AZO)

- 3. IRS or Social Security Number of Reporting Person (Voluntary)
- 4. Statement for Month/Year 12/3/2002
- 5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Year)
- Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) (X) Director () 10% Owner () Officer (give title below) () Other (specify below)
- 7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)(X) Form filed by One Reporting Person() Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

1. Title of Security	2. 3. 4.Securities Acc Transaction or Disposed of 		5.Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at End of Month	6.Dir 7.Nature of Indirect ect Beneficial Ownership (D)or Indir ect(I)
Common Stock	12/3/ M 1000 2002	A 32.7183 		D
Common Stock	12/3/ M 1000 2002	A 32.7813 		D
Common Stock	12/3/ M 1000 2002	A 35.0625 	514883 	D

1.Title of Derivative Security	2.Con- version or Exer cise Price of	Trans 	4. action 	n rivati rities	ve Secu Acqui or Dis	cisab Expir	le and ation Month/	Secur	derly	ing		e 9.Number of Deriva tive Securities Benefi	Dir ect	11.Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
	Deriva- tive Secu- rity	 Date	 Code	i [·] I I I	A,		Expir ation	Titl	e and hares	Number	į ´	ficially Owned at End of Month	Ind ire ct (I)	
Stock Appreciation Rig hts 1		12/2/ 2002		22.5	A 	2	3	Common :	Stock	22.5 	81.63 	4570.1 	D	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) 4		12/3/ 2002		1000 	D 		3/17/ 2008	Common :	Stock	1000 		0 	D	
Non-Qualified Stock Options (right to buy) 4		12/3/ 2002		1000 	D 		12/31 /2008	Common :	Stock	1000 		0 	D 	
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Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Granted in accordance with the AutoZone, Inc. 1998 Director Compensation Plan.
- 2. Stock Appreciation Rights are convertible to Common Stock or cash immediately upon termination as a director.
- 3. Stock Appreciation Rights do not expire.
- 4. Granted in accordance with the AutoZone, Inc. Directors Stock Option Plan.