FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  MONRAD ELIZABETH A							2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol COLGATE PALMOLIVE CO [ CL ]											olicable)	g Person(s) to Issu 10% Ow		
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O COLGATE-PALMOLIVE COMPANY 300 PARK AVENUE						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/01/2005									Officer (give title below)			Other (specify below)			
(Street) NEW YORK NY 10022 (City) (State) (Zip)						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)										6. Indiv Line) X	ividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
			Tabl	e I - No	n-Deriva	ative :	Sec	uritie	s Acc	quired,	Dis	posed o	f, o	r Ber	efic	ially	Owne	ed			
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## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Annual stock grant under the Stock Plan for Non-Employee Directors.
- 2. Acquisition of shares under the stock purchase feature of the Stock Plan for Non-Employee Directors.

## Remarks:

Andrew D. Hendry by power of attorney

02/03/2005

\*\* 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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