LAMPERT EDWARD S

Form 4

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * LAMPERT EDWARD S

(First)

(Middle)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Issuer

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

AUTONATION INC /FL [AN]

(Month/Day/Year)

12/10/2007

(Check all applicable)

_X__ 10% Owner Director _ Other (specify Officer (give title below)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Applicable Line)

Form filed by One Reporting Person _X_ Form filed by More than One Reporting

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Person

200 GREENWICH AVENUE

(Street) Filed(Month/Day/Year)

GREENWICH, CT 06830

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	ole I - Non-	Derivative Sec	curitie	s Acqui	red, Disposed of	, or Beneficia	lly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) Transactiomr Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)			5. Amount of Securities Ownership Beneficially Form: Owned Direct (D) Following or Indirect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported (I) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/10/2007		P	25,000	A	\$ 17	39,919,345	I	See Footnotes	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/11/2007		P	1,000,000	A	\$ 16.9	40,919,345	I	See Footnotes	
Common Stock, par							221,701	I	See Footnotes	

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value \$0.01 per share			(2) (8)
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	8,571,514	I	See Footnotes
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	5,712,083	I	See Footnotes
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	61,964	I	See Footnotes (5) (8)
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	2,455,251	I	See Footnotes (6) (8)
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	130,000 (7)	D	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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 $\label{thm:convertible} \textbf{Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned} \\ \textit{(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)}$

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	orNumber	Expiration Date	Amount of	Derivative	Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/Year)	Underlying	Security	Secui
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivativ	e	Securities	(Instr. 5)	Bene
	Derivative				Securities	S	(Instr. 3 and 4)		Owne
	Security				Acquired				Follo
					(A) or				Repo
					Disposed				Trans
					of (D)				(Instr
					(Instr. 3,				
					4, and 5)				

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Date Expiration Or Number Of Shares

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
Transfer and the same	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
LAMPERT EDWARD S 200 GREENWICH AVENUE GREENWICH, CT 06830		X					
ESL INVESTMENTS INC 200 GREENWICH AVENUE GREENWICH, CT 06830		X					
ESL PARTNERS LP 200 GREENWICH AVENUE GREENWICH, CT 06830		X					
RBS PARTNERS L P /CT 200 GREENWICH AVENUE GREENWICH, CT 06830		X					

Signatures

/s/ Theodore W. Ullyot, EVP & General Counsel (See signatures of Reporting Persons as Exhibit 99.1)

12/12/2007

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * 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).
- (1) These shares of common stock, par value \$0.01 per share ("Shares"), of AutoNation, Inc. (the "Issuer") are held by ESL Partners, L.P. ("Partners").
- (2) These Shares are held by ESL Institutional Partners, L.P. ("Institutional").
- (3) These Shares are held in an account established by the investment member of ESL Investors, L.L.C. ("Investors").
- (4) These Shares are held by CBL Partners, L.P. ("CBL").
- (5) These Shares are held by ESL Investment Management, L.P. ("ESLIM").
- (6) These Shares are held by RBS Partners, L.P. ("RBS").
- (7) These Shares are held by Edward S. Lampert.
 - This Form 4 is filed on behalf of Mr. Lampert, ESL Investments, Inc. ("Investments"), RBS and Partners. RBS is the general partner of Partners and the managing member of Investors. RBS Investment Management, LLC ("RBSIM") is the general partner of Institutional.
- Partners and the managing member of Investors. RBS Investment Management, LLC ("RBSIM") is the general partner of Institutional. Investments is the general partner of RBS and CBL and the manager of RBSIM. Mr. Lampert is the Chairman, Chief Executive Officer and Director of Investments and the managing member of the general partner of ESLIM.

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

Reporting Owners 3

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