DOLLAR TREE STORES INC

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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF **SECURITIES**

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1(b).

(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

RUDMAN ROBERT H

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading

Symbol

DOLLAR TREE STORES INC

[DLTR]

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

500 VOLVO PARKWAY 03/31/2006

(First)

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

(Middle)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Check all applicable)

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Director 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title Other (specify

below) below)

Chief Merchandising Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

Person

CHESAPEAKE, VA 23320

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of 2. Transaction Date 2A. Deemed Security (Month/Day/Year) (Instr. 3)

Execution Date, if (Month/Day/Year)

3. 4. Securities TransactionAcquired (A) or Code Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)

5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following

6. Ownership 7. Nature of Form: Direct Indirect (D) or Indirect Beneficial Ownership (T) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4)

Reported Transaction(s)

(A) (Instr. 3 and 4) Code V Amount (D) Price

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 Conversion

or Exercise

Security

3. Transaction Date 3A. Deemed

(Month/Day/Year) Execution Date, if any

4. 5. Number of **Transaction**Derivative Code Securities

6. Date Exercisable and Expiration (Month/Day/Year)

7. Title and Amo Underlying Secu (Instr. 3 and 4)

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(Instr. 3)	Price of Derivative Security		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	f			
				Code V	(A) (D)) Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	An or Nu of S
Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 27.67	03/31/2006		A	12,500	03/31/2007(1)	03/31/2016(2)	Common Stock	12
Restricted Stock Unit	\$ 0 (3)	03/31/2006		A	3,125	03/31/2007(1)	03/31/2007(1)	Common Stock	3,

Reporting Owners

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

RUDMAN ROBERT H 500 VOLVO PARKWAY CHESAPEAKE, VA 23320

Chief Merchandising Officer

Signatures

/s/ Erica Robb, attorney-in-fact for Mr. Rudman

04/04/2006

**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) Vests in three approximately equal annual installments, beginning on the first anniversary of the award date, subject to continued employment.
- (2) Expires upon termination, with certain grace periods, or ten years after award, whichever is less.
- (3) Convert without cost to shares of common stock on a one-for-one basis.

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