AUTONATION, INC.

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

share

Common

Stock, par

04/21/2014

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reportin JACKSON MICHAEL J	g Person *	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AUTONATION, INC. [AN]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last) (First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	, and the same			
		(Month/Day/Year)	X Director 10% Owner			
200 SW 1ST AVE, SUITE	1600	04/21/2014	_X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
			Chairman and CEO			
(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check			
		Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line)			
FORT LAUDERDALE, FL	. 33301		_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	ole I - Non-	Derivative	Secu	rities Acquir	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securition Dispose (Instr. 3, 4	ed of	` ′	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	04/21/2014		M		A	\$ 10.17	140,892	D	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per	04/21/2014		M	8,001	A	\$ 9.92	148,893	D	

8,499

\$ 16.99

157,392

D

M

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value \$0.01 per share

Common Stock, par \$ \$ value 04/21/2014 \$ \$ 42,929 D 54.8935 114,463 D \$0.01 per share

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)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (I	D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 10.17	04/21/2014		M	26,	429	(2)	07/30/2018	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	26,429
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 9.92	04/21/2014		M	8,0	001	(3)	03/02/2019	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	8,001
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 16.99	04/21/2014		M	8,4	199	<u>(3)</u>	03/02/2019	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	8,499

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

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Director 10% Owner Officer Other

JACKSON MICHAEL J 200 SW 1ST AVE SUITE 1600

Chairman and CEO

FORT LAUDERDALE, FL 33301

Signatures

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

04/23/2014

X

**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 \$54.54 to \$55.16. 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.
- (2) The option became exercisable in 25% annual increments on each of the first four anniversaries of July 30, 2008.
- (3) The option became exercisable in 25% annual increments on each of the first four anniversaries of June 1, 2009.

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