

AUTOZONE INC

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Telephone	9014956500
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Symbol	AZO
SIC Code	5531 - Retail-Auto and Home Supply Stores
Industry	Auto Vehicles, Parts & Service Retailers
Sector	Consumer Cyclical
Fiscal Year	08/29

UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 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): October 6, 2026

AUTOZONE, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Nevada

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

1-10714

(Commission File Number)

62-1482048

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

123 South Front Street
Memphis, Tennessee 38103

(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

(901) 495-6500

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

(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:

- ☐ Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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- ☐ Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

Title of each class	Trading Symbol(s)	Name of each exchange on which registered
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	AZO	New York Stock Exchange

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter). Emerging growth company ☐

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act. ☐

Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

On October 6, 2026, Claire R. McDonough communicated to the Board of Directors (the “Board”) of AutoZone, Inc. (the “Company”) her decision not to stand for reelection to the Board at the Company’s 2026 Annual Meeting of Stockholders. Ms. McDonough recently accepted a new executive role with a different company, and that company’s key events calendar conflicts with several of AutoZone’s future board meetings. Although the AutoZone Board would have preferred a different outcome, it expresses its sincere gratitude to Ms. McDonough for her wise counsel, valued insights, and meaningful contributions during her tenure. The Board wishes her continued success in all her future endeavors.

Ms. McDonough’s decision was not related to any disagreement with the Company on any matter relating to its operations, policies, or practices.

SIGNATURE

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

Date: October 9, 2026

AUTOZONE, INC.

By: /s/ Jenna M. Bedsole

Name: Jenna M. Bedsole

Title: Senior Vice President, General Counsel & Secretary