#### ADVANCE AUTO PARTS INC

Form 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Smith Jeffrey C

Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Month/Day/Year)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

09/01/2016

ADVANCE AUTO PARTS INC

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

(Check all applicable)

[AAP]

(Last)

(Middle)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

\_X\_\_ Director Officer (give title

10% Owner Other (specify

777 THIRD AVENUE, 18TH **FLOOR** 

(Street)

(First)

4. If Amendment, Date Original

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

NEW YORK, NY 10017

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tal	ble I - Non	-Derivativ	e Secı	rities Acquir	ed, Disposed of,	or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securit onDisposed (Instr. 3, 4	of (D)		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 Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock, \$0.0001 Par Value	09/01/2016		P	4,265	A	\$ 158.7332	932,468	I	By Starboard Value and Opportunity Master Fund Ltd (1)
Common Stock, \$0.0001 Par Value	09/01/2016		P	25,590	A	\$ 158.7314	958,058	I	By Starboard Value and Opportunity Master Fund

								Ltd (1)
Common Stock, \$0.0001 Par Value	09/01/2016	P	470	A	\$ 158.7332	116,370	I	By Starboard Value and Opportunity S LLC (2)
Common Stock, \$0.0001 Par Value	09/01/2016	P	2,820	A	\$ 158.7314	119,190	I	By Starboard Value and Opportunity S LLC (2)
Common Stock, \$0.0001 Par Value	09/01/2016	P	265	A	\$ 158.7332	63,814	I	By Starboard Value and Opportunity C LP (3)
Common Stock, \$0.0001 Par Value	09/01/2016	P	1,590	A	\$ 158.7314	65,404	I	By Starboard Value and Opportunity C LP (3)
Common Stock, \$0.0001 Par Value	09/02/2016	P	12,795	A	\$ 158.6171	970,853	I	By Starboard Value and Opportunity Master Fund Ltd (1)
Common Stock, \$0.0001 Par Value	09/02/2016	P	17,060	A	\$ 158.9373	987,913	I	By Starboard Value and Opportunity Master Fund Ltd (1)
Common Stock, \$0.0001 Par Value	09/02/2016	P	1,410	A	\$ 158.6171	120,600	I	By Starboard Value and Opportunity S LLC (2)
Common Stock, \$0.0001 Par Value	09/02/2016	P	1,880	A	\$ 158.9373	122,480	I	By Starboard Value and Opportunity S LLC (2)
Common Stock, \$0.0001	09/02/2016	P	795	A	\$ 158.6171	66,199	I	By Starboard Value and

Par Value								Opportunity C LP (3)
Common Stock, \$0.0001 Par Value	09/02/2016	Р	1,060	A	\$ 158.9373	67,259	I	By Starboard Value and Opportunity C LP (3)
Common Stock, \$0.0001 Par Value						1,271	D	
Common Stock, \$0.0001 Par Value						281,794	I	By Starboard T Fund LP (4)
Common Stock, \$0.0001 Par Value						186,206	I	By Starboard Leaders Select I LP
Common Stock, \$0.0001 Par Value						1,027,401	I	By Starboard Leaders India LLC
Common Stock, \$0.0001 Par Value						151,947	I	By Managed Account of Starboard Value LP (7)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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 $\label{thm:convergence} \begin{tabular}{ll} Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned \\ (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) \end{tabular}$ 

1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exercisable and	7. Title and	8. Price of	9. Nu
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transaction	orNumber	Expiration Date	Amount of	Derivative	Deriv
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/Year)	Underlying	Security	Secui
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4, and 5)

Date Expiration Or Number Of Shares

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Smith Jeffrey C 777 THIRD AVENUE, 18TH FLOOR X NEW YORK, NY 10017

## **Signatures**

/s/ Jeffrey C. 09/06/2016 Smith

\*\*Signature of Date
Reporting Person

# **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).

Securities owned directly by Starboard Value and Opportunity Master Fund Ltd ("Starboard V&O Fund"). The Reporting Person, solely by virtue of his position as a member of the Management Committee of Starboard Value GP LLC ("Starboard Value GP"), the general partner of the investment manager of Starboard V&O Fund, and as a member and member of the Management Committee of Starboard

- (1) Principal Co GP LLC ("Principal GP"), the general partner of the member of Starboard Value GP, may be deemed to beneficially own the securities directly held by Starboard V&O Fund for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended ("Section 16"). The Reporting Person expressly disclaims beneficial ownership of such securities except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
- Securities owned directly by Starboard Value and Opportunity S LLC ("Starboard S LLC"). The Reporting Person, solely by virtue of his position as a member of the Management Committee of Starboard Value GP, the general partner of the manager of Starboard S LLC, and as a member and member of the Management Committee of Principal GP, the general partner of the member of Starboard Value GP, may be deemed to beneficially own the securities directly held by Starboard S LLC for purposes of Section 16. The Reporting Person expressly disclaims beneficial ownership of such securities except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
  - Securities owned directly by Starboard Value and Opportunity C LP ("Starboard C LP"). The Reporting Person, solely by virtue of his position as a member of the Management Committee of Starboard Value GP, the general partner of the investment manager of Starboard
- (3) C LP, and as a member and member of the Management Committee of Principal GP, the general partner of the member of Starboard Value GP, may be deemed to beneficially own the securities directly held by Starboard C LP for purposes of Section 16. The Reporting Person expressly disclaims beneficial ownership of such securities except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
  - Securities owned directly by Starboard T Fund LP ("Starboard T LP"). The Reporting Person, solely by virtue of his position as a member of the Management Committee of Starboard Value GP, the general partner of the investment manager of Starboard T LP, and as a
- (4) member and member of the Management Committee of Principal GP, the general partner of the member of Starboard Value GP, may be deemed to beneficially own the securities directly held by Starboard T LP for purposes of Section 16. The Reporting Person expressly disclaims beneficial ownership of such securities except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
  - Securities owned directly by Starboard Leaders Select I LP ("Starboard Leaders Select I"). The Reporting Person, solely by virtue of his position as a member of the Management Committee of Starboard Value GP, the general partner of the investment manager of Starboard
- (5) Leaders Select I, and as a member and member of the Management Committee of Principal GP, the general partner of the member of Starboard Value GP, may be deemed to beneficially own the securities directly held by Starboard Leaders Select I for purposes of Section 16. The Reporting Person expressly disclaims beneficial ownership of such securities except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

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- Securities owned directly by Starboard Leaders India LLC ("Starboard India LLC"). The Reporting Person, solely by virtue of his position as a member of the Management Committee of Starboard Value GP, the general partner of the investment manager of Starboard
- (6) India LLC, and as a member and member of the Management Committee of Principal GP, the general partner of the member of Starboard Value GP, may be deemed to beneficially own the securities owned directly by Starboard India LLC for purposes of Section 16. The Reporting Person expressly disclaims beneficial ownership of such securities except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.
  - Securities held in an account managed by Starboard Value LP (the "Managed Account"). The Reporting Person, solely by virtue of his position as a member of the Management Committee of Starboard Value GP, the general partner of Starboard Value LP, and as a member
- (7) and member of the Management Committee of Principal GP, the general partner of the member of Starboard Value GP, may be deemed to beneficially own the securities held in the Managed Account for purposes of Section 16. The Reporting Person expressly disclaims beneficial ownership of such securities except to the extent of his pecuniary interest therein.

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