FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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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					Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol COLGATE PALMOLIVE CO [CL] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/15/2013									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Pres. Colgate Latin America						
(Street) NEW YORK NY 10022					, 4. 11	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable ine) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(S		(Zip)																	
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Trans Date		2. Transa	ction 2A. Dee Executi ay/Year) if any		A. Deemed execution Date,		3. Transaction Code (Instr.		4. Securities Acquired (A) Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4		ed (A) or	or 5. Amo Securit Benefic		int of es ally Following	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		Transac (Instr. 3	tion(s)			(111501. 4)	
Common Stock			05/15/	15/2013				M ⁽¹⁾		2,411	A	\$68	.15	5 50,258		D				
Common	Stock			05/15/	/2013				S ⁽²⁾		2,411	D	\$122	2.66	47	,847	D			
Common Stock													25,22		,229		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. Transacti Code (Ins 8)				6. Date E Expiratio (Month/D	n Date	•	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4)		Di Si (li	Price of erivative ecurity astr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiali Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	Owner Form: Direct or Indi (I) (Inst	Ownership	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisal		Expiration Date	Title	Amour or Number of Shares	mber						
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$68.15	05/15/2013			M ⁽¹⁾			2,411	09/12/20	10	09/12/2013	Common Stock	2,411		\$0	7,234		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.

Remarks:

/s/ Nina Huffman, Attorney-in-05/17/2013 Fact

** 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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