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#### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person – BANY SARAH			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) 05/07/2004						Officer (give title below)	Other (specify	below)		
(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) Table I -				able I - No	on-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned								
(Instr. 3) Date		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acqu (A) or Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	Form:	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial		
			(Month/Day/Year)	Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock		05/07/2004		S <mark>(1)</mark>		5,000	D	\$ 53.3503	2,123,361	D			
Common Stock									100,000		By Children's Trust <sup>(2)</sup>		
Common Stock									1,252,779		By GRATs ( <u>3</u> )		
Reminder: Report on indirectly.	a separate lin	e for each class of se	curities beneficially	owned dir	ectly	or							
					co	ntained	in this	s form ar	the collection of information e not required to respond un ntly valid OMB control num	nless	SEC 1474 (9- 02)		

### Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

_	(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																		
1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction	3A. Deemed	4.	5	5. Nur	nber	6. Date Exercisable		Date Exercisable		e Exercisable 7. Title and		8. Price of	9. Number of	10.	11. Nature		
Derivative	Conversion	Date	Execution Date, if	Transactio	on c	of		and Expiration Date		and Expiration Date		and Expiration Date		Amo	unt of	Derivative	Derivative	Ownership	of Indirect
Security	or Exercise	(Month/Day/Year)	any	Code	Ι	Deriva	ative	(Month/Day/Year)		(Month/Day/Year)		Unde	rlying	Security	Securities	Form of	Beneficial		
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	S	Securi	ties					Secu	rities	(Instr. 5)	Beneficially	Derivative	Ownership		
	Derivative				A	Acqui	red			(Instr	. 3 and		Owned	Security:	(Instr. 4)				
	Security				(	(A) or				4)			0	Direct (D)					
						Dispos							*	or Indirect					
						of (D)							Transaction(s)	< / <					
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								Date	Expiration		or								
								Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Number								
								Excicisable	Date		of								
				Code V	V	(A)	(D)				Shares								

# **Reporting Owners**

	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
BANY SARAH C/O COLUMBIA SPORTSWEAR COMPANY 14375 NW SCIENCE PARK DRIVE PORTLAND, OR 97229	Х						

### Signatures

Carl K. Davis, Attorney-in-Fact	05/11/2004
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 reported transaction was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan.
- (2) Shares held in trust, of which Ms. Bany's husband is trustee, for the benefit of Ms. Bany's children.
- (3) Shares held in grantor retained annuity trusts for which Ms. Bany is trustee and income beneficiary.

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