FORM 4

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 Typ | e Responses | <u> </u> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * BABSON STEPHEN E | | | | 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) 06/03/2014 | | | | | | | | | fficer (give | title below) | | er (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 - Non-Derivative Securities Acqui | | | | | | ired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned | | | | | | | | |
| (Instr. 3) Date | | | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution D any (Month/Day | | ate, if | 3. Tr Code (Inst | | (A) (| 4. Securities Acquir (A) or Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | | | | ecurities Beneficially ing Reported | | Ownership o Form: B | Seneficial Ownership |
| | | | | | | | C | ode V | Amo | (A) or ount (D) | Price | rice | | | | (I) (Instr. 4) | |
| Derivative Security | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if | 4. Transaction Code | | 5. Number of | | quired, Disposed of, or Benefs, options, convertible securit 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | | | | | Derivative Security (Instr. 5) | 9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s | Ownershi Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirec | Beneficial | |
| | | | | Code | V | (Instr. and 5) | 3, 4, | Date Exercisab | ıle | Expiration Date | Title | | Amount or Number of Shares | | (Instr. 4) | (Instr. 4) | |
| Restricted Stock Units | \$ 0 | 06/03/2014 | | A | | 743 | | 07/01/20 |)15(1) | (3) | | nmon ock | 743 | \$ 0 | 743 | D | |
| Employee Stock Option (right to buy) | \$ 84.22 | 06/03/2014 | | A | | 2,289 | | 07/01/20 |)15 ⁽²⁾ | 06/02/2024 | 11 | nmon ock | 2,289 | \$ 84.22 | 2,289 | D | |

Reporting Owners

| P. (1. O. N. /AII | Relationships | | | | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------|---------|-------|--|--|--|
| Reporting Owner Name / Address | Director | 10% Owner | Officer | Other | | | |
| BABSON STEPHEN E C/O COLUMBIA SPORTSWEAR COMPANY 14375 NW SCIENCE PARK DRIVE PORTLAND, OR 97229 | X | | | | | | |

Signatures

| Peter J. Bragdon, Attorney-in-Fact | 06/05/2014 |
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| **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).
- 33% of the restricted stock units shall vest annually (a) on the first anniverary of the first day of the first full calendar month following the award date (the "Vest Date"), and (b) on each of the two subsequent anniversaries following the first anniversary 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.
- (2) 33% of the stock options shall vest annually (a) on the first anniverary of the first day of the first full calendar month following the award date (the "Vest Date"), and (b) on each of the two subsequent anniversaries following the first anniversary of the Vest Date.

(3) N/A

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