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Form 4  
August 15, 2002

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FORM 4  
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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

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(Print or Type Responses)

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person\*      2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol      6. R

THL Equity Advisors III Limited Partnership      Rayovac Corporation (ROV)

(Last)      (First)      (Middle)      3. IRS or Social Security Number of Reporting Person, (Voluntary)      4. Statement for Month/Year      7. I

c/o Thomas H. Lee Partners, L.P.  
75 State Street      August 2002

(Street)

Boston      MA      02109      5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Year)      /X/

(City)      (State)      (Zip)      Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Di

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Trans- action Date (Month/ Day/ Year)	3. Trans- action Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amo Sec Ben Own End Mon (In and
			(A) or (D)      Price	
		Code      V	Amount	

Common Stock, par value \$.01 per share	08/13/02	J(1)	4,468,569      D	
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Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly by the reporting person.  
\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, SEE Instruction 4(b) (v).

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficial  
(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)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)
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Code	V	(A)	(D)
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7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned at End of Month (Instr. 4)	10. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Title	Amount or Number of Shares			

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Explanation of Responses:

(1) The Reporting Person is the General Partner of Thomas H. Lee Equity Fund III, L.P. ("Equity Foreign Fund III, L.P. ("Foreign Fund III"). The Reporting Person may be deemed to beneficially own the securities of the Issuer held directly by Equity Fund III and Foreign Fund III. On August 13, 2002, Equity Fund III issued a pro rata distribution of common stock of the Issuer to their respective general and limited partners. The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares, and this report shall not be construed to indicate that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of the securities for the purpose of Section 16 or 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, except to the extent of its pecuniary interest therein.

/s/ Scott A. Schoen

\*\*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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\*\*Signature of Reporting Person

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