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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* GRUSKY ROBERT R (Last) (First) (Middle) 123 SOUTH FRONT STREET (Street) MEMPHIS TN 38103 (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AUTOZONE INC [AZO]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)
	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 10/31/2012	
4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)		

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially 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 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price			
Common Stock	10/31/2012		M		300	A	\$137.085	1,548.3	D	
Common Stock	10/31/2012		S		300	D	\$371.105	1,248.3	D	

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

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 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 Exercisable	Expiration Date						Title
Non-Qualified Stock Option (right to buy) ⁽¹⁾	\$137.085	10/31/2012		M		300		08/16/2011	08/16/2018	Common Stock	300	\$0.0000	0.0000	D	

Explanation of Responses:

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

Remarks:

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/s/ Rebecca W. Ballou, as attorney-in-fact 10/31/2012

** 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 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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POWER OF ATTORNEY

The undersigned hereby authorizes and designates Harry L. Goldsmith and Rebecca W. Ballou, and each of them, as his true and lawful agent and attorney-in-fact to sign on his behalf any and all statements on Form 3, Form 4 and Form 5 under Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and the rules promulgated thereunder, with respect to shares of Common Stock or other equity securities of AutoZone, Inc. held by the undersigned or with respect to transactions in such shares or other equity securities by the undersigned, and to file on his behalf, any and all such reports with the Securities and Exchange Commission, the New York Stock Exchange and AutoZone, Inc. and hereby ratifies any such action by such agent or attorney-in-fact. This power of attorney shall become effective as of the date indicated below and shall remain effective for so long as the undersigned shall be an officer or director of AutoZone, Inc. unless sooner revoked by the undersigned in writing.

/s/ Robert R. Grusky

Date: 8/21/2008