

RETRACTABLE TECHNOLOGIES INC  
Form 8-K  
March 28, 2005

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

Washington, D.C. 20549

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**FORM 8-K**

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**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 22, 2005**

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**Retractable Technologies, Inc.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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**Texas**  
(State or other jurisdiction

of incorporation)

**000-30885**  
(Commission File Number)

**75-2599762**  
(IRS Employer

Identification No.)

**511 Lobo Lane, Little Elm, Texas**  
(Address of principal executive offices)

**75068-0009**  
(Zip Code)

**Registrant's telephone number, including area code (972) 294-1010**

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None

(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 5.02 Departure of Directors or Principal Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Principal Officers.**

On March 22, 2005, Mr. John J. McDonald, Jr. resigned from the Board of Directors. Mr. McDonald's resignation was not a result of a disagreement with the Board of Directors. Effective as of March 24, 2005, the Board of Directors elected Mr. Marco Laterza to replace Mr. McDonald as a Class 1 Director to serve until the election of the Class 1 Directors at the annual meeting. Mr. Laterza was appointed as the designated expert on the Audit Committee and as a member of the Compensation and Benefits Committee. There are no arrangements or understandings between the new Director and any other person pursuant to which he was selected to serve on the Board.

**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.

DATE: March 25, 2005

RETRACTABLE TECHNOLOGIES, INC.  
(Registrant)

BY: /s/ THOMAS J. SHAW

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THOMAS J. SHAW  
PRESIDENT AND CHIEF EXECUTIVE  
OFFICER