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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Typ	oe Responses	5)													
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *- KLENZ WALTER				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol COLUMBIA SPORTSWEAR CO [COLM]							5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) X Director 10% Owner				
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O COLUMBIA SPORTSWEAR COMPANY, 14375 NW SCIENCE PARK DRIVE				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/19/2008								ve title below)		er (specify belo	ow)
(Street) PORTLAND, OR 97229				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)							6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)		(State)	(Zip)		,	Гable I	- Non-	-Derivativ	e Securities	Acquire			eficially Own		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)			2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if		f Code (Instr	(Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acqu (A) or Disposed o (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)				ed	Ownership Form: Direct (D)	Beneficial Ownership
						Сс	ode	V Amou	unt (A) or (D)	Price				(Instr. 4)	
Common	Stock		05/19/2008			N	M	334	A	\$ 0 1,2	269			D	
Common	Stock		05/19/2008			N	M	265	A	\$ 0 1,	534			D	
1. Title of Derivative	2. Conversion	11.1.2	3A. Deemed Execution Date, i	e.g., puts, 4. f Transac	5. I	arrants Number	quired, s, optic 6. Da Expir	, Disposed ons, conve te Exercisa ration Date	of, or Bene rtible secur able and	eficially O ities) 7. Title a Amount	wned nd of		9. Number of Derivative	Owners	11. Natu
Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year	(Month/Day/Year) any (Month/Day/Year)		ar) (Instr. 8) Sect Acq (A) Disp of (I (Instr. 8)		sposed		Day/Year)		Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	Security Direct (I or Indire	(Instr. 4)
				Code	V (A	(D)	Date Exerc	cisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	05/19/2008		М		334	05/1	8/2007(1)	(2)	Commo	334	\$ 0	334	D	
Restricted Stock Units	\$ 0	05/19/2008		М		265	05/1	7/2008(1)	(2)	Commo	265	\$ 0	529	D	

Reporting Owners

Demonting Common Name / Address	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
KLENZ WALTER C/O COLUMBIA SPORTSWEAR COMPANY 14375 NW SCIENCE PARK DRIVE PORTLAND, OR 97229	X						

Signatures

Peter J. Bragdon, Attorney-in-Fact	05/20/2008
**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) Restricted stock units vest in three equal annual installments beginning on the Date Exercisable indicated. One share of Common Stock will be automatically delivered to the reporting person for each restricted stock unit that vests.

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