

ADESA INC  
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 \*  
FLAYTON BRENDA J

(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)  
09/15/2005

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 & Chief Administrative Off

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) |
|---|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
|   |                                      |  |                                | (A) or (D) Price  |   |  |                                   |
| Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share |                                      |  |                                |   | 12,309.01   | D  |                                   |
| Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share |                                      |  |                                |   | 190   | I  | By Spouse                         |

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 Number of Shares                                 |
| Restricted Stock Units convertible to Common Stock          | \$ 0   |                                      |  |                                |   | (1) (2)  | Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share 9,959                |
| Restricted Stock Units convertible to Common Stock          | \$ 0   |                                      |  |                                |   | (1) (2)  | Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share 1,186                |
| Option to Purchase Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share | \$ 24  |                                      |  |                                |   | (3) 06/16/2010   | Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share 159,34               |
| Option to Purchase Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share | \$ 14.49   |                                      |  |                                |   | (4) 01/02/2011   | Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share 7,238                |
| Option to Purchase Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share | \$ 15.75   |                                      |  |                                |   | (5) 01/02/2012   | Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share 9,308                |
| Option to Purchase Common Stock, par                        | \$ 12.58   |                                      |  |                                |   | (6) 02/03/2013   | Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per 8,492                      |

value \$.01  
per share

share

|                                  |            |            |   |        |            |            |   |        |
|----------------------------------|------------|------------|---|--------|------------|------------|---|--------|
| Dividend<br>Equivalent<br>Rights | <u>(7)</u> | 09/15/2005 | A | 33.568 | <u>(8)</u> | <u>(2)</u> | Common<br>Stock, par<br>value<br>\$.01 per<br>share | 33.568 |
|----------------------------------|------------|------------|---|--------|------------|------------|---|--------|

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address  | Relationships |           |                                   |       |
|---|---------------|-----------|-----------------------------------|-------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                           | Other |
| FLAYTON BRENDA J<br>13085 HAMILTON CROSSING BLVD.<br>CARMEL, IN 46032 |               |           | EVP & Chief<br>Administrative Off |       |

## Signatures

|  |            |
|--|------------|
| Michelle Mallon for Brenda J.<br>Flayton | 09/19/2005 |
| **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 the third anniversary of the date of grant, 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) 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.
  - (4) One-half (1/2) of the total grant vested and became exercisable on January 2, 2002 and the remaining one-half (1/2) of the grant vested and became exercisable on January 2, 2003.
  - (5) 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.
  - (6) One-half (1/2) of the total grant vested and became exercisable on February 2, 2004 and the remaining one-half (1/2) of the grant vested and became exercisable on February 2, 2005.
  - (7) 1-for-1
  - (8) The dividend equivalent rights accrued on Restricted Stock Units granted on 6/16/04 vest with those Restricted Stock Units.

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