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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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| Instruction 1(b).                      |   |

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1 I Marile and Address of Reporting Leson |                       |          | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>AUTOZONE INC</u> [ AZO ] | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer<br>(Check all applicable)<br>Director 10% Owner |   |  |  |  |  |
|---|-----------------------|----------|--|--|---|--|--|--|--|
| (Last)<br>123 SOUTH FR                    | (First)<br>ONT STREET | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)<br>12/31/2015                 | X  | Officer (give title<br>below)<br>Exec. Vice Pro                               | Other (specify<br>below)<br>sident     |  |  |  |
| (Street)<br>MEMPHIS                       | TN                    | 38103    | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)                       | 6. Indiv<br>Line)<br>X   | idual or Joint/Group Filin<br>Form filed by One Rep<br>Form filed by More tha | orting Person                          |  |  |  |
| (City)                                    | (State)               | (Zip)    |  |  | Person  | <del>-</del> <del>-</del> <del>-</del> |  |  |  |

## Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

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|--|--|-----------------------------|------|---|--------|---------------|---|---|---|-----------------------------|--|
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)        | 2. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | Execution Date, Transaction |      |   |        |               | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned Following<br>Reported | 6. Ownership<br>Form: Direct<br>(D) or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership |                             |  |
|  |  |                             | Code | v | Amount | (A) or<br>(D) | Price   | Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4)                                |   | (Instr. 4)                  |  |
| Common Stock                           | 12/15/2015                                 |                             | G    | v | 32     | D             | \$0.0000  | 3,095.6969  | D   |                             |  |
| Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup>            | 12/31/2015                                 |                             | A    |   | 123    | A             | \$741.91  | 3,218.6969  | D   |                             |  |
| Common Stock <sup>(1)</sup>            | 12/31/2015                                 |                             | A    |   | 22     | A             | \$0.0000  | 3,240.6969  | D   |                             |  |
| Common Stock                           | 12/15/2015                                 |                             | G    | v | 16     | A             | \$0.0000  | 16  | I   | By Trust<br>for<br>Daughter |  |
| Common Stock                           | 12/15/2015                                 |                             | G    | v | 16     | A             | \$0.0000  | 16  | I   | By Trust<br>for Son         |  |

 Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

| 1. Title of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date,<br>if any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transa<br>Code (<br>8) |   | 5. Nu<br>of<br>Deriv<br>Secu<br>Acqu<br>(A) or<br>Dispo<br>of (D)<br>(Instr<br>and 5 | ative<br>rities<br>ired<br>osed<br>. 3, 4 | 6. Date Exercisable and<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) |                    | 7. Title and<br>Amount of<br>Securities<br>Underlying<br>Derivative<br>Security (Instr. 3<br>and 4) |  | 8. Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 5) | 9. Number of<br>derivative<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 4) | 10.<br>Ownership<br>Form:<br>Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature<br>of Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |
|---|---|--|---|------------------------------|---|--|---|--|--------------------|---|--|---|--|--|--|
|   |   |  |   | Code                         | v | (A)  | (D)                                       | Date<br>Exercisable  | Expiration<br>Date | Title   | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares |   |  |  |  |

Explanation of Responses:

1. Acquired pursuant to AutoZone, Inc. Fifth Amended and Restated Executive Stock Purchase Plan.

/s/ Mark A. Finestone

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

01/04/2016

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

 $\ast$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).

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