# FORM 4

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

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(Print or Typ	e Responses	.)																	
Name and Address of Reporting Person *  ALBERS MURREY R				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) 02/24/2015									Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)						
(Street)											_X_ For	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting Person							
	PORTLAND, OR 97229 (City) (State) (Zip)				Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquir									ired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned					
1.Title of Se (Instr. 3)	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Tra Code (Instr.	nsaction 8)	1 4. S (A) (Ins	Secur ) or D	rities Acquire Disposed of (I 3, 4 and 5)  (A) or t (D) Pr				Securities Beneficially wing Reported		6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common S	Stock		02/24/2015				M	[	10,	,500	A \$	S 22.42	30,07	30,072 (1)		1	D		
Common	Stock		02/24/2015				S		10,	,500	D \$	5 5 5	19,57	,572		]	D		
			Table II -					dis Juired,	splays Dispos	s a c	urrently	valid	d OMB c	ontrol n	unless the umber.	form			
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion Date Execution Date, or Exercise (Month/Day/Year) Price of Derivative Security Security 3A. Deemed Execution Date, any (Month/Day/Year)			if Transaction of E. Code Derivative (N				6. Date Expira	Expiration Date Am Month/Day/Year) Under Section 2				Title and mount of Inderlying ecurities	nount of Derivativ derlying Security		f 9. Number of e Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s (Instr. 4)	Owners Form of Derivati Security Direct ( or Indire	Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				Code	V	(A)	(D)	Date Exerci	sable		Expiration Date	Ti	itle	Amount or Number of Shares					
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 22.425 (2)	02/24/2015		М			10,500	07/01	/2005	(3)	05/23/20	15 L	Common Stock	10,500	\$ 22.425	0	D		

### **Reporting Owners**

Donation Comment Name / Address	Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
ALBERS MURREY R C/O COLUMBIA SPORTSWEAR COMPANY 14375 NW SCIENCE PARK DRIVE PORTLAND, OR 97229	X						

## **Signatures**

Peter J. Bragdon, Attorney-in-Fact	02/25/2015
-*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) On September 26, 2014, the common stock of COLM split 2-for-1, resulting in the reporting person's ownership of 9,786 additional shares of common stock.
- (2) On September 26, 2014 the option price and number of shares were adjusted to reflect COLM 2-for-1 stock split.
- (3) Vesting commences on the first day of the first full month following the grant date and becomes exercisable ratably over thirty-six months.

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