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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

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(Print or Type Respon	ses)		-									
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) C/O COLUMBIA COMPANY, 1437 DRIVE	3. Date of Earlie 05/10/2006	st Transact	ion (	Month/D	ay/Yea	Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)						
(Street) PORTLAND, OR 97229			4. If Amendmen	t, Date Ori	ginal	Filed(Mo	nth/Day/	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)	Τι	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned								
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)		Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		ction	(A) or D	urities Acquired Disposed of (D) 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	Form:	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
				Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
Common Stock		05/10/2006		S		1,350	D	\$ 50.95	157,226	D		
Common Stock		05/10/2006		S		2,000	D	\$ 50.8267	155,226	D		
Common Stock		05/10/2006		S		3,350	D	\$ 50.8737	151,876	D		
Common Stock		05/10/2006		S		3,350	D	\$ 50.99	148,526	D		
Common Stock		05/10/2006		S		650	D	\$ 50.95	1,107,611	I	By GRATs (1)	
Common Stock		05/10/2006		S		1,000	D	\$ 50.8267	1,106,611	I	By GRATs (1)	
Common Stock		05/10/2006		S		1,650	D	\$ 50.8737	1,104,961	I	By GRATs (1)	
Common Stock		05/10/2006		S		1,650	D	\$ 50.99	1,103,311	I	By GRATs (1)	
Common Stock									100	I	By Children's Trust (2)	

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

	( <i>e.g.</i> , puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)													
1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction	3A. Deemed	4.	5. N	umber	6. Date Exer	rcisable	7. Tit	le and	8. Price of	9. Number of	10.	11. Nature
Derivative	e Conversion	Date	Execution Date, if	Transaction	n of		and Expiration Date		Amo	unt of	Derivative	Derivative	Ownership	of Indirect
Security	or Exercise	(Month/Day/Year)	any	Code	Deri	vative	ive (Month/Day/Year)		Unde	rlying	Security	Securities	Form of	Beneficial
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Secu	irities	ies		Secur	rities	(Instr. 5)	Beneficially	Derivative	Ownership
	Derivative				Acq	uired			(Instr	. 3 and			Security:	(Instr. 4)
	Security				(A)	or			4)			Following	Direct (D)	
					Disp	osed						Reported	or Indirect	
					of (I	/						Transaction(s)	< / <	
					(Inst							(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)	
					4, ar	nd 5)								
										Amount				
							Date	Expiration		or				
							Exercisable		Title	Number				
							Exercisable	Date		of				
				Code V	(A)	(D)				Shares			1	

### **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

Peter J. Bragdon, Attorney-in-Fact	05/12/2006
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) Shares held in grantor retained annuity trusts for which Ms. Bany is trustee and income beneficiary.

(2) 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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