FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* SLT/TAG Inc. (Last) (First) (Middle)					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ASBURY AUTOMOTIVE GROUP INC NYSE: ABG]										5. Relationship of Reporting F (Check all applicable) Director Officer (give title below)				X 10% C	wner (specify
C/O MORRIS GALEN, TONKEN TORP L.L.P. 1600 PIONEER TOWER, 888 SW FIFTH AVENU					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/01/2005															
(Street) PORTLA (City)			97204 Zip)		4. If <i>i</i>	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ine) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
		Tabl	e I - Non-D	Deriva	ative	Sec	uritie	s Acc	uired,	Dis	posed o	f, or	Ben	eficia	ally (Owne	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Date)				ate	ay/Year) if a		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Dispose Code (Instr. 8)		Disposed	ities Acquired (A) d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			and Sed Bed Ow		Amount of curities neficially vned Following ported		wnership m: Direct or Indirect Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
									Code	v	Amount	() (I	A) or D)	Price		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(11341. 4)
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share 02				02/01/2)2/01/2005						23,000	00 D \$1		\$ 16	.91	958,000			D	
	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)	rivative Conversion Date Execution Date, Transa curity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any Code (Execution Date, 1 if any		Transaction Code (Instr.		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		ount	t		e derivative	Owr Fori Dire or Ir (I) (I	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code						Expiration Date	Title Shares										

Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

<u>Lynne A. Burgess, Attorney-in-</u> <u>Fact</u> <u>02/03/2005</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).
- ** 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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