

DOLLAR GENERAL CORP  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, 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 \*  
**O BRIANT STONIE R**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**DOLLAR GENERAL CORP [DG]**

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer  
(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
**100 MISSION RIDGE**  
  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
**03/15/2006**

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
**Executive Vice President**

**GOODLETTSVILLE, TN 37072**

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
\_\_\_\_ Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 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) |   |                        |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|---|------------------------|
|                                 |                                      |  | Code                           | V   | Amount  | (A) or (D)   | Price   |   |                        |
| Common Stock                    | 03/15/2006                           |  | M                              |   | 1,749.71  | A  | \$ 0 24,596.71  | D |                        |
| Common Stock                    | 03/15/2006                           |  | F                              |   | 479.53  | D  | \$ 17.65 24,117.18                                    | D |                        |
| Common Stock                    | 03/15/2006                           |  | D                              |   | 0.18  | D  | \$ 17.65 24,117                                       | D |                        |
| Common Stock                    |                                      |  |                                |   |   |  | 12,353.621  | I | By 401(k) Plan         |
| Common Stock                    |                                      |  |                                |   |   |  | 3,328   | I | As Custodian for Child |

|              |  |       |   |                        |
|--------------|--|-------|---|------------------------|
| Common Stock |  | 3,328 | I | As Custodian for Child |
| Common Stock |  | 3,328 | I | As Custodian for Child |
| Common Stock |  | 5,087 | I | By Spouse              |

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 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 Number of Shares |
| Restricted Stock Units                     | <u>1</u>   | 03/15/2006                           |  | M                              | 1,749.71  | 03/15/2006   | 03/15/2006  | Common Stock | 1,749.71                |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                     | Relationships |           |                          |       |
|--|---------------|-----------|--------------------------|-------|
|  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                  | Other |
| O BRIANT STONIE R<br>100 MISSION RIDGE<br>GOODLETTSVILLE, TN 37072 |               |           | Executive Vice President |       |

## Signatures

/s/ Susan S. Lanigan, By Power of Attorney  
03/17/2006

\*\*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) The restricted stock units convert to shares of common stock on a one-for-one basis.

The remaining restricted stock units vest and become payable on various dates ranging from August 24, 2006 to March 15, 2008. The total amount includes restricted stock units that were acquired since the reporting person's last report reflecting ownership of restricted stock units. Those units were acquired pursuant to automatic dividend reinvestments that were exempt from reporting pursuant to Rule 16a-11.

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