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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting 2. Date of Event Requiring 3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Person \* Statement PENSKE AUTOMOTIVE GROUP, INC. [PAG] Spradlin Shane M. (Month/Day/Year) 02/29/2008 (Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of Reporting 5. If Amendment, Date Original Person(s) to Issuer Filed(Month/Day/Year) 2555 TELEGRAPH RD. (Check all applicable) (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) 10% Owner Director \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting \_X\_\_ Officer Other Person (give title below) (specify below) **BLOOMFIELD** Form filed by More than One SVP, Gen. Counsel & Sec. HILLS, MIÂ 48302 Reporting Person (City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities 4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial (Instr. 4) Beneficially Owned Ownership Ownership (Instr. 4) Form: (Instr. 5) Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5) D Â Common Stock 13,350 (1) Common Stock 680 I By 401K Savings Plan Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially SEC 1473 (7-02) owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not

Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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3. Title and Amount of 6. Nature of Indirect 1. Title of Derivative Security 2. Date Exercisable and (Instr. 4) **Expiration Date** Securities Underlying Conversion Ownership Beneficial (Month/Day/Year) Derivative Security or Exercise Form of Ownership (Instr. 4) Price of Derivative (Instr. 5) Derivative Security:

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	03/18/2006	03/18/2013	Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	7,000	\$ 5.55	D	Â

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
. 9	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Spradlin Shane M.						
2555 TELEGRAPH RD.	Â	Â	SVP, Gen. Counsel & Sec.	Â		
BLOOMFIELD HILLS, MI 48302						

### **Signatures**

/s/ Shane M.
Spradlin

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

O3/03/2008

Date

### **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(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).
- Includes 13,050 shares of restricted stock which vests as follows: (i) 2,437 shares which will vest on June 1, 2008; (ii) 3,013 shares which will vest on June 1, 2009; (iii) 2,825 shares which will vest on June 1, 2010; (iv) 2,525 shares which will vest on June 1, 2011; and (v) 2,250 shares which will vest on June 1, 2012.

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