#### **DOLLAR TREE INC**

Form 4 March 16, 2009

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

**SECURITIES** 

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

See Instruction

| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *_ FOTHERGILL JAMES E |          |          | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol      | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer   |  |  |
|---|----------|----------|---|--|--|--|
| (Last)  | (First)  | (Middle) | DOLLAR TREE INC [DLTR]  3. Date of Earliest Transaction | (Check all applicable)   |  |  |
| 500 VOLVO   | ,        | ,        | (Month/Day/Year)<br>03/14/2009                          | Director 10% Owner Other (specify below)   |  |  |
|   | (Street) |          | 4. If Amendment, Date Original                          | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check  |  |  |
| CHESAPEAKE, VA 23320  |          |          | Filed(Month/Day/Year)                                   | Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person |  |  |
| (City)  | (State)  | (Zip)    | Toble I Non Derivative Securities As                    | animad Disposed of an Ponoficially Owner   |  |  |

| (City)                               | (State) (                            | Zip) Table  | e I - Non-D  | erivative    | Secur  | ities Acqu   | uired, Disposed of  | , or Beneficiall | y Owned |
|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---|--|--------------|--|--|---|------------------|---------|
| 1.Title of<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if<br>any<br>(Month/Day/Year) | Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D)  Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)  (Instr. 8)  (A)  Or  (Instr. 8) |              | 5. Amount of<br>Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of<br>Indirect<br>Beneficial<br>Ownership<br>(Instr. 4) |                  |         |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 03/14/2009                           |   | Code V $M_{\underline{(3)}}$   | Amount 1,108 | (D)  | Price \$ 0 (1)   | 2,641   | D                |         |
| Common<br>Stock                      | 03/14/2009                           |   | F(4)   | 406          | D  | \$<br>41.21  | 2,235   | D                |         |

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<br>Derivative<br>Security<br>(Instr. 3) | 2.<br>Conversion<br>or Exercise<br>Price of<br>Derivative<br>Security | 3. Transaction Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 4.<br>Transacti<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) | 5. Number proof Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title an<br>Underlyin<br>(Instr. 3 ar | g Secur                      |
|---|---|---|---------------------------------------|--|--|--|------------------------------|
|   |   |   | Code V                                | (A) (D)  | Date Exercisable Expiration Date                         | Title                                    | Am<br>or<br>Nur<br>of<br>Sha |

 $M^{(3)}$ 

## **Reporting Owners**

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| Panarting Owner Name / Address | Relationships |
|--------------------------------|---------------|
| Reporting Owner Name / Address |               |

03/14/2009

Other Director 10% Owner Officer

FOTHERGILL JAMES E 500 VOLVO PARKWAY CHESAPEAKE, VA 23320

Chief People Officer

Common

Stock

1,108 03/14/2009<sup>(2)</sup> 03/14/2009<sup>(2)</sup>

## **Signatures**

Restricted

Stock Unit

/s/ Shawnta Totten, attorney-in-fact for Mr.

Fothergill 03/16/2009

> \*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

# **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) Convert without cost to shares of common stock on a one-for-one basis.
- Vests in three approximately equal annual installments, beginning the first anniversary of the award date, subject to continued **(2)** employment.
- (3) Portion vested at anniversary of three-year award.
- (4) Shares deemed surrendered in payment of tax liability resulting from vesting of restricted stock units.

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