FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person\* ASBURY AUTOMOTIVE GROUP INC **CAPPS JOHN R** Director X 10% Owner NYSE: ABG ] Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/01/2005 11830 OLIVE BOULEVARD 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable (Street) Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person **CREVE COEUR MO** 63171 Form filed by More than One Reporting

(City) (State) (Zip)					Person							
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned												
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr.		4. Securities Disposed Of 5)	Acquired (D) (Instr.	(A) or 3, 4 and	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)		(111501.4)		
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share	11/01/2005		S <sup>(1)</sup>		2,800	D	\$15.75	229,300	D			
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share	11/01/2005		S <sup>(1)</sup>		2,100	D	\$15.77	227,200	D			
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share	11/01/2005		S <sup>(1)</sup>		100	D	\$15.78	227,100	D			
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share	11/01/2005		S <sup>(1)</sup>		100	D	\$15.8	227,000	D			
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share	11/01/2005		S <sup>(1)</sup>		400	D	\$15.88	226,600	D			
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share	11/01/2005		S <sup>(1)</sup>		200	D	\$15.92	226,400	D			
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share	11/01/2005		S <sup>(1)</sup>		300	D	\$15.93	226,100	D			
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share	11/01/2005		S <sup>(1)</sup>		100	D	\$15.94	226,000	D			
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share	11/01/2005		S <sup>(1)</sup>		400	D	<b>\$16</b>	225,600	D			
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share	11/01/2005		S <sup>(1)</sup>		100	D	\$16.03	225,500	D			
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share	11/01/2005		S <sup>(1)</sup>		100	D	\$16.04	225,400	D			
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share	11/01/2005		S <sup>(1)</sup>		300	D	\$16.07	225,100	D			
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share	11/01/2005		S <sup>(1)</sup>		600	D	\$16.08	224,500	D			
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share	11/01/2005		S <sup>(1)</sup>		100	D	\$16.14	224,400	D			
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share	11/01/2005		S <sup>(1)</sup>		100	D	\$16.19	224,300	D			
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share	11/01/2005		S <sup>(1)</sup>		100	D	\$16.21	224,200	D			
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share	11/01/2005		S <sup>(1)</sup>		200	D	\$16.23	224,000	D			
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share	11/01/2005		S <sup>(1)</sup>		200	D	\$16.24	223,800	D			
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share	11/01/2005		S <sup>(1)</sup>		400	D	\$16.27	223,400	D			
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share	11/01/2005		S <sup>(1)</sup>		100	D	\$16.39	223,300	D			
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share	11/01/2005		S <sup>(1)</sup>		100	D	\$16.4	223,200	D			
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share	11/01/2005		S <sup>(1)</sup>		400	D	\$16.47	222,800	D			
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share	11/01/2005		S <sup>(1)</sup>		100	D	\$16.52	222,700	D			
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share	11/01/2005		S <sup>(1)</sup>		100	D	\$16.55	222,600	D			
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share	11/01/2005		S <sup>(1)</sup>		100	D	\$16.67	222,500	D			
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share	11/01/2005		S <sup>(1)</sup>		100	D	\$16.68	222,400	D			
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share	11/01/2005		S <sup>(1)</sup>		200	D	\$16.7	222,200	D			
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share	11/01/2005		S <sup>(1)</sup>		100	D	\$16.8	222,100	D			
Table II	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired Disposed of or Reneficially Owned											

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)  1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 2)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security Conversion or Exercise	3. Transaction Ta Date (Month/Day/Year) 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	(Month/Day/Year)  3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	4. Transaction Code (Instr.		the support the support to the suppo		if the present of the control of the		Of Bigneficiall Amount of Line (Inc.)  Committees)  Underlying  Derivative  Security (Instr. 3  Amount of  Securities  Underlying		Security (Instr. 5)  8. Price of Derivative Security	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Sollowing of the Number of the N	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (10.(Instr. 4) Ownership Form:	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)  11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial
(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	8)	V	Acqu (A) or Dispo of (D) (Instr and 5	sed 3, 4	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Derivat	tive y (Instr. 3	(Instr. 5)	Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)
Explanation	of Respons	es:									Amount or				
1. This sale w	as effected pur	suant to a Rule 10b5-	1trading plan adopte	d by the	reportii	ng perso	on on Ji				Number			_	_ ]
Remarks	:			Code	l <sub>v</sub>	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	of Shares				

Lynne A. Burgess, Attorney-in11/03/2005

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

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