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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Gottung Lizanne C</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) <u>1400 HOLCOMB BRIDGE ROAD</u> (Street) <u>ROSWELL</u> <u>GA</u> <u>30076-2199</u> (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>KIMBERLY CLARK CORP [KMB]</u> 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) <u>07/26/2016</u> 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) Other (specify below) <u>SVP & Chief HR Officer</u> 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person
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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	07/26/2016		M		6,204	A	\$75.2203	11,797.456	D	
Common Stock	07/26/2016		S		6,204	D	\$132.1676 ⁽¹⁾	5,593.456	D	
Common Stock								12,481.36	I	401(k) and Profit Sharing Plan ⁽²⁾

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 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		Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Stock Option (Right to Buy) ⁽³⁾	\$75.2203 ⁽⁴⁾	07/26/2016		M		6,204 ⁽⁴⁾	⁽⁵⁾	05/05/2022	Common Stock	6,204 ⁽⁴⁾	\$0.0000	12,407 ⁽⁴⁾	D	

Explanation of Responses:

1. This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$132.16 to \$132.19. The price reported above reflects the weighted average sale price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transaction was effected.
2. Shares are held by the trustee of the Kimberly-Clark Corporation 401(k) and Profit Sharing Plan and beneficially owned by the reporting person as of recent practicable date.
3. Employee stock option granted under the Kimberly-Clark Corporation 2011 Equity Participation Plan.
4. All historical share and stock option exercise price data in this Form 4 have been adjusted to reflect the Corporation's spin-off of its wholly owned subsidiary Halyard Health, Inc. on October 31, 2014. The adjustments were made to preserve the intrinsic value of the reporting person's stock options existing prior to the spin-off.
5. The stock option was granted on May 02, 2012 and is fully vested and exercisable.

/s/ Jeffrey S. McFall as attorney. 07/27/2016
in fact for Lizanne C. Gottung

** 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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