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### FORM 4

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person <sup>*</sup> Shotts Philip G.			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>COLGATE PALMOLIVE CO</u> [ CL ]	(Check	tionship of Reporting Pe all applicable) Director Officer (give title	rson(s) to Issuer 10% Owner Other (specify
(Last)     (First)     (Middle)       C/O COLGATE-PALMOLIVE COMPANY       300 PARK AVENUE       (Street)       NEW YORK     NY       10022       (City)     (State)       (Zip)		· · · ·	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/18/2021	X	below) Vice President and	below)
			4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	6. Indiv Line) X	vidual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person	

#### 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)		Transaction Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and Code (Instr. 5)		Securities Beneficially	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	02/18/2021		A <sup>(1)</sup>		1,671	Α	\$0.0000	42,803	D	
Common Stock	02/18/2021		<b>S</b> <sup>(2)</sup>		2	D	\$78.36	42,801	D	
Common Stock								51,910	Ι	By Issuer's 401(k) Plan Trustee

# 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. 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 (Instr. 4)	
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				

Explanation of Responses:

1. Restricted stock unit award granted under the issuer's incentive compensation plan.

2. Sale of shares with proceeds delivered to the issuer for payment of tax liability incident to the vesting of incremental dividend equivalent units earned in connection with the issuer's most recent dividend payment. This transaction was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan.

#### <u>/s/ Kristine Hutchinson,</u> <u>Attorney-in-Fact</u>

\*\* 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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