DOLLAR TREE INC

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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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(Last)

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * PHILBIN GARY M

(First)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

(Middle)

DOLLAR TREE INC [DLTR]

500 VOLVO PARKWAY

3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 04/01/2012

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Chief Operating Officer

(Check all applicable)

(Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original

Applicable Line)

Filed(Month/Day/Year)

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Person

CHESAPEAKE, VA 23320

(City)	(State)	(State) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owner							ly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. 4. Securities Acquired Transaction(A) or Disposed of (D) Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (Instr. 8)				5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	04/01/2012		M(3)	9,000	A	\$ 0 (2)	47,203	D	
Common Stock	04/01/2012		F(4)	3,799	D	\$ 94.49	43,404	D	
Common Stock	04/01/2012		M(3)	6,463	A	\$ 0 (2)	49,867	D	
Common Stock	04/01/2012		F(4)	2,728	D	\$ 94.49	47,139	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 Owne	ed.
(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. 5. Number Transaction Derivative Code Securities (Instr. 8) 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	Amoun or Numbe of Shares
Restricted Stock Unit	\$ 0 (2)	04/01/2012		M(3)	9,000	04/01/2012(1)	04/01/2012	Common Stock	9,000
Restricted Stock Unit	\$ 0	04/01/2012		M(3)	6,463	04/01/2012(5)	04/01/2012	Common Stock	6,463

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Officer Other Director 10% Owner

PHILBIN GARY M 500 VOLVO PARKWAY CHESAPEAKE, VA 23320

Chief Operating Officer

Signatures

/s/ Shawnta Totten, attorney-in-fact for Mr. Philbin

04/02/2012

Date

**Signature of Reporting Person

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).
- The Compensation Committee certified on 3/17/2010 that the company achieved its 2009 performance target for awards **(1)** granted on April 1, 2009 and that shares will vest in three approximately equal installments, beginning on the first anniversary of the award date, subject to continued employment.
- **(2)** Convert without cost to shares of common stock on a one-for-one basis.
- (3) Portion vested at anniversary of three-year award.

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- (4) Shares deemed surrendered in payment of tax liability resulting from vesting of restricted stock units.
- The Compensation Committee certified on 3/14/2012 that the Company achieved its 2011 performance target for performanced-based restricted stock units granted on 4/1/2011 and that shares will vest in approximately three equal installments, beginning on the first anniversary of the award date, subject to continued employment.

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