

# FORM 4

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## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * <b>BOYLE TIMOTHY P</b>  (Last) (First) (Middle) C/O COLUMBIA SPORTSWEAR COMPANY, 14375 NW SCIENCE PARK DRIVE  (Street) PORTLAND, OR 97229  (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <b>COLUMBIA SPORTSWEAR CO [COLM]</b>  3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/24/2006  4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Director <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Officer (give title below) <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify below) <b>President and Chief Executive</b>  6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by One Reporting Person <input type="checkbox"/> 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	05/24/2006		S		100	D	\$ 49.03	14,863,560	D	
Common Stock	05/24/2006		S		300	D	\$ 49.87	14,863,260	D	
Common Stock	05/24/2006		S		200	D	\$ 49.86	14,863,060	D	
Common Stock	05/24/2006		S		100	D	\$ 49.82	14,862,960	D	
Common Stock	05/24/2006		S		700	D	\$ 49.75	14,862,260	D	
Common Stock	05/24/2006		S		3,500	D	\$ 49.7854	14,858,760	D	
Common Stock	05/24/2006		S		100	D	\$ 49.75	14,858,660	D	
Common Stock	05/24/2006		S		199	D	\$ 49.87	14,858,461	D	
Common Stock	05/24/2006		S		100	D	\$ 49.73	14,858,361	D	
Common Stock	05/24/2006		S		400	D	\$ 49.74	14,857,961	D	
Common Stock	05/24/2006		S		300	D	\$ 49.55	14,857,661	D	
Common Stock	05/24/2006		S		100	D	\$ 49.61	14,857,561	D	
Common Stock	05/24/2006		S		600	D	\$ 49.38	14,856,961	D	
Common Stock	05/24/2006		S		100	D	\$ 49.4	14,856,861	D	
Common Stock	05/24/2006		S		200	D	\$ 49.51	14,856,661	D	
Common Stock	05/24/2006		S		300	D	\$ 49.32	14,856,361	D	
Common Stock	05/24/2006		S		100	D	\$ 49.24	14,856,261	D	
Common Stock	05/24/2006		S		300	D	\$ 49.09	14,855,961	D	
Common Stock	05/24/2006		S		300	D	\$ 49.07	14,855,661	D	
Common Stock	05/24/2006		S		100	D	\$ 49.23	14,855,561	D	
Common Stock	05/24/2006		S		100	D	\$ 49.26	14,855,461	D	
Common Stock	05/24/2006		S		200	D	\$ 49.12	14,855,261	D	
Common Stock	05/24/2006		S		400	D	\$ 48.99	14,854,861	D	
Common Stock	05/24/2006		S		200	D	\$ 48.72	14,854,661	D	
Common Stock	05/24/2006		S		100	D	\$ 48.85	14,854,561	D	
Common Stock	05/24/2006		S		800	D	\$ 49	14,853,761	D	
Common Stock	05/24/2006		S		200	D	\$ 49.22	14,853,561	D	
Common Stock	05/24/2006		S		200	D	\$ 49.2	14,853,361	D	

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

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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	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	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities	8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially	10. Ownership Form of Derivative	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
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	Derivative Security				Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		(Instr. 3 and 4)		Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	Security: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
BOYLE TIMOTHY P C/O COLUMBIA SPORTSWEAR COMPANY 14375 NW SCIENCE PARK DRIVE PORTLAND, OR 97229	X	X	President and Chief Executive	

## Signatures

Peter J. Bragdon, Attorney-in-Fact		05/26/2006
<small>**Signature of Reporting Person</small>		<small>Date</small>

## 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).

### Remarks:

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