FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT C	OF CHANGES IN E	BENEFICIAL	OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  HICKEY DENNIS J  (Last) (First) (Middle)  C/O COLGATE-PALMOLIVE COMPANY  300 PARK AVENUE					3. E	Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol COLGATE PALMOLIVE CO [ CL ]  3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/25/2010										all app Direct Offict below	er (give title		10% C Other below)	wner (specify
(Street)  NEW YO  (City)			10022 Zip)		. 4. 11	f Ame	endmen	t, Date (	of Origina	al Filed	(Month/Da	ay/Ye	ar)		i. Individ ine) X	Forn	or Joint/Group on filed by One on filed by Mor son	e Rep	porting Pers	on
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1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/D				Execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Acquired Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 5)			, 4 and S		Securities Beneficially		Ownership m: Direct or Indirect Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership						
									Code	v	Amount		(A) or (D)	Pric	,  1	ransa	action(s) 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)
Common	Stock			02/25	5/201	2010		A <sup>(1)</sup>		5,420	6 A		\$	60	113,575			D		
Common	Stock															:	3,749		I	By Issuer's 401(k) Plan Trustee
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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. Deems Execution if any (Month/Da	Date,	4. Transa Code 8)		of Deri Seci Acq (A) of Disp	osed )) :r. 3, 4	6. Date Expirati (Month)	on Dat Day/Ye		Ame Sec Und Der	Amor or Nur of	ount nber	8. Pric Deriva Secur (Instr.	ative ity	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)		10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	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>

03/01/2010

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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