## FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>CROWLEY WILLIAM C</u>					2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol AUTOZONE INC [ AZO ]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
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(Last) (First) (Middle) 200 GREENWICH AVENUE					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/11/2011									Office below				Other (specify pelow)		
					4.	If Amend	dment, I	Date o	f Origina	l File	d (Month/	Day/Ye	ar)		Individual o	r Joint/G	roup Fili	ing (Chec	k App	plicable
(Street) GREENWICH CT 06830				_										Line)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting  Person						
(City)	(St	ate) (	Zip)																	
		Tabl	eI-	Non-Deriv	/ativ	e Secı	urities	Acc	uired,	Dis	sposed	of, o	Benefi	cia	lly Owne	ed				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)			2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Ye	ear)   E	A. Deem Execution f any Month/D		Cod	Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acc Disposed Of (D)		cquired (A) or O) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5		5. Amount Securities Beneficiall Owned Fo Reported	у	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
								Cod	le V	Am	ount	(A) or (D)	Price		Transactio (Instr. 3 an					,
Common share	Stock, par v	value \$0.01 per		10/11/201	1			S			131	D	\$327.96	5 <sup>(1)</sup>	16,7	43	I		See Footi	notes <sup>(2)(3)</sup>
Common share	Stock, par v	value \$0.01 per		10/11/201	1			S			4	D	\$329.17	<mark>7</mark> (4)	16,7	39	I		See Footi	notes <sup>(2)(3)</sup>
Common share	Stock, par v	value \$0.01 per		10/12/201	1			S			146	D	\$328.63	1 <sup>(5)</sup>	16,5	93	I		See Footi	notes <sup>(2)(3)</sup>
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share			10/13/2011				S			91	D	\$327.43(6)		16,502				See Footnotes <sup>(2)(3)</sup>		
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share			10/13/2011				S			8	D	\$328.09 <sup>(7)</sup>		16,494		I		See Footnotes <sup>(2)(3)</sup>		
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share			10/12/2011				S			62	D	\$328.61(5)		2,242		D(3)(8)				
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share				10/13/2011				S			29	D	D \$327.43		2,213		D(3)(8)			
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share			10/13/2011				S			3	D	D \$328.09		2,210		D <sup>(3)(8)</sup>				
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share														8,059		I		See Footnotes <sup>(3)(9)</sup>		
		Та	ble	II - Deriva (e.g., p									eneficia ecuritie		Owned					
Derivative Conversion Date Security or Exercise (Month/Day/Year)			Exed if an			action (Instr.	5. Num of Deriva Securi Acquir (A) or Dispos of (D) (Instr.	tive ties red	6. Date E Expiratio (Month/E	n Da			tle and ount of urities erlying vative urity (Instr. 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa	ble	Expiration Date	n Title	Amour or Numbe of Shares	er						
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- 1. This price represents the approximate weighted average price per share of common stock of AutoZone, Inc. (the "Issuer"), par value \$0.01 per share (each, a "Share"), of sales that were executed at prices ranging from \$327.50 to \$328.36 per Share. The Reporting Persons undertake to provide, upon request by the Securities and Exchange Commission staff, the Issuer or a security holder of the Issuer, full information regarding the number of Shares sold at each price.
- 2. These Shares are held by Tynan, LLC, a limited liability company of which William C. Crowley is the manager and a member.
- 3. This Form 4 is filed on behalf of Mr. Crowley. Mr. Crowley is the President and Chief Operating Officer of ESL Investments, Inc. ("Investments") which together with various of its affiliates beneficially owns securities of the Issuer. Mr. Crowley disclaims beneficial ownership of all securities of the Issuer beneficially owned by Investments
- 4. This price represents the approximate weighted average price per Share, of sales that were executed at prices ranging from \$329.00 to \$329.47 per Share. The Reporting Persons undertake to provide, upon request by the Securities and Exchange Commission staff, the Issuer or a security holder of the Issuer, full information regarding the number of Shares sold at each price.
- 5. This price represents the approximate weighted average price per Share, of sales that were executed at prices ranging from \$328.50 to \$329.41 per Share. The Reporting Persons undertake to provide, upon request by the Securities and Exchange Commission staff, the Issuer or a security holder of the Issuer, full information regarding the number of Shares sold at each price.
- 6. This price represents the approximate weighted average price per Share, of sales that were executed at prices ranging from \$327.00 to \$327.97 per Share. The Reporting Persons undertake to provide, upon request by the Securities and Exchange Commission staff, the Issuer or a security holder of the Issuer, full information regarding the number of Shares sold at each price.
- 7. This price represents the approximate weighted average price per Share, of sales that were executed at prices ranging from \$328.00 to \$328.50 per Share. The Reporting Persons undertake to provide, upon

request by the Securities and Exchange Commission staff, the Issuer or a security holder of the Issuer, full information regarding the number of Shares sold at each price.

- 8. These Shares are held directly by Mr. Crowley.
- 9. These Shares are held in a grantor retained annuity trust, of which Mr. Crowley is the trustee.

## Remarks

Pursuant to Rule 16a-1(a)(2)(ii)(B) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Act"), each of the Reporting Persons may be deemed to be the beneficial owner of the securities reported herein only to the extent of his or its pecuniary interest therein. Pursuant to Rule 16a-1(a)(4) under the Act, this filing shall not be deemed an admission that any of the Reporting Persons is, for purposes of Section 16 of the Act or otherwise, the beneficial owner of any securities reported herein in excess of such amount.

/s/ William C. Crowley 10/13/2011

Date

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

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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