

PIVIROTTO RICHARD R  
 Form 4  
 April 01, 2003  
 SEC Form 4

<p align="center"><b>FORM 4</b></p> <p>[ ] Check this box if no longer subject to Section 16. Form 4 or Form 5 obligations may continue. See Instruction 1(b).</p> <p>(Print or Type Responses)</p>	<p><b>UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION</b></p> <p>Washington, D.C. 20549</p> <p><b>STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP</b></p> <p>Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940</p>	<p align="center">OMB APPROVAL</p> <hr/> <p>OMB Number: 3235-0287                  Expires: January 31, 2005                  Estimated average burden hours per response: . . . . 0.5</p>
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<p>1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*</p> <p><b>Pivrotto, Richard R</b></p> <hr/> <p>(Last) (First)                  (Middle)  <b>The Gillette Company</b>  <b>800 Boylston Street</b></p> <hr/> <p>(Street)  <b>Boston, MA 02199</b></p> <hr/> <p>(City) (State)                  (Zip)  <b>United States</b></p>	<p>2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol</p> <p><b>The Gillette Company G</b></p>	<p>3. I.R.S. Identification Number of Reporting Person, if an entity (voluntary)</p>	<p>4. Statement for Month/Day/Year</p> <p align="center"><b>March 31, 2003</b></p> <hr/> <p>5. If Amendment, Date of Original (Month/Day/Year)</p>	<p>6. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director <input type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner  <input type="checkbox"/> Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Other</p> <hr/> <p>7. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person  <input type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person</p>
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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 and Voluntary Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed (D) Of (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   Price A/D			
<b>Common stock \$1 par</b>	<b>03/31/2003</b>		<b>M  </b>	<b>4,000.00   A   \$12.31</b>		<b>D</b>	
<b>Common stock \$1 par</b>	<b>03/31/2003</b>		<b>F  </b>	<b>1,576.00   D   \$31.25</b>	<b>10,844.35 (1)</b>	<b>D</b>	

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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<p align="center"><b>Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned</b>                  (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)</p>
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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. Transaction Code and Voluntary Code (Instr.8)  Code   V	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed (D) Of (Instr. 3,4 and 5)	6. Date Exercisable(DE) and Expiration Date(ED) (Month/Day/Year)  _____ (DE)   (ED)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr.5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transactions (Instr.4)	10. Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr.4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr.4)
Director Stock Option (right to buy)	\$12.31	03/31/2003		M	(D) 4,000.00	04/19/1994   04/19/2003	Common stock \$1 par - 4,000.00		0.00	D	
Director Stock Option (right to buy)	\$16.74					04/25/1995   04/24/2004	Common stock \$1 par - 4,000.00		4,000.00	D	
Director Stock Option (right to buy)	\$20.45					04/24/1996   04/23/2005	Common stock \$1 par - 4,000.00		4,000.00	D	
Director Stock Option (right to buy)	\$27.13					04/22/1997   04/21/2006	Common stock \$1 par - 4,000.00		4,000.00	D	
Director Stock Option (right to buy)	\$39.41					04/21/1998   04/20/2007	Common stock \$1 par - 4,000.00		4,000.00	D	
Director Stock Option (right to buy)	\$59.83					04/19/1999   04/19/2008	Common stock \$1 par - 4,000.00		4,000.00	D	
Director Stock Option (right to buy)	\$50.63					04/19/2000   04/18/2009	Common stock \$1 par - 4,000.00		4,000.00	D	
Director Stock Option (right to buy)	\$38.47					04/24/2001   04/23/2010	Common stock \$1 par - 4,000.00		4,000.00	D	
Director Stock Option (right to buy)	\$26.08					04/23/2002   04/22/2011	Common stock \$1 par - 4,000.00		4,000.00	D	
Director Stock	\$36.41					05/20/2003   05/19/2012	Common stock \$1 par		5,000.00	D	

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Option (right to buy)							- 5,000.00				
Phantom Stock Units	\$0.00					Phantom Stock	Common stock \$1 par - 20,995.95		20,995.95 (2)	D	

Explanation of Responses :

\*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations.

See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

**By: William J. Mostyn as Attorney  
in Fact**      **04-01-2003**

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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**Power of Attorney**

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**FOOTNOTE Descriptions for The Gillette Company G**

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**Explanation of responses:**

- (1) Includes shares acquired quarterly under the Company's dividend reinvestment plan.**
- (2) Includes units acquired quarterly under the dividend reinvestment feature of the Deferred Compensation Plan.**

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