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

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Persor Bragdon Peter J	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol COLUMBIA SPORTSWEAR CO [COLM]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s (Check all applica Director	/			
(Last) (First) C/O COLUMBIA SPORTSWEAR COMPANY, 14375 NW SCIENCE	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/01/2016						X  Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)    EVP/CAO, Gen. Counsel & Sec.				
(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)	Т	able I - No	n-Der	vivative Se	curitie	s Acqui	ired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned			
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Ye			3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)					Transaction(s)	Ownership Form:	Beneficial	
	(Month/Day/Y		Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)	
Common Stock	02/29/2016		G	V	100	D	\$ 0	11,697	D		
Common Stock	03/01/2016		М		5,059 ( <u>1)</u> ( <u>2</u> )	А	\$ 0	16,756	D		
Common Stock	03/01/2016		F		2,578 ( <u>3)</u>	D	\$ 60.06	14,178	D		
Common Stock	03/01/2016		М		315	А	\$ 0	14,493	D		
Common Stock	03/01/2016		F		161 ( <u>3)</u>	D	\$ 60.06	14,332	D		

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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			3A. Deemed	4.						7. Title and		8. Price of	9. Number of		11. Nature
Derivative	Conversion	Date	Execution Date, if	Transact	ion	on of H		Expiration Date		Amount of		Derivative	Derivative	Ownership	of Indirect
Security	or Exercise	(Month/Day/Year)	any	Code		Deriv	vative	(Month/Day/Yea	ur)	Underlying		Security	Securities	Form of	Beneficial
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)		Secu			Securities		(Instr. 5)	Beneficially	Derivative	Ownership	
	Derivative					Acqu	nired	d		(Instr. 3 and 4)			Owned	Security:	(Instr. 4)
	Security					(A) c	or			î î			Following	Direct (D)	
						Disp	osed						Reported	or Indirect	
						of (D	))						Transaction(s)	(I)	
						(Inst	tr. 3,					(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)		
						4, an	d 5)	5)							
											Amount				
											or				
									Expiration		Number				
								Exercisable	Date		of				
				Code	V	(A)	(D)				Shares				
Restricted										Common					
Stock	<u>(4)</u>	03/01/2016		М			315	03/01/2016(5)	<u>(6)</u>	Common	315	\$ 0	943	D	
Units								2010		Stock					
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# **Reporting Owners**

	Relationships							
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Bragdon Peter J C/O COLUMBIA SPORTSWEAR COMPANY 14375 NW SCIENCE PARK DRIVE PORTLAND, OR 97229			EVP/CAO, Gen. Counsel & Sec.					

### Signatures

Peter J. Bragdon	03/02/2016
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 12/17/2013, the reporting person was granted a performance restricted stock unit grant for 2,594 target shares. 5,059 shares were earned on 3/1/16, based on achieving 195% of certain performance criteria for the period 1/1/14 - 12/31/15. Restricted stock units vest and settle in shares of the Company's common stock on a one-for-one basis.

(2) On September 26, 2014 the RSUs were adjusted to reflect COLM 2-for-1 stock split.

- (3) Shares surrendered to the Company as payment to satisfy tax withholding obligation in connection with the vesting of the restricted stock units.
- (4) Each restricted stock unit represents a right to receive one share of COLM common stock.
- On 2/9/15 the reporting person was granted 1,258 restricted stock units, 25% of the restricted stock units 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 three subsequent anniversaries following the first anniversary of the Vest Date. Vested shares will (5) be delivered to the reporting person on the designated vest dates. 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.

(6) N\A

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