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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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| | Instruction 1(b). |

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person [*] HENDRY ANDREW D | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>COLGATE PALMOLIVE CO</u> [CL] | | ationship of Reporting Pe < all applicable) Director | erson(s) to Issuer 10% Owner |
|---|------------|------------|---|----------|--|---------------------------------|
| | | | — | x | Officer (give title | Other (specify |
| (Last) | (First) | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) | | below) | below) |
| . , | () | () | 07/21/2009 | | Sr VP, Gen Counse | el & Secretary |
| C/O COLGATI | E-PALMOLIV | /E COMPANY | | | | |
| 300 PARK AVENUE | | | | | | |
| | | | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | 6. Indiv | vidual or Joint/Group Fili | ng (Check Applicable |
| | | | | Line) | | 3(|
| (Street) | | | | X | Form filed by One Re | porting Person |
| NEW YORK | NY | 10022 | | | Form filed by More th | on One Departing |
| , | | | | | Person | an One Reporting |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | | | | |

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transa Code (| ction | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--|---|-------------------------|-------|---|---------------|-------|---|---|---|
| | | | Code | v | Amount | (A) or (D) | Price | Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | (1150.4) |
| Common Stock | 07/21/2009 | | S ⁽¹⁾ | | 1,000 | D | \$74 | 165,519 | D | |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | 3,761 | I | By Son ⁽²⁾ |
| Common Stock | | | | | | | | 279 | Ι | By Spouse ⁽²⁾ |

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 | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transa Code (8) | | of | | 6. Date Exerc Expiration Da (Month/Day/Y | 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 | |
|---|---|--|---|------------------------------|---|-----|-----|--|---|-------|---|--|--|--|--|
| | Derivative Security | | | | | | | | | | | | | (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | | | |

Explanation of Responses:

1. The sale reported in this Form 4 is effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on May 18, 2009, for retirement planning purposes.

2. 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:

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

attorney

07/23/2009

** 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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