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UNITED STATES 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): May 16, 2007

DOLLAR GENERAL CORPORATION

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

Tennessee 001-11421 61-0502302

(State or Other Jurisdiction (Commission (IRS Employer of Incorporation) File Number) Identification No.)

100 Mission Ridge, Goodlettsville, Tennessee 37072

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant ⊓s telephone number, including area code: (615) 855-4000

Not Applicable (Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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- "Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 8.01. Other Events.

On May 16, 2007, Dollar General announced that it will hold a special meeting of shareholders on June 21, 2007, at the Goodlettsville City Hall Auditorium, 105 South Main Street, Goodlettsville, Tennessee, 37072 at 10:00 a.m., for the purpose of voting on a proposal to approve the merger agreement with affiliates of investment funds affiliated with Kohlberg Kravis Roberts & Co. L.P. Shareholders of record as of the close of business on May 18, 2007, will be entitled to vote at the special meeting of shareholders.

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.

DOLLAR GENERAL CORPORATION

By: <u>/s/ Suasan S. Lanigan</u> Name: Susan S. Lanigan

Title: Executive Vice President and General

Counsel

Date: May 16, 2007

INDEX OF EXHIBITS

Number <u>Exhibit</u>

99.1 Press release dated May 16, 2007.