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

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|--|--|---------------------------------|--------------------|-------|---|------------------|--|--|--|-------------------------------|--|
| 1. Name and Address of Reporti<br>BANY SARAH                           | 2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> Ticker or Trading Symbol<br>COLUMBIA SPORTSWEAR CO [COLM]  |                                 |                    |       |   |                  | 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer<br>(Check all applicable)<br>X Director 10% Owner |  |  |                               |  |
| (Last) (First)<br>C/O COLUMBIA SPORTS<br>COMPANY, 14375 NW SC<br>DRIVE |  | 3. Date of Earlie<br>03/22/2006 | st Transact        | ion ( | on (Month/Day/Year)Officer (give title below)Other (specif              |                  |  | below)   |  |                               |  |
| (Street)<br>PORTLAND, OR 97229   | 4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(   X_Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting P |                                 |                    |       |   |                  | cable Line)  |  |  |                               |  |
| (City) (State)   | (Zip)  | Ta                              | able I - No        | n-De  | rivative  | Securi           | ties Acqui   | red, Disposed of, or Beneficiall   | y Owned  |                               |  |
| 1.Title of Security<br>(Instr. 3)                                      | Date<br>(Month/Day/Year)   |                                 |                    | ction | 4. Securities Acquired<br>(A) or Disposed of (D)<br>(Instr. 3, 4 and 5) |                  |  | 5. Amount of Securities6.Beneficially Owned FollowingOwnershipReported Transaction(s)Form: |  | Beneficial                    |  |
|  |  | (Month/Day/Year)                | Code               | v     | Amount  | (A)<br>or<br>(D) | Price  | (Instr. 3 and 4)   | Direct (D)<br>or Indirect<br>(I)<br>(Instr. 4) | Ownership<br>(Instr. 4)       |  |
| Common Stock   | 03/22/2006   |                                 | S <mark>(1)</mark> |       | 7,200   | D                | \$<br>54.876   | 335,851  | D  |                               |  |
| Common Stock   | 03/22/2006   |                                 | S <sup>(1)</sup>   |       | 13,600  | D                | \$<br>54.8981  | 322,251  | D  |                               |  |
| Common Stock   | 03/22/2006   |                                 | S <mark>(1)</mark> |       | 2,600   | D                | \$<br>54.8705  | 319,651  | D  |                               |  |
| Common Stock   | 03/22/2006   |                                 | S <sup>(1)</sup>   |       | 2,200   | D                | \$<br>54.876   | 1,163,386  | Ι  | By<br>GRATs<br>(2)            |  |
| Common Stock   | 03/22/2006   |                                 | S <sup>(1)</sup>   |       | 5,000   | D                | \$<br>54.8981  | 1,158,386  | I  | By<br>GRATs<br>(2)            |  |
| Common Stock   | 03/22/2006   |                                 | S <sup>(1)</sup>   |       | 1,300   | D                | \$<br>54.8705  | 1,157,086  | I  | By<br>GRATs<br>(2)            |  |
| Common Stock   |  |                                 |                    |       |   |                  |  | 100  |  | By<br>Children's<br>Trust (3) |  |

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 | 2.   | 3. Transaction   | 3A. Deemed         | 4.          | 5.   | . Num    | ber | 6. Date Exer | cisable            | 7. Tit       | tle and      | 8. Price of | 9. Number of   | 10.         | 11. Nature  |
| Derivative  | Conversion   | Date             | Execution Date, if | Transaction | n oi | f        |     | and Expirati | on Date            | Amo          | unt of       | Derivative  | Derivative     | Ownership   | of Indirect |
| Security    | or Exercise  | (Month/Day/Year) | any                | Code        | D    | Derivat  | ive | (Month/Day   | /Year)             | Unde         | erlying      | Security    | Securities     | Form of     | Beneficial  |
| (Instr. 3)  | Price of   |                  | (Month/Day/Year)   | (Instr. 8)  | S    | ecuriti  | ies |              |                    | Secu         | rities       | (Instr. 5)  | Beneficially   | Derivative  | Ownership   |
|             | Derivative   |                  |                    |             | А    | cquire   | ed  |              |                    | (Insti       | r. 3 and     |             | Owned          | Security:   | (Instr. 4)  |
|             | Security   |                  |                    |             | (/   | A) or    |     |              |                    | 4)           |              |             | Following      | Direct (D)  |             |
|             |  |                  |                    |             |      | Dispose  | ed  |              |                    |              |              |             | *              | or Indirect |             |
|             |  |                  |                    |             |      | f (D)    |     |              |                    |              |              |             | Transaction(s) | < / <       |             |
|             |  |                  |                    |             | · ·  | Instr. 3 | · · |              |                    |              |              |             | (Instr. 4)     | (Instr. 4)  |             |
|             |  |                  |                    |             | 4,   | , and 5  | 5)  |              |                    |              |              |             |                |             |             |
|             |  |                  |                    |             | _    |          |     |              |                    |              | l.           |             |                |             |             |
|             |  |                  |                    |             |      |          |     |              |                    |              | Amount       |             |                |             |             |
|             |  |                  |                    |             |      |          |     | Date         | Expiration<br>Date | <b>T</b> . 1 | or           |             |                |             |             |
|             |  |                  |                    |             |      |          |     | Exercisable  | Date               |              | Number<br>of |             |                |             |             |
|             |  |                  |                    | Code V      | / (  | (A) (I   | D)  |              |                    |              | Shares       |             |                |             |             |

## **Reporting Owners**

| Reporting Owner Name / Address |  | Relationships |         |       |  |  |  |  |
|--------------------------------|--|---------------|---------|-------|--|--|--|--|
|                                |  | 10% Owner     | Officer | Other |  |  |  |  |
| BANY SARAH                     |  |               |         |       |  |  |  |  |

| C/O COLUMBIA SPORTSWEAR COMPANY | Х |  |  |
|---------------------------------|---|--|--|
| 14375 NW SCIENCE PARK DRIVE     |   |  |  |
| PORTLAND, OR 97229              |   |  |  |

### **Signatures**

| Peter J. Bragdon, Attorney-in-Fact | 03/24/2006 |
|------------------------------------|------------|
| **Signature of Reporting Person    | Date       |

# **Explanation of Responses:**

\* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).

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(1) The reported transaction was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan.

(2) Shares held in grantor retained annuity trusts for which Ms. Bany is trustee and income beneficiary.

(3) Shares held in trust, of which Ms. Bany's husband is trustee, for the benefit of Ms. Bany's children. Ms. Bany disclaims beneficial ownership of these securities, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that she is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.

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