COLGATE PALMOLIVE CO

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * TANGNEY MICHAEL J			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol COLGATE PALMOLIVE CO [CL]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)				
				f Earliest Transaction Day/Year) 2007				Director 10% Owner Other (specify below) below) Exec VP Pres. Colgate Latin Am				
NEW WORK	Filed(Mont				ndment, Date Original tth/Day/Year)				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting			
NEW YORK						Person						
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	e I - Non-D	erivative S	Securi	ties Ac	quired, Disposed	of, or Beneficia	lly Owned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	(A) or			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)		
Common Stock	03/08/2007			A <u>(1)</u>	3,381	A	\$ 0	364,838	D			
Common Stock								18,418	I	By Issuer's 401(k) Plan Trustee		
Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. Persons who respond to the collection of SEC 1474												

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				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Officer Other Director 10% Owner

TANGNEY MICHAEL J C/O COLGATE-PALMOLIVE COMPANY 300 PARK AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10022

Exec VP Pres. Colgate Latin Am

Signatures

Nina D. Gillman by power of 03/12/2007 attorney

**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).
- Regular restricted stock award granted under the Long-Term Global Growth Program of the issuer's Executive Incentive Compensation **(1)**

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