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TOWER AUTOMOTIVE INC

Form 4 June 15, 2001

U.S. SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington D.C. 20549 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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(f) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

	Check this box if gations may continue			16.	Form 4	or	Form 5
1.	Name and Address of Jenab (Last)	Reporting Person* Ali (First)	(Middle)				
		5211 Cascade Road, (Street)	S.E.				
	Grand Rapids (City)	MI (State)	49546 (Zip)				
2.	Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Tower Automotive, Inc. TWR						
3.	IRS or Social Security Number of Reporting Person (Voluntary)						
4.	Statement for Month/Year 5/01						
5.	If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Year)						
6.	Relationship of Reporting Person to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
	_X Director Officer (give		10% Owner Other (specify	below)		
7.	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check applicable line)						
	X Form filed by Form filed by						
TABL	E I - Non-Derivative	Securities Acquire	d, Disposed of,	or Be	nefica	lly	Owned
1.	Title of Security (Instr. 3)					
2.	Transaction Date (M	onth/Day/Year)					
3.	Transaction Code (I Code V	nstr. 8)					

4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)

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Amount
          (A) or (D)
         Price
    Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at End of Month (Instr. 3 and 4)
    Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)
7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially
owned directly or indirectly
                           (Print or Type Responses)
*If the Form is filed by more than one Reporting Person, see Instruction 4(b)(v)
FORM 4 (continued)
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)
    Deferred Stock Units
    Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security
    Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)
    5/31/01
   Transaction Code (Instr. 8)
         Code A
    Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3,
     4, and 5)
          (A) 3,027.245
          (D)
    Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)
         Date Exercisable (1)
         Expiration Date
                             (1)
    Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)
7.
         Title
                                      Common Stock
         Amount or Number of Shares
                                       3,027.245
    Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)
    $9.91
   Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned at End of Month
    (Instr. 4)
    3,027.245
10. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)
     (Instr. 4)
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(D)

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11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

Explanation of Responses:

(1) Deferred Stock Units were accrued under the Company's Director Deferred Stock Purchase Plan. 756.811 shares are subject to forfeiture until the third anniversary of the transaction date.

/s/ Michael G. Wooldridge 6-13-01
**Signature of Reporting Person Date
Michael G. Wooldridge for
Ali Jenab by Power of Attorney

**Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space provided is insufficient, see Instruction 6 for procedure.