

RETRACTABLE TECHNOLOGIES INC  
 Form 4  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
 SHAW THOMAS J

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
 RETRACTABLE TECHNOLOGIES INC [RVP]

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
 511 LOBO LANE  
 (Street)

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
 11/14/2011

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
 President and CEO

LITTLE ELM, TX 75068

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
 Form filed by One Reporting Person  
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(City) (State) (Zip)

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

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
			Code	V Amount (A) or (D) Price			
Common Stock	11/14/2011		J	5,000 A <u>(1)</u>	7,734,035	D	
Common Stock	11/14/2011		J	81,607 A <u>(2)</u>	7,815,642	D	
Common Stock					3,800,000	I	Voting or Investment Control <u>(3)</u>

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

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**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 Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Series IV Class B Convertible Preferred Stock	\$ 0	11/14/2011		J	5,000	(4) (5)	Common Stock	5,000
Series V Class B Convertible Preferred Stock	\$ 0	11/14/2011		J	81,607	(4) (5)	Common Stock	81,607

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
SHAW THOMAS J 511 LOBO LANE LITTLE ELM, TX 75068	X	X	President and CEO	

## Signatures

Thomas J. Shaw                      11/16/2011  
 \_\_Signature of                      Date  
 Reporting Person

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* 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).
- (1) These shares were acquired in exchange for 5,000 shares of Series IV Class B Convertible Preferred Stock pursuant to an issuer tender offer dated September 12, 2011.
- (2) These shares were acquired in exchange for 81,607 shares of Series V Class B Convertible Preferred Stock pursuant to an issuer tender offer dated September 12, 2011.

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- (3) Mr. Shaw has investment power over 1,000,000 shares as Trustee for the benefit of immediate family members. Mr. Shaw has voting control over the remainder of the shares pursuant to a Voting Agreement.
- (4) Immediately convertible
- (5) Not applicable
- (6) These shares were disposed in exchange for 5,000 shares of Common Stock pursuant to an issuer tender offer dated September 12, 2011.
- (7) These shares were disposed in exchange for 81,607 shares of Common Stock pursuant to an issuer tender offer dated September 12, 2011.

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