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### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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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

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person – BANY SARAH			2. Issuer Name <b>and</b> 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) 04/10/2006						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)	Τε	uble I - Nor	n-De	rivative	Securi	ties Acqui	ired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned				
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)		Date (Month/Day/Year) a	Execution Date, if any			4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		d of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	6. Ownership Form:	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	04/1	0/2006		S <mark>(1)</mark>		2,000	D	\$ 53.7403	283,208	D			
Common Stock	04/1	0/2006		S <sup>(1)</sup>		1,000	D	\$ 53.7403	1,143,061	I	By GRATs (2)		
Common Stock									100	I	By Children's Trust (3)		
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### Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

( <i>e.g.</i> , puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)														
1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	Numbe	r 6. Date Exer	rcisable	7. Tit	le and	8. Price of	9. Number of	10.	11. Nature
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# **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	X							

### **Signatures**

Peter J. Bragdon, Attorney-in-Fact	04/12/2006
**Signature of Reporting Person	Date

# **Explanation of Responses:**

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