FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* LEHMAN WILLIAM DUDLEY (Last) (First) (Middle) 1400 HOLCOMB BRIDGE ROAD					Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol KIMBERLY CLARK CORP [KMB] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/28/2005							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) Group President				ner
(Street) ROSWELL GA 30076 (City) (State) (Zip)				_	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)							Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
Table I - Non-Deriva 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/D				ınsactio	ction 2A. Deemed Execution Date			3. 4. Secur Transaction Dispose Code (Instr. 5)		ities Acquired (A) or d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and		5. Amou Securitie Beneficie Owned F Reported Transact	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		Direct of Endirect Etr. 4)	. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Dwnership Instr. 4)
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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. Transactio Code (Inst 8)				6. Date Exer Expiration D (Month/Day/	ate	of Securit Underlyin Derivative	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 3 and 4)		9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	y	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares					
Stock Option (Right to Buy) ⁽¹⁾	\$61.59	04/28/2005		A		36,261		(2)	04/27/2015	Common Stock	36,261	(1)	36,621		D	
Restricted Share Units ⁽³⁾	(3)	04/28/2005		A		9,065		(4)	(4)	Common Stock	9,065	(3)	9,065		D	

Explanation of Responses:

- $1.\ Employee\ stock\ option\ granted\ under\ the\ Kimberly-Clark\ Corporation\ 2001\ Equity\ Participation\ Plan.$
- 2. The options vest in three annual installments of 30%, 30% and 40% beginning April 28, 2006.
- 3. Represents restricted share units, payable on a 1-for-1 basis, granted under the Kimberly-Clark Corporation 2001 Equity Participation Plan.
- 4. The restricted share units vest in three annual installments of 33%, 33% and 34% beginning April 28, 2008.

Remarks:

John W. Wesley as attorney-infact for William Dudley

05/02/2005

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** 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).
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