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Form 4

March 31, 2005

## FORM 4

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(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)

(Middle)

(Month/Day/Year) 03/29/2005

Director Officer (give title below)

\_X\_\_ 10% Owner \_\_ Other (specify

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

(First)

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

\_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 o	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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securi on(A) or D (Instr. 3,	ispose 4 and (A) or	d of (D)	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, par value \$0.01 per share	03/29/2005		S	200	D	\$ 14.98	353,200	D	
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share	03/29/2005		S	600	D	\$ 15	352,600	D	
Common stock, par	03/29/2005		S	600	D	\$ 15.01	352,000	D	

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value \$0.01 per share							
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share	03/29/2005	S	900	D	\$ 15.05	351,100	D
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share	03/29/2005	S	100	D	\$ 15.06	351,000	D
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share	03/29/2005	S	500	D	\$ 15.07	350,500	D
Common stock, par value \$0.01 per share	03/29/2005	S	100	D	\$ 15.09	350,400	D

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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. Transact Code (Instr. 8)	5. ionNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		ate	Secur	int of rlying	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 Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

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# **Signatures**

Lynne A. Burgess, Attorney-in-Fact

03/31/2005

\*\*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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