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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
FERRANDO JONATHAN P

(Last) (First) (Middle)
110 SE 6TH STREET-20TH FLOOR
(Street)

FT. LAUDERDALE, FL 33301

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
AUTONATION INC /FL [AN]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
(Month/Day/Year)
02/09/2007

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)
EVP, Gen'l Counsel & Secretary

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	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)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
Common Stock	02/09/2007		M		56,200 A \$ 12.25	81,200 <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>	D
Common Stock	02/09/2007		S		245 D \$ 22.89	80,955	D
Common Stock	02/09/2007		S		1,420 D \$ 22.88	79,535	D
Common Stock	02/09/2007		S		80 D \$ 22.87	79,455	D
Common Stock	02/09/2007		S		789 D \$ 22.86	78,666	D

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Common Stock	02/09/2007		S	2,921	D	\$ 22.85	75,745	D
Common Stock	02/09/2007		S	1,341	D	\$ 22.84	74,404	D
Common Stock	02/09/2007		S	1,578	D	\$ 22.83	72,826	D
Common Stock	02/09/2007		S	2,130	D	\$ 22.82	70,696	D
Common Stock	02/09/2007		S	316	D	\$ 22.81	70,380	D
Common Stock	02/09/2007		S	45,380	D	\$ 22.8	25,000 <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>	D
Common Stock	02/12/2007		M	39,800	A	\$ 12.25	64,800 <u>(1)</u> <u>(2)</u>	D
Common Stock	02/12/2007		S	7,500	D	\$ 22.85	57,300	D
Common Stock	02/12/2007		S	5,400	D	\$ 22.84	51,900	D
Common Stock	02/12/2007		S	3,150	D	\$ 22.83	48,750	D
Common Stock	02/12/2007		S	800	D	\$ 22.81	47,950	D
Common Stock	02/12/2007		S	19,950	D	\$ 22.8	28,000 <u>(1)</u> <u>(3)</u>	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 Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	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)	\$ 12.25	02/09/2007	M	56,200	(4)	08/05/2012	Common Stock	56,200
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 12.25	02/12/2007	M	39,800	(4)	08/05/2012	Common Stock	39,800

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
FERRANDO JONATHAN P 110 SE 6TH STREET-20TH FLOOR FT. LAUDERDALE, FL 33301			EVP, Gen'l Counsel & Secretary	

Signatures

Jonathan P.
Ferrando

02/12/2007

**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) Excludes 1,767 shares of AutoNation common stock held through the AutoNation, Inc. 401(k) Plan.
- (2) 15,000 shares are owned by the Reporting Person and his wife as tenants by the entirety and 10,000 shares are owned directly by the Reporting Person.
- (3) 15,000 shares are owned by the Reporting Person and his wife as tenants by the entirety and 13,000 shares are owned directly by the Reporting Person.
- (4) The option vested in four equal annual installments beginning on August 5, 2003.
- (5) N/A

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