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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*						2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>COLGATE PALMOLIVE CO</u> [CL]							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner y Officer (give title Other (specify						
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O COLGATE-PALMOLIVE COMPANY 300 PARK AVENUE					3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/29/2010								X below) below) Chairman, President & CEO						
(Street) NEW YORK NY 10022					4. If	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							6. Indivi X	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person					
(City)	(State)	(Zip)					<u> </u>		<u> </u>									
Table I - Nor 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)			2. Tra Date	nsactio h/Day/Y	n 2A.I Exec /ear) if an	2A. Deemed Execution Date,		guired, Disposed of, or Beneficial 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and D) (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and D) (D) (D) (D) (D) (D) (D) (D) (D) (D) (r	5. Amount of				7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)			
								Code	v	Amount	(A) (D)	(A) or (D) Price (Instr. 3						(insu. 4)	
Common Stock				12/	29/2010			C ⁽¹⁾		33,137.792		Ą	(1)	46,476	j.892		I	By Issuer's 401(k) Plan Trustee	
Common Stock												434,124			D				
			Table II				ties Acq warrants							ed					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		5. Number of Derivative Securities		6. Date Exercisal Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		able and 7. Title and Amour Securities Underly		r nt of ying	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Numbe derivative Securitie Beneficia Owned	e s ally	y Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
	Security			Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisal	ole C	Expiration Date	Title		ount or ober of res		Following Reported Transaction((Instr. 4)		(I) (Instr. 4)		
Series B Convertible Preference Stock	(1)	12/29/2010		C ⁽¹⁾			4,142.224	. (1)		(2)	Common Stock	33,	137.792	\$0	0		I	By Issuer's 401(k) Plan Trustee	
Series B Convertible Preference Stock Units	(3)	12/29/2010		D ⁽³⁾			235.747	(3)		(2)	Series B Convertibl Preference Stock		35.747	\$0	0		Ι	By Issuer's Supplemental Savings & Investment Plan Administrator	
Common Stock Units	(3)	12/29/2010		A ⁽³⁾		1,885.976		(3)		(4) Common 1,885.976 \$0 1,8		1,885.9	976	I	By Issuer's Supplemental Savings & Investment Plan Administrator				

Explanation of Responses:

1. The Issuer's 401(k) Plan Trustee caused the conversion of all outstanding Series B Convertible Preference Stock on December 29, 2010, into shares of the Issuer's Common Stock at a conversion rate equal to eight shares of Common Stock for each share of Series B Convertible Preference Stock. The Series B Convertible Preference Stock was convertible at the Trustee's election upon the Issuer's decision to redeem such stock.

2. The Series B Convertible Preference Stock and Series B Convertible Preference Stock Units had no expiration date.

3. Upon the conversion of the Series B Convertible Preference Stock on December 29, 2010, the Series B Convertible Preference Stock Units were revalued as Common Stock Units at the rate of eight Common Stock Units for each Series B Convertible Preference Stock Unit.

4. The Common Stock Units have no expiration date.

Remarks:

Nina D. Gillman by powe	<u>r of</u>
attorney	

12/30/2010

** 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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