

NEWELL RUBBERMAID INC  
Form 8-K  
March 17, 2006

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UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of Earliest Event Reported):

March 14, 2006

**Newell Rubbermaid Inc.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

001-09608

363514169

(State or other jurisdiction  
of incorporation)

(Commission  
File Number)

(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

10B Glenlake Parkway, Suite 300, Atlanta,  
Georgia

30328

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code:

770-407-3800

Not Applicable

Former name or former address, if changed since last report

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- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))



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**Item 1.01 Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement.**

On March 14, 2006, Newell Rubbermaid Inc. (the "Company") entered into an employment security agreement (the "Agreement") with Mark D. Ketchum, President and Chief Executive Officer of the Company. The material terms of the Agreement, which provide for the covered executive to receive severance payments and other benefits in the event of a termination of employment, under certain circumstances, following a "change in control" of the Company, are summarized under Item 1.01 of the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K dated November 10, 2004, as filed as with the Securities and Exchange Commission on November 15, 2004, which description is incorporated herein by this reference.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

Form of Employment Security Agreement between the Company and Mark D. Ketchum (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10 to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K dated November 10, 2004).

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**SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

*March 17, 2006*

Newell Rubbermaid Inc.

By: */s/ Dale L. Matschullat*

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*Name: Dale L. Matschullat*

*Title: Vice President - General Counsel and Corporate Secretary*