AUTONATION, INC.

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * JACKSON MICHAEL J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Last)

(City)

(Instr. 3)

(First)

(Street)

(Middle)

(Zip)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

AUTONATION, INC. [AN]

(Month/Day/Year) 12/02/2013

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

X_ Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title

(Check all applicable)

below) Chairman and CEO

Other (specify

200 SW 1ST AVE, SUITE 1600

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

FORT LAUDERDALE, FL 33301

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year)

(State)

3. 4. Securities Execution Date, if TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D)

(Instr. 8)

Securities Beneficially Owned

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

5. Amount of Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (T) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

(A)

Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)

Code V Amount (D) Price

(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

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

(Month/Day/Year)

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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

Conversion or Exercise

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed (Month/Day/Year)

Execution Date, if any

4. 5. Number of **Transaction**Derivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and **Expiration Date** (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amount of **Underlying Securities** (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr.	8)	Acquired or Dispose (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	ed of				
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 48.8	12/02/2013		A		43,499		<u>(1)</u>	03/01/2023	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	43,499

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships							
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
JACKSON MICHAEL J 200 SW 1ST AVE SUITE 1600	X		Chairman and CEO					
FORT LAUDERDALE, FL 33301								

Signatures

/s/ Jonathan P. Ferrando, 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).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) The option becomes exercisable in 25% annual increments on each of the first four anniversaries of June 1, 2013, subject to continuous employment with the Company.

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