

Anderson Scott A  
Form 4  
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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 \*  
Anderson Scott A

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
ADESA INC [KAR]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
13085 HAMILTON CROSSING  
BLVD.

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
12/15/2005

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Controller

(Street)  
CARMEL, IN 46032

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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(City) (State) (Zip)

**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 Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| Common Stock                    |                                      |  |                                | (A)<br>or<br>(D)  | 1,045.696   | 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)**

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| 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 |
| Restricted Stock Units convertible to Common Stock | \$ 0   |                                      |  |                                |   | (1)  | (2)   | Common Stock                             | 2,490                      |
| Option to Purchase Common Stock (right to buy)     | \$ 24  |                                      |  |                                |   | (3)  | 04/26/2011  | Common Stock                             | 39,837                     |
| Option to Purchase Common Stock (right to buy)     | \$ 24  |                                      |  |                                |   | (4)  | 06/16/2010  | Common Stock                             | 8,056                      |
| Option to Purchase Common Stock (right to buy)     | \$ 22.44   |                                      |  |                                |   | (5)  | 02/25/2011  | Common Stock                             | 10,963                     |
| Option to Purchase Common Stock (right to buy)     | \$ 15.75   |                                      |  |                                |   | (6)  | 01/02/2012  | Common Stock                             | 2,092                      |
| Dividend Equivalent Rights                         | (7)  | 12/15/2005                           |  | A                              | 7.661   | (8)  | (2)   | Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share | 7.661                      |

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Anderson Scott A  
13085 HAMILTON CROSSING BLVD.  
CARMEL, IN 46032

Controller

## Signatures

Michelle Mallon for Scott A.  
Anderson

12/19/2005

Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. *See* 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Restricted Stock Units vest on June 16, 2007, provided that the executive is employed by ADESA, Inc. on such date at which time they will be converted into shares of ADESA, Inc. common stock or cash, at the election of ADESA, Inc.
- (2) N/A
- (3) Immediately exercisable.
- (4) On March 9, 2005, the Board of Directors of ADESA, Inc. approved resolutions to accelerate the vesting of certain unvested and "out-of-the-money" stock options granted under the ADESA, Inc. 2004 Equity and Incentive Plan.
- (5) Options vest and become exercisable with respect to one-third (1/3) of the total grant on each of the first three anniversaries of the date of grant, provided that the executive is employed by ADESA, Inc. on such date.
- (6) One-half (1/2) of the total grant vested and became exercisable on January 2, 2003 and the remaining one-half (1/2) of the grant vested and became exercisable on January 2, 2004.
- (7) 1 for 1
- (8) The dividend equivalent rights accrued on Restricted Stock Units granted on 4/26/05 vest with those Restricted Stock Units.

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