

COLGATE PALMOLIVE CO  
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**FORM 4**

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
HENDRY ANDREW D

(Last) (First) (Middle)

C/O COLGATE-PALMOLIVE COMPANY, 300 PARK AVENUE

(Street)

NEW YORK, NY 10022

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
COLGATE PALMOLIVE CO [CL]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
12/22/2014

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_ 10% Owner  
\_X\_ Officer (give title below) \_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
Vice Chairman

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. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		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)	
			Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)				Price
Common Stock	12/22/2014		G <sup>(1)</sup>	V	145	D	\$ 0	208,081	D	
Common Stock	02/05/2015		G <sup>(1)</sup>	V	725	D	\$ 0	207,356	D	
Common Stock	02/13/2015		M <sup>(2)</sup>		60,000	A	\$ 45.23	267,356	D	
Common Stock	02/13/2015		F <sup>(3)</sup>		49,785	D	\$ 70.08	217,571	D	
Common Stock	02/17/2015		M <sup>(2)</sup>		20,000	A	\$ 45.23	237,571	D	

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Common Stock	02/17/2015	S <sup>(4)</sup>	20,000	D	\$ 70.2531 (5)	217,571	D	
Common Stock						7,236	I	By Issuer's 401(k) Plan Trustee
Common Stock						7,522	I	By Son <sup>(6)</sup>
Common Stock						1,576	I	By Spouse <sup>(6)</sup>

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

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**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)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	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 Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 45.23	02/13/2015		M <sup>(2)</sup>	60,000	<u>(7)</u>	09/08/2017	Common Stock	60,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 45.23	02/17/2015		M <sup>(2)</sup>	20,000	<u>(7)</u>	09/08/2017	Common Stock	20,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

**Relationships**

Director    10% Owner    Officer    Other

HENDRY ANDREW D  
C/O COLGATE-PALMOLIVE COMPANY  
300 PARK AVENUE  
NEW YORK, NY 10022

Vice  
Chairman

## Signatures

/s/ Kristine Hutchinson,  
Attorney-in-Fact

02/17/2015

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* 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).
- (1) Bona fide gift.
- (2) Exercise of stock options awarded under the issuer's employee stock option plan.
- (3) The exercise price of the options and related tax withholding requirement were satisfied by the Company's withholding shares otherwise deliverable upon exercise of the options.
- (4) 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.  
  
Weighted average price, as these shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$70.19 to \$70.36, 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.
- (5) Commission, upon request, additional information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the range set forth in this footnote.
- (6) 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.
- (7) Option became exercisable in one-third increments beginning on the first anniversary of the September 8, 2011 grant date.

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