Ravener Robert D Form 4 June 06, 2012

## FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

(Last)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* Ravener Robert D

(First)

(Street)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Middle)

DOLLAR GENERAL CORP [DG]

(Check all applicable)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

06/05/2012

Director 10% Owner Other (specify

X\_ Officer (give title below)

**EVP & Chief People Officer** 

100 MISSION RIDGE

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)

\_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

GOODLETTSVILLE, TN 37072

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Ta	ble I - Non	-Derivative Secu	rities .	Acquired,	Disposed of, or B	eneficially O	wned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Accordisposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5	•	(A) or	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	06/05/2012		M	55,510	A	\$ 7.9975	55,510	D	
Common Stock	06/05/2012		F	26,266.8562	D	\$ 46.76	29,243.1438	D	
Common Stock	06/05/2012		D	0.1438	D	\$ 46.76	29,243	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 Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 7.9975	06/05/2012		M	1,379	<u>(1)</u>	08/28/2018	Common Stock	1,379
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 7.9975	06/05/2012		M	54,131	(3)	12/19/2018	Common Stock	54,131

## **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
D D1 (D		EVP &				
Ravener Robert D	Chief					
100 MISSION RIDGE GOODLETTSVILLE, TN 37072		People				
GOODLETTS VILLE, IN 3/0/2			Officer			

# **Signatures**

/s/ Robert D. Ravener	06/06/2012			
**Signature of	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) The securities reported in row one of column 5 vested on March 21, 2012.
- The number of securities reported in this column represents unvested options subject to time-vesting criteria which are scheduled to vest 50% on August 25, 2012 and 50% on August 25, 2013.

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- (3) The securities reported in row two of column 5 vested as to 4,762 shares on March 19, 2009, as to 11,429 shares on each of March 25, 2010, March 18, 2011, August 25, 2009 and August 25, 2010, and as to 3,653 shares on August 25, 2011.
- The number of securities reported in this column represents (a) 30,631 options subject to time-vesting criteria, 7,775 of which are vested (4) and the remainder of which are scheduled to vest 50% on August 25, 2012 and 50% on August 25, 2013; and (b) 11,428 options which vested after the Issuer's satisfaction of certain performance-vesting criteria.

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