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*  SLT/TAG Inc.						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ASBURY AUTOMOTIVE GROUP INC [ NYSE: ABG ]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director X 10% Owner				
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O MORRIS GALEN, TONKEN TORP L.L.P. 1600 PIONEER TOWER, 888 SW FIFTH AVENUE					01/	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/18/2005									Officer (give title Other (specify below)				
(Street) PORTLAND OR 97204				_   4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								Line)	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City) (State) (Zip)						tive Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Benefi													
1 Title of 9	Security (Inst		Table I - N	lon-Deriv			Curitie 2A. Deen		quired,	Dis					1	ount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature	
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)				Date			Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Transa Code (	Transaction Code (Instr.		5)			Secur Benef Owne Repor	rities ficially d Following rted	Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
						_			Code	v	Amount	() (I	A) or D) F	Price		action(s) 3 and 4)			
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share					01/18/2005				S		2,000		D :	\$14.99	3	88,300	D		
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share 01/					8/2005	5			S		1,000		D :	\$15.05	3	87,300	D		
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share 01/18.					8/2005	2005			S		1,000 D		D :	\$1 <mark>5.06</mark>	386,300		D		
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share 02/0					4/2005	5			S		400		D :	\$17.28	3	85,900	D		
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share					03/15/2005				S		500		D \$15.2		3	85,400	D		
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share					03/15/2005				S		400		D :	\$15.28	385,000		D		
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share				03/1	03/15/2005				S		500		D :	\$15.29	3	84,500	D		
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share				03/1	03/15/2005				S		800		D	\$15.3	3	83,700	D		
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share				03/1	03/15/2005			S			4,600		D :	\$15.31	3	79,100	D		
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share				03/1	03/15/2005				S		1,700		D :	\$15.32	3	77,400	D		
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share				03/1	03/15/2005				S		3,800	00 D		\$15.33	.33 373,600		D		
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share				03/1	03/15/2005				S		500	İ	D :	\$15.34	3	73,100	D		
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share				03/1	03/15/2005				S		600		D :	\$15.35	372,500		D		
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share					03/15/2005						500		D :	\$15.36	3	72,000	D		
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share				03/1	03/15/2005				S		300		D :	\$15.37		71,700	D		
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share				03/1	03/15/2005				S		300		D :	\$15.39	371,400		D		
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share 03					03/15/2005				S		200		D	\$15.4	371,200		D		
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share 03/15/					5/2005	/2005					500		D :	\$15.43	370,700		D		
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share 03/15/2					5/2005	/2005					800		D :	\$15.45		69,900	D		
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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Title of 2. 3. Transaction SA. Deem Execution Date Execution (Month/Day/Year) if any		emed	ed 4. Transacti Code (Ins		5. Number on of		6. Date E Expiratio (Month/D	xercis	able and	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		8. F Der Ser (Ins	Price of rivative curity str. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisa		Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Share	oer					

**Explanation of Responses:** 

Remarks:

Fact

\*\* 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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