

Ravener Robert D  
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**FORM 4**

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

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(Print or Type Responses)

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

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)  
03/27/2013

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
EVP & Chief People Officer

GOODLETTSVILLE, TN 37072  
(City) (State) (Zip)

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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**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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price
Common Stock	03/27/2013		M		6,212	A	\$ 7.9975
Common Stock	03/27/2013		M		24,800	A	\$ 25.25
Common Stock	03/27/2013		F		19,010.9812	D	\$ 50.95
Common Stock	03/27/2013		D		1.0188	D	\$ 50.95
							33,135.0188
							33,134

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 or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 7.9975	03/27/2013		M	3,106	02/01/2013 08/28/2018	Common Stock 3,106
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 7.9975	03/27/2013		M	3,106	02/01/2013 12/19/2018	Common Stock 3,106
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 25.25	03/27/2013		M	24,800	<u>(3)</u> 03/24/2020	Common Stock 24,800

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Ravener Robert D 100 MISSION RIDGE GOODLETTSVILLE, TN 37072			EVP & Chief People Officer	

## Signatures

/s/ Robert D.  
Ravener 03/28/2013

\_\_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 number of securities reported in the first row of this column represents unvested time-based options with the same exercise price and expiration date as the options reported in the first row of column 5 that are scheduled to vest on August 25, 2013.
- (2) The number of securities reported in the second row of this column represents unvested time-based options with the same exercise price and expiration date as the options reported in the second row of column 5 that are scheduled to vest on August 25, 2013.
- (3) The securities reported in the third row of this column vested as to 4,472 shares on February 3, 2012, as to 13,422 shares on March 24, 2012, and as to 6,906 shares on February 1, 2013.
- (4) The number of securities reported in the third row of this column represents (a) 13,422 unvested time-based options with the same exercise price and expiration date as the options reported in the third row of column 5 that are scheduled to vest on March 24, 2014; and (b) 19,938 vested options.

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