#### BURDICK RICK L

Form 4

February 13, 2013

## FORM 4

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person
BURDICK RICK L

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

Symbol

(Middle)

AUTONATION, INC. [AN]

(Check all applicable)

(First)

(Street)

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

\_X\_\_ Director Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

200 SW 1ST AVE, SUITE 1600

02/11/2013

below) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

Person

#### FORT LAUDERDALE, FL 33301

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tab	le I - Non-	Derivative	Secui	rities Acqui	red, Disposed of,	or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)  (Instr. 8)  (A)  or		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	02/11/2013		Code V  M	Amount 20,000	(D)	Price \$ 19.21	26,740	D	
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	02/11/2013		M	20,000	A	\$ 21.73	46,740	D	
Common Stock, par	02/11/2013		M	20,000	A	\$ 20.78	66,740	D	

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value \$0.01 per share							
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	02/11/2013	M	20,000	A	\$ 15.66	86,740	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	02/11/2013	S	68,000	D	\$ 48.0402	18,740	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	02/11/2013	S	3,950	D	\$ 48.45	14,790	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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	ransactionDerivative Expiration Date ode Securities (Month/Day/Year)		e Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) (A) ed of		Amount of Securities 4)
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 19.21	02/11/2013		M	20,000	01/03/2005	01/03/2015	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	20,000
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 21.73	02/11/2013		M	20,000	01/03/2006	01/03/2016	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per	20,000

							share	
Stock Optic (right buy)	on \$ 20.79	8 02/11/2013	M	20,000	05/09/2007	05/09/2017	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	20,000
Stock Optic (right buy)	on \$ 15.60	6 02/11/2013	M	20,000	01/02/2008	01/02/2018	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	20,000

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
BURDICK RICK L 200 SW 1ST AVE SUITE 1600 FORT LAUDERDALE, FL 33301	X					

## **Signatures**

/s/ Jonathan P. Ferrando,
Attorney-in-Fact
02/13/2013

\*\*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).
- This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$47.855 to \$48.56. The price reported above reflects the weighted (1) average sale price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transactions were effected.

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