

COLGATE PALMOLIVE CO
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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 *
FILUSCH EDWARD J

(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)
08/01/2008

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

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

____ Director _____ 10% Owner
 Officer (give title below) _____ Other (specify below)

Vice President and Treasurer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)

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	08/01/2008		M ⁽¹⁾	2,000 A \$ 55.6563	18,084	D	
Common Stock	08/01/2008		M ⁽¹⁾	1,936 A \$ 58.64	20,020	D	
Common Stock	08/01/2008		M ⁽¹⁾	1,981 A \$ 56.52	22,001	D	
Common Stock	08/01/2008		M ⁽¹⁾	10,800 A \$ 56.565	32,801	D	
Common Stock	08/01/2008		F ⁽²⁾	14,237 D \$ 74.44	18,564	D	

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Common Stock	08/04/2008	S ⁽³⁾	399	D	\$ 74.7589	18,165	D	
Common Stock	08/04/2008	S	2,081	D	\$ 74.23	16,084	D	
Common Stock						616	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 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)	Amount or Number of Shares	
				Code	V (A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 55.6563	08/01/2008		M ⁽¹⁾	2,000	09/09/2002 09/09/2009		Common Stock	2,000
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 58.64	08/01/2008		M ⁽¹⁾	1,936	12/11/2001 09/09/2009		Common Stock	1,936
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 56.52	08/01/2008		M ⁽¹⁾	1,981	06/17/2002 09/09/2009		Common Stock	1,981
Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$ 56.565	08/01/2008		M ⁽¹⁾	10,800	09/11/2006 09/11/2009		Common Stock	10,800

