

VASOS TODD J

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section
30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *
Â VASOS TODD J

(Last) (First) (Middle)

100 MISSION RIDGE

(Street)

GOODLETTSVILLE,Â TNÂ 37072

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Date of Event
Requiring Statement
(Month/Day/Year)
11/12/20093. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
DOLLAR GENERAL CORP [DG]4. Relationship of Reporting
Person(s) to Issuer5. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

(Check all applicable)

____ Director ____ 10%
Owner__X__ Officer ____ Other
(give title below) (specify below)
Div. Pres., Chief Merch. Ofc6. Individual or Joint/Group
Filing(Check Applicable Line)
__X__ Form filed by One Reporting
Person
____ Form filed by More than One
Reporting Person**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned**1. Title of Security
(Instr. 4)2. Amount of Securities
Beneficially Owned
(Instr. 4)3. Ownership
Form:
Direct (D)
or Indirect
(I)
(Instr. 5)4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial
Ownership
(Instr. 5)

Common Stock

74,286

D Â

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially
owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)1. Title of Derivative Security
(Instr. 4)2. Date Exercisable and
Expiration Date
(Month/Day/Year)Date
ExercisableExpiration
Date3. Title and Amount of
Securities Underlying
Derivative Security
(Instr. 4)Title Amount or
Number of
Shares4. Conversion
or Exercise
Price of
Derivative
Security5. Ownership
Form of
Derivative
Security:
Direct (D)
or Indirect6. Nature of Indirect
Beneficial
Ownership
(Instr. 5)

(I)
(Instr. 5)

Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	Â (1)	12/19/2018	Common Stock	250,000	\$ 7.9975	D	Â
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	03/19/2009	12/19/2018	Common Stock	8,333 (2)	\$ 7.9975	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
VASOS TODD J 100 MISSION RIDGE GOODLETTSVILLE, TN 37072	Â	Â	Â Div. Pres., Chief Merch. Ofc	Â

Signatures

/s/ Susan S. Lanigan,
Attorney-in-Fact

11/12/2009

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(b)(v).

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(1) The option becomes exercisable 20% per year beginning on December 1, 2009.

On December 19, 2008, the reporting person was granted an option to purchase 250,000 shares of common stock. The option vests in installments of 3.3332%, 20%, 20%, 20%, 20% and 96.6668% based on the Issuer's satisfaction of certain performance criteria for each of the fiscal years ended or ending January 30, 2009, January 29, 2010, January 28, 2011, February 3, 2012, February 1, 2013, and January 31, 2014. The performance criteria for the fiscal year ended January 30, 2009 were met, resulting in the vesting of the option as to 8,333 shares.

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Remarks:

ExhibitÂ List

ExhibitÂ 24--PowerÂ ofÂ Attorney

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