

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person
Montgomery, Cynthia A.
200 Clifton Street
Belmont, MA 02178
2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol
Newell Rubbermaid Inc. (NWL)
3. IRS or Social Security Number of Reporting Person (Voluntary)
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4. Statement for Month/Year
5/2002
5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year)
6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)
(X) Director () 10% Owner
() Officer (give title below) () Other (specify below)
7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)
(X) Form filed by One Reporting Person
() Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

TABLE I -- Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security	2. Trans- action Date (Month/ Day/ Year)	3. Trans- action Code		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned at End of Month	6. Owner- ship Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I)	7. Nature of In- direct Bene- ficial Owner- ship
		Code	V	Amount	A/D	Price			
Common Stock							100	D	

TABLE II -- Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.	9.	10.	11.	
Title of Derivative Security	Deriv- ative Security	Transac- tion Date (Month/ Day/Year)	Transac- tion Code	Number of Derivative Securities Acquired(A) Disposed(D)	Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	Title and Amount of Underlying Securities	Amount or Number of Shares	Price of Derivative at End of Month	Number of Deriv- ative Secur- ities Benefi- cially Owned (D) or In- direct (I)	Owner- ship Form of Deriv- ative Secur- ity: Direct (D) or In- direct (I)	Nature of Bene- ficial Owner- ship
Option (Right to Buy)						Common Stock			5000	D	
Option (Right to Buy)					11/09/2005	Common Stock			5000	D	
Option (Right to Buy)		05/08/2002	A	5000	05/08/2012	Common Stock	5000	\$35.2000		D	
Option (Right to Buy)		05/08/2002	J	5000	05/08/2012	Common Stock	5000	\$0.0000	0	D	
Option (Right to Buy)		05/09/2002	A	2000	05/09/2012	Common Stock	2000	\$35.3400	2000	D	
Option (Right to Buy)					11/05/2007	Common Stock			5000	D	

Explanation of Responses:

Options become exercisable in annual installments of 20% of the number of options granted.

Based on our 1993 Stock Option Plan, Ms. Montgomery was inadvertently offered this grant in error.

Options become exercisable in annual installments of 20% on the number of options granted.

SIGNATURE OF REPORTING PERSON
/s/ Cynthia A. Montgomery

DATE
06/26/2002