

AUTOZONE INC
Form 8-K
November 02, 2012

UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the

Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of report (Date of earliest event reported): November 2, 2012 (November 1, 2012)

AutoZone, Inc.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Nevada
(State or Other Jurisdiction

of Incorporation)

1-10714
(Commission

File Number)

62-1482048
(I.R.S. Employer

Identification No.)

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123 South Front Street

Memphis, Tennessee
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

(901) 495-6500

38103
(Zip Code)

(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

Not Applicable

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (*see* General Instruction A.2. below):

- .. Written communication pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- .. Pre-commencement communication pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- .. Pre-commencement communication pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

ITEM 1.01. ENTRY INTO A MATERIAL DEFINITIVE AGREEMENT.

On November 1, 2012, AutoZone, Inc. (the Company) entered into an underwriting agreement (the Underwriting Agreement) with Barclays Capital Inc., Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Incorporated and SunTrust Robinson Humphrey, Inc., as representatives of the several underwriters named therein (the Underwriters), whereby the Company agreed to sell and the Underwriters agreed to purchase, subject to and upon terms and conditions therein, \$300 million aggregate principal amount of the Company's 2.875% Notes due 2023 (the Notes). The Underwriting Agreement contains customary representations, warranties and agreements of the Company and customary conditions to closing, indemnification rights and obligations of the parties and termination provisions. The transaction is expected to close on November 13, 2012.

The Underwriters and their respective affiliates have, from time to time, performed, and may in the future perform, various financial advisory, commercial banking and investment banking services for the Company and its affiliates, for which they received or will receive customary fees and expense reimbursement. Certain of the Underwriters or their affiliates are lenders and/or agents under the Company's existing revolving credit facility.

The above description of the Underwriting Agreement is qualified in its entirety by reference to the Underwriting Agreement, a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit 1.1.

ITEM 9.01. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS.

(d) Exhibits. The following exhibit is furnished herewith:

| Exhibit No. | Description |
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| 1.1 | Underwriting Agreement, dated November 1, 2012, among the Company, Barclays Capital Inc., Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Incorporated and SunTrust Robinson Humphrey, Inc., as representatives of the several underwriters named therein. |

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.

Dated: November 2, 2012

AUTOZONE, INC.

By: /s/ HARRY L. GOLDSMITH
Name: Harry L. Goldsmith
Title: Executive Vice President, General Counsel

and Secretary

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