FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>CAFFERTY PASTORA SAN JUAN</u> | | | | | 2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol KIMBERLY CLARK CORP [KMB] | | | | | | | | | Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner | | | | | |
|---|--|--|---|----------|---|---|-------|-------------------------|--|---------|---|----------------|--|---|--|---------|---|--|--|
| (Last) | (Last) (First) (Middle) P.O. BOX 619100 | | | | | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 04/04/2005 | | | | | | | | | Officer (give title Other (specify below) below) | | | | specify |
| (Street) DALLA | | tate) | 75261-910 (Zip) | | | 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | | Li | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person | | | | | | |
| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transa Date (Month/D | | | | | ction 2A. Deemed Execution Date, | | | 3. Ti C ar) 8) | Transaction Disposed C | | ities Acquired (A) or d Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 an | | 5. Amount of Note that the securities Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) | | Form: Direct | | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) | | |
| | 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 I if any (Month/Day | Date, Ti | Transaction Code (Instr. | | n of | | 6. Date Exercisa Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year | | ate | | 7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Secur (Instr. 3 and 4) | | 8. Price Derivativ Security (Instr. 5) | | e s lly | 10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
| | | | | c | ode | v | (A) | (D) | Date Exerc | cisable | Ex Da | piration te | Title | Amount or Number of Shares | | | | | |
| Restricted Share Units ⁽¹⁾ | (1) | 04/04/2005 | | | A | | 39.58 | | | (1) | | (1) | Common Stock | 39.58 | (1) | 5,785.3 | 38 | D | |
| Phantom Stock Units ⁽²⁾ | (2) | 04/04/2005 | | | A | | 171.9 | | | (2) | | (2) | Common Stock | 171.9 | (2) | 25,128. | 02 | D | |

Explanation of Responses:

- 1. Represents restricted share units, payable on a 1-for-1 basis, granted under the Kimberly-Clark Corporation Outside Directors' Compensation Plan. Additional restricted share units are accrued based on dividends paid on the Corporation's common stock. The restricted share units may not be sold or transferred until the reporting person ceases to be a member of the Corporation's Board of Directors.
- 2. Represents phantom stock credits accrued under the Corporation's Deferred Compensation Plan for Directors. Such credits have been accrued at the director's election in lieu of cash director fees. The cash fees are converted into phantom stock credits based on the number of shares of common stock of the Corporation which would have been purchased with such amounts. Additional stock credits are accrued based on the dividends paid on the Corporation's common stock. Such credits will be settled 100% in cash.

Remarks:

John W. Wesley as attorney-in-

fact for Pastora San Juan

04/06/2005

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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).
- ** 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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