FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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 COLGATE PALMOLIVE CO [CL]									all app Direct Offic	Il applicable) Director Officer (give title		Person(s) to Issuer 10% Owner Other (specify	
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O COLGATE-PALMOLIVE COMPANY 300 PARK AVENUE						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 09/21/2010									X	Sr V	ow) /P, Gen Counse		below) el & Secretary	
(Street) NEW YORK NY 10022 (City) (State) (Zip)					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X 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. Transac Date (Month/Date)						Execution Date,			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)							5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)		7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
										v	Amount	unt (A) or (D)		Price						(11341. 4)
Common Stock 09/21/2						2010		S ⁽¹⁾		1,000	1,000 D		\$78	3.15	142,382			D		
Common Stock																	3,761		I	By Son ⁽²⁾
Common Stock																	284		I	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)	ivative Conversion Date Execution I urity or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) if any			n Date,	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		n of Deri Secu Acqu (A) of Disp of (I (Inst and	of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Date Expiration Exercisable Date			Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		•		9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	O F D O (I	.0. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

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 17, 2010, 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:

Nina D. Gillman by power of attorney

09/23/2010

** 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).
- ** 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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