FORM 4

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name an <mark>Marsili</mark>		2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol COLGATE PALMOLIVE CO [ CL ]									tionship of Reporting all applicable) Director		10% (	Owner				
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O COLGATE-PALMOLIVE COMPANY 300 PARK AVENUE						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/25/2013									belo	Officer (give title below)  Sr. VP Global Human Resources		1)
(Street)  NEW YORK NY 10022  (City) (State) (Zip)						4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)								6. Indiv Line) X	ividual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable  Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting  Person			
		Tabl	e I - N	lon-Deriva	ative	Sec	uritie	es Ac	quire	d, Di	sposed o	f, or B	enefic	ially	Owne	ed		
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)  2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Y					Execution Date,			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 ar			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Followin Reported		ities icially d Following	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		Trans	action(s) 3 and 4)		(Instr. 4)
Common	Stock			02/25/20	)13	13			<b>S</b> <sup>(1)</sup>		238	D	\$114	.112	2 44,558		D	
Common Stock 02/26/20:					)13	13			<b>S</b> <sup>(1)</sup>		5,888	D	\$113	.6381	38,670		D	
Common Stock														10,318		I	By Issuer's 401(k) Plan Trustee	
		Та	າble II	- Derivati (e.g., pu							oosed of, convertib				wned			
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)   if any		ion Date, Transa		5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Expira	te Exer ation D th/Day/		7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4)		Deri Seci (Inst	vative urity tr. 5)	9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction( (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
					Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exerc	isable	Expiration Date	Title	or Number of Shares					

## Explanation of Responses:

1. Sale of shares with proceeds delivered to the issuer for payment of tax liability incident to vesting of a restricted stock award under the issuer's Executive Incentive Compensation Plan. This sale was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan.

## Remarks:

/s/ Joyce McCarthy, Attorney-

02/27/2013

in-Fact

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- $^{\star}$  If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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