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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

SECURITIES

may continue. See Instruction

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

08/18/2006

Stock

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Common

Common

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| Bauer Joanne B Sy | | | | | | | 8 | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer | | | |
| | | | KIMBERLY CLARK CORP [KMB] | | | | | (Check all applicable) | | | |
| (Last) | (First) | (Middle) | 3. Date of Earliest Transaction | | | | | | | | |
| 1400 HOL | (Month/Day/Year) 08/18/2006 | | | | | Director 10% Owner _X_ Officer (give title Other (specify below) President | | | | | |
| | | | | 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) | | | | 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) | | | |
| ROSWEL | L, GA 30076 | | | | | | | _X_ Form filed by N Form filed by N Person | 1 0 | | |
| (City) | (State) | (Zip) | Ta | ble I - Non- | -Derivativ | e Sec | urities Acqu | uired, Disposed o | f, or Benefici | ally Owned | |
| 1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | | Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) on Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or Amount (D) Price | | | 5. Amount of Securities Ownership Indirect Beneficially Form: Beneficial Owned Direct (D) Ownersh Following or Indirect (Instr. 4) Reported (I) Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 3 and 4) | | | |
| Common Stock | 08/18/2006 | | | M | 1,301 | A | \$ 49.1678 | 12,408 | D | | |
| Common | 08/18/2006 | | | S | 1.301 | D | \$ | 11.107 | D | | |

1,301

11,107

5,670 (2)

4,516.267 (1) I

61.1439

D

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

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Incentive

Plan

Investment

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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. Transactic 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 Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) | |
|---|---|--------------------------------------|---|--|---|--|-----------------|---|--|
| | | | | Code V | (A) (D) | Date Exercisable | Expiration Date | Title | Amount or Number of Shares |
| Stock Option (Granted 2/20/1997) | \$ 49.1678 | 08/18/2006 | | M | 1,301 | <u>(4)</u> | 02/19/2007 | Common Stock | 1,301 |

Reporting Owners

Relationships Reporting Owner Name / Address

> Other Director 10% Owner Officer

Bauer Joanne B

1400 HOLCOMB BRIDGE ROAD

President ROSWELL, GA 30076

Signatures

John W. Wesley as attorney-in-fact for Joanne B. Bauer

08/18/2006

**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).
- (1) Includes 16.267 shares held in the Corporation's Dividend Reinvestment Program.
- Number of shares held by the Trustee of the Kimberly-Clark Corporation Incentive Investment Plan and beneficially owned by the **(2)** reporting person or her spouse as of a recent practicable date.
- Stock option granted under the Kimberly-Clark Corporation 1992 Equity Participation Plan.

(4)

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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.

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