TOWER AUTOMOTIVE INC Form 8-K August 14, 2002

UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC 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) : August 13, 2002

TOWER AUTOMOTIVE, INC. (Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

DELAWARE

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

1-12733 (Commission File Number) 41-1746238 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

5211 Cascade Road, SE, Suite 300 Grand Rapids, Michigan 49546 (Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

(616) 802-1600 (Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

NOT APPLICABLE (Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

Item 9. Regulation FD Disclosure

On August 13, 2002, the Company's Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer, respectively, each filed sworn statements pursuant to the Commission's Order issued on June 27, 2002 pursuant to Section 21 (a) (1) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. A copy of each of those oaths is attached.

- Item 7. Financial Statements, Pro Forma Financial Information and Exhibits
 - (c) Exhibits

- 99.1 Statement Under Oath of the Chief Executive Officer of Tower Automotive, Inc. pursuant to the Commission's Order dated June 27, 2002 under Section 21(a)(1) of the Securities and Exchange Act.
- 99.2 Statement Under Oath of the Chief Financial Officer of Tower Automotive, Inc. pursuant to the Commission's Order dated June 27, 2002 under Section 21(a)(1) of the Securities and Exchange Act.

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 thereunto duly authorized.

TOWER AUTOMOTIVE, INC.

Date: August 13, 2002

By: /s/ Anthony A. Barone Anthony A. Barone, Vice President and Chief Financial Officer (Principal Accounting and Financial Officer)

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EXHIBIT 99.1 TOWER AUTOMOTIVE, INC.

Statement Under Oath of Principal Executive Officer and Principal Financial Officer Regarding Facts and Circumstances Relating to Exchange Act Filings

- I, Dugald K. Campbell, state and attest that:
 - (1) To the best of my knowledge, based upon a review of the covered reports of Tower Automotive, Inc. and, except as corrected or supplemented in a subsequent covered report:
 - no covered report contained an untrue statement of a material fact as of the end of the period covered by such report (or in the case of a report on Form 8-K or definitive proxy materials, as of the date on which it was filed); and
 - no covered report omitted to state a material fact necessary to make the statements in the covered report, in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading as of the end of the period covered by such report (or in the case of a report on Form 8-K or definitive proxy materials, as of the date on which it was filed).

- (2) I have reviewed the contents of this statement with the Company's audit committee.
- (3) In this statement under oath, each of the following, if filed on or before the date of this statement, is a "covered report":
- the Annual Report on Form 10-K filed with the Commission for the period ended December 31, 2001 of Tower Automotive, Inc.;
- all reports on Form 10-Q, all reports on Form 8-K and all definitive proxy materials of Tower Automotive, Inc. filed with the Commission subsequent to the filing of the Form 10-K identified above; and
- any amendments to any of the foregoing.

/s/ Dugald K. Campbell

Dugald K. Campbell, Principal Executive Officer August 12, 2002 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of August 2002.

/s/ Lyndann Adam

Notary Public

My Commission Expires: 6-5-06

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EXHIBIT 99.2 TOWER AUTOMOTIVE, INC.

Statement Under Oath of Principal Executive Officer and Principal Financial Officer Regarding Facts and Circumstances Relating to Exchange Act Filings

- I, Anthony A. Barone, state and attest that:
 - (1) To the best of my knowledge, based upon a review of the covered reports of Tower Automotive, Inc. and, except as corrected or supplemented in a subsequent covered report:
 - no covered report contained an untrue statement of a material fact as of the end of the period covered by such report (or in the case of a report on Form 8-K or definitive proxy materials, as of the date on which it was filed); and
 - no covered report omitted to state a material fact necessary to make the statements in the covered report, in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading as of the end of the period covered by such report (or in the case of a report on Form 8-K or definitive proxy materials, as of the date on which it was filed).
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- any amendments to any of the foregoing.

/s/ Anthony A. Barone

Anthony A. Barone, Principal Financial Officer August 12, 2002 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of August 2002.

/s/ Lyndann Adam

Notary Public

My Commission Expires: 6/5/06

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