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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  COOK IAN M						2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol COLGATE PALMOLIVE CO [ CL ]											5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Iss (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Ov						
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C/O COLGATE-PALMOLIVE COMPANY						09/13/2010											Ch	hairman, President & CEC			)		
300 PARK AVENUE																							
500 THREAT ENGL						If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)											6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable						
(Street)						Line)									,	′							
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Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																							
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transa Date (Month/D					ar)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)						4 and Secur Benef Owne		cially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership				
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Common	Stock			09/13	/2010	2010				F <sup>(1)</sup>		6,517	6,517 D \$		\$7	5.05	4'	76,869	D				
Common Stock																	1	2,080	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. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transactior Code (Instr. 8)		n of i			6. Date Ex Expiration Month/Da	n Date	•	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		f g	Deri Sec (Inst	rice of vative urity rr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	Owr Forr Dire or Ir (I) (I	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
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## Explanation of Responses:

1. Payment of tax liability by withholding shares of stock from award of restricted shares vesting under the issuer's stockholder-approved Executive Incentive Compensation Plan.

## Remarks:

Nina D. Gillman by power of attorney

09/15/2010

\*\* 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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