

COLGATE PALMOLIVE CO

Form 3

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,
Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section
30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

Â Erezuma Hector I

(Last)

(First)

(Middle)

2. Date of Event Requiring Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

10/06/2005

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

4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

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

(Check all applicable)

☐ Director ☐ 10% Owner☒ Officer ☐ Other
(give title below) (specify below)

VP Taxation

6. Individual or Joint/Group

Filing(Check Applicable Line)

☒ Form filed by One Reporting Person☐ Form filed by More than One Reporting PersonCOLGATE-PALMOLIVE
COMPANY,Â 300 PARK
AVENUE

(Street)

NEW YORK,Â NYÂ 10022

(City)

(State)

(Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned1. Title of Security
(Instr. 4)2. Amount of Securities
Beneficially Owned
(Instr. 4)3. Ownership
Form:
Direct (D)
or Indirect
(I)
(Instr. 5)4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial
Ownership
(Instr. 5)

Common Stock

5,593

D

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Common Stock

474

I

By Issuer's 401(k) Plan Trustee

Series B Convertible Preference Stock

634

I

By Issuer's 401(k) Plan Trustee

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

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

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1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)		4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares			
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	09/09/2000 ⁽¹⁾	09/09/2009	Common Stock	7,000	\$ 55.6563	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	09/14/2001 ⁽¹⁾	09/14/2010	Common Stock	7,500	\$ 48.0625	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	09/17/2002 ⁽¹⁾	09/17/2011	Common Stock	7,500	\$ 56.675	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	09/12/2003 ⁽¹⁾	09/12/2012	Common Stock	7,500	\$ 55.11	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	09/09/2004 ⁽¹⁾	09/09/2009	Common Stock	8,000	\$ 55.6563	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	09/11/2004 ⁽¹⁾	09/11/2009	Common Stock	6,750	\$ 56.565	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	09/09/2005 ⁽¹⁾	09/09/2010	Common Stock	7,650	\$ 54.4	D	Â
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	09/08/2006 ⁽¹⁾	09/08/2011	Common Stock	9,500	\$ 53.455	D	Â

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Erezuma Hector I COLGATE-PALMOLIVE COMPANY 300 PARK AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10022	Â	Â	Â VP Taxation	Â

Signatures

Nina D. Gillman by power of attorney 10/14/2005

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 5(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) Option becomes exercisable in one-third increments on each anniversary date, with the first third becoming exercisable on the date shown in this column.

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