

ROBERTS JAMES J
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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 *
ROBERTS JAMES J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
NEWELL RUBBERMAID INC
[NWL]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)
18321 BOWSPIRIT POINTE ROAD
(Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)
04/27/2006

____ Director
 Officer (give title below)
____ 10% Owner
____ Other (specify below)
President - Rubbermaid/Irwin

CORNELIUS, NC 28031

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

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)
 Form filed by One Reporting Person
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(City) (State) (Zip)

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 Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V	Amount or Price		
Common Stock	04/27/2006		M		6,860 (1)	A	\$ 24 84,550 D
Common Stock	04/27/2006		M		10,000 (1)	A	\$ 22.98 94,550 D
Common Stock	04/27/2006		S		16,860 (1)	D	\$ 27 77,690 D

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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 Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 24	04/27/2006		M	6,860 (1)	(2) 05/09/2011	Common Stock	6,860
Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 22.98	04/27/2006		M	10,000 (1)	(3) 05/13/2014	Common Stock	10,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
ROBERTS JAMES J 18321 BOWSPIRIT POINTE ROAD CORNELIUS, NC 28031			President - Rubbermaid/Irwin	

Signatures

/s/ Christine E. Vogt, Attorney in Fact for James J. Roberts

05/01/2006

__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) The transactions were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan.
- (2) Options become exercisable in three equal installments on May 9, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005 and 2006.
- (3) Options become exercisable in three equal installments on May 13, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008 and 2009.
- (4) Not applicable

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