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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

| Name and Address of Reporting Person* GARCIA FABIAN T (Last) (First) (Middle) | | | | <u>CC</u> | Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol COLGATE PALMOLIVE CO [CL] Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | | | onship of Reporting applicable) Director Officer (give title below) | | 10% C | | Owner (specify | | |
|---|--|--|---|-----------|---|---|---|---|---------------------|-------|---------------------|---|---------------|---|---|---|---|---|----------------|--|
| C/O COLGATE-PALMOLIVE COMPANY 300 PARK AVENUE | | | | | | 03/09/2006 | | | | | | | 6 | Pres Greater Asia Division 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable | | | | | | |
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| Table I - Non-Deriv 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Trans Date (Month) | | action | <u>_</u> | | 3. Transa Code (| 3. 4. Securiti Disposed Code (Instr. 5) | | ities Acquired (A) or d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 an | | | r 5 | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following | | 6. Owner Form: Dir (D) or Ind (I) (Instr. | ect irect | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | Code | v | Amount | | (A) or (D) | Pric | , т | | ted action(s) 3 and 4) | | | (Instr. 4) |
| Common | Stock | | | 03/09 | 9/2006 | /2006 | | A ⁽¹⁾ | | 3,140 | 3,140 A | | \$ | 0 | 34,852 | | D | | | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 210 | | I | | By Issuer's 401(k) Plan Trustee | | |
| | | Та | ıble II - C | | | | | | | | sed of, onvertib | | | | | ned | | | | |
| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deems Execution if any (Month/Da | Date, | 4. Transa Code (8) | | of Deri Seci Acq (A) of Disp | osed)) r. 3, 4 | Expiration (Month/D | | | Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (In and 4) Amount of Manual Security (In and 4) Amount of Security (In and 4) | | | 8. Pric Deriva Securi (Instr. | tive ty | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4) | Owne Form Direc or Ind (I) (In | t (D) irect | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |

Explanation of Responses:

1. Regular restricted stock award granted under the Long-Term Global Growth Program of the issuer's Executive Incentive Compensation Plan.

Remarks:

Nina D. Gillman by power of <u>attorney</u>

03/13/2006

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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