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### ARNOLD JIM Form 4 October 09, 2001

# U.S. SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington D.C. 20549 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(f) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

[ ] Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b)			
1.	Name and Address of Report Arnold (Last)	rting Person* James (First)	W. (Middle)
	c/o Tower Automotive, Inc. 6303 28th Street, SE (Street)		
	Grand Rapids (City)	MI (State)	49546 (Zip)
2.	Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Tower Automotive, Inc. TWR		
3.	IRS or Social Security Number of Reporting Person (Voluntary)		
4.	Statement for Month/Year 9/01		
5.	If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Year)		
6.	Relationship of Reporting Person to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
	Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) -Officer - Leader, Asia Region		
7.	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check applicable line)		
	_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
TABLE I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Benefically Owned			
1.	Title of Security (Instr. 3) Common Stock		
2.	Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) 9/17/01		
3.	Transaction Code (Instr. 8)  Code A  V yes		

4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

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Amount 11,623
          (A) or (D) (A) (1)
          Price
    Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at End of Month (Instr. 3 and 4)
    Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)
   Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
(1) Subject to vesting on 9/17/04
Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially
owned directly or indirectly
                            (Print or Type Responses)
*If the Form is filed by more than one Reporting Person, see Instruction 4(b)(v)
FORM 4 (continued)
Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned
         (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)
   Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)
     a. Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)
    b. Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)
    Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security
    a. $17.125
    b. $19.250
    Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)
    a. 9/17/01
    b. 9/17/01
    Transaction Code (Instr. 8)
    a. Code D
         V yes
    b.
         Code D
         V yes
    Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3,
    4, and 5)
    a.
         (A)
          (D) 15,000
         (A)
          (D) 15,000
    Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)
         Date Exercisable 9/11/99
          Expiration Date 9/11/08
         Date Exercisable 3/02/00
         Expiration Date 3/02/09
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Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)

Common Stock

a. Title

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- Amount or Number of Shares 15,000
  b. Title Common Stock
  Amount or Number of Shares 15,000
- 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
- 9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned at End of Month (Instr. 4) a. -0- b. -0-
- 10. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)
   (Instr. 4)
- 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

Explanation of Responses:

/s/ Michael G. Wooldridge 10-08-01
\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date
Michael G. Wooldridge for
James Arnold by Power of Attorney

\*\*Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space provided is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.