

DEBOER SIDNEY B  
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# FORM 5

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**ANNUAL STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
DEBOER SIDNEY B

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
LITHIA MOTORS INC [LAD]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
Chairman and CEO

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
360 E. JACKSON ST.  
(Street)

3. Statement for Issuer's Fiscal Year Ended (Month/Day/Year)  
12/31/2004

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Reporting  
(check applicable line)

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(City) (State) (Zip)

**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 (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at end of Issuer's Fiscal Year (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Class A Common	03/05/2004	Â	G	5,000 D \$ 0	104,500	I	Deboer Family, LLC <sup>(1)</sup>
Class A Common	03/10/2004	Â	G	5,000 D \$ 0	99,500	I	Deboer Family, LLC <sup>(1)</sup>
Class A Common	11/01/2004	Â	G	5,000 D \$ 0	94,500	I	Deboer Family, LLC <sup>(1)</sup>

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Class A Common	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	20,455	D	Â
Class A Common	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	10,126	I	By 401(k)
Class A Common	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	280	I	By Spouse in Joint Ownership with Mother <u>(2)</u>

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. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
					(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Class B Common	\$ 0	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â (3)	Â (3)	Class A Common	3,762,23
Stock Option (2000sd) (ISO) (right to buy)	\$ 18.43	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â (5)	01/06/2005	Class A Common	9,990
Stock Option (2000sd) (NQ) (right to buy)	\$ 16.75	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â (6)	01/06/2010	Class A Common	22,010
Stock Option (2002nq)	\$ 15.13	Â	Â	Â	Â	Â	12/26/2007	12/26/2012	Class A Common	16,000



## 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) Sidney B. Deboer is the trustee of the Sidney B. DeBoer Trust, which is the owner of a majority interest in the LLC and is the sole manager of the LLC
- (2) These shares are beneficially owned by reporting person's Mother-in-law in a joint account with reporting person's spouse and reporting person disclaims any beneficial ownership of these shares
- (3) Class B Common converts to Class A Common on a 1:1 ratio at holder's discretion.
- (4) Mr. DeBoer, through DeBoer Family, LLC, of which he is the sole manager, owns a majority interest in Lithia Holding Company, LLC, of which he is also the sole manager; and he has elected to report all Class B Common Stock owned by the Lithia Holding Company, LLC as being beneficially owned by him.
- (5) The options vest as follows: 4,745 on 1/6/03 and 5,245 on 1/6/04.
- (6) The options vest as follows: 13,627 on 1/6/01 and 8,383 on 1/6/02.
- (7) The options vest 8,360 shares on 12/26/00, 2,108 on 12/26/02, 10,565 on 12/26/03 and 10,755 on 12/26/04

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### Remarks:

This report also corrects error in beneficial ownership that resulted from a prior gift being reported.

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