WESTFALL KEVIN P

Form 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1 Name and Address of Departing De

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * WESTFALL KEVIN P			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol AUTONATION INC /FL [AN]				-6	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)			
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/15/2006					Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) SVP - Sales			
(City)	(Street)	(Zip)	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						rson porting		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Tabl	e I - Non-	Derivative	Securi	ties Acqu	iired, Disposed of	, or Beneficial	y Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction D (Month/Day/Yea	r) Execution	Execution Date, if Transaction					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	12/15/2006			Code V M	Amount 53,758	(D)	Price \$ 11.51	53,758	D		
Common Stock	12/15/2006			M	60,000	A	\$ 11.05	113,758	D		
Common Stock	12/15/2006			M	24,000	A	\$ 12.25	137,758	D		
Common Stock	12/15/2006			S	1,058	D	\$ 20.98	136,700	D		
Common Stock	12/15/2006			S	300	D	\$ 20.97	136,400	D		

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Common Stock	12/15/2006	S	27,000	D	\$ 20.95	109,400	D
Common Stock	12/15/2006	S	15,800	D	\$ 20.94	93,600	D
Common Stock	12/15/2006	S	18,200	D	\$ 20.93	75,400	D
Common Stock	12/15/2006	S	3,600	D	\$ 20.92	71,800	D
Common Stock	12/15/2006	S	7,000	D	\$ 20.91	64,800	D
Common Stock	12/15/2006	S	32,900	D	\$ 20.9	31,900	D
Common Stock	12/15/2006	S	6,200	D	\$ 20.89	25,700	D
Common Stock	12/15/2006	S	18,600	D	\$ 20.88	7,100	D
Common Stock	12/15/2006	S	7,100	D	\$ 20.87	0 (1)	D

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of on Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day	ate	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 11.51	12/15/2006		M	53,758	(2)	01/02/2008	Common Stock	53,758
Employee Stock	\$ 11.05	12/15/2006		M	60,000	<u>(4)</u>	07/25/2011	Common Stock	60,000

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Option (right to buy)

Employee

Stock

Option \$ 12.25 12/15/2006 M 24,000 (5) 08/05/2012 Common Stock 24,000

(right to buy)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

WESTFALL KEVIN P

SVP - Sales

Signatures

Kevin P. 12/18/2006 Westfall

**Signature of Date
Reporting Person

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) Excludes 1,773 shares of AutoNation common stock held indirectly through the AutoNation, Inc. 401(k) Plan.
- (2) The option vested in four equal annual installments beginning on January 2, 1999.
- (3) N/A
- (4) The option vested in four equal annual installments beginning on July 25, 2002.
- (5) The option vested in four equal annual installments beginning on August 5, 2003.

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