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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Hopcus Russell B.	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol COLUMBIA SPORTSWEAR CO [COLM]						5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner				
(Last) C/O COLUMBIA SE COMPANY, 14375	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/01/2017						X_ Officer (give title below) Officer (give title below) Officer (give title below) Officer (give title below)	her (specify bell Sales	ow)		
PORTLAND, OR 97	4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_Form filed by One Reporting PersonForm filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned								
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)		Date (Month/Day/Year)		Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s)	Ownership Form:	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial
			(Month/Day/Year)	Code	V	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	1
Common Stock		02/01/2017		M		432	A	<u>(1)</u>	3,131	D	
Common Stock		02/01/2017		F		180 (2)	D	\$ 55.04	2,951	D	
Common Stock		02/01/2017		M		418	A	<u>(1)</u>	3,369	D	
Common Stock		02/01/2017		F		175 (2)	D	\$ 55.04	3,194	D	
Common Stock		02/01/2017		M		352	A	<u>(1)</u>	3,546	D	
Common Stock		02/01/2017		F		147 (2)	D	\$ 55.04	3,399	D	
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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Code	ion	of Deri Secu Acqu (A) o	vative rities uired or osed O) r. 3,	Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		Amount of Underlying		Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number of Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 4)	Ownership Form of Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	V	(A)		Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>	02/01/2017		M			432	02/01/2015(4)	(3)	Common Stock	432	\$ 0	432	D	
Restricted Stock Units	(1)	02/01/2017		M			418	02/01/2016(5)	(3)	Common Stock	418	\$ 0	836	D	
Restricted Stock Units	<u>(1)</u>	02/01/2017		M			352	02/01/2017(6)	(3)	Common Stock	352	\$ 0	1,054	D	

Reporting Owners

Depositing Owney Name / Address		Relationships						
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
Hopcus Russell B. C/O COLUMBIA SPORTSWEAR COMPANY 14375 NW SCIENCE PARK DRIVE PORTLAND, OR 97229			SVP North America Sales					

Signatures

Peter J. Bragdon, Attorney-in-Fact	02/02/2017
**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) Each restricted stock unit represents a right to receive one share of COLM common stock.
- (2) Shares surrendered to the Company as payment to satisfy tax withholding obligation in connection with the vesting of the restricted stock units.
- (3) N/A
 - On 1/30/14 the reporting person was granted 1,728 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
- (4) 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.
 - On 1/29/15 the reporting person was granted 1,673 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.
 - On 1/28/16 the reporting person was granted 1,406 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
- (6) 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.

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