

Dollar Tree Provides Mid-Quarter Business Update

CHESAPEAKE, Va. - January 4, 2007 - Dollar Tree Stores, Inc. (NASDAQ: DLTR), the nation's largest \$1.00 discount variety store chain, provided its Mid-Quarter Business Update on a pre-recorded message by Kent Kleeberger, Dollar Tree's Chief Financial Officer.

Mr. Kleeberger stated that, as of January 4, 2007, fourth quarter sales for fiscal year 2006 may be characterized as near the upper end of the Company's previously announced sales guidance of \$1.28 to \$1.31 billion. As a reminder, these results include an extra week in fiscal January, commensurate with the 53-week retail calendar for fiscal 2006.

Interested parties may dial 757-321-5873 for the Company's pre-recorded message.

The Company's official sales release for fourth quarter is scheduled for Thursday, February 8, 2007, before market opening.

Dollar Tree Stores is the nation's largest \$1.00 discount variety store chain. As of January 4, 2007, Dollar Tree operated 3,232 stores in 48 states, compared to 2,923 stores in 48 states at January 5, 2006.

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