

NEWELL RUBBERMAID INC
Form 8-K
March 17, 2011

**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): 03/14/2011

Newell Rubbermaid Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Commission File Number: 1-9608

Delaware
(State or other jurisdiction of
incorporation)

36-3514169
(IRS Employer
Identification No.)

Three Glenlake Parkway
Atlanta, Georgia 30328
(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

770-418-7000
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

- Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
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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 5.02. Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers

(d) On March 14, 2011, the Board of Directors of Newell Rubbermaid Inc. (the "Company") elected Kevin C. Conroy to serve as a Class III director of the Company.

As a non-employee director, Mr. Conroy will receive an annual retainer of \$100,000 and is eligible to participate in the Company's 2008 Deferred Compensation Plan under which he may defer up to 100% of his fees. Non-employee directors also receive an annual restricted stock unit award valued at \$100,000, with the number of restricted stock units determined by the fair market value of a share of the Company's common stock on the date of grant. The restricted stock unit award is typically made in May of each year and vests on the first anniversary of the date of grant. A copy of the press release issued by the Company announcing the election of Mr. Conroy to the Board of Directors is furnished herewith as Exhibit 99.1.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(c) Exhibits.

Exhibit

Number	Description
99.1	Press Release dated March 17, 2011.

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.

Newell Rubbermaid Inc.

Date: March 17, 2011

By: /s/ John K. Stipancich

John K. Stipancich
Senior Vice President, General Counsel and Corporate
Secretary

EXHIBIT INDEX

<u>Exhibit No.</u>	<u>Description</u>
EX-99.1	Press Release dated March 17, 2011