

DOLLAR TREE STORES INC  
Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

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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 \*  
FOTHERGILL JAMES E

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
DOLLAR TREE STORES INC  
[DLTR]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
500 VOLVO PARKWAY  
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
06/06/2007

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

CHESAPEAKE, VA 23320

(City) (State) (Zip)

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

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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 Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|---|--|---|
|                                 |                                      |  | Code                           | V Amount (A) or (D) Price   |   |  |   |
| Common Stock                    | 06/06/2007                           |  | M                              | 30,000 A \$ 30  | 32,843  | D  |   |
| Common Stock                    | 06/06/2007                           |  | M                              | 25,000 A \$ 31.62   | 57,843  | D  |   |
| Common Stock                    | 06/06/2007                           |  | M                              | 25,000 A \$ 25.26   | 82,843  | D  |   |
| Common Stock                    | 06/06/2007                           |  | M                              | 12,500 A \$ 24.95   | 95,343  | D  |   |
| Common Stock                    | 06/06/2007                           |  | S                              | 92,500 D \$ 44.8103   | 2,843   | D  |   |

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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 Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | Amount or Number of Shares |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|---|--|---|----------------------------|
| Stock Option (right to buy)                | \$ 30  | 06/06/2007                           |  | M                              | 30,000  | 03/27/2001 <sup>(2)</sup> 03/27/2010 <sup>(3)</sup>      | Common Stock  | 30,000                     |
| Stock Option (right to buy)                | \$ 31.62   | 06/06/2007                           |  | M                              | 25,000  | 03/11/2003 <sup>(2)</sup> 03/11/2012 <sup>(3)</sup>      | Common Stock  | 25,000                     |
| Stock Option (right to buy)                | \$ 25.26   | 06/06/2007                           |  | M                              | 25,000  | 05/10/2005 <sup>(2)</sup> 05/10/2014 <sup>(3)</sup>      | Common Stock  | 25,000                     |
| Stock Option (right to buy)                | \$ 24.95   | 06/06/2007                           |  | M                              | 12,500  | 06/02/2006 <sup>(4)</sup> 06/02/2015 <sup>(3)</sup>      | Common Stock  | 12,500                     |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                  | Relationships |           |                      |       |
|---|---------------|-----------|----------------------|-------|
|   | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer              | Other |
| FOTHERGILL JAMES E<br>500 VOLVO PARKWAY<br>CHESAPEAKE, VA 23320 |               |           | Chief People Officer |       |

## Signatures

/s/ Erica Robb, attorney-in-fact for Mr.  
Fothergill

06/07/2007

\_\_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) Average price of multiple related trades. Transaction detail is included in Exhibit 99 to this Form 44.
- (2) Vests in 5 approximately equal annual installments beginning on the first anniversary of the award date, subject to continued employment. Shares vested in full Dec. 15, 2005.
- (3) Expires upon termination, with certain grace periods, or ten years after award, whichever is less.
- (4) Vests in three approximately equal annual installments, beginning on the first anniversary of the award date, subject to continued employment. Vested in full Dec 15, 2005.

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