FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

<b>STATEMENT</b>	<b>OF CHANGES</b>	IN BENEFICIAL	<b>OWNERSHIP</b>

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  KETCHUM MARK D					2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NEWELL RUBBERMAID INC [ NWL ]						(Che	ck all application	able)	Person(s) to Iss 10% C			
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O NEWELL RUBBERMAID INC.					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/11/2009						_	X Officer (give title below)  President and CEO				peony	
THREE GLENLAKE PKWY.																	
(Street) ATLANTA GA 30328			4.	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)					Line	dividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable )  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person							
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)														
		Та	ble I - Non-De	erivati	ve Se	ecurities	s Ac	quired, D	ispose	d of,	or Ber	neficially	Owned				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transi Date (Month/L			е	action Day/Year)  2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Code (Ins	Transaction Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 Code (Instr.		d (A) or r. 3, 4 and 5	5. Amoun Securities Beneficia Owned Fo	s lly ollowing	Form: (D) or	5. Ownership Form: Direct D) or Indirect I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
			Code V			Amo	unt	(A) or (D)	Price	Transacti (Instr. 3 a	ion(s)			,			
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)	ivative Conversion Date Execution Date, or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any Co		Transa Code	nsaction Derivative E		Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) of Secur Underly Derivation		. Title and Amount f Securities Inderlying Ierivative Security Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficial Owned Following Reported	ly	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expirati Date		itle	Amount or Number of Shares		Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)			
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	02/11/2009		A		160,000		(2)	(2)		Common Stock	160,000	\$0	160,00	0	D	
Option (Right to Buy)	\$7.71	02/11/2009		A		413,000		(3)	02/11/20		Common Stock	413,000	\$0	413,00	0	D	

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Each restricted stock unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Newell Rubbermaid common stock.
- 2. The reporting person shall become fully vested in his or her award upon the third anniversary of the date of the grant of the award, but the award may vest earlier in the event of death, disability or retirement. Vested shares are to be delivered to the reporting person within 30 days following the date of vesting. Prior to the vesting of the award, if the Company pays a dividend on its common stock, the reporting person will receive an amount in cash equal in value to the dividends that the reporting person would have received had the reporting person been the actual owner of the number of shares of Newell Rubbermaid common stock represented by the restricted stock units.
- 3. Options become exercisable on the third anniversary of the date of grant.

## Remarks:

/s/ Christine E. Hermann,

Attorney in Fact for Mark D.

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\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

02/17/2009

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- \* 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).

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