

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>LAMPERT EDWARD S</u>			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>AUTOZONE INC [ AZO ]</u>			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner Officer (give title below) <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify below) <input type="checkbox"/>			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>12/21/2011</u>			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
<u>200 GREENWICH AVENUE</u>			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)						
(Street)	<u>GREENWICH</u>	<u>CT</u>	<u>06830</u>						
(City)	(State)	(Zip)							

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, par value \$0.01 per share	12/21/2011		S		8,214	D	\$330.02 <sup>(1)</sup>	3,624,117	I	See Footnotes <sup>(2)(3)</sup>
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/21/2011		S		11,878	D	\$331.08 <sup>(4)</sup>	3,612,239	I	See Footnotes <sup>(2)(3)</sup>
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/22/2011		S		24,040	D	\$329.12 <sup>(5)</sup>	3,588,199	I	See Footnotes <sup>(2)(3)</sup>
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/22/2011		S		1,379	D	\$330.23 <sup>(6)</sup>	3,586,820	I	See Footnotes <sup>(2)(3)</sup>
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/22/2011		S		54	D	\$331.06	3,586,766	I	See Footnotes <sup>(2)(3)</sup>
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/23/2011		S		50,530	D	\$330.44 <sup>(7)</sup>	3,536,236	I	See Footnotes <sup>(2)(3)</sup>
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/23/2011		S		410	D	\$331.05 <sup>(8)</sup>	3,535,826	I	See Footnotes <sup>(2)(3)</sup>
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/21/2011		S		3,762	D	\$330.02 <sup>(1)</sup>	1,237,264	I	See Footnotes <sup>(3)(9)</sup>
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/21/2011		S		5,439	D	\$331.08 <sup>(4)</sup>	1,231,825	I	See Footnotes <sup>(3)(9)</sup>
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/22/2011		S		7,318	D	\$329.12 <sup>(5)</sup>	1,224,507	I	See Footnotes <sup>(3)(9)</sup>
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/22/2011		S		420	D	\$330.23 <sup>(6)</sup>	1,224,087	I	See Footnotes <sup>(3)(9)</sup>
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/22/2011		S		16	D	\$331.06	1,224,071	I	See Footnotes <sup>(3)(9)</sup>
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/23/2011		S		18,593	D	\$330.44 <sup>(7)</sup>	1,205,478	I	See Footnotes <sup>(3)(9)</sup>
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/23/2011		S		151	D	\$331.05 <sup>(8)</sup>	1,205,327	I	See Footnotes <sup>(3)(9)</sup>
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/21/2011		S		2	D	\$330.02 <sup>(1)</sup>	872	I	See Footnotes <sup>(3)(10)</sup>
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/21/2011		S		3	D	\$331.08 <sup>(4)</sup>	869	I	See Footnotes <sup>(3)(10)</sup>
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/22/2011		S		6	D	\$329.12 <sup>(5)</sup>	863	I	See Footnotes <sup>(3)(10)</sup>
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/23/2011		S		13	D	\$330.44 <sup>(7)</sup>	850	I	See Footnotes <sup>(3)(10)</sup>

**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, par value \$0.01 per share	12/21/2011		S		5,408	D	\$330.02 <sup>(1)</sup>	1,999,683	D <sup>(3)(11)</sup>	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/21/2011		S		7,821	D	\$331.08 <sup>(4)</sup>	1,991,862	D <sup>(3)(11)</sup>	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/22/2011		S		12,732	D	\$329.12 <sup>(5)</sup>	1,979,130	D <sup>(3)(11)</sup>	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/22/2011		S		731	D	\$330.23 <sup>(6)</sup>	1,978,399	D <sup>(3)(11)</sup>	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/22/2011		S		28	D	\$331.06	1,978,371	D <sup>(3)(11)</sup>	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/23/2011		S		29,056	D	\$330.44 <sup>(7)</sup>	1,949,315	D <sup>(3)(11)</sup>	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/23/2011		S		236	D	\$331.05 <sup>(8)</sup>	1,949,079	D <sup>(3)(11)</sup>	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share								2,000,000	I	See Footnotes <sup>(3)(12)</sup>

**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					

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**Explanation of Responses:**

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 \$330.00 to \$330.15 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 ESL Partners, L.P. ("Partners").
3. This Form 4 is filed on behalf of Mr. Lampert, ESL Investments, Inc. ("Investments"), Institutional, RBS Partners, L.P. ("RBS"), RBS Investment Management, L.L.C. ("RBSIM"), Partners and Investors. RBS is the general partner of Partners and the managing member of Investors. RBSIM is the general partner of Institutional. Investments is the general partner of RBS and Acres and the manager of RBSIM. Mr. Lampert is the Chairman, Chief Executive Officer and Director of Investments.
4. This price represents the approximate weighted average price per Share, of sales that were executed at prices ranging from \$331.00 to \$331.34 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 \$329.00 to \$329.59 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 \$330.00 to \$330.74 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.
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8. This price represents the approximate weighted average price per Share, of sales that were executed at prices ranging from \$331.00 to \$331.08 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.
9. These Shares are held in an account established by the investment member of ESL Investors, L.L.C. ("Investors").
10. These Shares are held by ESL Institutional Partners, L.P. ("Institutional").
11. These Shares are held by Edward S. Lampert.
12. These Shares are held by Acres Partners, L.P. ("Acres").

**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. Page

/s/ Edward S. Lampert                      12/23/2011  
ESL PARTNERS, L.P., By:                      12/23/2011  
RBS Partners, L.P., as its  
general partner, By: ESL

Investments, Inc., as its general partner, By: /s/ Adrian J. Maizey, Chief Financial Officer

ESL INVESTORS, L.L.C., By: RBS Partners, L.P., as its manager, By: ESL Investments, Inc., as its general partner, By: /s/ Adrian J. Maizey, Chief Financial Officer 12/23/2011

ESL INSTITUTIONAL PARTNERS, L.P., By: RBS Investment Management, L.L.C., as its general partner, By: ESL Investments, Inc., as its manager, By: /s/ Adrian J. Maizey, Chief Financial Officer 12/23/2011

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RBS INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT, L.L.C., By: ESL Investments, Inc., as its manager, By: /s/ Adrian J. Maizey, Chief Financial Officer 12/23/2011

RBS PARTNERS, L.P., By: ESL Investments, Inc., as its general partner, By: /s/ Adrian J. Maizey, Chief Financial Officer 12/23/2011

\*\* 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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