FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* DMCD AUTOS HOUSTON INC							2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ASBURY AUTOMOTIVE GROUP INC NYSE: ABG]								eck all app Dire	ctor	_	₹ 10% C	s) to Issuer 10% Owner Other (specify	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 3600 WEST AIRPORT FREEWAY						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/08/2005										Officer (give title below)		below)		
(Street) IRVING (City)	TX		75062 Zip)		4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Line	e) <mark>X</mark> Forn Forn	vidual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Da						Execution Date,			3. 4. Securities Acc Transaction Disposed Of (D) Code (Instr. 5)					Secur Benef Owner	icially d Following	Forn (D) c	wnership n: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
									Code	v	Amount	(A (D) or)	Price		action(s) 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)	
Common	02/08/	/2005	2005		S		12,600		D	\$17.2	2 1	86,626		D						
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deeme Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	Date, Transacti Code (Ins				6. Date E Expiratio (Month/D	n Dat	9	d 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		9	. Price of erivative ecurity nstr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	((Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

<u>Lynne A. Burgess, Attorney-in-</u> <u>Fact</u> <u>02/10/2005</u>

** 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).
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