Burman Darryl M Form 4 November 08, 2011

## FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Burman Darryl M  (Last) (First) (Middle)  800 GESSNER, SUITE 500  (Street)  HOUSTON, TX 77024			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GROUP 1 AUTOMOTIVE INC [GPI]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  (Check all applicable)			
			3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/04/2011	Director 10% OwnerX_ Officer (give title Other (specification) below)  VP & General Counsel			
			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Ac	quired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owner			

(eng)	(State)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned								
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any	3. Transactio Code	4. Securit n(A) or Di (Instr. 3,	sposed	d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial	
(msu. 3)		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	(mstr. 3,	(A)	3)	Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code V	Amount	or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)			
Common Stock	11/04/2011		F	1,852	D	\$ 46.34	71,985.62	D		
Common Stock	11/07/2011		F	794	D	\$ 46.83	71,191.62	D		

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

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						Excicisable	Date		of		
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

Burman Darryl M 800 GESSNER SUITE 500 HOUSTON, TX 77024

VP & General Counsel

## **Signatures**

/s/ Beth Sibley, attorney-in-fact for Darryl M. Burman

11/08/2011

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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