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- [] Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- [] Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Principal Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Principal Officers

On September 26, 2006, Edward S. Lampert notified the Board of Directors of AutoZone, Inc. ("AutoZone") that he will not stand for re-election to the Board at AutoZone's Annual Meeting of Stockholders to be held on December 13, 2006. Mr. Lampert, the Chairman and CEO of ESL Investments, Inc. ("ESL") and Chairman of Sears Holdings Corporation, will not be standing for re-election in order to devote more time to other duties at ESL and Sears Holdings. Mr. Lampert is the chairman of AutoZone's Compensation Committee. The Board has nominated Theodore W. Ulyot, Executive Vice President and General Counsel of ESL, to fill the Board seat vacated by Mr. Lampert.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

The following exhibit is filed with this Current Report pursuant to Item 5.02:

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Press Release dated September 27, 2006.

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

AutoZone, Inc.

(Registrant)

/s/ HARRY L. GOLDSMITH

September 27, 2006

(Date)

Harry L. Goldsmith

Executive Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary

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