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Form 4

February 28, 2005

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

may continue. See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* SLT/TAG Inc.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

ASBURY AUTOMOTIVE GROUP INC [NYSE: ABG]

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

02/25/2005

Director \_X\_\_ 10% Owner \_ Other (specify Officer (give title below)

C/O MORRIS GALEN, TONKEN TORP L.L.P., 1600 PIONEER TOWER, 888 SW FIFTH AVENUE

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

PORTLAND, OR 97204

(City)	(State)	Zip) Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)  (A) or			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share	02/25/2005		S	800	D	\$ 15.25	506,800	D	
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share	02/25/2005		S	500	D	\$ 15.27	506,300	D	
Common stock, par	02/25/2005		S	200	D	\$ 15.28	506,100	D	

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Stock, par value \$0.01   Per share   Common stock, par value \$0.01   Per share   Per share									
Stock, par value \$0.01   per share	stock, par value \$0.01	02/25/2005		S	300	D	\$ 15.3	505,800	D
Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	stock, par value \$0.01	02/25/2005		S	200	D	\$ 15.31	505,600	D
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stock, par value \$0.01 per share       02/25/2005       S       1,200       D       \$ 15.38       495,000       D         Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share       02/25/2005       S       300       D       \$ 15.42       494,700       D         Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share       02/25/2005       S       700       D       \$ 15.43       494,000       D         Common 02/25/2005 stock, par       S       700       D       \$ 493,300       D	stock, par value \$0.01	02/25/2005		S	800	D	\$ 15.37	496,200	D
stock, par value \$0.01 per share       02/25/2005       S       300       D       \$ 494,700       D         Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share       S       700       D       \$ 494,000       D         Common 02/25/2005 stock, par       S       700       D       \$ 493,300       D         Stock, par       15.45       D       \$ 15.45	stock, par value \$0.01	02/25/2005		S	1,200	D		495,000	D
stock, par value \$0.01 value \$0.01 per share       S       700       D       \$ 494,000 per share       D         Common 02/25/2005 stock, par       S       700 per share       D       \$ 493,300 per share       D	stock, par value \$0.01	02/25/2005		S	300	D	\$ 15.42	494,700	D
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per share

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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)	4. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	5. Dr.Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	7. Titl Amou Under Securi (Instr.	int of lying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
			Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Director 10% Owner Officer Other

SLT/TAG Inc.

C/O MORRIS GALEN, TONKEN TORP L.L.P. 1600 PIONEER TOWER, 888 SW FIFTH AVENUE PORTLAND, OR 97204

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Relationships

# **Signatures**

Lynne A. Burgess, 02/28/2005 Attorney-in-Fact

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

### **Explanation of Responses:**

- If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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