

DOLLAR GENERAL CORP  
Form FWP  
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**Filed Pursuant to Rule 433  
Issuer Free Writing Prospectus dated September 27, 2012  
Relating to Preliminary Prospectus Supplement dated September 27, 2012  
Registration No. 333-165800**

**DOLLAR GENERAL CORPORATION**

**Offering of  
36,000,000 shares of Common Stock,  
par value \$0.875 per share**

**FREE WRITING PROSPECTUS**

This free writing prospectus of Dollar General Corporation relates only to the offering of its common stock described in, and should be read together with, the preliminary prospectus supplement, dated September 27, 2012 (the Preliminary Prospectus Supplement), which supplements the prospectus included in Dollar General Corporation's Registration Statement on Form S-3, as amended (File No. 333-165800), as filed with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (the SEC), before deciding to invest in the common stock offered thereby.

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| Common stock offered by the selling shareholders: | 36,000,000 shares  |
| Underwriters' option:                             | Certain of the selling shareholders have granted the underwriters a 30-day option to purchase up to 5,400,000 additional shares. |
| Initial price to the public:                      | \$51.75  |

We have been advised that, prior to purchasing the common stock being offered pursuant to the prospectus supplement, on September 27, 2012, one of the underwriters purchased, on behalf of the syndicate, 70,691 shares of common stock at an average price of \$51.75 per share in stabilizing transactions.

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