COLGATE PALMOLIVE CO

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(Last)	(First) (Middle)		Earliest Tra			[02]	(Che	ck all applicable	e)	
C/O COLG	ATE-PALMOLI 7, 300 PARK AV	VE	(Month/Da	ny/Year)	insaction			Director X Officer (give below) VP - Tax		Owner er (specify	
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Common Stock	09/08/2005			$A_{\underline{(1)}}$	1,223	(D) A	\$ 0	46,558	D		

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

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By Issuer's 401(k)

Plan Trustee

By Child

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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	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of or Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	
	Security				(D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)				
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Share
Stock Option (Right to	\$ 53.455	09/08/2005		A(2)	22,000	09/08/2006(3)	09/08/2011	Common Stock	22,000

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

BELASCO STEVEN R C/O COLGATE-PALMOLIVE COMPANY 300 PARK AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10022

VP - Taxation and Real Estate

Signatures

Buy

Nina D. Gillman by power of attorney 09/12/2005

**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) Annual restricted stock award granted under the issuer's Executive Incentive Compensation Plan.
- (2) Annual Stock Option granted under the issuer's 2005 Employee Stock Option Plan.
- (3) 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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