

ADESA INC
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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 *
 Phillips Curtis L

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

CARMEL, IN 46032

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

3. Date of Earliest Transaction
 (Month/Day/Year)
 12/15/2006

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)
 VP, Corporate Development

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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock				(A) or (D)	7,770.021	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)	06/16/2010	Common Stock	39,837
Option to Purchase Common Stock (right to buy)	\$ 24					(3)	06/16/2010	Common Stock	9,304
Option to Purchase Common Stock (right to buy)	\$ 22.44					(4)	02/15/2011	Common Stock	11,832
Option to Purchase Common Stock (right to buy)	\$ 14.49					(3)	01/02/2011	Common Stock	2,740
Option to Purchase Common Stock (right to buy)	\$ 15.75					(3)	01/02/2012	Common Stock	5,541
Restricted Stock Units convertible to Common Stock	\$ 0					(5)	(2)	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	529

Dividend Equivalent Rights	(6)	12/15/2006	A	7.375	(7)	(2)	Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	7.375
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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Phillips Curtis L 13085 HAMILTON CROSSING BLVD. CARMEL, IN 46032			VP, Corporate Development	

Signatures

Rebecca C. Polak for Curtis L. Phillips
12/19/2006

__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) 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 (2/15/05), provided that the executive is employed by ADESA, Inc. on such date.
- (5) Restricted Stock Units vest on the third anniversary of the grant date (2/16/06), 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.
- (6) 1 for 1
- (7) The dividend equivalent rights accrued on Restricted Stock Units granted on 4/26/05 vest with those Restricted Stock Units on June 16, 2007.

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