

ASBURY AUTOMOTIVE GROUP INC  
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**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): **December 12, 2003**

**Asbury Automotive Group, Inc.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware**  
(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

**5511**  
(Commission  
File Number)

**01-0609375**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

**Three Landmark Square, Suite 500, Stamford, CT 06901**  
(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)  
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code) **(203) 356-4400**  
  
(Former name or former address, if changed since last report) **None**

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**Item 5. Other Events and Regulation FD Disclosure.**

The registrant issued a press release on December 12, 2003 announcing a \$150 million private placement of senior subordinated notes, which press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

**Item 7. Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

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Exhibits

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<b>Exhibit No.</b>	<b>Description</b>
99.1	Press Release dated December 12, 2003.

**SIGNATURES**

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.

ASBURY AUTOMOTIVE GROUP, INC.

Date: December 12, 2003

By: /s/ KENNETH B. GILMAN

Name: Kenneth B. Gilman

Title: President and Chief Executive Officer

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