FORM 4

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

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* $\underline{Sweet\ James\ M}$						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NEWELL RUBBERMAID INC [ NWL ]									elationship o eck all applic Directo	able)	9 Pers	on(s) to Iss 10% Ov Other (s	vner	
						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/08/2012								_ 2	below)			below)	` ´	
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(Street) ATLANTA GA 30328				4. 11									Line	X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)												. 0.00					
		Tab	le I - Non	-Deriv	ative	e Sec	curities	s Ac	quired, D	Disp	osed o	f, or E	Bene	ficiall	y Owned					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transac Date (Month/Date)						ar) E	A. Deeme xecution any Month/Da	Date,	Transaction Disposed Of (D) Code (Instr. 5)				ies Acquired (A) o Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a			es For ally (D) Following (I) (		: Direct Indirect str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
								Code	v	Amount	(A) or Pi		Price	Transact	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)		
	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 D if any (Month/Day/	ate, T	4. Transactic Code (Inst				6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title of Sect Underl Derivat (Instr. 3	urities ying tive Se	curity	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)		e es ally g d ion(s)	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				c	Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		expiration Date	Title	OI N Of	umber						
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	02/08/2012			A		17,866		(2)		(2)	Commo		7,866	\$0	17,866	5	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 to 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.

## Remarks:

/s/ Christine E. Hermann, 02/10/2012 Attorney in Fact for James M.

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person 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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