## FORM 4

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(Print or Typ	e Responses	)														
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Bragdon Peter J				2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol COLUMBIA SPORTSWEAR CO [COLM]							5. R	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner				
(Last) (First) (Middle) C/O COLUMBIA SPORTSWEAR COMPANY, 14375 NW SCIENCE PARK DRIVE				3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 01/20/2011						X						
(Street) PORTLAND, OR 97229				4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)							_X_ F	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)				Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Benefi								icially Owne	d			
(Instr. 3)			2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		ate, if	Code (Inst		(A) c	curities Acqu r Disposed of : 3, 4 and 5)  (A) or unt (D)					orm: B orect (D) O	Nature Indirect eneficial wnership nstr. 4)
Reminder: R	eport on a se	parate line for each	Table II -	Derivativ	e Se	curitie	s Ac	Pers in th displ	ons was formays a	n are not re currently v of, or Benef	quired to alid OMB icially Ow	respond control r	unless the	tion contain e form	ed SEC 14	74 (9-02)
Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if	4. 5.1 f Transaction of Code Deer) (Instr. 8) Sec Act (A) Disort		5. Num	tive ies ed	s, options, convertible securiti 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)			9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)	Ownershi Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirec		
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisab	e	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 59.97	01/20/2011		A		8,015		01/20/20	12 <sup>(1)</sup>	01/19/2021	Commo Stock	n 8,015	<u>(2)</u>	8,015	D	
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(3)</u>	01/20/2011		A		1,186		01/20/20	12 <sup>(4)</sup>	01/20/2015	Commo	n 1,186	\$ 0	1,186	D	
Report	ting O	wners														

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D (1 0 N (A))	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
Bragdon Peter J C/O COLUMBIA SPORTSWEAR COMPANY 14375 NW SCIENCE PARK DRIVE PORTLAND, OR 97229			Sr. VP/General Counsel				

## **Signatures**

Peter J. Bragdon	01/24/2011
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) The option grant vests over 4 years with 25% becoming exercisable on each anniversary of the grant date.
- (2) N/A
- (3) Each restricted stock unit represents a right to receive one share of COLM common stock.
- Restricted stock units vest over 4 years, 25% on the each anniversary of the grant date. Vested shares will be delivered to the reporting person on the designated vest dates. If a vesting date falls on a weekend or any other day on which the Nasdaq Stock Market ("NSM") or any national securities exchange on which the Common Stock then is principally traded (the

"Exchange") is not open, affected RSUs shall vest on the next following NSM or Exchange business day, as the case may be.

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