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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## **INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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| <u>Ullyot Theodore Warren</u>  | 2. Date of Event<br>Requiring Stater<br>Month/Day/Yea<br>12/13/2006            | nent               | 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>AUTOZONE INC</u> [ AZO ]                            |   |                                    |  |   |  |
|--|--|--------------------|--|---|------------------------------------|--|---|--|
| (Last) (First) (Middle)<br>200 GREENWICH AVENUE  |  |                    | 4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer<br>(Check all applicable)<br>X Director 10% Owner |   | (Mor                               | 5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) |   |  |
| (Street)<br>GREENWICH CT 06830   |  |                    | Officer (give title<br>below)  | Other (spe<br>below)  |                                    | icable Line)<br>Form filed b                             | /Group Filing (Check<br>y One Reporting Person<br>y More than One |  |
| (City) (State) (Zip)   |  |                    |  |   |                                    | Reporting P  | erson   |  |
| Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned   |  |                    |  |   |                                    |  |   |  |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)  |  |                    | 2. Amount of Securities<br>Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)   | 3. Ownership<br>Form: Direct (D)<br>or Indirect (I)<br>(Instr. 5) |                                    |  | Beneficial Ownership  |  |
| Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned           (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) |  |                    |  |   |                                    |  |   |  |
| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)   | Security (Instr. 4) 2. Date Exercisable<br>Expiration Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) |                    | nd 3. Title and Amount of Securities<br>Underlying Derivative Security (Ins                        |   | 4.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise    | Form:  | 6. Nature of Indirect<br>Beneficial Ownership<br>(Instr. 5)       |  |
|  | Date<br>Exercisable  | Expiratior<br>Date | n Title  | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares                            | Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I) (Instr. 5)              |   |  |
| Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) <sup>(1)</sup>   | 12/13/2009   | 12/13/2016         | 6 Common Stock   | 3,078   | 117.195                            | D  |   |  |

Explanation of Responses:

1. Granted in accordance with the AutoZone, Inc. 2003 Director Stock Option Plan.

**Remarks:** 

Theodore W. Ullyot

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

12/13/2006

Date

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 5 (b)(v).

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