Instruction 1(b).

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

| (Print or Typ  | e Responses             | )                                    |  |  |  |   |                                      |               |            |   |                 |   |  |  |                              |  |  |                     |
|--|-------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--|--|---|--------------------------------------|---------------|------------|---|-----------------|---|--|--|------------------------------|--|--|---------------------|
| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *- ALBERS MURREY R |                         |                                      |  | 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   |  |  |                              |  |  |                     |
|  | UMBIA SF                | (First)<br>PORTSWEAR<br>NW SCIENCE F |  | 3. Date of 05/01/20  |  | est T   | ransact                              | tion (N       | Mont       | h/Day/  | Year)           |   |  | Officer (giv                           | e title below)               | Oti  | er (specify bel  | ow)                 |
| (Street)   |                         |                                      |  | 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 |  |  |                              |  |  |                     |
| PORTLAND, OR 97229 (City) (State) (Zip)                    |                         |                                      |  | Table I - Non-Derivative Scentitics Acqui  |  |   |                                      |               |            |   |                 |   | ired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned                         |  |                              |  |  |                     |
| 1.Title of Security<br>(Instr. 3)                          |                         |                                      | 2. Transaction<br>Date<br>(Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, if   |  | te, if  | 3. Transaction<br>Code<br>(Instr. 8) |               |            | 4. Securities Acquire (A) or Disposed of (I (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) |                 |   | ed 5. Amount of Securities Owned Following Report Transaction(s) |  | Securities B<br>ving Reporte | Beneficially ed  | 5. 7<br>Ownership of                                     | Beneficial          |
|  |                         |                                      |  | (Month/Day/Year)   |  |   | Code V                               |               | Amou       | (A) or  | Pric            | (Instr. 3 and 4   |  | +)                                     |                              | Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I)<br>(Instr. 4)   |  |                     |
| Common S   | Stock                   |                                      | 05/01/2018                                 |  |  |   | M                                    | 1             |            | 362   | A               | (1)   | 25,4   | 20                                     |                              |  | D  |                     |
| Common S   | Common Stock 05/01/2018 |                                      |  |  |  |   | M                                    | 1             |            | 265   | A               | (1)   | 25,6   | 85                                     |                              |  | D  |                     |
| Common S   | Stock                   |                                      |  |  |  |   |                                      |               |            |   |                 |   | 400  |  |                              |  | I  | By Wife             |
| 1. Title of<br>Derivative                                  | 2.<br>Conversion        | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed<br>Execution Date, i            | (e.g., puts, calls, wa  4. 5. N if Transaction Code Deri ar) (Instr. 8) Sect Acq (A) Disp of (I (Instr. 8) (Instr. 8) (Instr. 8) |  | Number 6. Date<br>Expirat   |                                      |               | on Date An |   |                 | )<br>Γitle and<br>nount of  | 1  | Derivative                             | 9. Number of Derivative      | Owners   | 11. Natur  |                     |
| Security (Instr. 3)  |                         |                                      |  |  |  | Derivative<br>Securities<br>Acquired<br>(A) or<br>Disposed<br>of (D)<br>(Instr. 3,<br>4, and 5) |                                      | 1             |            | ay/Year)  |                 | Une   | derlying<br>curities<br>str. 3 an                                | Securit<br>(Instr.                     | Security (Instr. 5)          | Securities<br>Beneficially<br>Owned<br>Following<br>Reported<br>Transaction(s)<br>(Instr. 4) | Form of<br>Derivati<br>Security<br>Direct (<br>or Indire | Ownershi (Instr. 4) |
|  |                         |                                      |  | Code   |  |   |                                      | Date<br>Exerc | isabl      | le  | Expiration Date | n Titl  | le   | Amount<br>or<br>Number<br>of<br>Shares |                              |  |  |                     |
| Restricted<br>Stock<br>Units                               | (1)                     | 05/01/2018                           |  | М  |  |   | 362                                  | 05/01         | 1/20       | 18(2)   | <u>(4)</u>      |   | mmon<br>stock  | 362                                    | \$ 0                         | 723  | D  |                     |
| Restricted<br>Stock<br>Units                               | <u>(1)</u>              | 05/01/2018                           |  | М  |  |   | 265                                  | 05/01         | 1/20       | 018 <sup>(3)</sup>  | <u>(4)</u>      |   | mmon<br>stock  | 265                                    | \$ 0                         | 0  | D  |                     |

## **Reporting Owners**

| D. C. O. N. (All  | Relationships |           |         |       |  |  |  |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|--|
| Reporting Owner Name / Address  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer | Other |  |  |  |
| ALBERS MURREY R<br>C/O COLUMBIA SPORTSWEAR COMPANY<br>14375 NW SCIENCE PARK DRIVE<br>PORTLAND, OR 97229 | X             |           |         |       |  |  |  |

## **Signatures**

| Lindsey Kantawee, Attorney-in-Fact | 05/02/2018 |  |  |
|------------------------------------|------------|--|--|
| **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) Each restricted stock unit represents a right to receive one share of COLM common stock.

- On 6/13/17 the reporting person was granted 1,085 restricted stock units, one-third of the restricted stock units vest annually (a) on May 1, 2018 (the "Vest Date"), and (b) on each of the two subsequent anniversaries of the Vest Date. One share of Common Stock will be automatically delivered to the reporting person for each restricted stock unit that vests. 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.
- On 6/13/17 the reporting person was granted 265 restricted stock units, 100% of the restricted stock units vest annually on May 1, 2018. One share of Common Stock will be automatically delivered to the reporting person for each restricted stock unit that vests. 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.
- (4) N/A

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