FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT	OF CHA	NGES IN B	BENEFICIAL	<b>OWNERSHIP</b>

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* SHEA JAMES				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AUTOZONE INC [ AZO ]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner							
(Last) 123 SOU	Last) (First) (Middle) 123 SOUTH FRONT STREET				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/22/2010								X	Officer (give title Other (sp below)  Executive Vice President			specify		
(Street)  MEMPH	IS T	v :	38103		4. lí	Amer	ndmer	nt, Date	of Origi	nal Fil	led (Month/D	ay/Year)		. Indiv ine) X	Form f	iled by One	e Repo	(Check Aporting Person One Repo	n
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		Tab	le I - N	lon-Deri	vative	Sec	uriti	ies Ac	quire	d, D	isposed o	of, or Be	eneficia	ally (	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 ar			5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
							Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D) Price			Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)		
Common	Stock			09/22/2	2010				M		4,600	A	\$130.	79	7,	510		D	
Common	Stock			09/22/2	2010				S		40	D	\$217.8	401	7,	470		D	
Common	Stock			09/22/2	2010				S		100	D	\$217.8	101	7,	370		D	
Common	Stock			09/22/2010				S		200	D	\$217.	\$217.82		7,170		D		
Common	Stock			09/22/20:		10		S		262	D	\$217.8	\$217.8301		5,908		D		
Common	Stock			09/22/2	2010				S		527	D	\$217.8	307	6,	381		D	
Common	Stock			09/22/2	2010				S		1,033	D	\$217.8	501	5,	348		D	
Common	Stock			09/22/2	2010				S		1,100	D	\$217.8	201	4,	248		D	
Common	Stock			09/22/2	2010				S		1,338	D	\$217.	'.83 2		,910		D	
Common	Stock														1	50			By Spouse
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Derivative Conversion Date Execuses (Month/Day/Year) if any		if any	emed tion Date, n/Day/Year)  4. Transac Code (I				6. Date Exerc Expiration Do (Month/Day/		ate Amount of		of s ng e Security	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	i ly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership		
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercis	sable	Expiration Date	Title	Amoun or Number of Shares	r					
Non- Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) <sup>(1)</sup>	\$130.79	09/22/2010			M			4,600	(2)	)	09/23/2018	Common Stock	4,600	\$	0.0000	9,200		D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Granted in accordance with the AutoZone, Inc. 2006 Stock Option Plan.
- $2. \ Options \ exercisable \ in one-fourth \ increments \ on \ September \ 22, 2009, 2010, 2011 \ and \ 2012, \ respectively.$

/s/ James A. Shea

09/22/2010

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- $^{\star}$  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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