

DOLLAR GENERAL CORP

Reported by SUNDERLAND STEVEN G

FORM 3

(Initial Statement of Beneficial Ownership)

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Symbol DG

SIC Code 5331 - Retail-Variety Stores

Industry Discount Stores

Sector Consumer Cyclicals

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * SUNDERLAND STEVEN G		2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (MM/DD/YYYY) 8/27/2019		3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol DOLLAR GENERAL CORP [DG]					
(Last) (First) (Middle) 4. Relationship of the process of the pro		irector Officer (give titl							
GOODLETTSVILLE, TN 37072 (City) (State) (Zip) 5. If Amendme Original Filed(D/YYYY)	K _ Form filed by C	One Reporting Person	pint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) Reporting Person te than One Reporting Person			
	Tal	ble I - Non-D	erivative Secu	rities Benefic	cially Owned				
1.Title of Security (Instr. 4)					-	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)			
Common Stock			7461 ⁽¹⁾		D				
Table II - Derivat	ive Securitie	s Beneficially	Owned (e.g.,	puts, calls, w	arrants, options,	convertible secu	rities)		
(Instr. 4) Expi		Date Exercisable and piration Date M/DD/YYYY)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)		
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)			
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(2)	12/3/2024	Common Stock	6536	\$66.69	D			
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(3)	3/17/2025	Common Stock	10002	\$74.72	D			
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(4)	3/16/2026	Common Stock	10016	\$84.67	D			
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	<u>(5)</u>	3/22/2027	Common Stock	9018	\$70.68	D			
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(6)	3/21/2028	Common Stock	6877	\$92.98	D			
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	(7)	3/20/2029	Common Stock	6420	\$117.13	D			

Explanation of Responses:

(1) Includes 375 restricted stock units representing the right to receive shares of common stock upon vesting ("RSUs") that are scheduled to vest on April 1, 2020, subject to certain forfeiture and accelerated vesting provisions; 596 RSUs that are scheduled to vest evenly on April 1, 2020 and April 1, 2021, subject to certain forfeiture and accelerated vesting provisions; 853 RSUs that are scheduled to vest in three annual installments of 33 1/3% beginning on April 1, 2020, subject to certain forfeiture and accelerated vesting provisions; 203 earned but unvested performance share units representing the right to receive shares of common stock upon vesting ("PSUs") that are scheduled to vest on April 1, 2020, subject to certain forfeiture and accelerated vesting provisions;

and 292 earned but unvested PSUs that are scheduled to vest evenly on April 1, 2020 and April 1, 2021, subject to certain forfeiture and accelerated vesting provisions.

- (2) Vested as to 1,634 shares on December 3, 2015, as to 1,634 shares on December 3, 2016, as to 1,634 shares on December 3, 2017, and as to 1,634 shares on December 3, 2018.
- (3) Vested as to 2,502 shares on April 1, 2016, as to 2,500 shares on April 1, 2017, as to 2,500 shares on April 1, 2018, and as to 2,500 shares on April 1, 2019.
- (4) Vested as to 2,504 shares on April 1, 2017, as to 2,504 shares on April 1, 2018, and as to 2,504 shares on April 1, 2019. The remaining portion of the option is scheduled to vest as to the 2,504 shares on April 1, 2020, subject to certain forfeiture and accelerated vesting provisions.
- (5) Vested as to 2,256 shares on April 1, 2018 and as to 2,254 shares on April 1, 2019. The remaining portion of the option is scheduled to vest as to 2,254 shares on April 1, 2020 and as to 2,254 shares on April 1, 2021, subject to certain forfeiture and accelerated vesting provisions.
- (6) Vested as to 1,720 shares on April 1, 2019. The remaining portion of the option is scheduled to vest as to the 5,157 shares in three annual installments of 33 1/3% beginning on April 1, 2020, subject to certain forfeiture and accelerated vesting provisions.
- (7) Vests in four annual installments of 25% beginning on April 1, 2020, subject to certain forfeiture and accelerated vesting provisions.

Remarks:

Exhibit List: Exhibit 24--Power of Attorney

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
SUNDERLAND STEVEN G						
100 MISSION RIDGE			EVP, Store Operation			
GOODLETTSVILLE, TN 37072						

Signatures

/s/ Steven G. Sunderland

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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 5(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).

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Know all by these presents, that the undersigned hereby constitutes and appoints each of Rhonda M. Taylor and Christine L. Connolly, each of whom may act individually, the undersigned's true and lawful attorney-in-fact to:

- (1) execute for and on behalf of the undersigned, in the undersigned's capacity as an officer and/or director of Dollar General Corporation (the "Company"), Forms 3, 4 and 5 in accordance with Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the rules thereunder;
- (2) do and perform any and all acts for and on behalf of the undersigned which may be necessary or desirable to complete and execute any such Form 3, 4 or 5 and timely file such form with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") and any stock exchange or similar authority;
- (3) complete, execute and file a Form ID or such other document or documents as may be required from time to time by the SEC to enable the filing of such Form 3, 4 or 5; and
- (4) take any other action of any type whatsoever in connection with the foregoing which, in the opinion of such attorney-in-fact, may be of benefit to, in the best interest of, or legally required by, the undersigned, it being understood that the documents executed by such attorney-in-fact on behalf of the undersigned pursuant to this Power of Attorney shall be in such form and shall contain such terms and conditions as such attorney-in-fact may approve in such attorney-in-fact's discretion.

The undersigned hereby grants to each such attorney-in-fact full power and authority to do and perform any and every act and thing whatsoever requisite, necessary or proper to be done in the exercise of any of the rights and powers herein granted, as fully to all intents and purposes as the undersigned might or could do if personally present, with full power of substitution or revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that such attorney-in-fact, or such attorney-in-fact's substitute or substitutes, shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue of this Power of Attorney and the rights and powers herein granted. The undersigned acknowledges that each of the foregoing attorneys-in-fact,

in serving in such capacity at the request of the undersigned, is not assuming, nor is the Company assuming, any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

This Power of Attorney shall remain in full force and effect until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4 and 5 with respect to the undersigned's holdings of and transactions in securities issued by the Company, unless earlier revoked by the undersigned in a signed writing delivered to the foregoing attorneys-in-fact.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has caused this Power of Attorney to be executed as of this 22nd day of August 2019.

/s/ Steven G. Sunderland

Steven G. Sunderland