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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Addre	1 0	erson [*]	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>AUTOZONE INC</u> [AZO]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
<u>Newbern Th</u>	<u>omas B</u>				Director	10% Owner		
(Last) 123 SOUTH FI	(First) (Middle) I FRONT STREET		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2011	X	Officer (give title below) Sr. Vice Presid	Other (specify below) dent		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv Line)	idual or Joint/Group Filing	(Check Applicable		
MEMPHIS	TN	38103		X	Form filed by One Repo	rting Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)			Form filed by More than Person	One Reporting		
		Table I - Non-Deriva	tive Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Benefi	cially (Owned			

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (hisposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) Big On Construction (A) or Construction		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	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	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(1130.4)
Common Stock ⁽¹⁾	12/31/2011		A		307	A	\$324.97	714.7162	D	

Common Stock⁽¹⁾ 12/31/2011 54 A \$0.0000 768.7162 D Α 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. Transa Code (8)		5. Nur of Deriv Secur Acqu (A) or Dispo of (D) (Instr and 5	ative rities ired osed	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)	Ownership Form: Direct (D)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

Explanation of Responses:

1. Acquired pursuant to AutoZone, Inc. Fourth Amended and Restated Executive Stock Purchase Plan.

/s/ Thomas B. Newbern

01/03/2012

Date

** Signature of Reporting Person

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).

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