

ASBURY AUTOMOTIVE GROUP INC
Form SC 13G/A
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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13G

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

(Amendment No. 2)*

Asbury Automotive Group, Inc.

(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock (par value \$.01 per share)

(Title of Class of Securities)

043436104

(CUSIP Number)

December 31, 2004

(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)

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Rule 13d-1(b)

Rule 13d-1(c)

Rule 13d-1(d)

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1. NAME OF REPORTING PERSON
I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON

ASBURY AUTOMOTIVE HOLDINGS L.L.C.

2. CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP

(a)

(b)

3. SEC USE ONLY

4. CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

Delaware

5. SOLE VOTING POWER

0

SHARED VOTING POWER

NUMBER OF SHARES
BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY
EACH REPORTING PERSON
WITH

- 6.

24,659,962

- 7.

SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER

17,550,743

- 8.

SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER

0

9. AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

17,550,743

10. CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES

7,109,219*

11. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)

53.9%

12. TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

CO

*Asbury Automotive Holdings L.L.C. expressly disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares of Asbury Automotive Group, Inc. beneficially owned by all other parties to the Shareholders Agreement identified in Item 8 below.

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1. NAME OF REPORTING PERSON
I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON
RIPPLEWOOD PARTNERS L.P.
2. CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP
(a)
(b)
3. SEC USE ONLY
4. CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

Delaware

5. SOLE VOTING POWER

0

6. SHARED VOTING POWER

NUMBER OF SHARES
BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY
EACH REPORTING PERSON
WITH

24,659,962

7. SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER

8,954,900

8. SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER

0

9. AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

8,954,900

10. CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES

15,705,062*

11. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)

27.5%

12. TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

PN

* Ripplewood Partners L.P. is the owner of approximately 51% of the membership interests of Asbury Automotive Holdings L.L.C. Ripplewood Partners L.P. expressly disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares of Asbury Automotive Group, Inc. beneficially owned by all parties to the Shareholders Agreement identified in Item 8 below, except to the extent of its pecuniary interest therein.

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1. NAME OF REPORTING PERSON
I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON

COLLINS FAMILY PARTNERS, L.P.

2. CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP
(a)
(b)

3. SEC USE ONLY

4. CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

Delaware

5. SOLE VOTING POWER

0

6. SHARED VOTING POWER

NUMBER OF SHARES

BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY

EACH REPORTING PERSON 7.

WITH

24,659,962

SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER

0

8. SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER

0

9. AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

8,954,900

10. CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES

15,705,062*

11. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)

27.5%

12. TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

PN

* Collins Family Partners could be deemed the beneficial owner of the shares held by Ripplewood Partners L.P. Collins Family Partners expressly disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares of Asbury Automotive Group, Inc. beneficially owned by all parties to the Shareholders Agreement identified in Item 8 below, except to the extent of its pecuniary interest therein.

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1. NAME OF REPORTING PERSON
I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON

TIMOTHY C. COLLINS

2. CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP
(a)
(b)

3. SEC USE ONLY

4. CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

USA

5. SOLE VOTING POWER

0

NUMBER OF SHARES
BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY
EACH REPORTING PERSON
WITH

6. SHARED VOTING POWER

24,659,962

7. SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER

0

8. SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER

0

9. AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

8,954,900

10. CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES

15,705,062*

11. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)

27.5%

12. TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

IN

* Timothy C. Collins could be deemed the beneficial owner of the shares held by Ripplewood Partners L.P. Timothy C. Collins expressly disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares of Asbury Automotive Group, Inc. beneficially owned by all parties to the Shareholders Agreement identified in Item 8 below, except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

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1. NAME OF REPORTING PERSON
I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON

C.V. NALLEY, III

2. CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP
(a)
(b)

3. SEC USE ONLY

4. CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

Georgia

5. SOLE VOTING POWER

0

6. SHARED VOTING POWER

NUMBER OF SHARES
BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY
EACH REPORTING PERSON 7.
WITH

24,659,962

- SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER

1,360,759

8. SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER

0

9. AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

1,360,759

10. CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES

23,299,203*

11. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)

4.2%

12. TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

CO

* C.V. Nalley III expressly disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares of Asbury Automotive Group, Inc. beneficially owned by all other parties to the Shareholders Agreement identified in Item 8 below.

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1. NAME OF REPORTING PERSON
I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON

THOMAS F. MCLARTY III

2. CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP

(a)

(b)

3. SEC USE ONLY

4. CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

USA

5. SOLE VOTING POWER

0

6. SHARED VOTING POWER

NUMBER OF SHARES
BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY
EACH REPORTING PERSON 7.
WITH

24,659,962

- SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER

454,114

8. SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER

0

9. AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

454,114

10. CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES

24,205,848*

11. PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)

1.4%

12. TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

IN

* Thomas F. McLarty III expressly disclaims beneficial ownership of the shares of Asbury Automotive Group, Inc. beneficially owned by all other parties to the Shareholders Agreement identified in Item 8 below.

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1. NAME OF REPORTING PERSON
I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON

LUTHER COGGIN

2. CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP
(a)
(b)

3. SEC USE ONLY

4. CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

USA

NUMBER OF SHARES 5.
BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY
EACH REPORTING PERSON
WITH

SOLE VOTING POWER