

## RHODES WILLIAM C III

## Form 5

August 27, 2002

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 5

ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

( ) Check box if no longer subject to Section 16.

Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instructions 1(b).

( ) Form 3 Holdings Reported

( ) Form 4 Transactions Reported

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person

William C. Rhodes, III

123 South Front Street

TN, Memphis 38103

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

AutoZone, Inc. (AZO)

3. IRS or Social Security Number of Reporting Person (Voluntary)

4. Statement for Month/Year

8/2002

5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Year)

6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)

( ) Director ( ) 10% Owner (X) Officer (give title below) ( ) Other

(specify below)

Senior Vice President

7. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting (Check Applicable Line)

(X) Form filed by One Reporting Person

( ) Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

Table I -- Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security	2. Transaction Date	3. Code	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at End of Year
			Amount	Price

Table II -- Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Derivative Security	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date	4. Code	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities	8. Put or Call or Other Feature
				Amount	Exercisable Date	Title and Number of Shares	

Incentive Stock Option (right to buy) 1	43.90	9/20/2001	A	2000	A	2	9/20/11	Common Stock	2000
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Non-Qualified Stock Options (right to buy) 1	43.90	9/20/2001	A	18000	A	2	9/21/11	Common Stock	18000
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### Explanation of Responses:

1. Granted in accordance with the AutoZone, Inc. 1996 Stock Option Plan.
2. Options exercisable in one-fourth increments on September 20, 2002, 2003, 2004, and 2005, respectively.