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FORM 4

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

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person _ Broome Donna J	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ADVANCE AUTO PARTS INC [AAP]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)		
(Last) (First) (Middle) ADVANCE AUTO PARTS, INC., 5008 AIRPORT RD	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/06/2012	Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify below) SVP, Team Member Excellence		
(Street)	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
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1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities A Transaction(A) or Dispose Code (Instr. 3, 4 and (Instr. 8)			d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock	03/06/2012		M	4,061 (1)	A	\$ 25.81	8,532	D	
Common Stock	03/06/2012		F	2,126 (2)	D	\$ 86.97	6,406	D	
Common Stock	03/06/2012		M	2,000 (1)	A	\$ 25.81	8,406	D	
Common Stock	03/06/2012		F	1,047 (2)	D	\$ 86.97	7,359	D	
Common Stock	03/06/2012		M	2,367 (1)	A	\$ 43.72	9,726	D	

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Common Stock	03/06/2012	F	1,570 (2)	D	\$ 86.97	8,156	D
Common Stock	03/06/2012	S	3,685	D	\$ 86.96	4,471	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)	5. Number 6. Date E Expiration Securities (Month/E Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			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
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 25.81	03/06/2012		M	4,06 (1)	(3)	11/17/2015	Common Stock	4,061
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 25.81	03/06/2012		M	2,000 (1)	<u>(3)</u>	11/17/2015	Common Stock	2,000
Stock Appreciation Right	\$ 43.72	03/06/2012		M	2,36′ (1)	<u>(4)</u>	08/11/2015	Common Stock	2,367

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		

Broome Donna J ADVANCE AUTO PARTS, INC. 5008 AIRPORT RD ROANOKE, VA 24012

SVP, Team Member Excellence

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Signatures

/s/ Rachel E. Geiersbach, as Attorney-in-Fact for Donna J. Broome

03/07/2012

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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- * 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).
 - Represents the exercise by Ms.Broome of all her stock appreciation rights scheduled to expire on August 11, 2015 and November 17, 2015, consistent with Ms. Broome's regular practice. Following this transaction, Ms. Broome retains a substantial ownership commitment in beneficially owned stock and vested employee SARs, and she continues to satisfy the Company's stock ownership guidelines for executive officers.
- (2) Represents shares withheld to satisfy exercise price and tax withholding obligation upon the exercise of stock appreciation rights (SARs).
- (3) These shares became exercisable in three equal annual installments beginning on November 17, 2009.
- (4) These shares became exercisable in three equal annual installments beginning on August 11, 2009.

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