ADESA INC Form 4 December 19, 2006

FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * HITCHCOCK CAMERON			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol ADESA INC [KAR]			5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer			
(Last)				ansaction		(Check all applicable)			
13085 HAMILTON CROSSING BLVD.			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/15/2006			Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) EVP and Pres. of DSG			
				Amendment, Date Original (Month/Day/Year)			6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person		
CARMEL, I	IN 46032					Form filed by Person	More than One Ro	eporting	
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-D	erivative Sec	urities Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned	
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		Code	((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, par value \$.01 per share					,	7,630.381	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. NumborDerivative Securities Acquired or Dispo (D) (Instr. 3, and 5)	ve es d (A) esed of	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount of Number of Shares
Restricted Stock Units convertible to Common Stock	\$ 0						<u>(1)</u>	<u>(2)</u>	Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	16,599
Restricted Stock Units convertible to Common Stock	\$ 0						(3)	<u>(2)</u>	Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	2,356
Option to Purchase Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	\$ 24						<u>(4)</u>	06/16/2010	Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	265,58
Restricted Stock Units convertible to Common Stock	\$ 0						<u>(5)</u>	<u>(2)</u>	Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	1,535
Dividend Equivalent Rights	<u>(6)</u>	12/15/2006		A	49.506)	<u>(7)</u>	<u>(2)</u>	Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	49.506

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
HITCHCOCK CAMERON 13085 HAMILTON CROSSING BLVD. CARMEL, IN 46032			EVP and Pres. of DSG				

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Rebecca C. Polak for Cameron C. Hitchcock

**Signature of Reporting Person Date

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).
- (1) Restricted Stock Units vest on the third anniverary of the date of grant (6/16/04), provided that the executive is employed by ADESA, Inc. on such date at which time they will be converted into shares of ADESA, Inc. common stock or cash, at the election of ADESA, Inc.
- (2) N/A
- (3) Restricted Stock Units vest on the third anniversary of the date of grant (2/15/05), provided that the executive is employed by ADESA, Inc. on such date at which time they will be converted into shares of ADESA, Inc. common stock or cash, at the election of ADESA, Inc.
- (4) Options are fully vested and immediately exercisable.
- (5) Restricted Stock Units vest on the third anniversary of the date of grant (2/16/06), provided that the executive is employed by ADESA, Inc. on such date at which time they will be converted into shares of ADESA, Inc. common stock or cash, at the election of ADESA, Inc.
- (6) 1-for-1
- (7) The dividend equivalent rights accrued on Restricted Stock Units granted on 6/16/04 vest with those Restricted Stock Units.

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