DOLLAR GENERAL CORP

Form 4

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FORM 4

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * TURNER CAL /TN			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)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check an applicable)		
100 MISSION	N RIDGE		(Month/Day/Year) 02/09/2005	Director 10% Owner Officer (give titleX Other (specify below) Employee Advisor to the Board		
(Street)			4. If Amendment, Date Original	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
GOODLETTSVILLE, TN 37072			Filed(Month/Day/Year)	Applicable Line) _X_ 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								lly Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired on(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	02/09/2005		Code V S(1)	Amount 200	(D)	Price \$ 21.88	(Instr. 3 and 4) 9,016,989	D	
Common Stock	02/09/2005		S <u>(1)</u>	100	D	\$ 21.9	9,016,889	D	
Common Stock	02/09/2005		S <u>(1)</u>	500	D	\$ 21.89	9,016,389	D	
Common Stock	02/09/2005		S <u>(1)</u>	2,000	D	\$ 21.96	9,014,389	D	
Common Stock	02/09/2005		S(1)	1,000	D	\$ 21.97	9,013,389	D	

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Common Stock	02/09/2005	S(1)	4,000	D	\$ 22	9,009,389	D	
Common Stock	02/09/2005	S(1)	1,800	D	\$ 22.01	9,007,589	D	
Common Stock	02/09/2005	S(1)	100	D	\$ 22.04	9,007,489	D	
Common Stock	02/09/2005	S <u>(1)</u>	500	D	\$ 21.91	9,006,989 (2)	D	
Common Stock						500,000	I	By Cal Turner, Jr. Annuity Trust 2004-1
Common Stock						338,811	I	By Hurley Calister Turner, Jr. 1994 Trust
Common Stock						586,552	I	By Elizabeth Turner Campbell 1994 Trust
Common Stock						758,836	I	By Spouse
Common Stock						6,343,780	I	By Turner Children Trust
Common Stock						10,265	I	By IRA
Common Stock						11,533	I	By 401(k)

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		3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transactio	5. onNumber	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date	7. Title and Amount of	8. Price of Derivative	
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/Year)	Underlying	Security	Secui
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivativ	e	Securities	(Instr. 5)	Bene
	Derivative				Securities	3	(Instr. 3 and 4)		Own

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Security

Acquired
(A) or
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of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)

Code V (A) (D) Date Expiration Title Amount

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Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

TURNER CAL /TN 100 MISSION RIDGE GOODLETTSVILLE, TN 37072

Employee Advisor to the Board

Signatures

/s/ Susan S. Lanigan, by Power of Attorney

02/10/2005

**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) This sale was made pursuant to the terms and conditions of a Rule 10b5-1 Sales Plan, which the reporting person entered into on June 24, 2004.
- Due to technical restrictions imposed by the on-line reporting system, the reporting person filed one additional Form 4 (for a total of two Forms 4) to report transactions occurring on February 9, 2005. The direct end of period holdings reported on this Form 4 represents the total number of shares of Common Stock held directly by the reporting person following all transactions that occurred on February 9, 2005.

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