FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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Name and Address of Reporting Person*     Skala Justin						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  COLGATE PALMOLIVE CO [ CL ]							of Reportin cable) or (give title	g Pers	son(s) to Issu 10% Ow Other (s	ner
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O COLGATE-PALMOLIVE COMPANY 300 PARK AVENUE						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/25/2017								AF/E	below) us & Gl St	´
(Street) NEW YORK NY 10022				4.	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							S. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ine)  X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City) (State) (Zip)  Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																
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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/Yea	4. Transa Code (				6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$73	09/25/2017		A <sup>(1)</sup>		98,627		(2)	09/25/2023	Common Stock	98,627	\$0.0000	98,62'	7	D	

## Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Stock option award granted under the issuer's incentive compensation plan.
- 2. Option becomes exercisable in equal annual installments over three years beginning on the first anniversary of the September 25, 2017 grant date.

/s/ Nina Huffman, Attorney-in-Fact 09/27/2017

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person Date

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