#### HENDRY ANDREW D

Form 4

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#### FORM 4 UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION **OMB** 3235-0287 Washington, D.C. 20549 Number: Check this box January 31, Expires: if no longer 2005 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF subject to Estimated average **SECURITIES** Section 16. burden hours per Form 4 or response... 0.5 Form 5 Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, obligations Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section may continue. 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 See Instruction 1(b). (Print or Type Responses) 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \* 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading HENDRY ANDREW D Issuer Symbol COLGATE PALMOLIVE CO [CL] (Check all applicable) (Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) Director 10% Owner Other (specify \_X\_\_ Officer (give title C/O COLGATE-PALMOLIVE 12/01/2011 below) COMPANY, 300 PARK AVENUE Chief Legal Officer & Secretary (Street) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) Applicable Line) \_X\_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting NEW YORK, NY 10022 Person

(City)	(State) (Zip) 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. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired ction(A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common	12/01/2011		Code V	Amount	` ´	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)	<b>D</b>		
Stock	12/01/2011		F <u>(1)</u>	351	D	90.11	142,141	D		
Common Stock							3,761	I	By Son (2)	
Common Stock							736	I	By Spouse	
Common Stock							1,019	I	By Issuer's 401(k) Plan Trustee	

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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	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	•	6. Date Exerc	cisable and	7. Tit	le and	8. Price of	
	Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transac	ctionN	umber	Expiration D	ate	Amou	int of	Derivative	
	Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	f	(Month/Day/	Year)	Under	rlying	Security	
(Instr. 3)		Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8	3) D	erivative	e		Secur	ities	(Instr. 5)	
		Derivative				Securities			(Instr.	3 and 4)			
Security						Acquired (A) or							
						D	isposed						
						of	f (D)						
						(I	nstr. 3,						
						4,	and 5)						
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					Code	V (F	A) (D)				Shares		

## **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

Chief Legal Officer &Secretary

## **Signatures**

Joyce McCarthy by power of attorney

12/05/2011

\*\*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).
- Payment of Medicare and income tax liability by withholding shares of stock from restricted shares previously granted under the issuer's (1) Executive Incentive Compensation Plan. The reporting person continues to hold the restricted shares originally granted, less the amount of this required tax withholding.
- (2) 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.

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