FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT	OF CHANGES	IN BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP
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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     DMCD AUTOS IRVING INC					<u>AS</u>	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ASBURY AUTOMOTIVE GROUP INC NYSE: ABG ]									5. Relationship of Re (Check all applicable) Director Officer (give			g Perso	10% C	
(Last) (First) (Middle) 17120 DALLAS N. TOLLWAY S# 240				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/09/2005										belov			below)			
(Street) DALLAS (City)			75248 Zip)		4. If	Ame	endment	Date o	of Origina	l Filed	I (Month/Da	ay/Yea	ır)		. Indiv ine) X	Forn	r Joint/Group n filed by One n filed by Mor on	Repor	ting Pers	on
		Tabl	e I - Nor	n-Deriv	ative	Se	curitie	s Ac	quired,	Dis	posed o	f, or	Ben	efici	ally	Owne	ed			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)					Execut ay/Year) if any		A. Deemed xecution Date, any Month/Day/Year)				ties Acquired (A) I Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4			and Sec Bei Ow		ecurities I eneficially (		ership Direct Indirect tr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
									Code	v	Amount	() (I	A) or D)	or Price		Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share 09/09/2					/2005		S		23,000		D	\$17.14		130,060		]	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)  2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security  (Instr. 3)  3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)  (Month/Day/Year)  (Month/Day/Year)		Date, ny/Year)		ransaction ode (Instr. )  Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		ative rities ired osed . 3, 4	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)  Date Expiration Date Expiration Date			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)  Amoun or Numbe of Title Shares		ount nber	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ow For Dir or I (I) (	nership	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		

**Explanation of Responses:** 

Remarks:

<u>Lynne A. Burgess, Attorney-in-</u> <u>Fact</u> <u>09/12/2005</u>

\*\* 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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