

**FORM 3****UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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**INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES****OMB APPROVAL**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Finestone Mark A.</u> <hr/> (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>123 SOUTH FRONT STREET</u> <hr/> (Street) <u>MEMPHIS TN 38103</u> <hr/> (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) <u>12/12/2007</u>	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>AUTOZONE INC [ AZO ]</u> <hr/> 4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div> <input type="checkbox"/> Director  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below)  <u>Sr. Vice President</u> </div> <div> <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner  <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify below)         </div> </div>	5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) <hr/> 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
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**Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**  
 (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares			
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) <sup>(1)</sup>	(2)	09/17/2012	Common Stock	3,000	74.42	D	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) <sup>(1)</sup>	(3)	09/29/2014	Common Stock	7,000	75.64	D	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) <sup>(1)</sup>	(4)	10/16/2005	Common Stock	7,000	82	D	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) <sup>(1)</sup>	(5)	09/06/2013	Common Stock	7,000	89.18	D	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) <sup>(1)</sup>	(6)	09/27/2016	Common Stock	6,500	103.44	D	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) <sup>(7)</sup>	(8)	09/26/2017	Common Stock	6,300	115.38	D	
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) <sup>(7)</sup>	(9)	12/13/2017	Common Stock	7,700	127.5	D	

**Explanation of Responses:**

- Granted in accordance with the AutoZone, Inc. 1996 Stock Option Plan.
- Options exercisable in one-fourth increments on September 16, 2003, 2004, 2005, and 2006, respectively.
- Options are exercisable in one-fourth increments on September 28, 2005, 2006, 2007, and 2008, respectively.
- Options are exercisable in one-fourth increments on October 15, 2006, 2007, 2008, and 2009, respectively.
- Options exercisable in one-fourth increments on September 5, 2004, 2005, 2006, and 2007, respectively.
- Options are exercisable in one-fourth increments on September 26, 2007, 2008, 2009, and 2010, respectively.
- Granted in accordance with the AutoZone, Inc. 2006 Stock Option Plan.
- Options exercisable in one-fourth increments on September 25, 2008, 2009, 2010 and 2011, respectively.
- Options exercisable in one-fourth increments on December 12, 2008, 2009, 2010, and 2011, respectively.

**Remarks:**Mark A. Finestone12/13/2007

\*\* 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 5 (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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