FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* REINHARD J PEDRO						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol  COLGATE PALMOLIVE CO [ CL ]									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)						
<u>REINHARD J PEDRO</u>						,									X	Direc	tor		10% Owner Other (specify below)		
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O COLGATE PALMOLIVE COMPANY						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/02/2010										Office belov	er (give title v)				
300 PARK AVENUE				-																	
				.   <sup>4.  †</sup>	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)							
(Street)												X Form filed by One Reporting Person									
NEW YC	ORK N	Y 1	10022													Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				orting	
(City)	(St	ate) (	Zip)																		
		Tabl	le I - Nor	ı-Deriv	ative	Se	curitie	s Acc	quired,	Disp	posed o	f, or	Bene	eficia	ally O	wne	ed				
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/Date)				n/Day/Year) if		2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		Transaction Dispose Code (Instr. 5)		ities Acquired (A d Of (D) (Instr. 3,			4 and Sec Ber Ow		ount of ties cially I Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership			
									Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Price	.  т	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)				(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock 02/02					2/2010	)			A		2,600	)	A	(1	13,615		D				
	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)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		of		6. Date Exercisable a Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		•	e and 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Inst and 4)		str. 3	8. Pric Deriva Securi (Instr.	vative urity	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4	n: ct (D) direct	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v			Date Exercisable		Expiration	Amour or Numbe of Title Shares		nber	1						

## **Explanation of Responses:**

1. Annual stock grant under the Stock Plan for Non-Employee Directors, credited to a stock unit account pursuant to the Deferred Compensation Plan for Non-Employee Directors.

## Remarks:

Nina D. Gillman by power of attorney

02/04/2010

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

- $^{\star}$  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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