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October 03, 2005

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549

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FORM 15  
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Certification and Notice of Termination of Registration under Section 12(g) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Suspension of Duty to File Reports under Sections 13 and 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

Commission File Number: 1-922

THE GILLETTE COMPANY

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(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Prudential Tower Building, Suite 4800  
Boston, MA 02199  
(617) 421-7000

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(Address, including zip code, and telephone number, including area code, of registrant's principal executive offices)

- (a) Common Stock, par value \$1.00 per share
- (b) Rights to Purchase Preferred Stock
- (c) 5.75% Senior Notes due 2005
- (d) 2.50% Senior Notes Due 2008
- (e) 2.875 % Senior Notes Due 2008
- (f) 3.50% Senior Notes Due 2007
- (g) 3.80% Senior Notes Due 2009
- (h) 4.125% Senior Notes Due 2007
- (i) 4.80% Medium Term Notes Due 2012
- (j) 4.70% Medium Term Notes Due 2012
- (k) 4.55% Medium Term Notes Due 2012
- (l) 4.60% Medium Term Notes Due 2012
- (m) 4.85% Medium Term Notes Due 2012
- (n) 4.55% Medium Term Notes Due 2012
- (o) 4.70% Medium Term Notes Due 2012
- (p) 4.50% Medium Term Notes Due 2013
- (q) 4.70% Medium Term Notes Due 2012
- (r) Floating Rate Notes Due 2043

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(Title of each class of securities covered by this Form)

None

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(Titles of all other classes of securities for which a duty to file reports under Section 13(a) or 15(d) remains)

Please place an X in the box(es) to designate the appropriate rule provision(s) relied upon to terminate or suspend the duty to file reports:

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Rule 12g-4 (a) (1) (ii)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Rule 12h-3 (b) (2) (i)	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Rule 12g-4 (a) (2) (ii)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Rule 15d-6	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Rule 12h-3 (b) (1) (i)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		

Approximate number of holders of record as of the certification or notice date: (a) 1; (b) 1; (c) 28; (d) 78; (e) 75; (f) 94; (g) 86; (h) 73; (i) 32; (j) 30; (k) 29; (l) 24; (m) 22; (n) 27; (o) 25; (p) 19; (q) 20; (r) 14.

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, The Gillette Company, a Delaware corporation, by the undersigned duly authorized person.

Dated: October 3, 2005

THE GILLETTE COMPANY

By: /s/ Steven W. Jemison

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Name: Steven W. Jemison  
Title: Vice-President and Assistant Secretary