FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>MacQuillan Sandra</u> | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol KIMBERLY CLARK CORP [KMB] | | | | | | | | eck all applic | cable) r | g Pers | 10% Ow | ner | |
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| (Last) (First) (Middle) P.O. BOX 619100 | | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/09/2018 | | | | | | | | below) | (give title Thief Sup | ply C | Other (s below) hain Offic | ´ | |
| (Street) DALLA (City) | ALLAS TX 75261-9100 | | | 4. | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | | Line | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | | |
| | | Tab | le I - Non-De | rivativ | e Se | curities | s Ac | quired, Di | ispos | sed o | f, or Be | neficial | y Owned | | | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/D | | | | Execution Date | | Date, | Transaction Disposed Code (Instr. 5) | | ities Acquired (A) or d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 a | | 5. Amou Securitie Beneficia Owned F Reported | s ally ollowing | Form | : Direct Indirect I str. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership | | | |
| | | | | | | | Code V | Ar | mount | (A) or (D) | Price | Transact (Instr. 3 a | tion(s) | | | (Instr. 4) | | |
| | | - | Гаble II - Deri (e.g. | | | | | uired, Dis , options, | • | , | | • | Owned | | | , | | |
| 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) | | | | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | and | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4) | | 8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4) | | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | |
| | | | | Code | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exercisable | Expir Date | piration te | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | | | | | |
| Stock Option (Right to | \$103.06 | 05/09/2018 | | A | | 17,951 | | (2) | 05/09 | 9/2028 | Common Stock | 17,951 | \$0.0000 | 17,95 | 1 | D | | |

Explanation of Responses:

- $1.\ Employee\ stock\ option\ granted\ under\ the\ Kimberly-Clark\ Corporation\ 2011\ Equity\ Participation\ Plan.$
- 2. In general, no option may be exercised until one year after it has been granted; after the end of one year, it may be exercised as to 30 percent or less of the total shares subject to options, after the end of the second year, an additional 30 percent, and after the end of the third year, all options may be exercised.

/s/ Jeffrey S. McFall as attorney-in-fact for Sandra

05/10/2018

MacQuillan

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

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

- * 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).

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