FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* TOBEN EDMUND D						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol COLGATE PALMOLIVE CO [CL]								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner				
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O COLGATE-PALMOLIVE COMPANY 300 PARK AVENUE						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 11/01/2006								X Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) Chief Information Officer				
(Street) NEW YORK NY 10022 (City) (State) (Zip)				4.	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Potential Form filed by More than One Reperson										ting Perso	on		
(Oity)	(5			lon-Deri	vativ	e Sec	curit	ies Ac	auire	d. D	isposed o	of, or Be	eneficia	lly Owned	<u> </u>			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Da				ction	2A. Deemed Execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 ar			5. Amoun Securities Beneficia Owned Fo	it of S Ily ollowing	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
								Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transacti (Instr. 3 a	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock				11/01/2006					M ⁽¹⁾		16,800	A	\$48.062	25 49,564		Г)	
Common Stock 11/01/				2006				F ⁽²⁾		1,414	D	\$64.01	48,1	48,150				
Common Stock 11/01/20				2006	06			F ⁽³⁾		12,615	D	\$64.01	35,5	35,535(4)				
Common Stock														1,5	1,506		I Z	3y ssuer's 101(k) Plan Trustee
Common Stock													2,3	2,387			By laughter ⁽⁵⁾	
Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)															•			
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Derivative Conversion Date Execut Security or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			med 4. on Date, Trans		5. Numbor of Derivative Securitie Acquiret (A) or Dispose of (D) (In 3, 4 and		umber vative urities uired or oosed o) (Instr.		Exer	cisable and	7. Title a of Secur Underlyi	nd Amount ities ng re Security	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	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
					Code	v	(A) (D)		Date Exercisable		Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$48.0625	11/01/2006			M ⁽¹⁾			16,800	09/14/2003		09/14/2010	Commor Stock	16,800	\$0	\$0 0		D	

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Exercise of stock options awarded under the issuer's employee stock option plan.
- 2. Payment of tax liability by delivering or withholding shares of stock incident to the exercise of the option under the issuer's employee stock option plan.
- 3. Payment of exercise price of stock option by delivering or withholding shares of stock incident to the exercise of the option under the issuer's employee stock option plan.
- 4. As a result of the reported transactions, the reporting person's Common Stock ownership has increased by 2,771 shares.
- 5. The reporting person disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the reporting person is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.

Remarks:

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11/03/2006

** 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).
- ** 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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