COLUMBIA SPORTSWEAR CO

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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * Cusick Thomas B.

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

COLUMBIA SPORTSWEAR CO

(Check all applicable)

[COLM]

(Middle)

(Last) (First) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

Director 10% Owner Other (specify X_ Officer (give title below)

(Month/Day/Year)

02/27/2015

EVP of Finance & CFO

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

PORTLAND, OR 97229

(City) (State) (Zip)

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securi	ties A	cquired	5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	on(A) or Di	spose	d of (D)	Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Beneficially	(D) or	Beneficial	
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)			Owned	Indirect (I)	Ownership	
							Following	(Instr. 4)	(Instr. 4)
					(4)		Reported		
					(A)		Transaction(s)		
			C-J- V	A 4	or	D.::	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
~			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price			
Common Stock	02/27/2015		M	6,812 (1) (2)	A	\$ 0	33,025	D	
Common Stock	02/27/2015		F	3,471 (3)	D	\$ 55.89	29,554	D	

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)

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1. Title of	2.	3. Transaction Date	3A. Deemed	4.	5.	6. Date Exerc	isable and	7. Title	and	8. Price of	9
Derivative	Conversion	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transacti	orNumber	Expiration Da	ate	Amour	nt of	Derivative	J
Security	or Exercise		any	Code	of	(Month/Day/	Year)	Underl	ying	Security	5
(Instr. 3)	Price of		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	Derivative	e		Securit	ies	(Instr. 5)]
	Derivative				Securities			(Instr.	3 and 4)		(
	Security				Acquired						J
					(A) or						J
					Disposed						-
					of (D)						(
					(Instr. 3,						
					4, and 5)						
									Amount		
									or		
						Date	Expiration		Number		
						Exercisable	Exercisable Date	of			
				Code V	(A) (D)				Shares		

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships					
reporting owner runter radiction	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other		
Cusick Thomas B. C/O COLUMBIA SPORTSWEAR COMPANY 14375 NW SCIENCE PARK DRIVE PORTLAND, OR 97229			EVP of Finance & CFO			

Signatures

Peter J. Bragdon, Attorney-in-Fact

**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).
- On 3/21/2012, the reporting person was granted a performance restricted stock unit grant for 4,678 target shares. 6,812 shares were

 (1) earned on 2/27/15, based on achieving 145.6% of certain performance criteria for the period 1/1/12 12/31/14. 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.

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