

DOLLAR GENERAL CORP

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FORM 4

(Statement of Changes in Beneficial Ownership)

Filed 04/25/03 for the Period Ending 04/23/03

Address	100 MISSION RIDGE GOODLETTSVILLE, TN, 37072
Telephone	6158554000
CIK	0000029534
Symbol	DG
SIC Code	5331 - Retail-Variety Stores
Industry	Discount Stores
Sector	Consumer Cyclical
Fiscal Year	02/02

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* Turner, Jr. Hurley C.			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Dollar General Corporation (DG)			6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify below)		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. I.R.S. Identification Number of Reporting Person, if an entity (voluntary)			4. Statement for Month/Day/Year April 23, 2003		
100 Mission Ridge			5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year)			7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(Street)								
Goodlettsville, TN 37072			Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned					
(City)	(State)	(Zip)						

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Trans- action Date (mm/dd/yy)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (mm/dd/yy)	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. Owner- ship 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								12,102,412(1)	D	
Common Stock								10,265	I	By IRA
Common Stock								76,745(1)	I	By CT Annuity Trust
Common Stock								82	I	By Estate of CT, Sr.
Common Stock	04/23/2003		G(2)	V	528,314	D		765,306	I	By HCT 1994 Trust
Common Stock	04/23/2003		G(2)	V	792,502	D		738,678	I	By JST 1994 Trust
Common Stock	04/23/2003		G(2)	V	742,502	D		1,138,534	I	By LJD 1994 Trust
Common Stock	04/23/2003		G(2)	V	742,502	D		1,139,011	I	By ETC 1994 Trust
Common Stock								758,836	I	By Spouse
Common Stock								6,343,780	I	By Turner Children Trust
Common Stock								11,649	I	By 401(k)

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.
* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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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 (mm/dd/yy)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (mm/dd/yy)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (mm/dd/yy)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following	10. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
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5)				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares			

Explanation of Responses:

- (1) Since the reporting person's last report, 73,255 shares held by the CT Annuity Trust have been distributed to the reporting person and are now owned directly.
- (2) Consists of gifts to charitable organizations made on April 23, 2003 pursuant to previously adopted 10b5-1 trading plans.

** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

/s/ **Susan S. Lanigan**

4-25-03

**Signature of Reporting Person
Attorney-in-Fact

Date

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