FORM 4

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Skala Justin  (Last) (First) (Middle)  C/O COLGATE-PALMOLIVE COMPANY  300 PARK AVENUE						Susuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol COLGATE PALMOLIVE CO [ CL ]  3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 07/15/2013								5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Is (Check all applicable)  Director 10% O  X Officer (give title Other (below)  Pres. Colgate Latin America					wner (specify	
(Street) NEW YORK NY 10022 (City) (State) (Zip)					_   4.1	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Indiv Line) X	,					
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									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		Transac (Instr. 3	tion(s)			(Instr. 4)	
Common	013	.3		M <sup>(1)</sup>		4,822	Α	\$34.0	07	100	0,764		D							
Common	013	.3			<b>S</b> <sup>(2)</sup>		4,822	D	\$59.02	65 <sup>(3)</sup>	95	5,942		D						
Common Stock														50	50,788		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. Transa Code ( 8)	action (Instr.	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day/		ate	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)		De Se (In	Price of erivative ecurity estr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	Owners Form: Direct ( or Indir (I) (Inst	Ownership	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
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Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$34.07	07/15/2013			M <sup>(1)</sup>			4,822	09/12	/2010	09/12/2013	Common Stock	4,822	2 \$	0.0000	4,824		D		

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Exercise of stock options awarded under the issuer's employee stock option plan. This transaction was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan.
- 2. Sale of shares with a portion of the proceeds delivered to the issuer for payment of the exercise price of options under the issuer's employee stock option plan and the related tax withholding. This transaction was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan.
- 3. Weighted average price, as these shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$59.01 to \$59.05, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide to the issuer, any security holder of the issuer, or the staff of the Securities and Exchange Commission, upon request, additional information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.

/s/ Nina Huffman, Attorney-in-**Fact** 

07/17/2013

\*\* 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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