SHAW THOMAS J

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FORM 4

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading SHAW THOMAS J Issuer Symbol RETRACTABLE TECHNOLOGIES (Check all applicable) INC [RVP] (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction __X__ Director _X__ 10% Owner X_ Officer (give title __Other (specify (Month/Day/Year) below) 511 LOBO LANE 06/21/2018 President and CEO (Street) 4. If Amendment, Date Original 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting

LITTLE ELM, TX 75068

| | , | | | | | | Person | | |
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| (City) | (State) | (Zip) Tab | le I - Non-l | Derivative | Secu | rities Acc | quired, Disposed | of, or Benefici | ally 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. Securi or(A) or Di (Instr. 3, | ispose 4 and (A) or | d of (D) | 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) |
| Common Stock | 06/21/2018 | | P | 4,500 (1) | A | 0.716 (2) | 13,504,413 | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | 4,270,000 | I | Voting or Investment Control (3) |

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 | 2. | 3. Transaction Date | 3A. Deemed | 4. | 5. | 6. Date Exerc | cisable and | 7. Title | and | 8. Price of | 9. Nu |
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| Derivative | Conversion | (Month/Day/Year) | Execution Date, if | Transactio | orNumber | Expiration D | ate | Amount | t of | Derivative | Deriv |
| Security | or Exercise | | any | Code | of | (Month/Day/ | Year) | Underly | ing | Security | Secui |
| (Instr. 3) | Price of | | (Month/Day/Year) | (Instr. 8) | Derivative | e | | Securitie | es | (Instr. 5) | Bene |
| | Derivative | | | | Securities | | | (Instr. 3 | and 4) | | Own |
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| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | | | S | hares | | |

Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Relationships | | | | | | |
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| Troporting of the France of France of | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | |
| SHAW THOMAS J 511 LOBO LANE LITTLE ELM, TX 75068 | X | X | President and CEO | | | | |

Signatures

Thomas J. Shaw 06/22/2018 **Signature of Date Reporting Person

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).
- The purchases reported in this Form 4 were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 Purchase Plan entered into September 29, 2017.
- Represents the weighted average purchase price. Mr. Shaw will provide to the SEC, the Issuer, or a security holder of the Issuer, full **(2)** information regarding the number of shares purchased at each price upon written request.
- Mr. Shaw has investment power over 1,500,000 shares as Trustee for the benefit of family members. Mr. Shaw has voting control over the remainder of the shares pursuant to a voting agreement.

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