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FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * **BANY SARAH**

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

COLUMBIA SPORTSWEAR CO

(Check all applicable)

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(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)

_X__ Director 10% Owner _ Other (specify Officer (give title

03/16/2006

C/O COLUMBIA SPORTSWEAR COMPANY, 14375 NW SCIENCE PARK DRIVE

(Street)

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

PORTLAND, OR 97229

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned									
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities According Disposed of (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) (A) or Amount (D)		(D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
Common Stock	03/16/2006		S(1)	4,150	D	\$ 53.9586	437,801	D			
Common Stock	03/16/2006		S(1)	16,675	D	\$ 54.046	421,126	D			
Common Stock	03/16/2006		S(1)	525	D	\$ 53.9586	1,177,861	I	By GRATs (2)		
Common Stock	03/16/2006		S(1)	2,075	D	\$ 54.046	1,175,786	I	By GRATs (2)		
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Common Stock By Children's Trust (3)

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 (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

	1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerci	isable and	7. Titl	e and	8. Price of	9
	Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)) Execution Date, if Trans		orNumber	Expiration Date		Amou	int of	Derivative	Ι
	Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/Y	(ear)	Under	lying	Security	S
	(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	;		Securities	(Instr. 5)	F	
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						4, and 5)						
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					Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address

Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

BANY SARAH C/O COLUMBIA SPORTSWEAR COMPANY 14375 NW SCIENCE PARK DRIVE PORTLAND, OR 97229

X

Signatures

Peter J. Bragdon, Attorney-in-Fact

03/20/2006

**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) The reported transaction was effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan.
- (2) Shares held in grantor retained annuity trusts for which Ms. Bany is trustee and income beneficiary.

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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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