

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

INITIAL STATEMENT OF
BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the
Securities Exchange Act of 1934,
Section 17(a) of the Public Utility
Holding Company Act of 1935
or Section 30(f) of the Investment
Company Act of 1940

OMB APPROVAL
OMB NUMBER: 3235-0104
EXPIRES:
DECEMBER 31, 2001
ESTIMATED AVERAGE
BURDEN HOURS
PER RESPONSE..... 0.5

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person

Steward Randall J.

(Last) (First) (Middle)

c/o Rayovac Corporation, 601 Rayovac Drive

(Street)

Madison Wisconsin 53711

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year)

3/16/1998

3. I.R.S. Identification Number of Reporting Person, if an entity
(voluntary)

Not required.

4. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

Rayovac Corporation (ROV)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)

- Director
 - 10% Owner
 - Officer (give title below)
 - Other (specify title below)
- Executive Vice President of Administration and Chief Financial Officer

6. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year)

5/18/1998

7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)

- Form filed by One Reporting Person
- Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

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TABLE I - NON-DERIVATIVE SECURITIES BENEFICIALLY OWNED

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)

Common Stock, par
value \$.01 per share 7,000 shares (D) Not applicable.

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TABLE II - DERIVATIVE SECURITIES BENEFICIALLY OWNED
(E.G., PUTS, CALLS, WARRANTS, OPTIONS, CONVERTIBLE SECURITIES)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)

2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)

Date Exercisable

Expiration Date

3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)

Title

Amount or Number of Shares

4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security

5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct(D) or Indirect(I)
(Instr. 5)

6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)

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EXPLANATION OF RESPONSES:

/s/ James T. Lucke, as attorney-in-fact

November 14, 2000

** SIGNATURE OF REPORTING PERSON

DATE

** INTENTIONAL MISSTATEMENTS OR OMISSIONS OF FACTS CONSTITUTE FEDERAL
CRIMINAL VIOLATIONS. SEE 18 U.S.C. 1001 AND 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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