AUTONATION, INC.

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# FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * WESTFALL KEVIN P			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol AUTONATION, INC. [AN]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	st) (First) (Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check an applicable)			
			(Month/Day/Year)	Director 10% Owner			
200 SW 1ST A	AVE, SUITE	1600	06/01/2011	X Officer (give title Other (specify below) SVP - Sales			
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
FORT LAUD	ERDALE. F	L 33301	Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting			
	,			Person			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	ole I - Non-	Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned						
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired (A) Transaction Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)  (A) or				5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. 7. Nature of Ownership Indirect Form: Beneficial Direct (D) Ownership or Indirect (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	05/31/2011		Code V M	Amount 19,002	(D)	Price \$ 20.94	30,515	D		
Common Stock	05/31/2011		M	998	A	\$ 18.02	31,513	D		
Common Stock	05/31/2011		S	20,000	D	\$ 34.8001 (1)	11,513	D		
Common Stock	06/01/2011		M	14,002	A	\$ 21.59	25,515	D		
Common Stock	06/01/2011		M	5,998	A	\$ 20.94	31,513	D		

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

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# 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	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	e 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of orDerivative 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 Underlying Securitie (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amou or Numb of Sha
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 20.94	05/31/2011		M		19,002	(3)	09/07/2015	Common Stock	19,00
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 18.02	05/31/2011		M		998	<u>(4)</u>	03/02/2019	Common Stock	998
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 21.59	06/01/2011		M		14,002	<u>(5)</u>	08/01/2015	Common Stock	14,00
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 20.94	06/01/2011		M		5,998	(3)	09/07/2015	Common Stock	5,99
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 34.51	06/01/2011		A	3,329		<u>(6)</u>	03/01/2021	Common Stock	3,32

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

WESTFALL KEVIN P 200 SW 1ST AVE SUITE 1600 FORT LAUDERDALE, FL 33301

SVP - Sales

## **Signatures**

/s/ Jonathan P. Ferrando, Attorney-in-Fact

06/02/2011

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* 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).
- This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$34.80 to \$34.81. The price reported above reflects the weighted (1) average sale price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transactions were effected.
- This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$35.00 to \$35.06. The price reported above reflects the weighted (2) average sale price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transactions were effected.
- (3) The option, representing a right to purchase a total of 25,000 shares (as of the grant date) at an exercise price equal to \$20.94 per share, vested as to 25% of the underlying shares on each of the first, second, third and fourth anniversaries of September 7, 2005.
- (4) The option becomes exercisable in 25% annual increments on each of the first four anniversaries of June 1, 2009, subject to continuous employment with the Company.
- (5) The option, representing a right to purchase a total of 52,650 shares (as of the grant date) at an exercise price equal to \$21.59 per share, vested as to 25% of the underlying shares on each of the first, second, third and fourth anniversaries of August 1, 2005.
- The option becomes exercisable in 25% annual increments on each of the first four anniversaries of June 1, 2011, subject to continuous employment with the Company.

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